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1 Question 1 - Lena

1.1 Approximations

Approximations with rank 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 400



1.2 Error Discussion

From inspection of the program output we can see that the error computed using the **frobenius** norm is equal to the square root of the sum of eigen values that are zeroed out to achive the approximation. We see this is true from the following. We have $A = U\Sigma V^T$ by SVD, and then we get the rank k approximation of k as $\widetilde{A} = U\widetilde{\Sigma}V^T$. Now consider the following

$$A - \widetilde{A} = U\Sigma V^{T} - U\widetilde{\Sigma}V^{T}$$

$$= U(\Sigma - \widetilde{\Sigma})V^{T}$$

$$= U\Sigma'V^{T}$$
(1)

Where the diagonal of Σ' contains all singular values not in $\widetilde{\Sigma}$.

So finally
$$\left\|A-\widetilde{A}\right\|_{Fro}=\sqrt{\sum_{i=k+1}(\sigma_i')^2}$$
 As we saw experementally

2 Question 2 - Yalefaces

2.1 Approximations

Approximations with rank 10, 20, 40, 80, 120

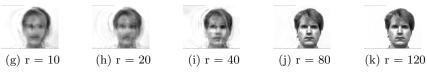


Figure 1: Image 5

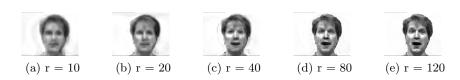


Figure 2: Image 10

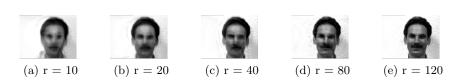


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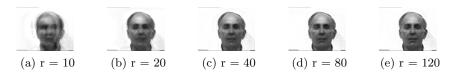


Figure 4: Image 50



Figure 5: Image 67

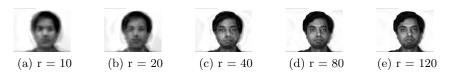


Figure 6: Image 100

2.2 Error Discussion

See section 1.2

3 Question 3 - SVD - PCA Relationship

Take X as our data matroix (we assume X has been mean centered). Then PCA is asking us to compute the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the covariance matrix of X which is XX^T . As XX^T is symmetric by the spectral theorem we have $X = KAK^T$. Where A is diagonal with entries corosponding to the eigenvalues of XX^T and K is orthonormal with columns corosponding to the eigenvectors of XX^T .

Now we consider the SVD of X, $X = U\Sigma V^T$, take $XX^T = (U\Sigma V^T)(U\Sigma V^T)^T = U\Sigma^2 U^T$. So the singular values of X corospond to the square roots of the eigen values of XX^T