

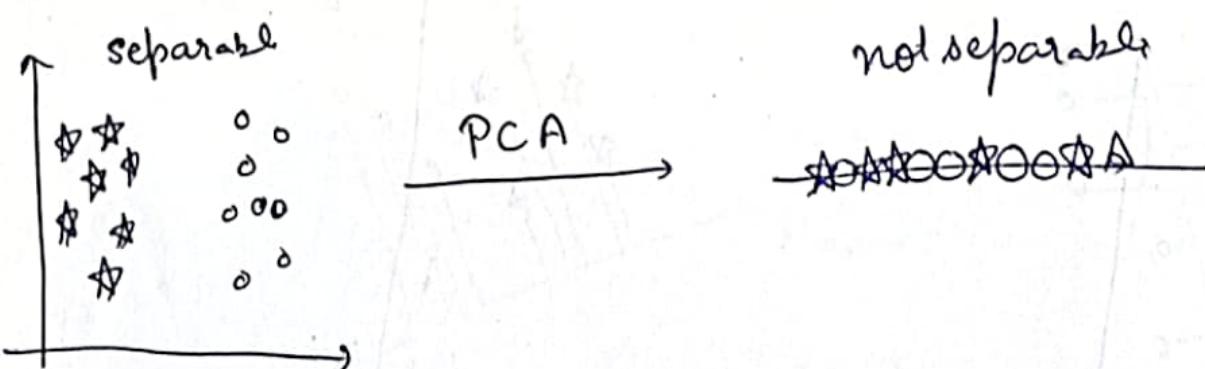
Principal Component Analysis

n × matrix

- ① Calculate the covariance Σ of data point.
- ② Calculate eigenvectors + correspond eigenvalues.
- ③ Sort eigenvectors according to their given value in decreasing order.
- ④ Choose first k eigenvectors & that will be the new k dimension.
- ⑤ Transform original n-dim to k-dimension.

PCA is an unsupervised learning technique that aims to maximize the variance of the data along the principal components.
→ Aim is to identify the directions (components) that captures as much variance as possible.

However, the directions of maximum variance may be useless for classification



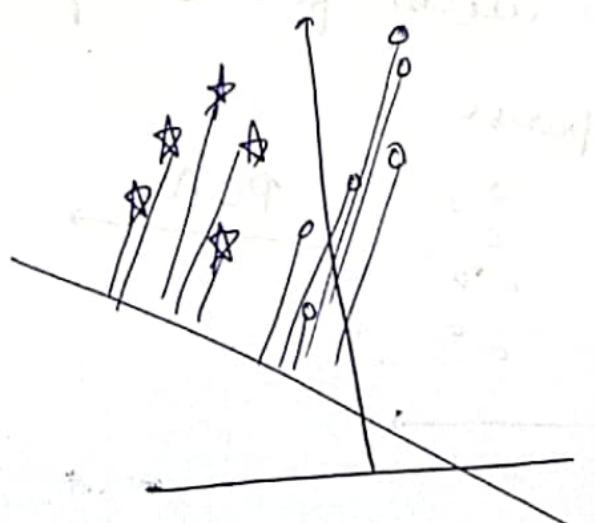
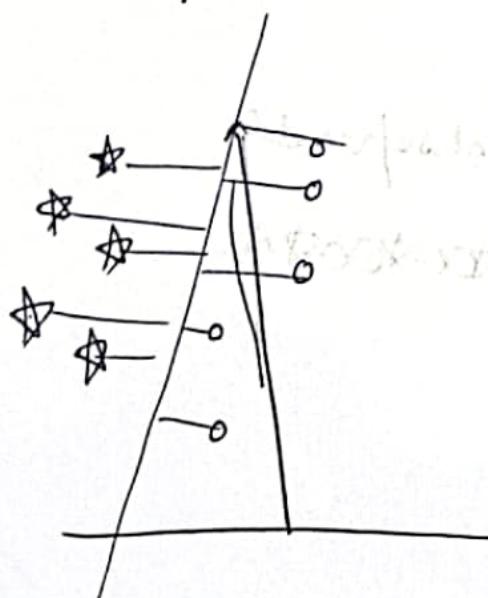
If the data is linearly separable in higher dimensional space then the linearly separable should be preserved in the lower dimensionality space.

Here LDA (Linear Discriminant Analysis) comes to the rescue.

→ Unlike ~~PCA~~ PCA, LDA is a supervised learning method, which means it takes class labels into account when finding directions of maximum Variance.

LDA aims to maximize the separation b/w different classes in the data.

→ goal is to identify the direction that captures the most separation b/w the classes



Given a data set $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \in \mathbb{R}^d$ where

n_1 samples are coming from class C_1 .

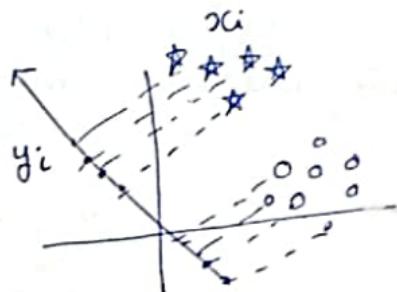
n_2 do $\overbrace{\quad}$ C_2

Our aim is to find a unit vector direction that
"best discriminates" b/w classes

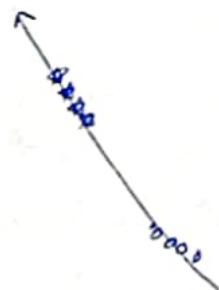
Consider any unit vector $v \in \mathbb{R}^d$

1D projection of points are

$$y_i = v^T x_i \quad i=1, 2, \dots, n$$



Let μ_1 & μ_2 be the mean of centroid of class
 C_1 and C_2 , respectively before projection.



Let $\tilde{\mu}_1$ denote mean of sample of class C_1 after the
projection then

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\mu}_1 &= \frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{x_i \in C_1}^{n_1} v^T x_i = v^T \left(\frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{x_i \in C_1}^{n_1} x_i \right) \\ &= v^T(\mu_1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\tilde{\mu}_2 = \frac{1}{n_2} \sum_{x_i \in C_2}^{n_2} v^T x_i = v^T(\mu_2)$$

What we solve in LDA is

maximize $| \tilde{\mu}_1 - \tilde{\mu}_2 |$ where $\tilde{\mu}_j = v^T \mu_j$
 $v: \|v\|=1$

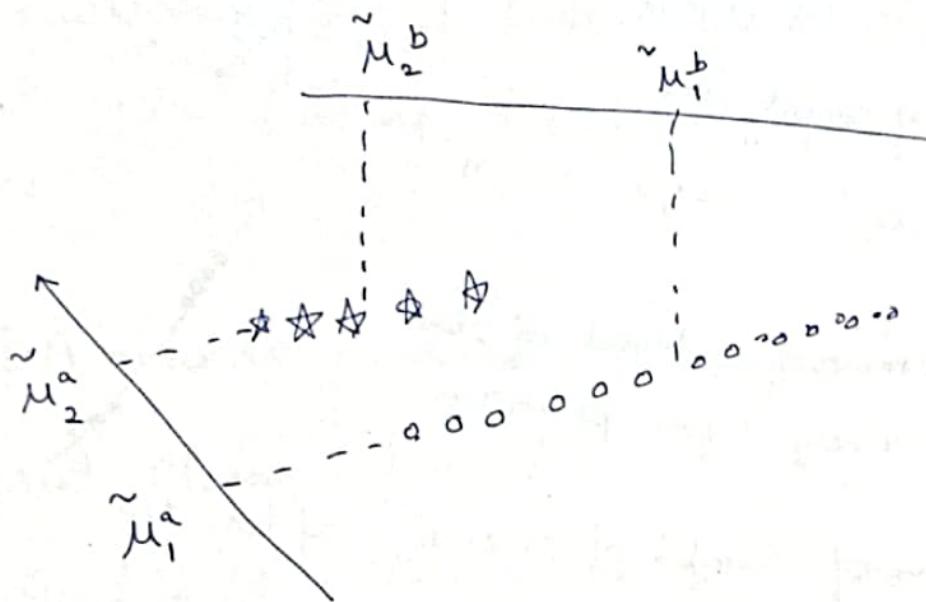
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$$\tilde{\mu}_j = v^T \mu_j \quad j=1, 2$$

Means

maximize $| \tilde{\mu}_1 - \tilde{\mu}_2 |$ w.r.t v , while ensuring v remains unit vector

But this criteria might not always work



So we also need to pay attention to the variance of the projected class.

Let $y_i = v^T x_i$ be the projected samples.

Then scatter for sample of class C, is

$$\tilde{s}_1^2 = \sum_{x_i \in C_1} (y_i - \tilde{\mu}_1)^2 \quad \text{lets ignore } \frac{1}{n} \text{ for now}$$

$$\tilde{s}_2^2 = \sum_{x_i \in C_2} (y_i - \tilde{\mu}_2)^2$$

We use them to normalize $(\tilde{\mu}_1, \tilde{\mu}_2)$ by variance.

Ideally, projected class have both

- far away mean
- small variances.

Thus, one need to project the data onto a line having direction v which maximizes

$$J(v) = \frac{(\tilde{\mu}_1 - \tilde{\mu}_2)^2}{\tilde{s}_1^2 + \tilde{s}_2^2}$$

Class 1 and class 2 scatter after project should be small

$$\max_{v: \|v\|=1} \frac{(\tilde{\mu}_1 - \tilde{\mu}_2)^2}{\tilde{s}_1^2 + \tilde{s}_2^2} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{optimal } v \text{ should} \\ \rightarrow (\tilde{\mu}_1 - \tilde{\mu}_2) \text{ large} \\ \rightarrow (\tilde{s}_1^2 + \tilde{s}_2^2) \text{ small} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\tilde{\mu}_1 - \tilde{\mu}_2)^2 &= (v^T \mu_1 - v^T \mu_2)^2 = (v^T (\mu_1 - \mu_2))^2 \\ &= v^T (\mu_1 - \mu_2) \cdot (\mu_1 - \mu_2)^T v \\ &= v^T S_B v \end{aligned}$$

where

$$S_B = (\mu_1 - \mu_2) (\mu_1 - \mu_2)^T \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d} \text{ is } \cancel{\text{definite}}$$

↓
called between-class scatter \mathcal{S}_B

Remark: S_B is square, symmetric and positive semidefinite \mathcal{S}_B .
Moreover $\text{rank}(S_B)=1 \Rightarrow$ only 1 non-zero eigenvalue.

Define separate class scatter w/ S_1 & S_2 of class C_1 & C_2

$$S_1 = \sum_{x_i \in C_1} (x_i - \mu_1)(x_i - \mu_1)^T$$

$$S_2 = \sum_{x_i \in C_2} (x_i - \mu_2)(x_i - \mu_2)^T$$

Against $\frac{1}{n}$ is
not taken.

Now define within-class scatter w/ as

$$S_W = S_1 + S_2$$

For each class $j=1, 2$, variance of projection (onto v) :

$$\tilde{S}_j^2 = \sum_{x_i \in C_j} (y_i - \tilde{\mu}_j)^2 = \sum_{x_i \in C_j} (v^T x_i - v^T \mu_j)^2$$

$$= \sum_{x_i \in C_j} v^T (x_i - \mu_j)(x_i - \mu_j)^T v$$

$$\tilde{S}_1^2 = \sum_{x_i \in C_1} v^T (x_i - \mu_1)(x_i - \mu_1)^T v$$

$$\tilde{S}_2^2 = \sum_{x_i \in C_2} v^T (x_i - \mu_2)(x_i - \mu_2)^T v$$

$$\tilde{S}_j^2 = v^T \left[\sum_{x_i \in C_j} (x_i - \mu_j)(x_i - \mu_j)^T \right] v$$

$$= v^T S_j v$$

$$\tilde{S}_1^2 = v^T S_1 v$$

$$\tilde{S}_2^2 = v^T S_2 v$$

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{s}_1^2 + \tilde{s}_2^2 &= v^T S_1 v + v^T S_2 v \\ &= v^T (S_1 + S_2) v \\ &= v^T S_w v\end{aligned}$$

$$S_w = S_1 + S_2 =$$

$$\sum_{x_i \in C_1} (x_i - \mu_1)(x_i - \mu_1)^T + \sum_{x_i \in C_2} (x_i - \mu_2)(x_i - \mu_2)^T$$

S_w is called total within-class scatter of original data

$S_w \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$ is also square, symmetric & Positive semidefined

Putting everything together

$$\max_{v: \|v\|=1} \frac{v^T S_B v}{v^T S_w v} = J(v)$$

$$\underline{d} \quad J(v) = 0 \quad \text{after some step}$$

$$d(v)$$

$$\Rightarrow S_B v - \underbrace{v^T S_B v}_{(S_w v)} = 0$$

$v^T S_w v$ scalar value.
assume it to $\underline{\lambda}$

$$S_B v - \lambda S_w v = 0$$

$$S_B v = \lambda S_w v$$

$$\underbrace{S_w^{-1} S_B}_{\downarrow} v = \lambda v$$

Matrix, let say M

$$M v = \lambda v$$

eigenvector
& eigenvalue
largest eigenvalue

v is the eigenvector of $S_w^{-1} S_B$ corresponding to largest eigenvalue.

However it is not computational efficient method as:

- ① First one has to invert $S_w \rightarrow S_w^{-1}$
- ② Multiply it to $S_B \rightarrow S_w^{-1} S_B$
- ③ + then solve for eigenvalue.

$$S_w^{-1} S_B v = \lambda v$$

One can do it in a smarter way

$$S_w^{-1} S_B v = \lambda v$$

$$\lambda v = S_w^{-1} S_B v$$

we know $S_B x$ points in the same direction as

$$\mu_1 - \mu_2$$

$$S_B x = (\mu_1 - \mu_2) (\mu_1 - \mu_2)^T x$$

$$\lambda v = S_w^{-1} (\mu_1 - \mu_2) \underbrace{(\mu_1 - \mu_2)^T v}_{\text{scalar}}$$

This implies that $v \propto S_w^{-1} (\mu_1 - \mu_2)$

and it can be computed from $S_w^{-1} (\mu_1 - \mu_2)$

through rescaling | No need to calculate S_B |

Recipe for LDA

① Calculate the mean vector for each class.

Mean vector class 1 $\rightarrow \mu_1$, (μ_1^x, μ_1^y)

Mean vector class 2 $\rightarrow \mu_2$, (μ_2^x, μ_2^y)

② Calculate the within-class scatter S_w

$S_w = \sum_{x_i \in c} (x_i - \mu_c)(x_i - \mu_c)^T$ for all data points x_i in class c ($c = 1, 2$)

③ Calculate between-class scatter S_b .

$$S_b = (\mu_2 - \mu_1)(\mu_2 - \mu_1)^T$$

④ Compute eigenvalues & eigenvectors of $S_b^{-1} \cdot S_w$.

Eigenvalues represent separability of classes, and the corresponding eigenvectors are direction in which data should be projected

⑤ Sort top k eigenvectors

⑥ Create a W with selected eigenvectors as columns

Multiple Discriminant Analysis (MDA)

Just like LDA, MDA aims to maximize the ratio of between-class scatter (S_B) to within-class scatter (S_w). However, instead of finding a single vector v , it seeks a matrix V whose columns are discriminant function weights.

Soln is found by solving

$$S_w^{-1} S_B V = \Lambda V$$

columns of V are eigenvectors, which represent discriminant functions
 Λ - diagonal of eigenvalues

	PCA	LDA
Label	unsupervised	Supervised
Criterion	Variance	discrimination
classifier.	feature classification	data classification
dimension	reduce data upto any dimension	reduce data upto "number of class - 1" dimension
linear projection	Yes	Yes