

## MSPR 4: PCA II

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- *Andrew Moore's machine learning tutorial lectures: Gaussians, Gaussian Mixture Models, <http://www.autonlab.org/tutorials/>*
  
- *Christopher Bishop: Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning: Chapter 1 (Introduction) 1.2.3 (The Gaussian Distribution) p. 24 - 27, 2.3 (The Gaussian Distribution) p. 78, 84 bottom - 85 top.*

# Outline

- 1 Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors
- 2 Matrix Diagonalization
- 3 Eigenvalue Decomposition for Symmetric Matrices

# Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

## Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

*Strang: Chapter 6.1: Introduction to Eigenvalues pp. 283-297*

# Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

Generally the vector  $\mathbf{x}$  *changes direction* when multiplied by  $\mathbf{A}$ ...

However there are some special vectors  $\mathbf{x}$  that are in the same direction as  $\mathbf{Ax}$ :

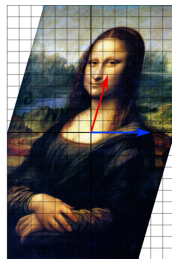
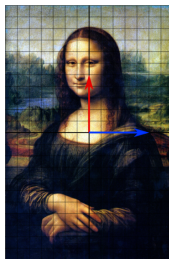
$$\mathbf{Ax} = \lambda \mathbf{x}$$

- such a vector  $\mathbf{x}$  is an *eigenvector*
- $\lambda$  is the *eigenvalue* corresponding to  $\mathbf{x}$
- $\lambda$  can be a number, it scales  $\mathbf{x}$
- if  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I}$ ,  $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{x}$ , i.e. all vectors are eigenvectors of  $\mathbf{I}$

# Example I

- Shearing:  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.25 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is an eigenvector with eigenvalue 1
- $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$  is another eigenvector with eigenvalue 1

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Mona\\_Lisa\\_eigenvector\\_grid.png](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Mona_Lisa_eigenvector_grid.png)



## Example II

Video: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Eigenvectors.gif>

- Transformation matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Example of eigenvectors:  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  with corresponding eigenvalues 1, 3.

# Eigenvalue Decomposition for Symmetric Matrices



## Eigenvalue Decomposition for Symmetric Matrices

*Strang: Chapter 6.2: Diagonalizing a Matrix pp. 298-311, Chapter 6.4:  
Symmetric Matrices*



# Eigenvalue Decomposition for Symmetric Matrices

## Definition

An *orthonormal* matrix  $V$  is a matrix in which

- all column vectors (row vectors) are orthogonal to each other, i.e.  
 $\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w} = 0$  for  $\mathbf{v} \neq \mathbf{w}$
- all column vectors (row vectors) have length 1, i.e.  $\|\mathbf{v}\| = 1$
- $\Rightarrow \mathbf{V}^T \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{I} = \mathbf{V}^{-1} \mathbf{V} \Rightarrow \mathbf{V}^{-1} = \mathbf{V}^T$

## Theorem

(*Eigenvalue decomposition for symmetric matrices:*) Every symmetric matrix has the matrix decomposition  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{V} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{V}^T$  with real eigenvalues in  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$  and orthogonal eigenvectors in  $\mathbf{V}$ :

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{V} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{V}^{-1} = \mathbf{V} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{V}^T \quad \text{with} \quad \mathbf{V}^{-1} = \mathbf{V}^T \text{ (Matlab : } [\mathbf{V} \mathbf{\Lambda}] = \text{eig}(\mathbf{A}))$$

# Eigenvalue Decomposition for Symmetric Matrices

The *eigenvector matrix*  $\mathbf{V}$  has the eigenvectors  $\mathbf{v}_1 \dots \mathbf{v}_n$  as columns.

$$\mathbf{V} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \dots & \mathbf{v}_n \end{bmatrix}$$

The *eigenvalue matrix*  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$  has the eigenvalues as diagonal elements in corresponding order:

$$\mathbf{\Lambda} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

# Eigenvalue Decomposition for Symmetric Matrices

## Remark on Diagonalization

- The order of eigenvectors in  $\mathbf{V}$  corresponds to the order of eigenvalues in  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$  (see proof on diagonalization)

## Class Assignment

Find the eigenvectors  $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2$  and corresponding eigenvalue(s)  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$  for

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

and sort them according to a descending order of the eigenvalues. Use the following Matlab functions (and others):

- `a=diag(A)` returns the diagonal of matrix  $A$  as a vector  $a$
- `[x idx]=sort(x,'descend');` `A=A(:,idx)` sorts the elements of  $x$  in descending order. It also sorts the columns of  $A$  in descending order of the corresponding elements of  $x$ .

## Class Assignment

*Perform an eigenvalue decomposition of the sample covariance matrix  $\mathbf{C}$  of covariances between the features (sepal length / width, petal length / width). Sort the eigenvalues in descending order, rearrange the eigenvalues and the eigenvectors in that order and plot the eigenvalues. Use the following Matlab functions (and others):*

- `a=diag(A)` returns the diagonal of matrix  $A$  as a vector  $a$
- `[x idx]=sort(x,'descend');` `A=A(:,idx)` sorts the elements of  $x$  in descending order. It also sorts the columns of  $A$  in descending order of the corresponding elements of  $x$ .

## Class Assignment

*Display the Eigenvectors over the four features (sepal length / width, petal length / width) using `plot` and `hold on` and explain how they relate to the features.*

## Class Assignment

Center the data via:  $X_c = X - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \bar{\mathbf{x}}$  where the vertical vector consisting

of  $I$  ones (number of observations/rows in observation matrix  $\mathbf{X}$ ) and  $\bar{\mathbf{x}} = (\bar{\mathbf{X}}_{[:,1]}, \bar{\mathbf{X}}_{[:,2]}, \dots, \bar{\mathbf{X}}_{[:,J]})$  is the vector of column means of features 1, 2, ...,  $J$ . Calculate the scores, i.e. the marks on the axes of the new coordinate system (= the eigenvectors) via:  $\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{X}_c \mathbf{V}_{[:,1:2]}$ , where  $\mathbf{V}_{[:,1:2]}$  is the matrix that consists of just the first two columns (eigenvectors) of eigenvector matrix  $\mathbf{V}$  of sample covariance matrix  $\mathbf{C}$  with corresponding 2 highest eigenvectors. Then display the scores of all iris instances. Mark each iris species in a different color. Use the prtools function `scatterd` for plotting.





The *Inertia* (average square norm of all points) for set of column-centered points  $\mathbf{X}_{c[1,:]}, \mathbf{X}_{c[2,:]}, \dots, \mathbf{X}_{c[I,:]}$  is a measure for the variance in the data:

$$\frac{1}{I} \sum_{i=1}^I \|\mathbf{x}_{c[i,:]}\|^2.$$

Consider the scores  $\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{X}_c \mathbf{V}_{[:,1:j]}$ , where  $\mathbf{V}_{[:,1:j]}$  is the matrix that consists of just the  $j$  columns (eigenvectors) of eigenvector matrix  $\mathbf{V}$  of sample covariance matrix  $\mathbf{C}$  that correspond to its  $j$  highest eigenvalues. We can measure how much variance of the original data  $\mathbf{X}_{[i,:]}$  is kept in the scores  $\mathbf{S}_{[i,:]}$  by calculating the *inertia (data variance) quotient*:

$$\tau := \frac{\sum_{i=1}^I \|\mathbf{s}_{[i,:]}\|^2}{\sum_{i=1}^I \|\mathbf{x}_{[i,:]}\|^2}$$

*Principal component analysis* (eigenvalue decomposition on the sample covariance matrix of the data) provides the projection with best variance preservation.

## Class Assignment

- 1 Calculate the inertia quotient  $\tau$  between the scores and the column centered iris data.
- 2 Calculate the cumulative sum of eigenvalue percentage for the two ( $k = 2$ ) highest eigenvalues  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$  according to:  $c_k = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j}{\sum_{j=1}^J \lambda_j}$  and compare it with the inertia quotient calculated before.
- 3 Calculate and plot the cumulative sum of eigenvalue percentage  $c_k$  for the  $k = 1, 2, 3, 4$  highest eigenvalues using Matlab function `cumsum` for calculating cumulative sums.

## Class Assignment

*(Principal Component Analysis for Compression and Reconstruction)*

*Reconstruct the original Iris data, using the following reconstruction equation for scores  $\mathbf{S}$  and  $\mathbf{V}'_{[:,1:j]}$  whos columns are the  $j$  eigenvectors corresponding to the highest  $j$  eigenvalues of the sample covariance matrix of the data:*

$$\mathbf{X}_r = \mathbf{S}\mathbf{V}'_{[:,1:j]} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \bar{\mathbf{x}}$$

*where the vertical vector consisting of  $I$  ones (number of observations/rows in observation matrix  $\mathbf{X}$ ) and  $\bar{\mathbf{x}} = (\bar{\mathbf{X}}_{[:,1]}, \bar{\mathbf{X}}_{[:,2]}, \dots, \bar{\mathbf{X}}_{[:,J]})$  is the vector of column means of features  $1, 2, \dots, J$ .*

# Principal Component Analysis Cookbook I

1 *Data matrix*:  $I$  observations of  $J$  features:

$$\mathbf{X} := \begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & \cdots & x_{1j} & \cdots & x_{1J} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & \cdots & x_{2j} & \cdots & x_{2J} \\ x_{31} & x_{32} & \cdots & x_{3j} & \cdots & x_{3J} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ x_{i1} & x_{i2} & \cdots & x_{ij} & \cdots & x_{iJ} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ x_{I1} & x_{I2} & \cdots & x_{Ij} & \cdots & x_{IJ} \end{pmatrix}$$

2 Calculate: *sample mean vector*  $\bar{\mathbf{x}}$  (Matlab: `mean(X)`):

$$\bar{\mathbf{x}} = \frac{1}{I} \underbrace{(1, 1, \dots, 1)}_{I \times} \mathbf{X}$$

3 *Centerize data* column/featurewise via:  $\mathbf{X}_c = \mathbf{X} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \bar{\mathbf{x}}$

# Principal Component Analysis Cookbook II

- 1 Calculate *sample covariance*:



$$\mathbf{C} = \frac{1}{I-1} \mathbf{X}_c^T \mathbf{X}_c$$

Matlab: `C=cov(X)`

- 2 *Eigenvalue decomposition for symmetric matrices*:  $\mathbf{C}$  is symmetric:  
 $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{V}\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{V}^T$  with eigenvectors as the columns of  $\mathbf{V}$  and the corresponding eigenvalues in the same order on the diagonal of  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$   
Matlab: `[V D]=eig(C)`

- 3 Pick eigenvalues from diagonal of  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$  and form a vector  $\lambda$ :  
Matlab: `eigval=diag(D);`

# Principal Component Analysis Cookbook III

- 1 *Sort eigenvectors* and eigenvalues in descending order: Matlab:  
`[eigval idx]=sort(eigval,'descend'); V=V(:,idx);`
- 2 *[Plot eigenvectors]* and interpret them in terms of the original features, they are a linear combination of. Matlab: `plot (V(:, j ) )`

- 3 Calculate and plot the *cumulative sum of eigenvalue percentage* :

$$c_k = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j}{\sum_{j=1}^J \lambda_j}$$

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1 cs=cumsum(eigval)/sum(eigval); plot(cs)
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The eigenvector corresponding to the highest eigenvalue points in the direction of maximal variance. Check the graph for a 'knee' to decide how many dimensions  $k$  to keep.

# Principal Component Analysis Cookbook IV

- 1 *Reduction to  $k$  dimensions*: Calculate the scores via:  $\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{X}_c \mathbf{V}_{[:,1:k]}$ , where  $\mathbf{V}_{[:,1:k]}$  is the matrix that consists of just the first  $k$  columns (eigenvectors) of eigenvector matrix  $\mathbf{V}$  of sample covariance matrix  $\mathbf{C}$  with corresponding  $k$  highest eigenvalues. Matlab:

```
1 scores=Xc*V(:,1:k)
```

- 2 *Visualize scores* (2d for the 2 highest eigenvalues) Matlab (if the data have labels):

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1 z=prdataset(scores , labels); scatterd(z)
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# Principal Component Analysis Cookbook V



**1** [*Reconstruct data*] from the compressed representation:

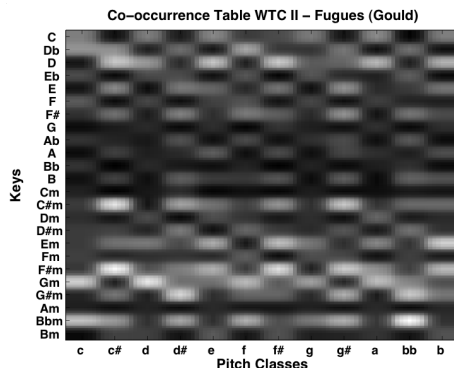
$$\mathbf{X}_r = \mathbf{S}\mathbf{V}'_{[:,1:k]} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \bar{\mathbf{x}}$$

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1 Xr=scores*V(:,1:k) +ones(I,1)*mean(X);
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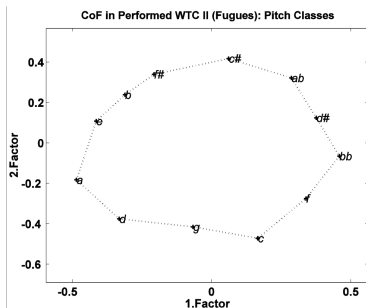


# Relations between Pitch Classes in Bachs Wohltemperiertes Klavier II

- Bach: Wohltemperiertes Klavier, Part II (Fugen), Glenn Gould (Audio) Greyscale matrix: estimated strength of 12 pitch classes in all 24 keys (CQ-Profile, Purwins et al. 2000) Pitch classes: 24-dimensional frequency vector in each key
- Dimension reduction (correspondence analysis: Greenacre, 1984) maps 24 dimensions to 2 dimensions, to preserve structural relationships between keys.



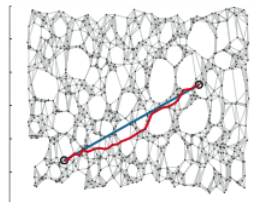
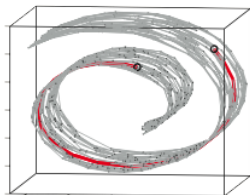
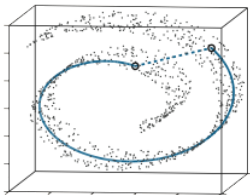
# Visualisation of Pitch Classes in Bach's WT II, Fugues, recording Glenn Gould



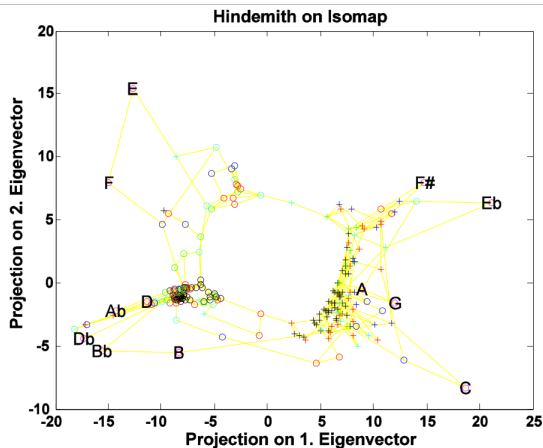
*Circle of fifths* emerges! Check out Matlab dimension reduction toolbox:  
<http://lvdmaaten.github.io/drtoolbox/>

# Isomap

Non-linear Mapping: Geodesic distance + PCA



# Musical Style Visualization



'Landscapes' of all pieces:

Bach (black), Chopin (red), Alkan (cyan), Scriabin (green), Shostakovich (blue), Hindemith (magenta, outlier) marked, 'o'/'+' : Major/minor (Purwins et al. 2004)