

minimum for $E = \|Y - XM\|^2$
occurred when

$$\nabla E = 0$$

$$X^T Y - X^T X M = 0$$

$$X^T (Y - XM) = 0$$

X, Y constant
matrices

M variables

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} m_1 \\ \vdots \\ m_{k+1} \end{bmatrix}$$

X given matrix $N \times (k+1)$

$X: N \times (k+1)$
data

Y target

column space of X is the
subspace of \mathbb{R}^N spanned by
the columns of X .

colspace spanned by $k+1$ vectors

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \\ \vdots \\ m_{k+1} \end{pmatrix}$$

XM is an $N \times 1$ vector
as M varies, XM gives
elements of \mathbb{R}^N .

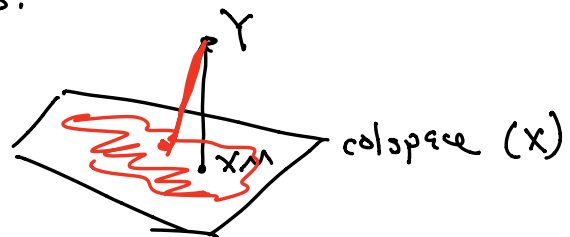
$$\begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & \dots \\ x_{21} & & \\ \vdots & & \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \\ \vdots \\ m_{k+1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_1 x_{11} + m_2 x_{12} + \dots + m_{k+1} x_{1, k+1} \\ \vdots \\ x_{N1} m_1 + \dots + x_{N, k+1} m_{k+1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= m_1 X[:, 1] + m_2 X[:, 2] \\ + \dots + m_{k+1} X[:, k+1]$$

XM varies over
colspace(X) as M varies.

$$\|Y - XM\|^2 \quad Y - XM$$

minimize $\|Y - XM\|^2$



What is the point in $\text{colspace}(X)$ closest to Y ?

This happens for $X^T(Y - XM) = 0$
 for $X \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$
 when

$$\begin{pmatrix} \text{col of } X \\ \text{matrix} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} Y - XM \end{pmatrix}$$

entries of

$$X^T(Y - XM)$$

are the dot products of
 the columns of X with $Y - XM$ as M
 varies.

If all dot products are zero $\Leftrightarrow Y - XM$
 is perpendicular to a spanning set
 for $\text{colspace}(X) \Rightarrow$ perpendicular to any
 element of $\text{colspace}(X)$.

