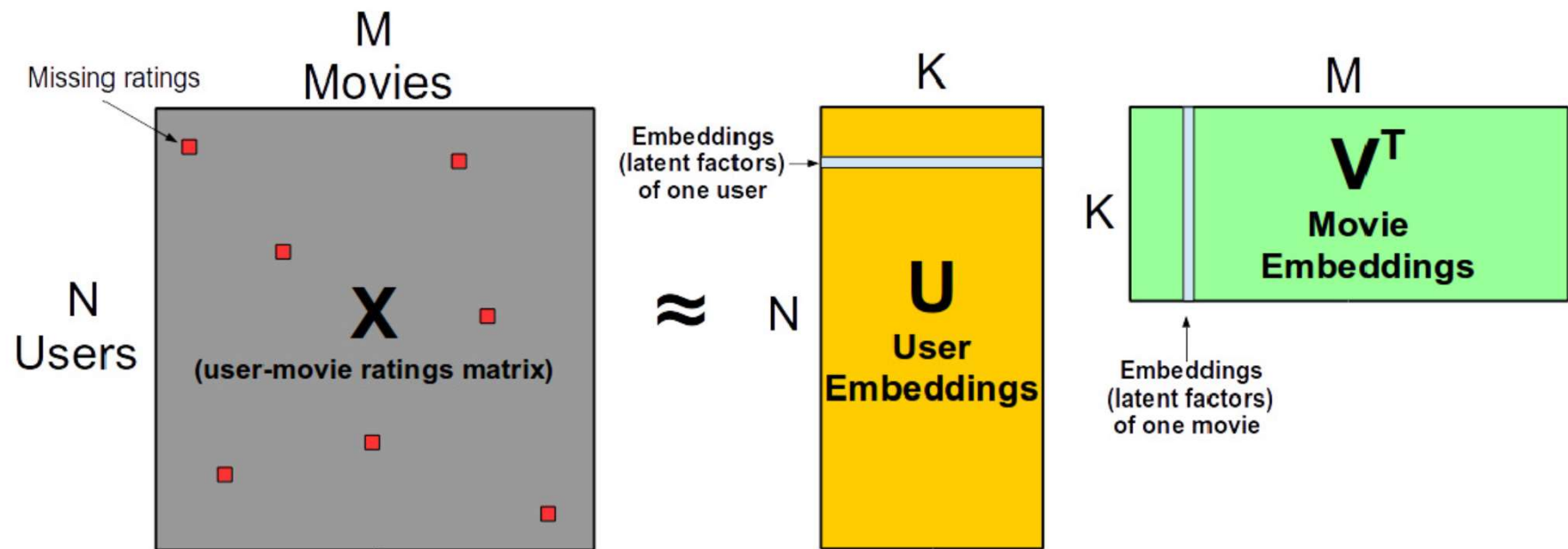
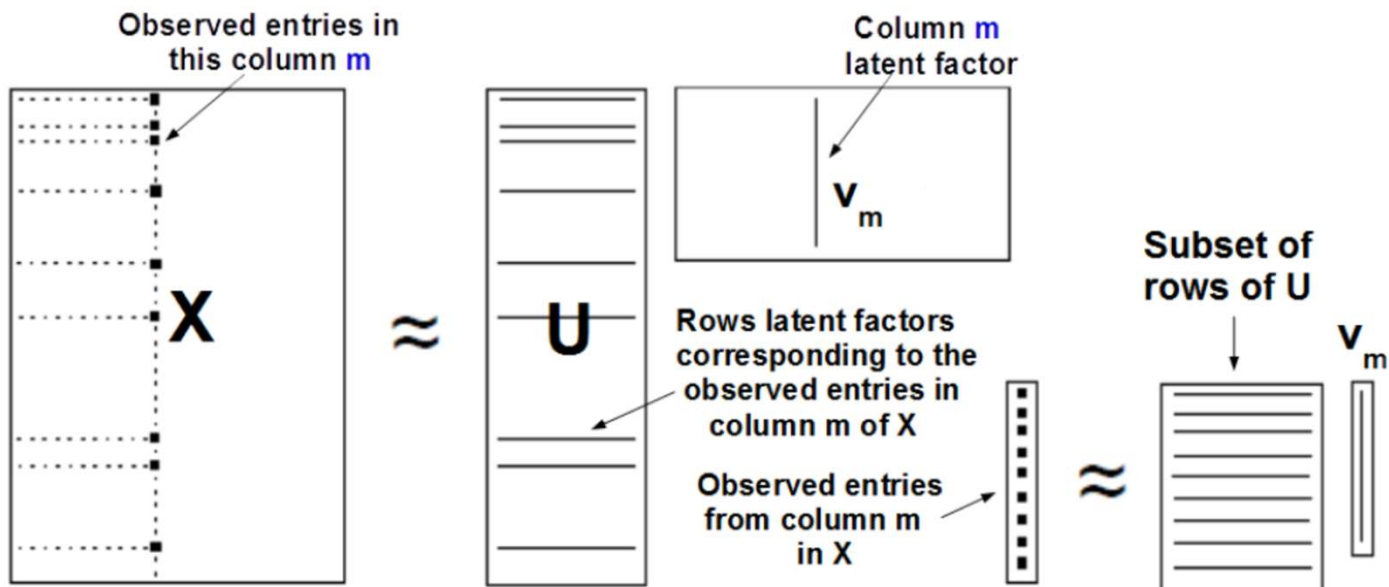


Lecture 16: Alternating Least Square

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Matrix Factorization





Now becomes a least-squares type problem for solving for \mathbf{v}_m

$$\mathbf{w} = (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X} + \lambda \mathbf{I}_{d+1})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{y} = \left(\sum_{n=1}^N \mathbf{x}_n \mathbf{x}_n^T + \lambda \mathbf{I}_{d+1} \right)^{-1} \sum_{n=1}^N y_n \mathbf{x}_n$$

$$\mathbf{v}_m^* = \left(\sum_{n \in \Omega_{cm}} \mathbf{u}_n \mathbf{u}_n^T + \lambda_v \mathbf{I}_K \right)^{-1} \sum_{n \in \Omega_{cm}} x_{n,m} \mathbf{u}_n$$

Alternating Least Square

- Initialize the latent factors $\mathbf{u}_1^T, \mathbf{u}_2^T, \dots, \mathbf{u}_N^T$ randomly
- Iterate until converge
 - Update each column latent factor $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_M$ (In parallel)

$$\mathbf{v}_m^* = \left(\sum_{n \in \Omega_{cm}} \mathbf{u}_n \mathbf{u}_n^T + \lambda_v \mathbf{I}_K \right)^{-1} \sum_{n \in \Omega_{cm}} x_{n,m} \mathbf{u}_n$$

- Update each row latent factor $\mathbf{u}_1^T, \mathbf{u}_2^T, \dots, \mathbf{u}_N^T$ (In parallel)

$$\mathbf{u}_n^* = \left(\sum_{m \in \Omega_{rn}} \mathbf{v}_m \mathbf{v}_m^T + \lambda_u \mathbf{I}_K \right)^{-1} \sum_{m \in \Omega_{rn}} x_{n,m} \mathbf{v}_m$$