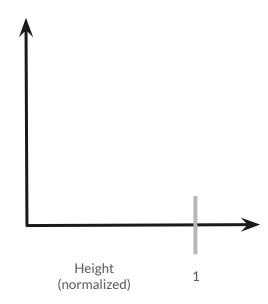
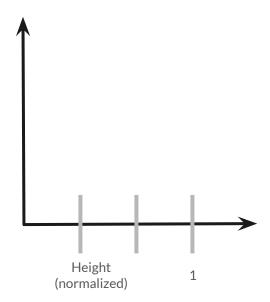
# CIS 678 - Machine Learning

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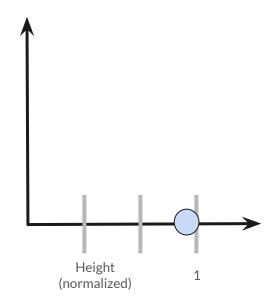
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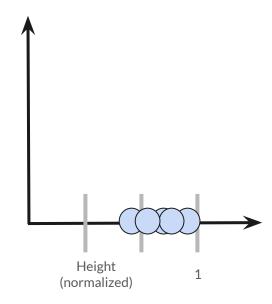
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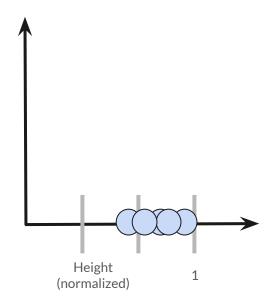
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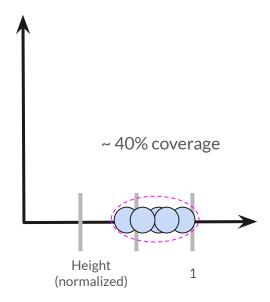
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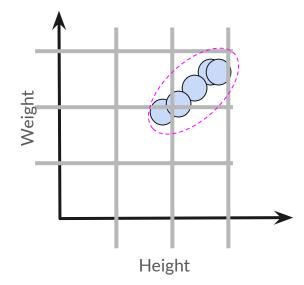
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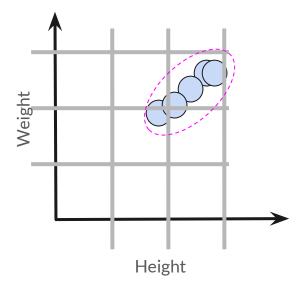
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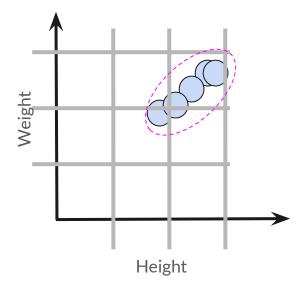
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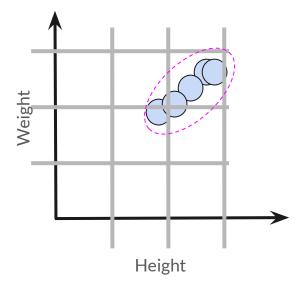
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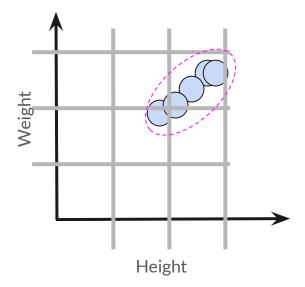
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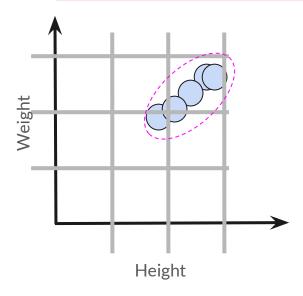


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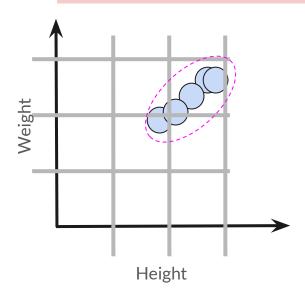
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  - o SVD
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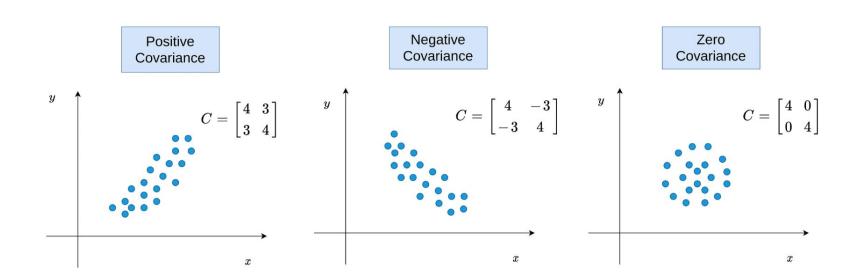
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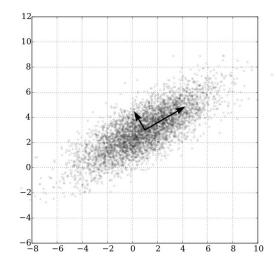


#### 5 Things you should know about Covariance

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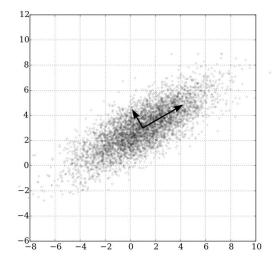
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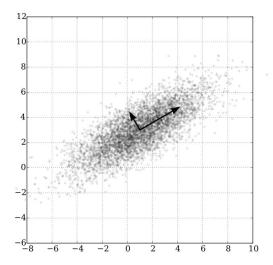
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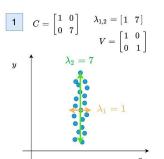
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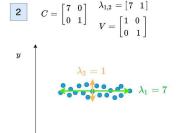
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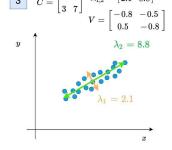
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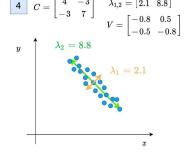
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#### Notebook presentation









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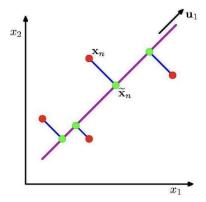
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- We are reducing data definitions from 2D to 1D; this can be generalized from D to M dimensions

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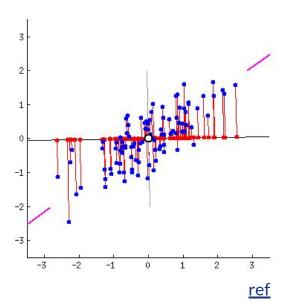
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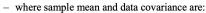


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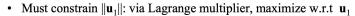
- One dimensional example
   Objective: maximize projected variance w.r.t. U<sub>1</sub>

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^{N} \{ \mathbf{u}_1^T \mathbf{x}_n - \mathbf{u}_1^T \bar{\mathbf{x}} \}^2 = \mathbf{u}_1^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{u}_1$$



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$$\mathbf{u}_1^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{u}_1 + \lambda (1 - \mathbf{u}_1^T \mathbf{u}_1)$$

• Optimal **u**<sub>1</sub> is principal component (eigenvector with maximal eigenvalue)

