**Maman 12 report**

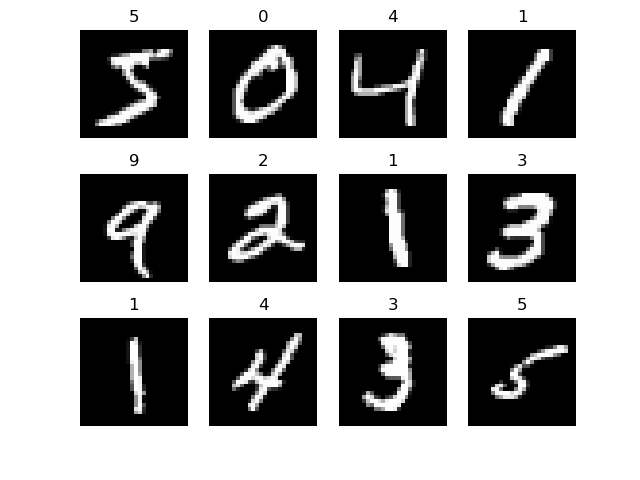
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Loader.DataSet loads the database from pkl, and shows the required visualizations.

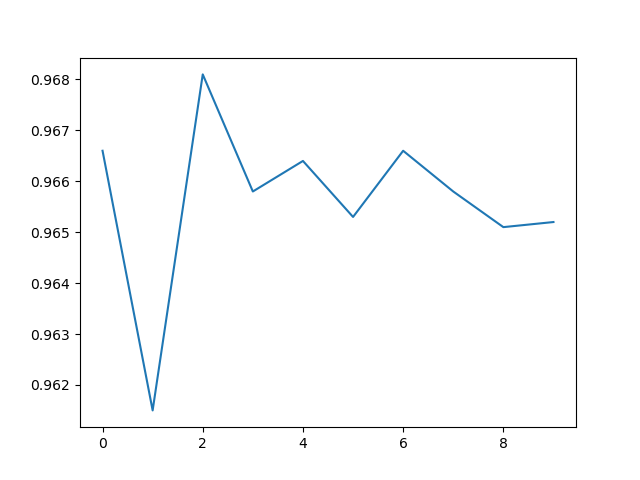
Counting occurrences of every digit (in the y vectors) in all train/validation/test sets gives the following histogram:

{0: 6903, 1: 7877, 2: 6990, 3: 7141, 4: 6824, 5: 6313, 6: 6876, 7: 7293, 8: 6825, 9: 6958}

Showing 

Question 1 – KNN:

Showing the results for k=1..10:



We can see the accuracy for k=3 is 0.968. [the graph starts from 0, but k from 1]

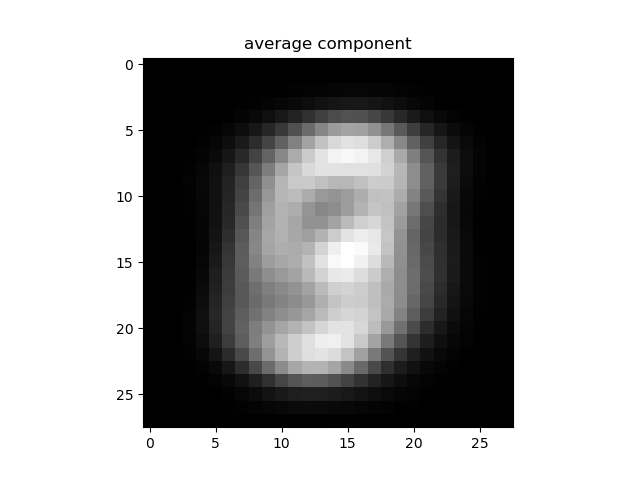
In case of a tie in “votes”, the lower digit is selected.

**Question 2 – PCA:**

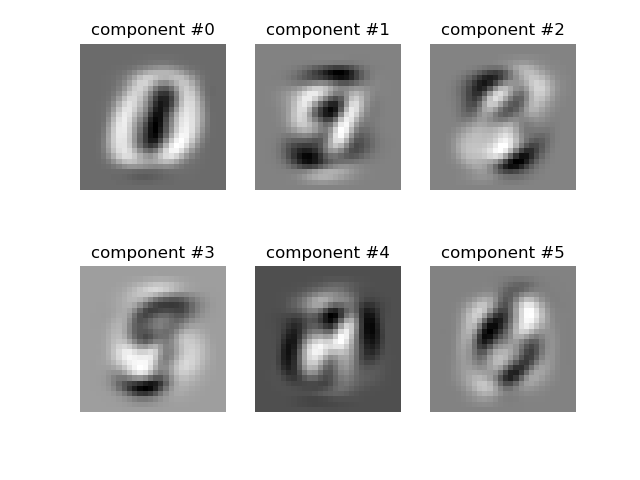
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The average digit is the same if calculated in pca or in feature (pixel) space, because of linearity.

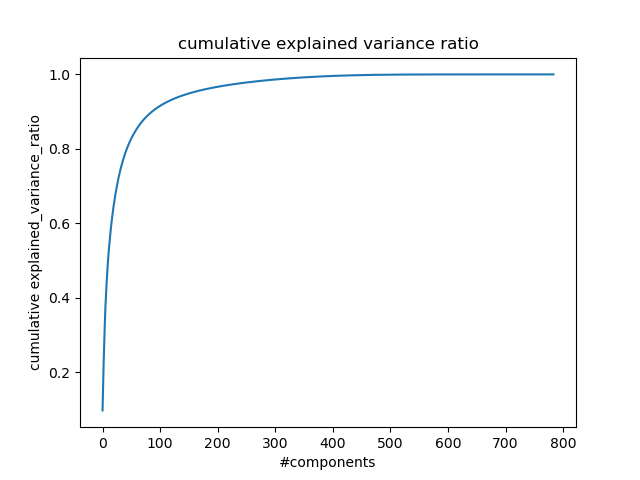
Here it is in feature space:



The first 6 strongest components in feature space:



Cumulative variance which is explained by (sorted) principal components (1 is all the variance).



If we want to preserve 80% of the variance, we need the first 44 components. For 95%, we need 154 components.

Calculated using calculate\_n\_components\_required.

Reducing the dimensionality to 2 by using the strongest 2 components and giving each label its own color yields the following:

