Assignment-2 REPORT

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QUESTION-6

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PCA for Another Image Dataset

1 Finding Mean, Covariance and Eigen vectors, values

Similiar to the previous question analysis, We have the data set of 16 fruits each of which is a 19200x1 column vector. So our total data set is represented by a single matrix D = 19200x16, each column represents a fruit.

All the steps of finding mean, Covariance etc are Exactly same as **Q4**, Mean $\mu =$ average of all the 16 columns = (sum of all 16 columns)/16. So mean can be found easily and same as previous questions. Also the covariance matrix can be found from **D** and μ . If **S** = **D** - μ , then **C** = **S*S**^T/**N**. Finding them is same.

Now using **C** I found the top-4 Eigen vectors of **C** and the top-10 **Eigen values** of C.

Displaying the **mean** and the 4-**eigen vectors** as Images:

I reshaped those vectors to $80 \times 80 \times 3$ and scaled to [0,1] by dividing with 255. Then used the image() function to visualise those images. Also I used imwrite() to save those images in the current directory. I used the subplot() to plot the 4 eigen-vector images in a single plot.

The obtained images are:

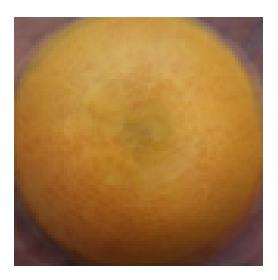


Figure 1: Mean of all the Fruits

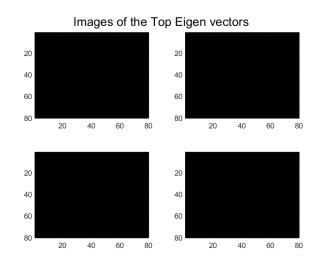


Figure 2: Top-4 eigen vectors as images

Plotting the Top-10 eigen values:

I found the top10 eigen values of ${\bf C}$ using the eigs(C) function. And plotted them. The obtained plot is:

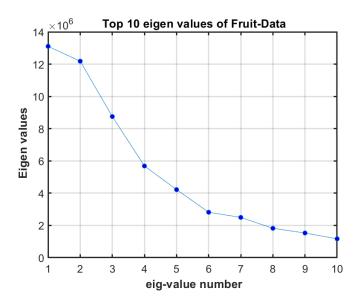


Figure 3: Top-10 eigen values

2 Closest Representations of the fruit images.

Let $\mathbf{u_1}, \mathbf{u_2}, \mathbf{u_3}, \mathbf{u_4}$ be the **unit** eigen vectors (The top-4 eigen unit vectors) and let μ be the mean.So now we need to find coefficients a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4 so that the vector $\mathbf{c} = \mu + a_1 u_1 + a_2 u_2 + \dots + a_4 u_4$ is as close to the original Fruit data vector \mathbf{x} as possible. Here we perform computations assuming all are Column vectors, i.e, we represent the images as 19200×1 column vectors.

For closeness, we need the norm $||\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{c}||$ to be as small as possible.norm is nothing but square root of the sum of squares of the vector. So we need the sum of squares of components of $\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{c}$ to be as small as possible.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{19200} (x_i - \mu_i - a_1 u_{1i} + ... + a_4 u_{4i})^2$$
 minimum

Now if we expand the sum, then we get the following

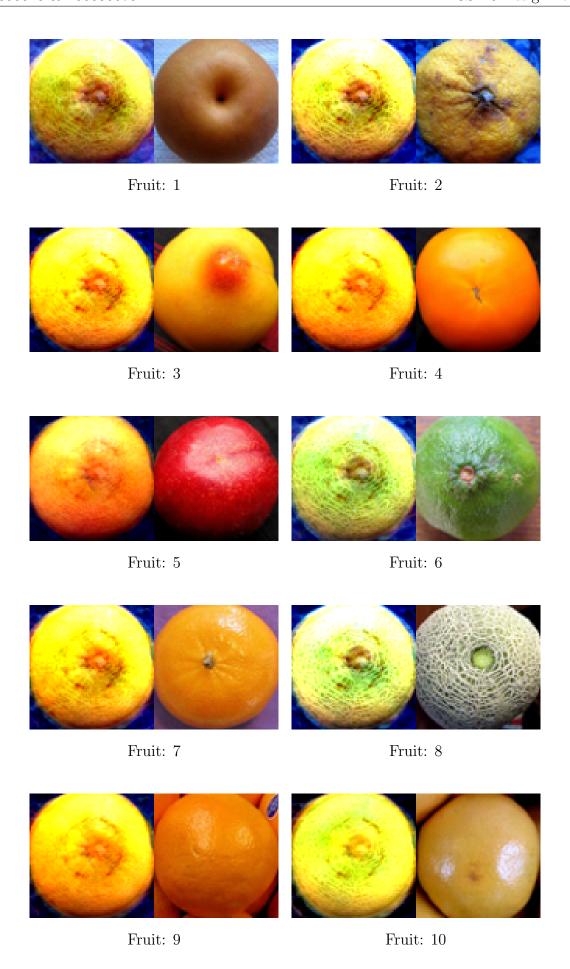
$$||\mathbf{x}||^2 + ||\mu||^2 + \sum_{k=1}^4 [(a_k)^2 ||\mathbf{u_k}||^2 - 2a_k(\mathbf{u_k} \cdot \mathbf{x})] + \sum_{i=1}^4 \sum_{j=1 \neq i}^4 a_i a_j(\mathbf{u_i} \cdot \mathbf{u_j})$$

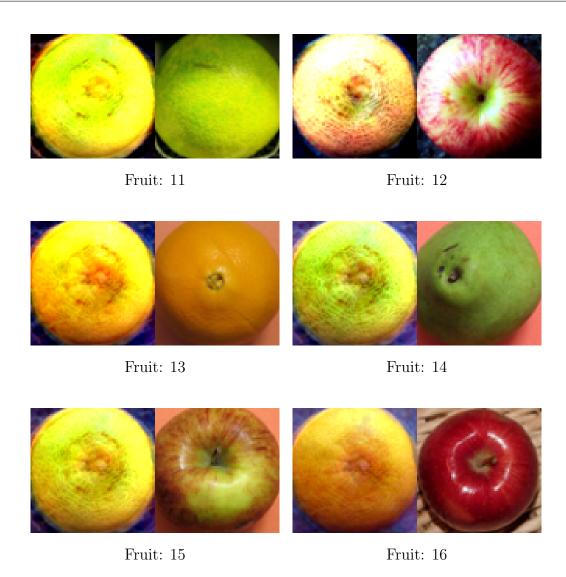
First 2 terms are constant and also the 4rd term is zero since $\mathbf{u_i}$, $\mathbf{u_j}$ are orthogonal eigen vectors. So we need the 3rd term to be minimum for all $\mathbf{k}=1$,4. Also $||u_k||=1$ as we have choosen **unit** eigen vectors.

So it will be minimum if $a_k^2-2a_k(u_k.x)$ is minimum.It happens when $\mathbf{a_k}=\mathbf{u_k}\cdot\mathbf{x}$

Hence the closest vector to ${\bf x}$ is ${\bf c}=\mu+\sum_{k=1}^4({\bf u_k.x}){\bf u_k}$

So I implemented the same for all images in a loop and Plotted the image of both \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{c} side-by-side for comparison using the image() function after rescaling and reshaping them to $80 \times 80 \times 3$. I also saved those images in the directory using the imwrite() function. The images that I obtained are: **Original: RIGHT**





3 Sampling new fruit images.

So now we need to sample random images from the same distribution given by the μ and \mathbf{C} . We have to use the 4 eigen vectors $\mathbf{u_1}, \mathbf{u_2}, \mathbf{u_3}, \mathbf{u_4}$ and the mean to sample new 'fruits'. So we have to generate vectors $\mathbf{x} = \mu + \mathbf{a_1}\mathbf{u_1} + \mathbf{a_2}\mathbf{u_2} + ... + \mathbf{a_4}\mathbf{u_4}$. where a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4 are the scalar real coefficients of the 4 **unit** eigen vectors.

So our job is essentially to generate the 4 coefficients randomly based on the given fruit distribution data.

Now when we project all our data(in the 19200 dimensions) on a line in the direction of $\mathbf{u_1}$, what we are capturing is the coefficient of $\mathbf{u_1} = a_1$ in all our data points. So when we project data vectors \mathbf{x} along a **Mode of variation** i.e, along the eigen vectors, We just require the coefficient of $\mathbf{u_1}$ in \mathbf{x} - μ which determines the *distance* of the projected point on the line from the mean μ .

Also when we caluculate the variance of the **projected** data along the Mode of variation determined by say $\mathbf{u_1}$, what we are finding is essentially the **variance of the component** $\mathbf{a_1}$ among our whole data points. And we know that variance along a direction is equal to the **eigen value** of the eigen-vector along that direction.

Hence for a large data sample, the coefficients vary as following:

Variance(\mathbf{a}_k) = $\lambda_k(eigen\ value\ of\ \mathbf{u_k})$ and the Mean(\mathbf{a}_k) = 0 for all k = 1,2,3,4 because a_k is the displacement from the mean hence it's average/mean = 0.

So now as we know the variance and means of the 4 coefficients, we try to **model** or **sample** them from their distributions. We only know the **Variance** and the **mean** of the coefficients we don't know any exact distribution, so let's **assume** that it is a **Gaussian** with that Variance and mean(=0).

So we **sample** draws for $\mathbf{a_k}$ from a **Gaussian** with Variance $= \lambda_k$ and mean = 0 for k = 1,2,3,4. So I used the randn() function to generate draws \mathbf{w}_k from the standard Gaussian with variance 1. Then scaled those values obtained to get a Variance $= \lambda_k$. i.e, multiplied $\mathbf{w_k}$ by $\sqrt{\lambda_k}$ to get the coefficient $\mathbf{a_k}$, i.e $\mathbf{a_k} = \sqrt{\lambda_k} \mathbf{w_k}$

And hence using the 4 coefficients generated , we sample a new image vector $\mathbf{x} = \mu + \mathbf{a_1}\mathbf{u_1} + \mathbf{a_2}\mathbf{u_2} + ... + \mathbf{a_4}\mathbf{u_4}$. Then reshaped it to 80x80x3 and scaled it to [0,1] then viewed its image using the image() function. Also I used imwrite() to save the image in the folder.

The Sampled 3 Fruits are:



Sampled Fruit: 1



Sampled Fruit: 2



Sampled Fruit: 3

I have set the rng() to a fixed value. And if we change that, the program will generate new fruits

4 Code Running Instructions.

Run the Q6_fruit.m file in 'code' folder to produce all the above images. They can also be found in the results folder.

- 1. The Mean image fruit_mean.png
- 2. The Mean image Eigen_Values.png
- 3. The image of 4 Eigen vectors Eigvectors_img.png
- 4. Comparison images of each Fruit, "fruit_comparison_N.png" for N = 1 16
- 5. Newly sampled 3 Fruits , "generated_fruit_N.png" for N = 1 3

Also I kept the 16 Image data files **image_N.png**(taken as input) in the same code folder, Which are read by the program when run.

NOTE: The program is actually running for a long time, I tried to optimise it, but still it is taking like around 2-3 minutes. So please take care of that.