

# Problem Set Five

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# 1 Theory

## Problem 3

a) Because  $x$  is a single vector, we have:

$$\begin{aligned}
\|x - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j\|^2 &= (x - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j)^T (x - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j) \\
&= (x^T - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T) (x - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j) \\
&= x^T x - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x^T x_j - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T x + \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j \\
&= x^T x - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x^T x_j - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T x + \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T \sum_{k \in N} w_k x_k \\
&= x^T x - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x^T x_j - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T x + \sum_{k \in N} \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T (w_k x_k) \\
&= x^T x - \sum_{k \in N} w_k x^T x_k - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T x + \sum_{jk} w_j w_k x_j^T x_k
\end{aligned}$$

Because  $\sum_j w_j = 1$ , we have  $\sum_k w_k = 1$  and  $\sum_{jk} w_j w_k = 1$ . Therefore, the above equation becomes:

$$\begin{aligned}
\|x - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j\|^2 &= x^T x - \sum_{k \in N} w_k x^T x_k - \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T x + \sum_{jk} w_j w_k x_j^T x_k \\
&= \sum_{jk} w_j w_k x^T x - \sum_j w_j \sum_{k \in N} w_k x^T x_k - \sum_k w_k \sum_{j \in N} w_j x_j^T x + \sum_{jk} w_j w_k x_j^T x_k \\
&= \sum_{jk} w_j w_k x^T x - \sum_{jk} w_j w_k x^T x_k - \sum_{jk} w_j w_k x_j^T x + \sum_{jk} w_j w_k x_j^T x_k \\
&= \sum_{jk} w_j w_k (x^T x - x^T x_k - x_j^T x + x_j^T x_k) \\
&= \sum_{jk} w_j w_k (x - x_j)^T (x - x_k)
\end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$E(w) = \sum_{jk} w_j w_k C_{jk}$$

where  $C_{jk} = (x - x_j)^T (x - x_k)$ .

b) Our goal is to minimize  $\sum_{jk} w_j w_k C_{jk}$  subject to  $\sum_j w_j = 1$ .

## 2 Programming

The following code sets up the environment and import packages.

```
1 import numpy as np
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3 import matplotlib.image as mpimg
4 import cv2
5 import random
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### Problem 1