

# lecture 21

Do Well!

20 min

PCA  
Statistical learning  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{CV} \\ \text{Regularization} \end{array} \right.$

Predictors

Training

Architectures

Unsupervised

Stat Learning ←

Learning & people

## Lecture Notes VII – Principal Component Analysis

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### 3. Representing $X, x^i$

$$X = U \sqrt{\Sigma} V^T \quad n \times D \quad \leftarrow \text{SVD}(X)$$

$$u_{ij} = u_{ij} \tilde{\sigma}_j$$

↓

$$x^i = v_1 \cdot \underline{u}_1^i + v_2 \cdot \underline{u}_2^i + \dots + v_D \cdot \underline{u}_D^i \quad \rightarrow \text{scalar coefficients}$$

in basis  $V$

$$x^i \leftrightarrow (\underline{u}_1^i, \dots, \underline{u}_D^i) = \tilde{x}^i$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{x}_1^i \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{x}_D^i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{x}_1^i \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{x}_D^i \end{pmatrix} \approx \dots \approx \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{x}_1^i \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{x}_D^i \end{pmatrix} \approx \dots \approx \tilde{x}_D^i$$

Principal  $\lambda$ -values  
vectors

$$U = [u_{ij}]_{\substack{i=1:n \\ j=1:D}}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} (x^1)^T \\ \vdots \\ (x^n)^T \end{bmatrix} \quad n \times D$$

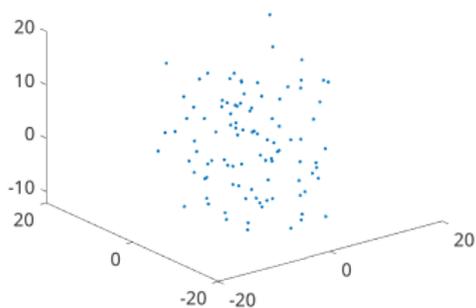
$$1 \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{1}{n} X^T X = \frac{1}{n} V \tilde{\Sigma} V^T \quad D \times D$$

$$2 \quad Q = X X^T = U \tilde{\Sigma} U^T \quad n \times n$$

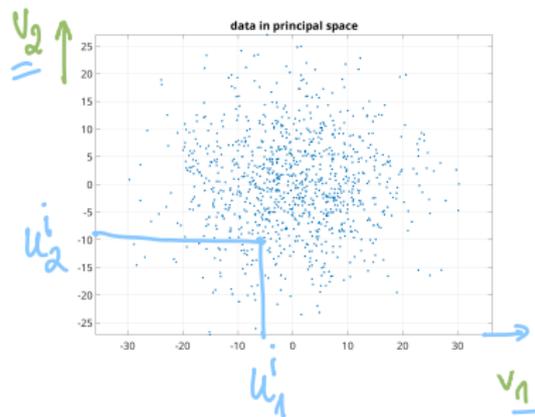
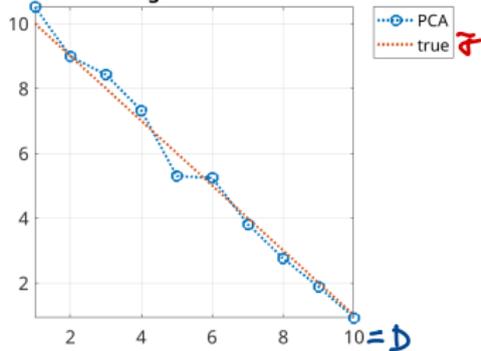
# Example – Gaussian data

 $D = 10$ 

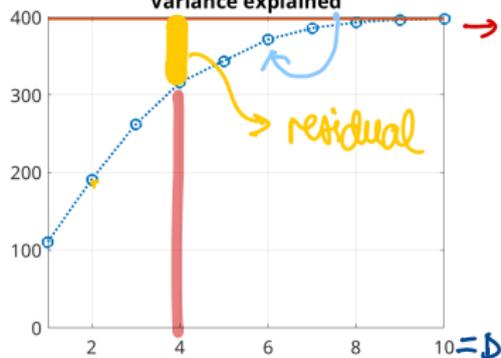
data in dimensions 1:3



singular values



Variance explained



$$\sum_{j=1}^D \sigma_j^2$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^4 \sigma_j^2$$

PCA is 'optimal' basis

$$x^i = v_1 \cdot u_1^i + v_2 \cdot u_2^i + \dots + v_d \cdot u_d^i$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_d$  residual

$$\tilde{x}^i = \sum_{j=1}^d u_j^i v_j$$

↙ projected on B

$$\text{MSE} \equiv \mathcal{L}_{\text{LS}}(B) \equiv \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\|x^i\|^2 - \|\tilde{x}^i\|^2)$$

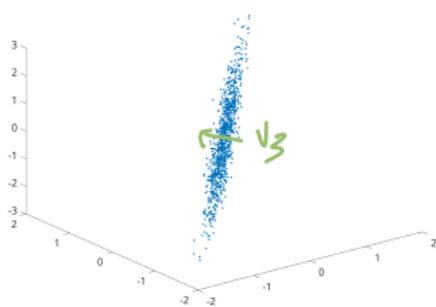
some subspace

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{LS}}(V) = \boxed{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=d+1}^D \sigma_j^2} = \min_B \mathcal{L}_{\text{LS}}(B)$$

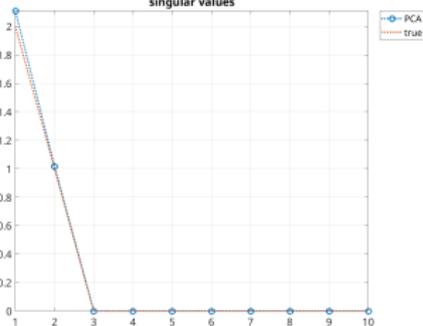
↑  
PCA is optimal

# Example – Gaussian data 2D

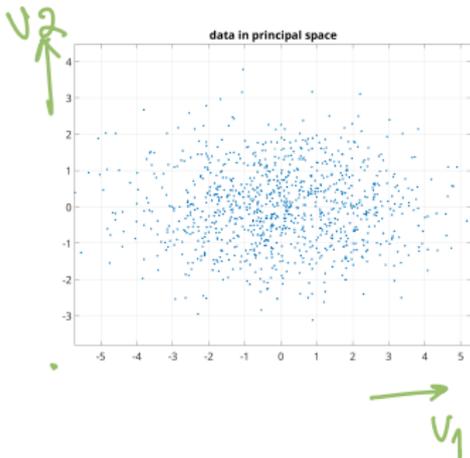
data in dimensions 1:3



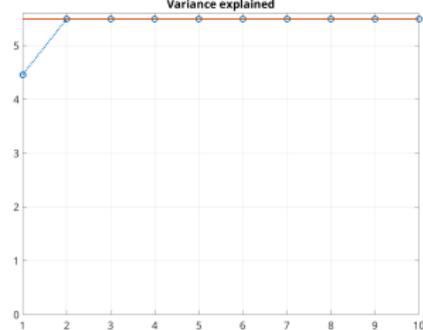
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data in principal space

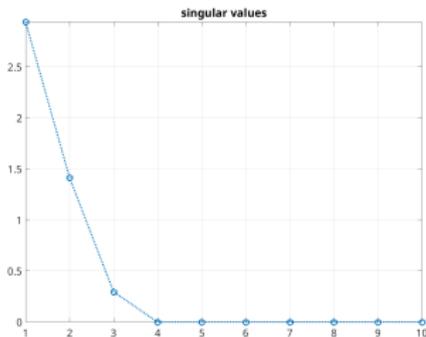
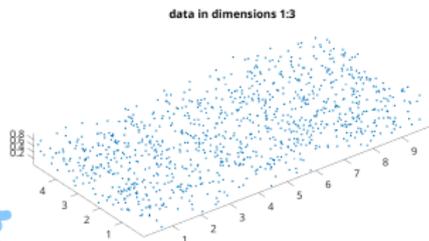


Variance explained



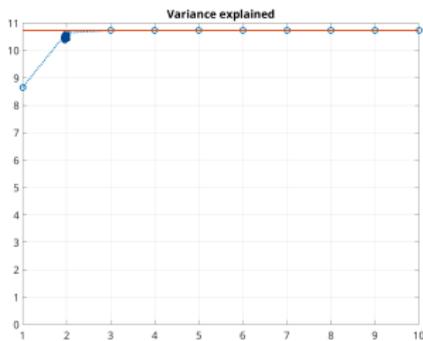
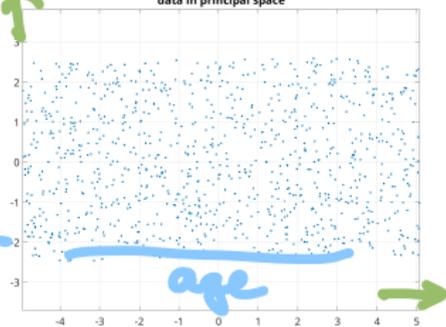
# Example – Brick

$d=3$  sufficient



pleasure in math

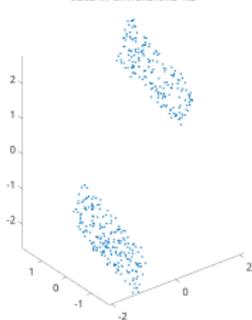
data in principal space



# Example – clusters

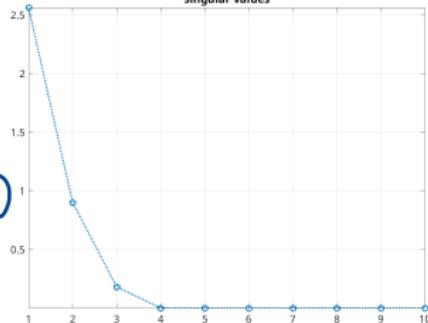
 $d=3$ 

data in dimensions 1:3

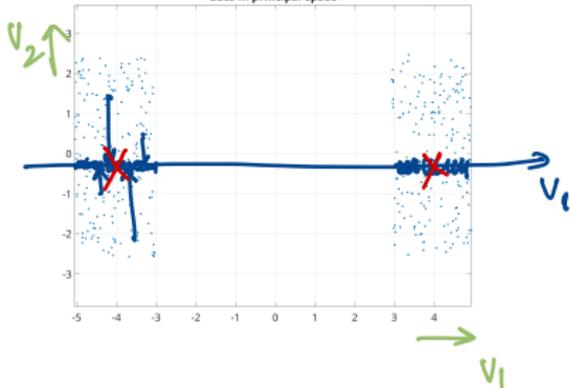


$K=2$  clusters  
project on  
PCA( $K-1$ )

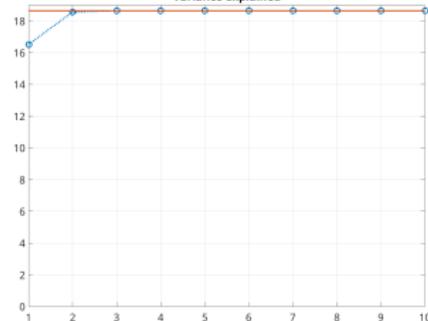
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Variance explained



# PCA Summary

## PCA Analysis

- ▶ Reduces data dimension from  $D$  to  $d$
- ▶ Linear operation (projection)
- ▶ "Optimal" linear method to reduce dimension
- ▶ Can discover if data is low-dimensional
- ▶ For clustering – recommended pre-processing: PCA in  $K - 1$  dimensions
- ▶ Limitation: fails to discover non-linear low dimensional structure

• Understand, explore, interpret data

manifold  
learning/  
non-lin  
dim red/  
embedding



time of day

# Model Selection

- select  $K$  for clustering
- select  $K$  for  $K$ -NN
- compare n.n. architectures
- ——— different predictors {DT, nn, K-NN, lin regr, ...}

"Arg!" Given  $\mathcal{D}$

1. Train  $f_1, f_2, \dots, f_M$  predictors on  $\mathcal{D}$
2. Select  $f^* = \text{"best"} \{ f_{1:M} \}$

Model sel

**BIC** only for Max likelihood, cheap !!  
**CV** any models, any loss, more computation!  
score

## CV cross-validation

**Assume**  $\mathcal{D}'$  available,  $|\mathcal{D}'| = n'$  from same distribution

1. ...  $f_{1:M}$  trained on  $\mathcal{D}$  ← training data
2. calculate  $\text{Loss}(f_m; \mathcal{D}')$  = validation loss  
↑ validation data
3.  $f^* = \underset{m=1:M}{\text{argmin}} \text{Loss}(f_m; \mathcal{D}')$

$n' = ? \rightarrow$  1 value  $\rightarrow n' \leq 1000$

$n \rightarrow$  ↑ parameters

Plenty of data

$n \gg 1000$

# K-fold CV

1. Partition  $\mathcal{D} = \mathcal{D}_1 \cup \dots \cup \mathcal{D}_k$  disjoint,  $|\mathcal{D}_1| \approx \frac{n}{k}$

2. for  $k=1:k$

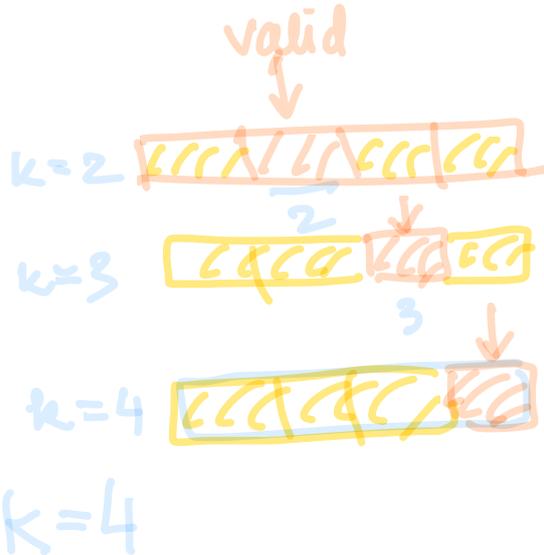
train  $f_{1:m}^{(k)}$  on  $\mathcal{D}_{-k}$

compute  $L(f_m^{(k)}; \mathcal{D}_k) = L_m^{(k)}$



$$\bar{L}_m = \frac{1}{k} \sum_k L_m^{(k)}$$

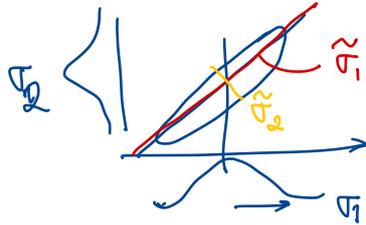
$$m^* = \operatorname{argmin}_m \bar{L}_m$$



$$D = 2$$

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1^2 & \sigma_{12} \\ \sigma_{12} & \sigma_2^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Var(x<sub>1</sub>)



$$\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 = \tilde{\sigma}_1^2 + \tilde{\sigma}_2^2$$

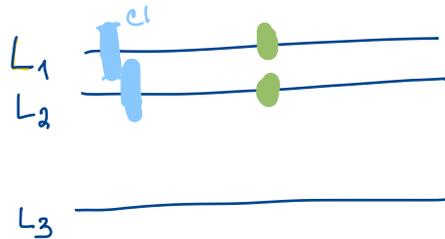
(Questions after class)

$L(f(x))$  r.v.  $\rightarrow$  Var mean =  $\sigma^2$

$$L = E_{p(x)} [L(f(x), y)]$$

$$\hat{L} = \frac{1}{n'} \sum L(f(x), y)$$

$$\text{Var } \hat{L} = \frac{\sigma^2}{n'}, \text{ std} = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n'}}$$



$n'$  small

$n'$  large