Principal Component Analysis

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Presentation Overview



- Higher-dimensional data in various fields
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Gene Expression Data



Suppose we have a dataset of gene expression measurements for five different samples and number of genes are two.

	Gene 1	Gene 2
Sample 1	E _{1,1}	E _{2,1}
Sample 2	E _{1,2}	E _{2,2}
Sample 3	E _{1,3}	E _{2,3}
Sample 4	E _{1,4}	E _{2,4}
Sample 5	$E_{1,5}$	E _{2,5}

Table: Gene Expression Data

scatter plot







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	g1	g2	g3
Sample 1	E1,1	E2,1	E3,1
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Sample 10	E1,10	E2,10	E3,10

Table: Gene Expression Data

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Scatter Plots





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Big and High-Dimensional Data



Image Compression

- Images are inherently high-dimensional data
- ② Each pixel in an image corresponds to a dimension
- Solution For color images, each pixel might have multiple color channels
- grayscale image has $256 \times 256 = 65,536$ dimensions, and a 256×256 RGB image has $256 \times 256 \times 3 = 196,608$ dimensions.

Key Problems in Higher dimension data



- I How to make meaningful Visualization?
- I How to do meaningful quantitative information?

Dimensionality Reduction



In machine learning, there are several techniques for reducing the dimensionality of data.

- Principal Component Analysis (PCA)
- I-Distributed Stochastic Neighbor Embedding (t-SNE)
- Autoencoders
- Linear Discriminant Analysis (LDA)

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Principal Component Analysis (PCA)



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Early Developments (Late 19th Century)

- The origins of PCA can be traced back to the late 19th century (1901) with the work of Karl Pearson, a British mathematician and statistician. He introduced the concept of "principal axes" and the idea of reducing multivariate data to lower-dimensional representations.
- Pearson's work laid the groundwork for understanding variance and covariance in datasets.



Emergence of Principal Component Analysis (PCA) (1930s-1940s)

- The term "Principal Component Analysis" was coined by Harold Hotelling, an American statistician, in the 1933s.
- Hotelling's work extended Pearson's concepts, emphasizing the importance of covariance matrices and the idea of finding orthogonal axes (principal components) that capture the most variance in the data..







What is PCA ?



- Principal component analysis, or PCA, is a technique that is widely used for applications such as dimensionality reduction, lossy data compression, feature extraction. and data visualization
- Onsupervised technique for extracting variance structure from high dimensional datasets.
- It is also known as the Karhunen-Loève transform

Definition in Bishop book



Hotelling, 1933

PCA can be defined as the orthogonal projection of the data onto a lower dimensional linear space, known as the principal subspace, such that the variance of the projected data is maximized .

Pearson, 1901

Equivalently, it can be defined as the linear projection that minimizes the average projection cost, defined as the mean squared distance between the data points and their projections.

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Geometric Intuition of PCA





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Geometric Intuition of PCA

Let's our data is in 2-d we want in lower dimensional space to 1-d.

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Geometric Intuition of PCA



Assume we have X=2-d dataset and X has been already column standardized with mean zero and standard deviation=1



Here spread in f1 and f2 feature are same. Now which feature would select based on maximum variance. So we rotate the axis such both new axis are Perpendicular

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PCA:Two Interpretations

Maximum Variance Direction:

Let **X** be the data matrix with dimensions $N \times D$, where N is the number of samples and D is the original feature dimension. The goal is to find the direction **u** that maximizes the variance when the data is projected onto this direction.

Mathematical formulation:

$$\mathbf{u}_{\max} = \arg \max_{\mathbf{u}} \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^{N} (x_n \cdot \mathbf{u})^2 \right)$$

where $\boldsymbol{u}_{\text{max}}$ is the direction vector that maximizes the variance of the projected data.

Minimum Reconstruction Error:



Minimum Reconstruction Error:

1st PC a vector u such that projection on to this vector yields minimum MSE reconstruction:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \|\mathbf{x}_i - (\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{x}_i)\mathbf{u}\|^2$$

Maximum Variance Formulation



Consider a data set of observations $\{x_n\}$ where n = 1, ..., N, and x_n is a Euclidean variable with dimensionality D. Our goal is to project the data onto a space having dimensionality M < D while maximizing the variance of the projected data. For the moment, we shall assume that the value of M is given.

$\textbf{X}_{\textbf{NxD}} \rightarrow \textbf{T}_{\textbf{NxM}}$

Let the projection onto a one-dimensional space (M = 1). We can define the direction of this space using a D-dimensional vector u_1 , and we shall choose to be a unit vector so that ||u|| = 1. Now, each data point X_n is then projected onto a scalar value $u_1^\top x_n$.

Projection of data



2-dimensional data:

$$\begin{split} \mathsf{X} &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & y_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathsf{u} \quad \text{is a unit vector:} \quad \|\mathbf{u}\| = 1 \\ \mathsf{Data point 1:} \\ \mathsf{X}_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathsf{p} &= \mathsf{proj}_{\mathbf{u}} \mathsf{X}_1 = \mathsf{X}_1 \cdot \mathsf{u} \end{split}$$



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The mean of the projected data is $u_1^\top \bar{x}$ where \bar{x} is the sample set mean given by

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^{N} x_n$$

Our Task: Find u_1 such that the variance of the projected data is maximum.

The variance of the projected data is given by-

$$var(u_1^{\top}x_n) = \frac{1}{N}\sum_{n=1}^{N} \{u_1^{\top}x_n - u_1^{\top}\bar{x}\}^2 = u_1^{\top}Su_1$$

where S is the data covariance matrix defined by

$$\mathbf{S} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^{N} (\mathbf{x}_n - \overline{\mathbf{x}}) (\mathbf{x}_n - \overline{\mathbf{x}})^{\mathrm{T}}$$

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PCA: an optimization problem

Data

$$\mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & \cdots & x_{1j} & \cdots & x_{1d} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{i1} & \cdots & x_{ij} & \cdots & x_{id} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{n1} & \cdots & x_{nj} & \cdots & x_{nd} \end{bmatrix}$$

Unit vector

$$\mathbf{u} = \left[\begin{array}{c} \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{v}_d \end{array} \right]$$

Projection of X on $u:\mathsf{proj}_{\boldsymbol{\mathsf{u}}}\,X=Xu$

Objective function: $\operatorname{argmax}[\operatorname{var}(\mathbf{Xu})] = \operatorname{argmax}[u_1^\top Su_1]$ **u Constraint:** ||u|| = 1



Solve optimization problem



To solve optimization problem we introduce a Lagrange multiplier that we shall denote by λ_1 , and then make an unconstrained maximization of

$$L(u_1, \lambda_1) = \mathbf{u}_1^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{u}_1 + \lambda_1 \left(1 - \mathbf{u}_1^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{u}_1 \right).$$

By setting the derivative with respect to \mathbf{u}_1 equal to zero

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial u_1} = 2\mathbf{S}\mathbf{u}_1 - 2\lambda_1\mathbf{u}_1$$

we see that this quantity will have a stationary point when

$$\mathbf{S}\mathbf{u}_1 = \lambda_1 \mathbf{u}_1$$

which says that \mathbf{u}_1 must be an eigenvector of \mathbf{S} .



If we left-multiply by $\bm{u}_1^{\rm T}$ and make use of $\bm{u}_1^{\rm T}\bm{u}_1=1,$ we see that the variance is given by

$$\mathbf{u}_1^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{S}\mathbf{u}_1 = \lambda_1$$

and so the variance will be a maximum when we set \mathbf{u}_1 equal to the eigenvector having the largest eigenvalue λ_1 . This eigenvector is known as the first principal component

Selection of Principal Components

The principal components

$$S\mathbf{u} = \lambda \mathbf{u}$$

 $\boldsymbol{\mathsf{S}}$ is a $d\times d$ matrix

 λ_i $i = 1, 2, \cdots, d \rightarrow Eigenvalue$ \mathbf{u}_i $i = 1, 2, \cdots, d \rightarrow Eigenvector$

Variance of projected data:

$$\operatorname{var}(\mathbf{X}\mathbf{u}) = \mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{S}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}}\lambda\mathbf{u} = \lambda\mathbf{u}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{u} = \lambda$$
$$\lambda_1 > \lambda_2 > \cdots > \lambda_d$$

Eigenvector of λ_2 : **u**₂

Data projected on \mathbf{u}_2 will have second highest variance.

 \mathbf{u}_2 is second principal component.



Selection of Principal Components



 $\lambda_1 > \lambda_2 > \cdots > \lambda_d$

$$\frac{\lambda_1}{\sum_{i=1}^d \lambda_i} > \frac{\lambda_2}{\sum_{i=1}^d \lambda_i} > \dots > \frac{\lambda_d}{\sum_{i=1}^d \lambda_i}$$



Project data on principal components





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Limitation of PCA





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