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# Machine Learning for Signal Processing

## Fundamentals of Linear Algebra - 2

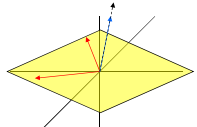
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## Orthogonal matrices



$$\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{0.5} & -\sqrt{0.125} & \sqrt{0.375} \\ \sqrt{0.5} & \sqrt{0.125} & -\sqrt{0.375} \\ 0 & \sqrt{0.75} & 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Orthogonal Matrix :  $AA^T = A^T A = I$ 
  - The matrix is square
  - All row vectors are orthonormal to one another
    - Every vector is perpendicular to the hyperplane formed by all other vectors
  - All column vectors are also orthonormal to one another
  - **Observation:** In an orthogonal matrix if the length of the row vectors is 1.0, the length of the column vectors is also 1.0
  - **Observation:** In an orthogonal matrix no more than one row can have all entries with the same polarity (+ve or -ve)

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## Overview

- Vectors and matrices
- Basic vector/matrix operations
- Various matrix types
- Projections
- More on matrix types
- Matrix determinants
- Matrix inversion
- Eigenanalysis
- Singular value decomposition

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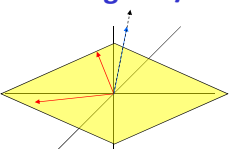
## Orthogonal and Orthonormal Matrices

- Orthogonal matrices will retain the **length and relative angles between** transformed vectors
  - Essentially, they are combinations of rotations, reflections and permutations
  - Rotation matrices and permutation matrices are all orthonormal
- If the vectors in the matrix are not unit length, it cannot be orthogonal
  - $AA^T = I, A^T A = I$
  - $AA^T = \text{Diagonal}$  or  $A^T A = \text{Diagonal}$ , but not both
  - If all the entries are the same length, we can get  $AA^T = A^T A = \text{Diagonal}$ , though
- A non-square matrix cannot be orthogonal
  - $AA^T = I$  or  $A^T A = I$ , but not both

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## Orthogonal/Orthonormal vectors



$$A = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ w \end{bmatrix}$$

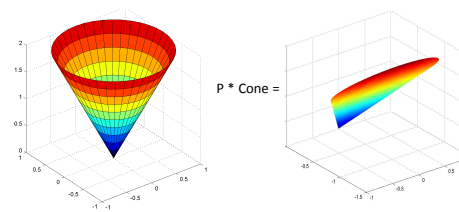
$$AB=0 \Rightarrow xu+yv+zw=0$$

- Two vectors are orthogonal if they are perpendicular to one another
  - $A \cdot B = 0$
  - A vector that is perpendicular to a plane is orthogonal to every vector on the plane
- Two vectors are orthonormal if
  - They are orthogonal
  - The length of each vector is 1.0
  - Orthogonal vectors can be made orthonormal by normalizing their lengths to 1.0

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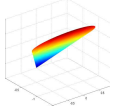
## Matrix Rank and Rank-Deficient Matrices



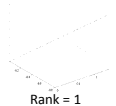
- Some matrices will eliminate one or more dimensions during transformation
  - These are *rank deficient* matrices
  - The rank of the matrix is the dimensionality of the transformed version of a full-dimensional object

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### Matrix Rank and Rank-Deficient Matrices

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0000 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.2500 & -0.4330 \\ 0 & -0.4330 & 0.7500 \end{bmatrix}$$


Rank = 2

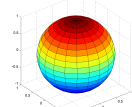
$$P2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5000 & -0.2500 & 0.4330 \\ -0.2500 & 0.1250 & -0.2165 \\ 0.4330 & -0.2165 & 0.3750 \end{bmatrix}$$


Rank = 1

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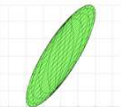
### Non-square Matrices



$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \dots & x_N \\ y_1 & y_2 & \dots & y_N \\ z_1 & z_2 & \dots & z_N \end{bmatrix}$$

X = 3D data, rank 3





$$PX = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{x}_1 & \hat{x}_2 & \dots & \hat{x}_N \\ \hat{y}_1 & \hat{y}_2 & \dots & \hat{y}_N \end{bmatrix}$$

PX = 2D, rank 2

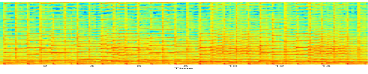
$$P = \begin{bmatrix} .3 & 1 & .2 \\ .5 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$


P = transform

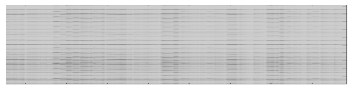
- Non-square matrices add or subtract axes
  - More rows than columns → add axes
    - But does not increase the dimensionality of the data
  - Fewer rows than columns → reduce axes
    - May reduce dimensionality of the data

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### Projections are often examples of rank-deficient transforms

$M =$   


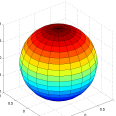
$W =$   




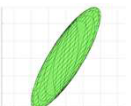
- $P = W(W^T W)^{-1} W^T$ ; Projected Spectrogram =  $P * M$
- The original spectrogram can never be recovered
  - P is rank deficient
- P explains all vectors in the new spectrogram as a mixture of only the 4 vectors in W
  - There are only a maximum of 4 *independent* bases
  - Rank of P is 4

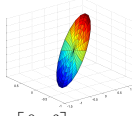
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### The Rank of a Matrix



$$P = \begin{bmatrix} .3 & 1 & .2 \\ .5 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



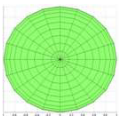


$$P = \begin{bmatrix} .8 & .9 \\ .1 & .9 \\ .6 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- The matrix rank is the dimensionality of the transformation of a full-dimensional object in the original space
- The matrix can never *increase* dimensions
  - Cannot convert a circle to a sphere or a line to a circle
- The rank of a matrix can never be greater than the lower of its two dimensions


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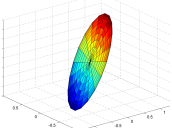
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PX = 3D, rank 2

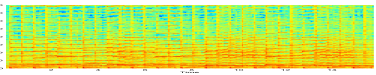
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
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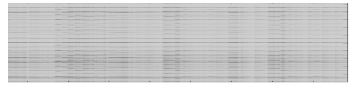
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### The Rank of Matrix

$M =$   






- Projected Spectrogram =  $P * M$ 
  - Every vector in it is a combination of only 4 bases
- The rank of the matrix is the *smallest* no. of bases required to describe the output
  - E.g. if note no. 4 in P could be expressed as a combination of notes 1, 2 and 3, it provides no additional information
  - Eliminating note no. 4 would give us the same projection
  - The rank of P would be 3!

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### Matrix rank is unchanged by transposition

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.9 & 0.5 & 0.8 \\ 0.1 & 0.4 & 0.9 \\ 0.42 & 0.44 & 0.86 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0.9 & 0.1 & 0.42 \\ 0.5 & 0.4 & 0.44 \\ 0.8 & 0.9 & 0.86 \end{bmatrix}$$

- If an N-dimensional object is compressed to a K-dimensional object by a matrix, it will also be compressed to a K-dimensional object by the transpose of the matrix

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### Matrix Determinants

- Matrix determinants are *only defined for square matrices*
  - They characterize volumes in linearly transformed space of the same dimensionality as the vectors
- Rank deficient matrices have determinant 0
  - Since they compress full-volumed N-dimensional objects into zero-volume N-dimensional objects
    - E.g. a 3-D sphere into a 2-D ellipse: The ellipse has 0 volume (although it does have area)
- Conversely, all matrices of determinant 0 are rank deficient
  - Since they compress full-volumed N-dimensional objects into zero-volume objects

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### Matrix Determinant

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$$

- The determinant is the “volume” of a matrix
- Actually the volume of a parallelepiped formed from its row vectors
  - Also the volume of the parallelepiped formed from its column vectors
- Standard formula for determinant: in text book

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### Multiplication properties

- Properties of vector/matrix products
  - Associative
 
$$A \cdot (B \cdot C) = (A \cdot B) \cdot C$$
  - Distributive
 
$$A \cdot (B + C) = A \cdot B + A \cdot C$$
  - NOT commutative!!!
 
$$A \cdot B \neq B \cdot A$$
    - left multiplications  $\neq$  right multiplications
  - Transposition
 
$$(A \cdot B)^T = B^T \cdot A^T$$

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### Matrix Determinant: Another Perspective

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0 & 0.7 \\ 1.0 & 0.8 & 0.8 \\ 0.7 & 0.9 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix}$$

- The determinant is the ratio of N-volumes
  - If  $V_1$  is the volume of an N-dimensional object “O” in N-dimensional space
    - O is the complete set of points or vertices that specify the object
  - If  $V_2$  is the volume of the N-dimensional object specified by  $A \cdot O$ , where A is a matrix that transforms the space
  - $|A| = V_2 / V_1$

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### Determinant properties

- Associative for square matrices
 
$$|A \cdot B \cdot C| = |A| \cdot |B| \cdot |C|$$
  - Scaling volume sequentially by several matrices is equal to scaling once by the product of the matrices
- Volume of sum  $\neq$  sum of Volumes
 
$$|(B + C)| \neq |B| + |C|$$
- Commutative
  - The order in which you scale the volume of an object is irrelevant
$$|A \cdot B| = |B \cdot A| = |A| \cdot |B|$$

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## Matrix Inversion

- A matrix transforms an N-dimensional object to a different N-dimensional object
- What transforms the new object back to the original?
  - The *inverse transformation*
- The inverse transformation is called the matrix inverse

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0 & 0.07 \\ 1.0 & 0.8 & 0.8 \\ 0.7 & 0.9 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? \end{bmatrix} = T^{-1}$$

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## Revisiting Projections and Least Squares

- Projection computes a *least squared error* estimate
- For each vector V in the music spectrogram matrix
  - Approximation:  $V_{\text{approx}} = a*\text{note1} + b*\text{note2} + c*\text{note3}$ .

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} \text{note1} \\ \text{note2} \\ \text{note3} \end{bmatrix} \quad V_{\text{approx}} = T \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$$

- Error vector  $E = V - V_{\text{approx}}$
- Squared error energy for V  $e(V) = \text{norm}(E)^2$
- Projection computes  $V_{\text{approx}}$  for all vectors such that Total error is minimized
- But WHAT ARE "a" "b" and "c"?

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## Matrix Inversion

$$T^{-1} * T * D = D \rightarrow T^{-1} * T = I$$

- The product of a matrix and its inverse is the identity matrix
  - Transforming an object, and then inverse transforming it gives us back the original object

$$T * T^{-1} * D = D \rightarrow T * T^{-1} = I$$

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## The Pseudo Inverse (PINV)

$$V_{\text{approx}} = T \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow V \approx T \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \text{PINV}(T) * V$$

- We are approximating spectral vectors V as the transformation of the vector [a b c]<sup>T</sup>
  - Note – we're viewing the collection of bases in T as a transformation
- The solution is obtained using the *pseudo inverse*
  - This give us a *LEAST SQUARES* solution
  - If T were square and invertible  $\text{Pinv}(T) = T^{-1}$ , and  $V = V_{\text{approx}}$

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## Inverting rank-deficient matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & .25 & -.433 \\ 0 & -.433 & .75 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Rank deficient matrices "flatten" objects
  - In the process, multiple points in the original object get mapped to the same point in the transformed object
- It is not possible to go "back" from the flattened object to the original object
  - Because of the many-to-one forward mapping
- Rank deficient matrices have no inverse

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## Explaining music with one note

- Recap:  $P = W (W^T W)^{-1} W^T$ ; Projected Spectrogram =  $P * M$
- Approximation:  $M = W * X$
- The amount of W in each vector =  $X = \text{PINV}(W) * M$
- $W * \text{Pinv}(W) * M = \text{Projected Spectrogram}$
- $\text{Pinv}(W) = (W^T W)^{-1} * W^T$

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## Explanation with multiple notes

$M =$  [Heatmap]

$W =$  [Matrix]

$X = \text{Pinv}(W) * M$

■  $X = \text{Pinv}(W) * M$ ; Projected matrix =  $W * X = W * \text{Pinv}(W) * M$

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## Matrix inversion (division)

- The inverse of matrix multiplication
  - Not element-wise division!!
- Provides a way to “undo” a linear transformation
  - Inverse of the unit matrix is itself
  - Inverse of a diagonal is diagonal
  - Inverse of a rotation is a (counter)rotation (its transpose!)
  - Inverse of a rank deficient matrix does not exist!
    - But pseudoinverse exists
- For square matrices: Pay attention to multiplication side!
 
$$A \cdot B = C, \quad A = C \cdot B^{-1}, \quad B = A^{-1} \cdot C$$
- If matrix is not square use a matrix pseudoinverse:
 
$$A \cdot B \approx C, \quad A = C \cdot B^+, \quad B = A^+ \cdot C$$
- MATLAB syntax: `inv(a)`, `pinv(a)`

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## How about the other way?

$M =$  [Heatmap]

$V =$  [Waveforms]

$W = ?$        $U = ?$

■  $WV \approx M$        $W = M \text{Pinv}(V)$        $U = WV$

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## Eigenanalysis

- If something can go through a process mostly unscathed in character it is an *eigen*-something
  - Sound example: [Speaker icons]
- A vector that can undergo a matrix multiplication and keep pointing the same way is an *eigenvector*
  - Its length can change though
- How much its length changes is expressed by its corresponding *eigenvalue*
  - Each eigenvector of a matrix has its eigenvalue
- Finding these “eigenthings” is called eigenanalysis

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## Pseudo-inverse (PINV)

- `Pinv()` applies to non-square matrices
- $\text{Pinv}(\text{Pinv}(A)) = A$
- $A * \text{Pinv}(A) =$  projection matrix!
  - Projection onto the columns of A
- If  $A = K \times N$  matrix and  $K > N$ , A projects N-D vectors into a higher-dimensional K-D space
  - $\text{Pinv}(A) = N \times K$  matrix
  - $\text{Pinv}(A) * A = I$  in this case
- Otherwise  $A * \text{Pinv}(A) = I$

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## EigenVectors and EigenValues

Black vectors are eigen vectors

$M = \begin{bmatrix} 1.5 & -0.7 \\ -0.7 & 1.0 \end{bmatrix}$

- Vectors that do not change angle upon transformation
  - They may change length

$$MV = \lambda V$$

- $V =$  eigen vector
- $\lambda =$  eigen value

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### Eigen vector example

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### A stretching operation

- Draw two lines
- Stretch / shrink the paper along these lines by factors  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$ 
  - The factors could be negative – implies flipping the paper
- The result is a transformation of the space

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### Matrix multiplication revisited

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & -0.07 \\ -1.1 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Matrix transformation “transforms” the space
  - Warps the paper so that the normals to the two vectors now lie along the axes

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### Physical interpretation of eigen vector

- The result of the stretching is exactly the same as transformation by a matrix
- The axes of stretching/shrinking are the eigenvectors
  - The degree of stretching/shrinking are the corresponding eigenvalues
- The EigenVectors and EigenValues convey all the information about the matrix

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### Physical interpretation of eigen vector

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} V_1 & V_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M = V\Lambda V^{-1}$$

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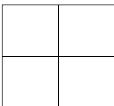
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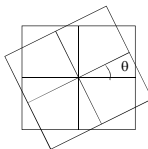
- Not all square matrices have nice eigen values and vectors
  - E.g. consider a rotation matrix

$$R_\theta = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X_{new} = \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix}$$

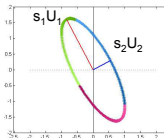




- This rotates every vector in the plane
  - No vector that remains unchanged
- In these cases the Eigen vectors and values are complex

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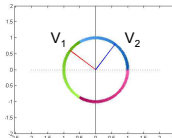
## Singular Value Decomposition



$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & -0.07 \\ -1.1 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = U S V^T$$

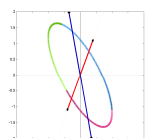
matlab:  
[U,S,V] = svd(A)

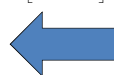


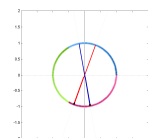
- U and V are orthonormal matrices
  - Columns are orthonormal vectors
- S is a diagonal matrix
- The right singular vectors in V are transformed to the left singular vectors in U
  - And scaled by the singular values that are the diagonal entries of S

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## Singular Value Decomposition



$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & -0.07 \\ -1.1 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix}$$




- Matrix transformations convert circles to ellipses
- Eigen vectors are vectors that do not change direction in the process
- There is another key feature of the ellipse to the left that carries information about the transform
  - Can you identify it?

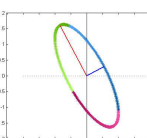
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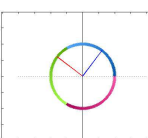
- The left and right singular vectors are not the same
  - If A is not a square matrix, the left and right singular vectors will be of different dimensions
- The singular values are always real
- The largest singular value is the largest amount by which a vector is scaled by A
  - $\text{Max} (|Ax| / |x|) = s_{\text{max}}$
- The smallest singular value is the smallest amount by which a vector is scaled by A
  - $\text{Min} (|Ax| / |x|) = s_{\text{min}}$
  - This can be 0 (for low-rank or non-square matrices)

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## Singular Value Decomposition



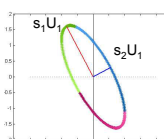
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & -0.07 \\ -1.1 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix}$$


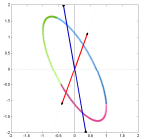


- The major and minor axes of the transformed ellipse define the ellipse
  - They are at right angles
- These are transformations of right-angled vectors on the original circle!

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## The Singular Values





- Square matrices: product of singular values = determinant of the matrix
  - This is also the product of the eigen values
  - I.e. there are two different sets of axes whose products give you the area of an ellipse
- For any "broad" rectangular matrix A, the largest singular value of any square submatrix B cannot be larger than the largest singular value of A
  - An analogous rule applies to the smallest singular value
  - This property is utilized in various problems, such as compressive sensing

## SVD vs. Eigen Analysis

- **Eigen analysis of a matrix A:**
  - Find two vectors such that their absolute directions are not changed by the transform
- **SVD of a matrix A:**
  - Find two vectors such that the *angle* between them is not changed by the transform
- For one class of matrices, these two operations are the same

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## Symmetric Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.5 & -0.7 \\ -0.7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Matrices that do not change on transposition
  - Row and column vectors are identical
- Symmetric matrix: Eigen vectors and Eigen values are always real
- Eigen vectors are always orthogonal
  - At 90 degrees to one another

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## A matrix vs. its transpose

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} .7 & 0 \\ -0.1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Multiplication by matrix A:**
  - Transforms right singular vectors in V to left singular vectors U
- **Multiplication by its transpose A<sup>T</sup>:**
  - Transforms *left* singular vectors U to right singular vector V
- **A A<sup>T</sup> :** Converts V to U, then brings it back to V
  - Result: Only scaling

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## Symmetric Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.5 & -0.7 \\ -0.7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Eigen vectors point in the direction of the major and minor axes of the ellipsoid resulting from the transformation of a spheroid
  - The eigen values are the lengths of the axes

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## Symmetric Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.5 & -0.7 \\ -0.7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Matrices that do not change on transposition
  - Row and column vectors are identical
- The left and right singular vectors are identical
  - U = V
  - A = U S U<sup>T</sup>
- They are identical to the *Eigen vectors* of the matrix
- **Symmetric matrices do not rotate the space**
  - Only scaling and, if Eigen values are negative, reflection

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## Symmetric matrices

- Eigen vectors V<sub>i</sub> are orthonormal
  - V<sub>i</sub><sup>T</sup>V<sub>i</sub> = 1
  - V<sub>i</sub><sup>T</sup>V<sub>j</sub> = 0, i ≠ j
- Listing all eigen vectors in matrix form V
  - V<sup>T</sup> = V<sup>-1</sup>
  - V<sup>T</sup>V = I
  - V V<sup>T</sup> = I
- M V<sub>i</sub> = λ V<sub>i</sub>
- In matrix form : M V = V Λ
  - Λ is a diagonal matrix with all eigen values

- **M = V Λ V<sup>T</sup>**

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## Square root of a symmetric matrix

$$C = V\Lambda V^T$$

$$\text{Sqrt}(C) = V \cdot \text{Sqrt}(\Lambda) \cdot V^T$$

$$\text{Sqrt}(C) \cdot \text{Sqrt}(C) = V \cdot \text{Sqrt}(\Lambda) \cdot V^T \cdot V \cdot \text{Sqrt}(\Lambda) \cdot V^T$$

$$= V \cdot \text{Sqrt}(\Lambda) \cdot \text{Sqrt}(\Lambda) \cdot V^T = V\Lambda V^T = C$$

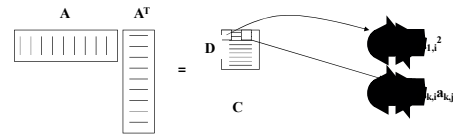
- The *square root* of a symmetric matrix is easily derived from the Eigen vectors and Eigen values
  - The Eigen values of the *square root* of the matrix are the square roots of the Eigen values of the matrix
  - For correlation matrices, these are also the “singular values” of the data set

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## The Correlation and Covariance Matrices



- Consider a set of column vectors ordered as a  $D \times N$  matrix  $A$
- The correlation matrix is
  - $C = (1/N) A A^T$ 
    - If the average (mean) of the vectors in  $A$  is subtracted out of all vectors,  $C$  is the **covariance** matrix
    - covariance = correlation + mean \* mean<sup>T</sup>**
- Diagonal elements represent average of the squared value of each dimension
  - Off diagonal elements represent how two components are related
    - How much knowing one lets us guess the value of the other

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## Definiteness..

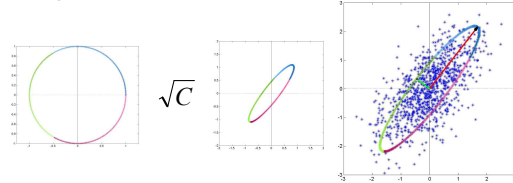
- SVD: Singular values are always positive!
- Eigen Analysis: Eigen values can be real or imaginary
  - Real, positive Eigen values represent stretching of the space along the Eigen vector
  - Real, *negative* Eigen values represent stretching and *reflection* (across origin) of Eigen vector
  - Complex Eigen values occur in conjugate pairs
- A square (symmetric) matrix is **positive definite** if all Eigen values are real and positive, and are greater than 0
  - Transformation can be explained as **stretching** and **rotation**
  - If any Eigen value is **zero**, the matrix is positive *semi-definite*

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## Square root of the Covariance Matrix



- The square root of the covariance matrix represents the elliptical scatter of the data
- The Eigenvectors of the matrix represent the major and minor axes
  - “Modes” in direction of scatter

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## Positive Definiteness..

- Property of a positive definite matrix: Defines inner product norms
  - $x^T A x$  is always positive for any vector  $x$  if  $A$  is positive definite
- Positive definiteness is a test for validity of *Gram* matrices
  - Such as correlation and covariance matrices
  - We will encounter other gram matrices later

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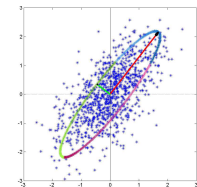
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## The Correlation Matrix

Any vector  $V = a_{v,1} * \text{eigenvec1} + a_{v,2} * \text{eigenvec2} + ..$

$$\sum_v a_{v,i} = \text{eigenvalue}(i)$$



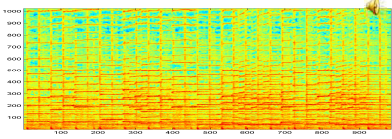
- Projections along the  $N$  Eigen vectors with the largest Eigen values represent the  $N$  greatest “energy-carrying” components of the matrix
- Conversely,  $N$  “bases” that result in the least square error are the  $N$  best Eigen vectors

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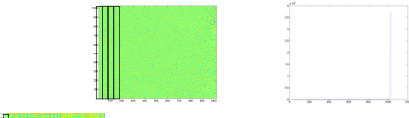
## An audio example



- The spectrogram has 974 vectors of dimension 1025
- The covariance matrix is size 1025 x 1025
- There are 1025 eigenvectors

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## Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors



Vec =  $a_1 \cdot \text{eigenvec1} + a_2 \cdot \text{eigenvec2} + a_3 \cdot \text{eigenvec3} \dots$

- The vectors in the spectrogram are linear combinations of all 1025 Eigen vectors
- The Eigen vectors with low Eigen values contribute very little
  - The average value of  $a_i$  is proportional to the square root of the Eigenvalue
  - Ignoring these will not affect the composition of the spectrogram

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## Eigen Reduction

$$M = \text{spectrogram} \quad 1025 \times 1000$$

$$C = M \cdot M^T \quad 1025 \times 1025$$

$$V = 1025 \times 1025 \quad [V, L] = \text{eig}(C)$$

$$V_{\text{reduced}} = [V_1 \dots V_{25}] \quad 1025 \times 25$$

$$M_{\text{low dim}} = \text{Pinv}(V_{\text{reduced}}) M \quad 25 \times 1000$$

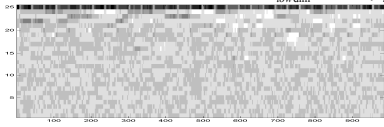
$$M_{\text{reconstructed}} = V_{\text{reduced}} M_{\text{low dim}} \quad 1025 \times 1000$$

- Compute the Correlation
- Compute Eigen vectors and values
- Create matrix from the 25 Eigen vectors corresponding to 25 highest Eigen values
- Compute the weights of the 25 eigenvectors
- To reconstruct the spectrogram – compute the projection on the 25 Eigen vectors

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## An audio example

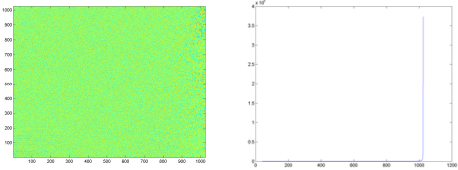
$$V_{\text{reduced}} = [V_1 \dots V_{25}]$$

$$M_{\text{low dim}} = \text{Pinv}(V_{\text{reduced}}) M$$


- The same spectrogram projected down to the 25 eigen vectors with the highest eigen values
  - Only the 25-dimensional weights are shown
    - The weights with which the 25 eigen vectors must be added to compose a least squares approximation to the spectrogram

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## Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors



- Left panel: Matrix with 1025 eigen vectors
- Right panel: Corresponding eigen values
  - Most Eigen values are close to zero
    - The corresponding eigenvectors are “unimportant”

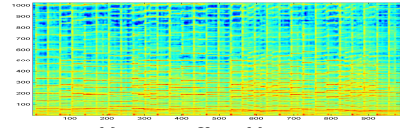
$$M = \text{spectrogram}$$

$$C = M \cdot M^T$$

$$[V, L] = \text{eig}(C)$$

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## An audio example

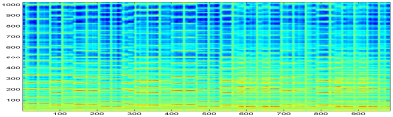


$$M_{\text{reconstructed}} = V_{\text{reduced}} M_{\text{low dim}}$$

- The same spectrogram constructed from only the 25 Eigen vectors with the highest Eigen values
  - Looks similar
    - With 100 Eigen vectors, it would be indistinguishable from the original
  - Sounds pretty close
  - But now sufficient to store 25 numbers per vector (instead of 1024)

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## With only 5 eigenvectors



- The same spectrogram constructed from only the 5 Eigen vectors with the highest Eigen values
  - Highly recognizable

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## SVD vs. Eigen decomposition

- Singular value decomposition is analogous to the Eigen decomposition of the correlation matrix of the data
  - SVD:  $D = U S V^T$
  - $DD^T = U S V^T V S U^T = U S^2 U^T$
- The “left” singular vectors are the Eigen vectors of the correlation matrix
  - Show the directions of greatest importance
- The corresponding singular values are the square roots of the Eigen values of the correlation matrix
  - Show the importance of the Eigen vector

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## Correlation vs. Covariance Matrix

- Correlation:
  - The N Eigen vectors with the largest Eigen values represent the N greatest “energy-carrying” components of the matrix
  - Conversely, N “bases” that result in the least square error are the N best Eigen vectors
    - Projections onto these Eigen vectors retain the most energy
- Covariance:
  - the N Eigen vectors with the largest Eigen values represent the N greatest “variance-carrying” components of the matrix
  - Conversely, N “bases” that retain the maximum possible variance are the N best Eigen vectors

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## Thin SVD, compact SVD, reduced SVD

$$\begin{matrix} N \times M & & N \times N & & M \times M \\ A & & U & & V^T \\ \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \right] & = & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \right] & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \right] \\ & & N \times M & & \\ & & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \right] & & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \right]
 \end{matrix}$$

- SVD can be computed much more efficiently than Eigen decomposition
- Thin SVD: Only compute the first N columns of U
  - All that is required if  $N < M$
- Compact SVD: Only the left and right singular vectors corresponding to non-zero singular values are computed

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## Eigenvectors, Eigenvalues and Covariances/Correlations

- The eigenvectors and eigenvalues (singular values) derived from the correlation matrix are important
- Do we need to actually compute the correlation matrix?
  - No
- Direct computation using Singular Value Decomposition

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## Why bother with Eigens/SVD

- Can provide a unique insight into data
  - Strong statistical grounding
  - Can display complex interactions between the data
  - Can uncover irrelevant parts of the data we can throw out
- Can provide *basis functions*
  - A set of elements to compactly describe our data
  - Indispensable for performing compression and classification
- Used over and over and still perform amazingly well



*Eigenfaces*  
Using a linear transform of the above “eigenvectors” we can compose various faces

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## Trace

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & a_{24} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \\ a_{41} & a_{42} & a_{43} & a_{44} \end{bmatrix}$$

$Tr(A) = a_{11} + a_{22} + a_{33} + a_{44}$   
 $Tr(A) = \sum_i a_{i,i}$



- The trace of a matrix is the sum of the diagonal entries
- It is equal to the sum of the Eigen values!

$Tr(A) = \sum_i a_{i,i} = \sum_i \lambda_i$

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## Decompositions of matrices

- Square A: LU decomposition
  - Decompose  $A = L U$
  - L is a *lower triangular* matrix
    - All elements above diagonal are 0
  - R is an *upper triangular* matrix
    - All elements below diagonal are zero
  - Cholesky decomposition: A is symmetric,  $L = U^T$
- QR decompositions:  $A = QR$ 
  - Q is orthogonal:  $QQ^T = I$
  - R is upper triangular
- Generally used as tools to compute Eigen decomposition or least square solutions

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## Trace

- Often appears in Error formulae

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} & d_{13} & d_{14} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} & d_{23} & d_{24} \\ d_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \\ d_{41} & d_{42} & d_{43} & d_{44} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & c_{13} & c_{14} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & c_{23} & c_{24} \\ c_{31} & c_{32} & c_{33} & c_{34} \\ c_{41} & c_{42} & c_{43} & c_{44} \end{bmatrix}$$

$E = D - C \quad \text{error} = \sum_{i,j} E_{i,j}^2 \quad \text{error} = Tr(EE^T)$

- Useful to know some properties..

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## Making vectors and matrices in MATLAB

- Make a row vector:  
`a = [1 2 3]`
- Make a column vector:  
`a = [1;2;3]`
- Make a matrix:  
`A = [1 2 3;4 5 6]`
- Combine vectors  
`A = [b c]` or `A = [b;c]`
- Make a random vector/matrix:  
`r = rand(m,n)`
- Make an identity matrix:  
`I = eye(n)`
- Make a sequence of numbers  
`c = 1:10` or `c = 1:0.5:10` or `c = 100:-2:50`
- Make a ramp  
`c = linspace( 0, 1, 100)`

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## Properties of a Trace

- Linearity:  $Tr(A+B) = Tr(A) + Tr(B)$   
 $Tr(c \cdot A) = c \cdot Tr(A)$
- Cycling invariance:
  - $Tr(ABCD) = Tr(DABC) = Tr(CDAB) = Tr(BCDA)$
  - $Tr(AB) = Tr(BA)$
- Frobenius norm  $F(A) = \sum_{i,j} a_{ij}^2 = Tr(AA^T)$

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## Indexing

- To get the *i*-th element of a vector  
`a(i)`
- To get the *i*-th *j*-th element of a matrix  
`A(i,j)`
- To get from the *i*-th to the *j*-th element  
`a(i:j)`
- To get a *sub-matrix*  
`A(i:j, k:l)`
- To get segments  
`a([i:j k:l m])`

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## Arithmetic operations

- Addition/subtraction  
 $C = A + B$  or  $C = A - B$
- Vector/Matrix multiplication  
 $C = A * B$ 
  - Operant sizes must match!
- Element-wise operations
  - Multiplication/division  
 $C = A .* B$  or  $C = A ./ B$
  - Exponentiation  
 $C = A.^B$
  - Elementary functions  
 $C = \sin(A)$  or  $C = \text{sqrt}(A), \dots$

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## Getting help with functions

- The help function
  - Type `help` followed by a function name
- Things to try
  - `help help`
  - `help +`
  - `help eig`
  - `help svd`
  - `help plot`
  - `help bar`
  - `help imagesc`
  - `help surf`
  - `help ops`
  - `help matfun`
- Also check out the tutorials and the mathworks site

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## Linear algebra operations

- Transposition  
 $C = A'$ 
  - If  $A$  is complex also conjugates use  $C = A.'$  to avoid that
- Vector norm  
`norm(x)` (also works on matrices)
- Matrix inversion  
 $C = \text{inv}(A)$  if  $A$  is square  
 $C = \text{pinv}(A)$  if  $A$  is not square
  - $A$  might not be invertible, you'll get a warning if so
- Eigenanalysis  
 $[u, d] = \text{eig}(A)$ 
  - $u$  is a matrix containing the eigenvectors
  - $d$  is a diagonal matrix containing the eigenvalues
- Singular Value Decomposition  
 $[u, s, v] = \text{svd}(A)$  or  $[u, s, v] = \text{svd}(A, 0)$ 
  - "thin" versus regular SVD
  - $s$  is diagonal and contains the singular values

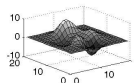
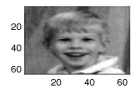
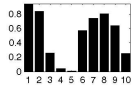
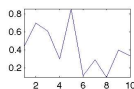
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## Plotting functions

- 1-d plots
  - `plot(x)`
    - if  $x$  is a vector will plot all its elements
    - If  $x$  is a matrix will plot all its column vectors
  - `bar(x)`
    - Ditto but makes a bar plot
- 2-d plots
  - `imagesc(x)`
    - plots a matrix as an image
  - `surf(x)`
    - makes a surface plot



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