

Ex 1

$$(1) \quad X = \left(\begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{n} \\ x_1 \dots x_n \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{p} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & \dots & x_{1n} \\ x_{21} \\ \vdots \\ x_{p1} & \dots & x_{pn} \end{pmatrix},$$

where x_{ij} is the index for the i -th component of the random vector \vec{x} , and j is the j -th observation.

We see that the first row of matrix X contains all n observations of the 1st random variable.

Let $v_i^T = (x_{i1} \ x_{i2} \ \dots \ x_{in})$, hence

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} v_1^T \\ \vdots \\ v_p^T \end{pmatrix}$$

The rows of X span thus a p -dimensional subspace of \mathbb{R}^n .

$$(2) \quad \text{cov}(x_1, x_2) = E(x_1 x_2) \quad \text{by assumption of zero mean of } \vec{x}.$$

Sample version is $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_{1i} x_{2i} = \frac{1}{n} v_1^T v_2$.

The covariance matrix C is $E(x x^T)$, (for $E(x) = 0$)

which equals

$$E(x x^T) = \begin{pmatrix} E(x_1 x_1) & E(x_1 x_2) & \dots & E(x_1 x_p) \\ \vdots & & & \\ E(x_p x_1) & E(x_p x_2) & \dots & E(x_p x_p) \end{pmatrix}$$

A sample version \hat{C} is thus

$$\hat{C} = \frac{1}{n} \begin{pmatrix} v_1^T v_1 & \dots & v_2^T v_p \\ \vdots & & \\ v_p^T v_1 & \dots & v_p^T v_p \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{n} X X^T$$

$$(3) \quad \hat{Z} = U^T \vec{x}$$

$$Z = U^T X = U^T (\vec{x}_1 \dots \vec{x}_n) = (U^T \vec{x}_1 \dots U^T \vec{x}_n)$$

$$U^T = \begin{pmatrix} U_1^T \\ \vdots \\ U_m^T \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{def}} = \begin{pmatrix} \vec{U}_1^T \vec{x}_1 & \dots & \vec{U}_1^T \vec{x}_n \\ \vec{U}_2^T \vec{x}_1 & \dots & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vec{U}_m^T \vec{x}_1 & \dots & \vec{U}_m^T \vec{x}_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$Z_i = U_i^T \vec{x}$, which is the i -th principal component.

The i -th row of Z contains thus all the realizations of the i -th principal component, which also often called the i -th principal component. Language is often not so precise here.

(4) The i -th row of Z is $U_i^T X$. Taking the scalar product with $j \neq i$ -th row gives

$$U_i^T X X^T U_j = n U_i^T (\frac{1}{n} X X^T) U_j \stackrel{\text{by (2)}}{=} n U_i^T \hat{C} U_j.$$

By assumption $\hat{C} = V D U^T$, thus

$$\begin{aligned} n \underbrace{U_i^T V D U^T U_j}_{i\text{-th slot}} &= n (0 \dots \underset{i\text{-th slot}}{1} \dots 0) \begin{pmatrix} d_1 & 0 \\ 0 & d_p \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \dots \\ \vdots & \ddots \end{pmatrix}_{j\text{-th slot}} \\ &= n (0 \dots d_i \dots 0) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}_{j\text{-th slot}} \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

(5) The principal components are an orthogonal basis for the data space.

Ex. 2

$$(1) \underset{\lambda \text{ Eigenvalue}}{\overset{\uparrow}{Cx = \lambda x}} \Rightarrow (C - I\lambda)x = 0 \Rightarrow \det(C - I\lambda) = 0$$

$$\det(C - I\lambda) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda & \rho \\ \rho & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = (1-\lambda)^2 - \rho^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-\lambda = \pm \rho$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 1 \pm \rho$$

If $|\rho| \rightarrow 1$, then one $\lambda \rightarrow 0$, i.e. if they are highly correlated, we get one small eigenvalue.

$$(2) V(x_2) = V(\alpha x_1 + n) = \underset{x_1, n \text{ indep.}}{=} \alpha^2 V(x_1) + V(n) = \alpha^2 + V(n) = 1 \quad (*)$$

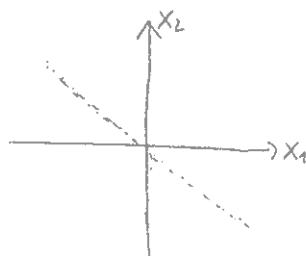
$$\text{cov}(x_1 x_2) = E(x_1 x_2) = E(x_1 (\alpha x_1 + n)) = \underbrace{\alpha E(x_1^2)}_1 + \underbrace{E(x_1)E(n)}_0 = \rho$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \rho$$

$$\Rightarrow (*) \quad \rho^2 + V(n) = 1 \Leftrightarrow V(n) = 1 - \rho^2$$

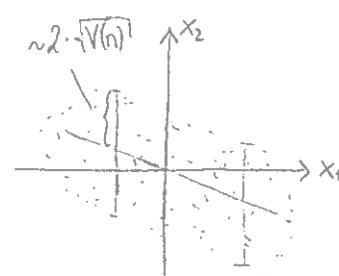
$$(3) \quad \rho = -1$$

$$V(n) = 0$$



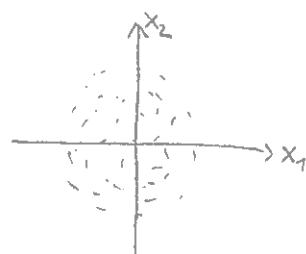
$$\rho = -0.25$$

$$V(n) = 0.9375$$



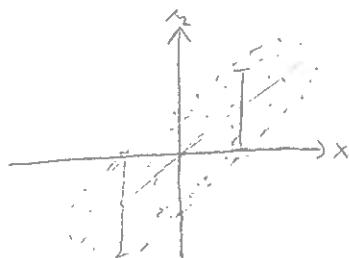
$$\rho = 0$$

$$V(n) = 1$$



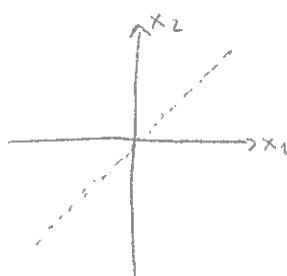
$$\rho = 0.5$$

$$V(n) = 0.25$$



$$\rho = 1$$

$$V(n) = 0$$



$$(4) \quad X = \begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & \dots & x_{1n} \\ x_{21} & \dots & x_{2n} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v_1^T \\ v_2^T \end{pmatrix} \quad X^T = (v_1, v_2)$$

If $|g| = 1$ then the variance of the noise variable is 0; x_2 is deterministically related to x_1 ($x_2 := x_1$), hence $v_1 = v_2$ linearly dependent.

Generally, if $|g|$ is close to 1, v_1 and v_2 are "close to linearly dependent".

The conditioning number of C is given by $\frac{\lambda_{\max}}{\lambda_{\min}} = \frac{1+|g|}{1-|g|}$. This becomes arbitrary large as $|g| \rightarrow 1$.

The conditioning number of X^T is a measure of the linear dependencies of v_1 and v_2 .

For any matrix M (not necessarily square) the conditioning number is defined as

$$\text{cond}(M) = \sqrt{\frac{\text{biggest Eigenvalue of } M^T M}{\text{smallest Eigenvalue of } M^T M}}$$

In our case $M = X^T$ so that $M^T M = X X^T = n \cdot C$ (C covariance matrix). The conditioning number of X^T is thus

$$\text{cond}(X^T) = \sqrt{\frac{n \cdot \lambda_{\max}}{n \cdot \lambda_{\min}}} = \sqrt{\frac{\lambda_{\max}}{\lambda_{\min}}} = \sqrt{\frac{1+|g|}{1-|g|}} = \sqrt{\text{cond}(C)}$$

If $|g| \rightarrow 1$, this clearly shows that the conditioning number of X^T goes up, that is v_1 and v_2 become more linearly dependent".

Ex. 3

(1) We show that the columns are linearly dependent:

$$\cos \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix} + \sin \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \sin \alpha \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha \\ \sin \alpha \\ \cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha \\ \sin \alpha \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{1cm}}_{\text{1st column}}$ $\underbrace{\hspace{1cm}}_{\text{2nd column}}$ $\underbrace{\hspace{1cm}}_{\text{3rd column}}$

$$(2) Cu_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cos \alpha \\ 0 & 1 & \sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha \\ \sin \alpha \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \cos \alpha \\ 2 \sin \alpha \\ \cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha + 1 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha \\ \sin \alpha \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = u_1$$

$$\text{since } Cu_1 = \lambda_1 u_1 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 2$$

$$Cu_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cos \alpha \\ 0 & 1 & \sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -\sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha \\ -\cos \alpha \sin \alpha + \cos \alpha \sin \alpha \end{pmatrix} = 1 \cdot \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} -\sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{u_2}$$

$$\rightarrow \lambda_2 = 1$$

$$Cu_3 = 0 \cdot u_3 = 0 : Cu_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} -\cos \alpha + \cos \alpha \\ -\sin \alpha + \sin \alpha \\ -\cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha + 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0, u_3 \neq 0$$

(3) Use the formula from math. ex. 1: $C = \sum_{i=1}^3 \lambda_i u_i u_i^T$

$$\lambda_1 u_1 u_1^T = \lambda_1 \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \cos^2 \alpha & \cos \alpha \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \\ \cos \alpha \sin \alpha & \sin^2 \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 u_2 u_2^T = 1 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \sin^2 \alpha & -\sin \alpha \cos \alpha & 0 \\ -\sin \alpha \cos \alpha & \cos^2 \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_3 u_3 u_3^T = \lambda_3 \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \cos^2 \alpha & \cos \alpha \sin \alpha & -\cos \alpha \\ \cos \alpha \sin \alpha & \sin^2 \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ -\cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \text{2nd part in } C$$

$$\lambda_1 u_1 u_1^T + \lambda_2 u_2 u_2^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cos \alpha \\ 0 & 1 & \sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \text{1st part in } C$$

(4) The principal component weights correspond to the eigenvectors of the covariance matrix C . Since we want to explain as much variance as possible, we would use the two PC with the biggest eigenvalues, that means $s_1 = \underbrace{u_1^T x}_{\substack{\text{weights} \\ \uparrow}} \text{ and } s_2 = \underbrace{u_2^T x}_{\substack{\text{random vector}}}$

- (5) The proportion of variance explained is defined as $\frac{\sum_{i=1}^k \lambda_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i}$, where k is the number of selected components, and n the total dimension, hence we get: $\frac{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3} = \frac{3}{3.1} \approx 0.97$, meaning that 97% of the variance is explained by the first two PCs.

- (6) Here we wanted you to make plots similar to the illustration in the lecture in chapter 3.4.

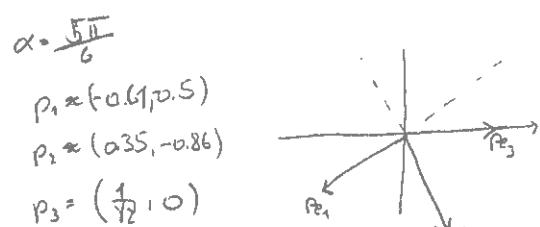
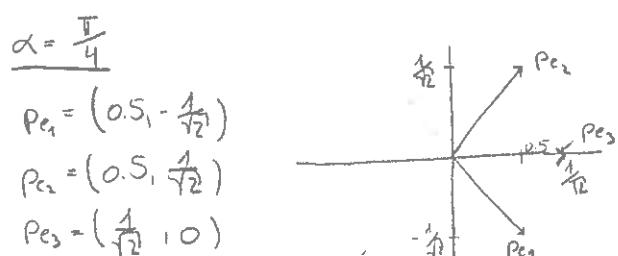
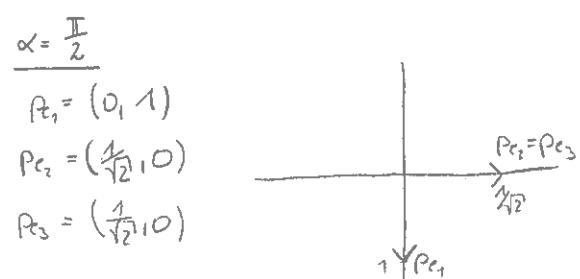
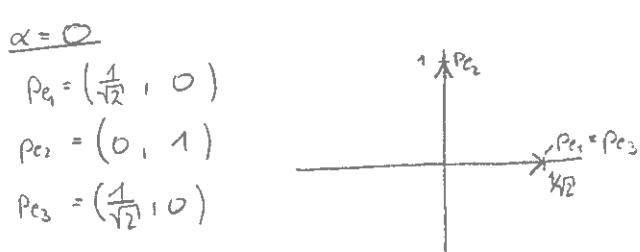
The projection of a point x is defined as $(u_1^T x, u_2^T x)$.

$$\text{For } y_1 = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ the projection is } (u_1^T y_1, u_2^T y_1) = \left(\frac{x_1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \alpha, -x_1 \sin \alpha \right) = x_1 \cdot \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \alpha, -\sin \alpha \right)}_{Pe_1}$$

$$\text{For } y_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ x_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{---} \quad (u_1^T y_2, u_2^T y_2) = \left(\frac{x_2}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \alpha, x_2 \cos \alpha \right) = x_2 \cdot \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \alpha, \cos \alpha \right)}_{Pe_2}$$

$$\text{For } y_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{---} \quad (u_1^T y_3, u_2^T y_3) = \left(\frac{x_3}{\sqrt{2}}, 0 \right) = x_3 \cdot \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0 \right)}_{Pe_3}$$

From this formulas we see, that projecting y_i is the same as projecting the i -th unit vector scaled by the value x_i . In the plots we thus only show the projection of the unit vectors e_i ; the projection of any other vector of the form y_i lies along the same axes.



- (7) The correlation between the 1st and 3rd variable is given by $\cos \alpha$, between the 2nd and 3rd variable by $\sin \alpha$: For the α 's above we obtain:

$$\alpha = 0: \rho_{13} = 1, \rho_{23} = 0$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\pi}{2}: \rho_{13} = 0, \rho_{23} = 1$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}: \rho_{13} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \rho_{23} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{5\pi}{6}: \rho_{13} = -0.86, \rho_{23} = 0.5$$

If axis Pe_3 is closer to axis Pe_1 than to Pe_2 , the 3rd variable is more correlated to the first var. than to the 2nd. If the arrows point in the same direction they are positively correlated, otherwise negatively.

$$(1) \quad \boxed{Y_k = X_k^\top \beta + \varepsilon_k} \quad k=1 \dots n \quad \text{with } \varepsilon_k \sim N(0, \sigma^2) \text{ iid.}$$

In matrix notation $\underline{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ \vdots \\ Y_n \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{\varepsilon} = \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix}$

$$X = (x_1 \dots x_n), \quad x_k \in \mathbb{R}^p$$

$$X^\top = \begin{pmatrix} x_1^\top \\ \vdots \\ x_n^\top \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{Y} = X^\top \beta + \underline{\varepsilon}$$

Observed are only \underline{Y} and X , minimizing $J(\beta)$

$$J(\beta) = \frac{1}{n} (\underline{Y} - X^\top \beta)^\top (\underline{Y} - X^\top \beta)$$

gives an estimate $\hat{\beta} = \underset{\beta}{\operatorname{argmin}} J(\beta)$ of the true value of $\beta \in \mathbb{R}^p$.

$$J(\beta) = \frac{1}{n} [\underline{Y}^\top \underline{Y} - \underline{Y}^\top X^\top \beta - \beta^\top X \underline{Y} + \beta^\top X X^\top \beta]$$

$$\nabla_{\beta} J = \frac{1}{n} [-2X \underline{Y} + 2X X^\top \beta] \quad (\text{cf. math. assignment 2})$$

$$\nabla_{\beta} J \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \hat{\beta} = (X X^\top)^{-1} X \underline{Y} \\ = (\frac{1}{n} X X^\top)^{-1} \frac{1}{n} X \underline{Y} \end{cases} \quad \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{n} X X^\top = \hat{C}_X, \text{ the sample} \\ \text{covariance matrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$\hat{\beta} = \hat{C}_X^{-1} (\frac{1}{n} X \underline{Y}).$$

$$(2) \quad \text{For } n \text{ large } \beta \rightarrow \underset{p \times p}{\hat{C}_X^{-1}} \underset{p \times 1}{C_{YX}} \leftarrow \begin{matrix} \text{cross correlation} \\ \text{between } X \text{ & } Y. \text{ (cf. ex. 1)} \end{matrix}$$

$$(3) \quad \hat{\beta} = (X X^\top)^{-1} X \underline{Y}, \quad \underline{Y} = X \beta + \underline{\varepsilon}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\beta} = (X X^\top)^{-1} (X X^\top) \beta + (X X^\top)^{-1} X \underline{\varepsilon} = \beta + (X X^\top)^{-1} X \underline{\varepsilon}$$

$$E(\hat{\beta} | X) = \beta + (X X^\top)^{-1} X \underbrace{E(\underline{\varepsilon} | X)}_0 = \beta.$$

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\beta} | X) = (X X^\top)^{-1} \underbrace{X E(\underline{\varepsilon} \underline{\varepsilon}^\top | X)}_{\sigma^2 I_n} X^\top (X X^\top)^{-1} = \sigma^2 (X X^\top)^{-1} (X X^\top) (X X^\top)^{-1}$$

$$= \sigma^2 (X X^\top)^{-1} = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} (\frac{1}{n} X X^\top)^{-1} = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \hat{C}_X^{-1}.$$

$$\text{For } n \rightarrow \infty (n \text{Var}(\hat{\beta} | X)) = \sigma^2 C_X^{-1}$$

$$(4) \text{MSE} = E\left(\|\beta - \hat{\beta}\|^2 | X\right) = E\left(\text{tr}\left[\left(\beta - \hat{\beta}\right)\left(\beta - \hat{\beta}\right)^T\right] | X\right)$$

$$= E\left(\text{tr}\left[\left(\beta - m + m - \hat{\beta}\right)\left(\beta - m + m - \hat{\beta}\right)^T\right] | X\right) \quad \text{where } m = E(\hat{\beta} | X)$$

$$\left((\beta - m) + m - \hat{\beta}\right)\left(\beta - m + m - \hat{\beta}\right)^T = (\beta - m)(\beta - m)^T + (\beta - m)(m - \hat{\beta})^T + (m - \hat{\beta})(\beta - m)^T + (m - \hat{\beta})(m - \hat{\beta})^T.$$

The trace is a linear operator, we can thus take the expectation inside to get

$$\text{MSE} = \text{tr}\left[E\left((\beta - m)(\beta - m)^T | X\right) + E\left((\beta - m)(m - \hat{\beta})^T + (m - \hat{\beta})(\beta - m)^T | X\right) + E\left((m - \hat{\beta})(m - \hat{\beta})^T | X\right)\right]$$

- $E\left((\beta - m)(m - \hat{\beta})^T\right) = (E(\beta | X) - m)(m - \hat{\beta})^T = (m - m)(m - \hat{\beta})^T = 0$

same for $E\left((m - \hat{\beta})(\beta - m)^T | X\right)$.

- $E\left((\beta - m)(\beta - m)^T | X\right) = (\beta - m)(\beta - m)^T \quad (\text{everything is deterministic here})$

- $E\left((m - \hat{\beta})(m - \hat{\beta})^T | X\right) = V(\hat{\beta} | X) \quad \text{by definition of the variance and the fact that } m = E(\hat{\beta} | X).$

$$\Rightarrow \text{MSE} = \underbrace{\text{tr}\left[(\beta - m)(\beta - m)^T\right]}_{\|\beta - m\|^2} + \text{tr}V(\hat{\beta} | X)$$

$$m = E(\hat{\beta} | X) \quad \downarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{MSE} = \underbrace{\|\beta - E(\hat{\beta} | X)\|^2}_{\text{bias}^2} + \underbrace{\text{tr}V(\hat{\beta} | X)}_{\text{variance-term}}$$

Since $E(\hat{\beta} | X) = \hat{\beta}$, there is no bias.

$$\Rightarrow \text{MSE} = \text{tr}V(\hat{\beta} | X) = \underbrace{\frac{\sigma^2}{n}}_{(3)} \text{tr} \hat{\mathbf{C}}_x^{-1} = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{1}{d_i}$$

$$\text{tr}(A') = \sum \frac{1}{\text{eigenvalues of } A} \quad (\text{cf math assignment 2})$$

The small eigenvalues of $\hat{\mathbf{C}}_x$ cause the MSE to be large.

The eigenvalues of $\hat{\mathbf{C}}_x$ are small if some random variables x_i (elements of the vector \vec{x}) are highly correlated \Leftrightarrow some rows of X are linearly dependent (cf Ex. 2).

(5) Let $\beta = U_m \gamma$, $U_m = (v_1 \dots v_m)$ with $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_m$.

$$\begin{aligned} J(U_m \gamma) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n (\gamma_k - x_k^\top U_m \gamma)^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n (\gamma_k - (U_m^\top x_k)^\top \gamma)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n (\gamma_k - z_k^\top \gamma)^2, \quad z_k = U_m^\top x_k \quad (\text{vector of the } k\text{-th observation of the principal components}) \\ \Rightarrow J_{pc}(\gamma) &:= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n (\gamma_k - z_k^\top \gamma)^2 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{vector with principal components} \\ \text{Original inputs} \end{array} \right\} \\ J(\beta) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n (\gamma_k - x_k^\top \beta)^2 \end{aligned}$$

J_{pc} has the same form as J but the principal components are used instead of the original inputs.

(6) As in (1) but with $Z = (z_1 \dots z_n)$, $z_k \in \mathbb{R}^m$ instead of X :

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\gamma} &= (\frac{1}{n} Z Z^\top)^{-1} \frac{1}{n} Z Y \\ &= (\frac{1}{n} U_m^\top X X^\top U_m)^{-1} \frac{1}{n} Z Y = (\underbrace{U_m^\top U D U^\top U_m}_{\frac{1}{n} X X^\top = U D U^\top})^{-1} \frac{1}{n} Z Y \\ - U_m^\top U &= \begin{pmatrix} v_1^\top \\ \vdots \\ v_m^\top \end{pmatrix} (v_1 \dots v_m v_{m+1} \dots v_p) \quad \frac{1}{n} X X^\top = U D U^\top \\ &= \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{m \times m} \quad \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{m \times p} \\ - m \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & 0 \end{pmatrix} D \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mid_{m \times p} &= D_m, \quad \text{where } D_m = \begin{pmatrix} d_1 & 0 & & \\ 0 & d_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & d_m \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{has} \end{aligned}$$

the first m diagonal elements of D on its diagonal.

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\gamma} = D_m^{-1} \frac{1}{n} Z Y = D_m^{-1} U_m^\top \frac{1}{n} X Y$$

$$\hat{\beta}_{pc} = U_m \hat{\gamma} = U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^\top \frac{1}{n} X Y$$

Note: For $m=p$ $U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^\top$ becomes the inverse of the sample covariance matrix \hat{G}_x .

$$(7) \hat{\beta}_{pc} = (U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T) \frac{1}{n} X (X^T \beta + \varepsilon)$$

$$= (U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T) \frac{1}{n} X X^T \beta + (U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T) \frac{1}{n} X \varepsilon$$

$$E(\hat{\beta}_{pc}|X) = (U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T) \frac{1}{n} X X^T \beta + (U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T) \frac{1}{n} X \underbrace{E(\varepsilon|X)}_0$$

$$\frac{1}{n} X X^T = \hat{C}_x = U D U^T, \text{ hence}$$

$$E(\hat{\beta}_{pc}|X) = U_m D_m^{-1} \underbrace{U_m^T U_m D U^T}_P \beta = U_m D_m^{-1} \underbrace{(D_m^{-1}|0)}_{\substack{\downarrow \\ m \\ P}} U^T \beta$$

$$= U_m \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{m} | 0 \right)}_{m \times m} U^T \beta = U_m \underbrace{\left(U^T \left(\frac{1}{m} \right) \right)^T}_{U_m} = U_m U_m^T \beta$$

$$\Rightarrow E(\hat{\beta}_{pc}|X) = U_m U_m^T \beta.$$

$$V(\hat{\beta}_{pc}|X) = E \left[(U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T) \left(\frac{1}{n} X \varepsilon \varepsilon^T X^T U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T \right) \right]$$

$$E(\varepsilon \varepsilon^T) = \sigma^2 I_n$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} (U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T) \frac{1}{n} X E(\varepsilon \varepsilon^T) X^T U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{n} (U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T) \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{n} X X^T \right)}_{\hat{C}_x = U D U^T} U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{n} (U_m D_m^{-1} \underbrace{U_m^T}_{\substack{\downarrow \\ m \times m}}) \underbrace{U D U^T}_{\substack{\downarrow \\ m \times m}} \underbrace{(U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T)}_{m \times m}$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{n} U_m D_m^{-1} D_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T$$

$$\Rightarrow V(\hat{\beta}_{pc}|X) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T$$

for $m=p$ $U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T = \hat{C}_x^{-1}$, that is for $m=p$,

$$V(\hat{\beta}_{pc}|X) = V(\hat{\beta}|X).$$

$$(8) MSE_{pc} = \|\beta - U_m U_m^T \beta\|^2 + \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \text{tr} \underbrace{(U_m D_m^{-1} U_m^T)}_{\text{tr}(U_m^T U_m D_m^{-1}) = \text{tr}(D_m^{-1}) = \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{1}{d_i}}$$

$$= \|\beta(I_p - U_m U_m^T)\|^2 + \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{1}{d_i}$$

If $m = p$, $U_m = U$ and $UU^\top = I_p$, so that

MSE_{pc} becomes $\frac{\sigma^2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{1}{d_i}$, i.e. equal to the MSE in (4).
(PCA regression boils down to ordinary regression)

If $m < p$, the variance is reduced by $\frac{\sigma^2}{n} \sum_{i=m+1}^p \frac{1}{d_i}$, but we incur a bias since $U_m U_m^\top \neq I_p$.

This is called the bias-variance trade-off: By choosing m , one can choose a certain reduction in variance, at the cost of more bias. The best m is the one which leads to the smallest MSE ($= \text{bias}^2 + \text{variance}$).

$\uparrow \text{as } m \downarrow$ $\downarrow \text{as } m \downarrow$

The formula for the MSE_{pc} show that the best m is essentially a function of d_i and U_i , i.e. the covariance matrix of X .

