Linear Algebra Review

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Vectors

- Vectors and matrices are just collections of ordered numbers that represent something: movements in space, scaling factors, pixel brightnesses, etc.
- A vector is a quantity that involves both magnitude and direction
- A column vector $v \in \mathbf{R}^{n \times 1}$ where

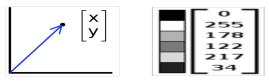
$$v = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \tag{1}$$

• A row vector $v^T \in \mathbf{R}^{n \times 1}$ where

$$\mathbf{v}^T = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \dots & x_n \end{bmatrix} \tag{2}$$

Vectors

- Vectors can represent an offset in 2D or 3D space
- Points are just vectors from the origin



- Data (pixels, gradients at an image keypoint, etc) can also be treated as a vector
- Such vectors don't have a geometric interpretation, but calculations like "distance" can still have value

Vectors

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>> v = [ 9 ; 3 ; 4 ; 1 ; 0]
v =
    3
    0
>> vT = v'
vT =
      3 4 1 0
>> v2 = [ 2 4 2.1 5 4]
v2 =
  2.0000 4.0000 2.1000 5.0000 4.0000
>> v2T = v2'
v2T =
   2.0000
   4.0000
   2.1000
   5.0000
   4.0000
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Matrices

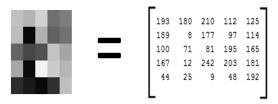
• A matrix $A \in \mathbf{R}^{m \times n}$ is an array of $m \times n$ numbers arranged in m rows and n columns.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} & \dots & x_{1n} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} & \dots & x_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{m1} & x_{m2} & x_{m3} & \dots & x_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

- If m = n, we say that A is a square matrix
- MATLAB represents an image as a matrix of pixel brightnesses

Images

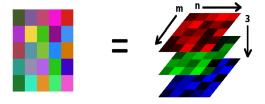
• Note that matrix coordinates are NOT Cartesian coordinates. The upper left corner is [y,x] = (1,1)



 Grayscale images have one number per pixel, and are stored as an m x n matrix.

Images

- Color images have 3 numbers per pixel red, green, and blue brightnesses
- Stored as an m x n x 3 matrix



Addition

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a+1 & b+2 \\ c+3 & d+4 \end{bmatrix}$$

• Can only add a matrix with matching dimensions, or a scalar.

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} + 7 = \begin{bmatrix} a+7 & b+7 \\ c+7 & d+7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Scaling

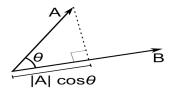
$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \times 3 = \begin{bmatrix} 3a & 3b \\ 3c & 3d \end{bmatrix}$$

Inner product (dot product) of vectors

- Multiply corresponding entries of two vectors and add up the result
- xy is also |x||y|Cos(the angle between x and y)

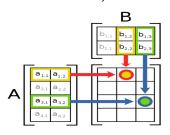
$$\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & \dots & x_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i$$
 (scalar)

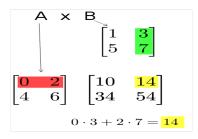
 If B is a unit vector, then AB gives the length of A which lies in the direction of B



Multiplication

• For A.B; each entry in the result is (that row of A) dot product with (that column of B)





Multiplication

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>> A=floor(10*rand(3.4))
A =
>> B=floor(10*rand(4,5))
в =
     2 3 1 5 1
0 9 7 5 9
1 1 4 7 0
>> R = A*B
R =
    16
          49
                 43
                       73
                              33
                              37
    10
          47
                 61
                       81
    41
          98
                 99
                      116
                              69
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>> C=floor(10*rand(3,4))
C =
           9 3
>> R2 = A.*C
R2 =
        24
                  24
             16
                  24
   28
      4
            45
                  27
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Transpose

• row r becomes column c

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

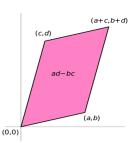
A useful identity

$$(ABC)^T = C^T B^T A^T$$

Determinant

det(A) returns a scalar value for square matrix A. For,

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$
, $\det(\mathbf{A}) = ad - bc$



• Properties:

$$det(\mathbf{AB}) = det(\mathbf{BA})$$
$$det(\mathbf{A}^{-1}) = \frac{1}{det(\mathbf{A})}$$
$$det(\mathbf{A}^{T}) = det(\mathbf{A})$$
$$det(\mathbf{A}) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{A} \text{ is singular}$$

Special Matrices

Identity matrix /

- Square matrix, 1s along diagonal, 0s elsewhere
- I.A = A

Γ1	O	О
$\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{vmatrix}$	1	0
Lo	O	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

[3	O	0
0	7	0
$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$	0	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2.5 \end{bmatrix}$

Diagonal matrix

- Square matrix with numbers along diagonal, 0s elsewhere
- (A diagonal).(Another matrix B) scales the rows of matrix B

Special Matrices

Symmetric matrix

$$\mathbf{A}^T = \mathbf{A} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 2 & 1 & 7 \\ 5 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Skew-symmetric matrix

$$\mathbf{A}^T = -\mathbf{A} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -5 \\ 2 & 1 & -7 \\ 5 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

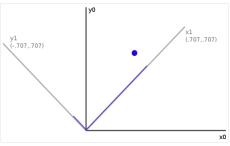
Transformations

- Matrices can be used to transform vectors in useful ways, through multiplication: x'= Ax
- Simplest is scaling:

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 \\ 0 & s_y \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x x \\ s_y y \end{bmatrix}$$

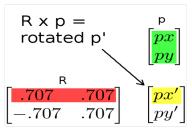
Rotation

- How can you convert a vector represented in frame 0 to a new, rotated coordinate frame 1?
- Remember what a vector is: [component in direction of the frames x axis, component in direction of y axis]



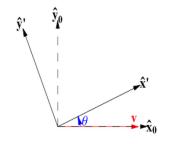
Rotation

- So to rotate it we must produce this vector: [component in direction of new x axis, component in direction of new y axis]
- We can do this easily with dot products!
- New x coordinate is [original vector] dot [the new x axis]
- New y coordinate is [original vector] dot [the new y axis]



2D Rotation Matrix Formula

ullet Counter-clockwise rotation by an angle heta



$$x' = x\cos\theta + y\sin\theta$$
$$y' = -x\sin\theta + y\cos\theta$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = R(\theta) \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P' = R P$$

Transformation Matrices

- Multiple transformation matrices can be used to transform a point: $p' = R_2.R_1.S.p$
- The effect of this is to apply their transformations one after the other, from right to left.
- In the example above, the result is $(R_2(R_1(S.p)))$
- The result is exactly the same if we multiply the matrices first, to form a single transformation matrix: $p' = (R_2.R_1.S)p$

Homogeneous System

 In general, a matrix multiplication lets us linearly combine components of a vector

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ax + by \\ cx + dy \end{bmatrix}$$

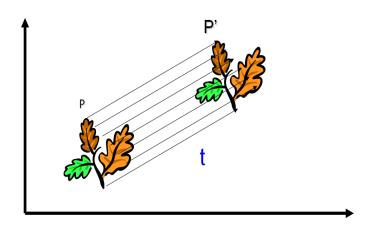
- This is sufficient for scale, rotate, skew transformations.
- But notice, we cant add a constant!
- The (somewhat hacky) solution? Stick a "1" at the end of every vector

Homogeneous System

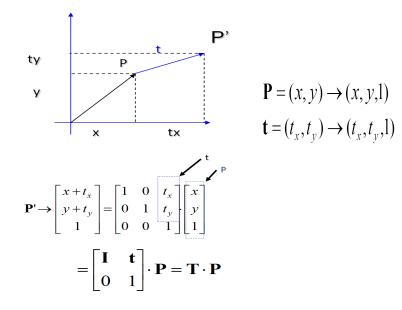
$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ax + by + c \\ dx + ey + f \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Now we can rotate, scale, and skew like before, AND translate (note how the multiplication works out, above)
- This is called "homogeneous coordinates"
- In homogeneous coordinates, the multiplication works out so the rightmost column of the matrix is a vector that gets added

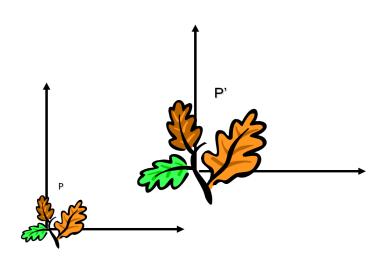
2D Translation



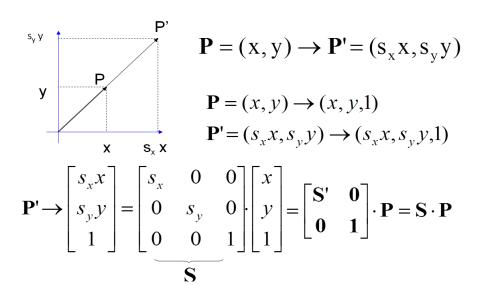
2D Translation with Homogeneous Coordinates



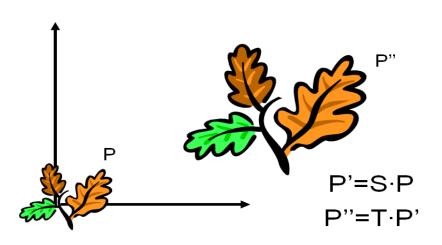
Scaling



Scaling



Scaling & Translating



$$P''=T \cdot P'=T \cdot (S \cdot P)=T \cdot S \cdot P=A \cdot P$$

Scaling & Translating

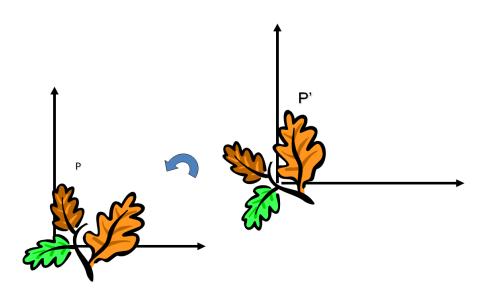
$$\mathbf{P''} = \mathbf{T} \cdot \mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & 1 & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & s_y & t_y \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Scaling & Translating

$$\mathbf{P'''} = \mathbf{T} \cdot \mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & 1 & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \\ 0 & s_y & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x x + t_x \\ s_y y + t_y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

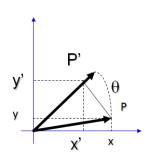
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}''' &= \mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{T} \cdot \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} s_{x} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_{y} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & t_{x} \\ 0 & 1 & t_{y} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} s_{x} & 0 & s_{x}t_{x} \\ 0 & s_{y} & s_{y}t_{y} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_{x}x + s_{x}t_{x} \\ s_{y}y + s_{y}t_{y} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Rotation



Rotation

Counter-clockwise rotation by an angle θ



$$x' = \cos \theta x - \sin \theta y$$
$$y' = \cos \theta y + \sin \theta x$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P' = R P$$

Rotation Matrix Properties

 Transpose of a rotation matrix produces a rotation in the opposite direction

$$RR^T = R^T R = I$$

 $det(R) = 1$

Consider the rotation matrix from the previous slide

Inverse of Matrix

• Given a matrix A, its inverse A^{-1} is a matrix such that $AA^{-1} = A^{-1}A$ = I

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Inverse does not always exist. If A^{-1} exists, A is invertible or non-singular. Otherwise, its singular.
- Useful identities, for matrices that are invertible:

$$(\mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1} = \mathbf{A}$$
$$(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B})^{-1} = \mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{-1}$$
$$\mathbf{A}^{-T} \triangleq (\mathbf{A}^{T})^{-1} = (\mathbf{A}^{-1})^{T}$$

Pseudoinverse

- Say you have the matrix equation AX=B, where A and B are known, and you want to solve for X
- You could use MATLAB to calculate the inverse and premultiply by it: $A^{-1}AX = A^{-1}BX = A^{-1}B$
- MATLAB command would be inv(A)*B
- But calculating the inverse for large matrices often brings problems with computer floating-point resolution (because it involves working with very small and very large numbers together).
- Or, your matrix might not even have an inverse.
- Fortunately, there are workarounds to solve AX=B in these situations.
 And MATLAB can do them!

Pseudoinverse

- Instead of taking an inverse, directly ask MATLAB to solve for X in AX=B, by typing $A\setminus B$
- MATLAB will try several appropriate numerical methods (including the pseudoinverse if the inverse doesnt exist)
- MATLAB will return the value of X which solves the equation
- If there is no exact solution, it will return the closest one
- If there are many solutions, it will return the smallest one

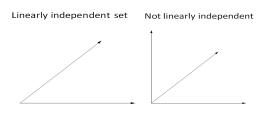
MATLAB example:

$$AX = B$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank of A Matrix

- Linear independence
 - Suppose we have a set of vectors $v_1, ..., v_n$
 - If we can express v1 as a linear combination of the other vectors $v_2...v_n$, then v1 is linearly dependent on the other vectors.
 - The direction v1 can be expressed as a combination of the directions $v_2...v_n$. (E.g. $v_1 = .7v_2 .7v_4$)
 - If no vector is linearly dependent on the rest of the set, the set is linearly independent.
 - Common case: a set of vectors $v_1, ..., v_n$ is always linearly independent if each vector is perpendicular to every other vector (and non-zero)



Rank of A Matrix

- Column/row rank
 - col rank(A)= the max. number of linearly independent column vector of A
 - row rank(A)= the max. number of linearly independent row vector of A
- Column rank always equals row rank
- Matrix rank : rank(A) := col rank(A) = row rank(A)
- For transformation matrices, the rank tells you the dimensions of the output
- E.g. if rank of A is 1, then the transformation p' = Ap maps points onto a line.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x+y \\ 2x+2y \end{bmatrix} - \text{All points get mapped to the line y=2x}$$

Rank of A Matrix

- If an m x m matrix is rank m, we say its "full rank"
 - Maps an m x 1 vector uniquely to another m x 1 vector
 - An inverse matrix can be found
- If rank < m, we say its "singular"
 - At least one dimension is getting collapsed. No way to look at the result and tell what the input was
 - Inverse does not exist
- Inverse also doesnt exist for non-square matrices

Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

- Suppose we have a square matrix A. We can solve for vector x and scalar λ such that $Ax = \lambda x$
- In other words, find vectors where, if we transform them with A, the only effect is to scale them with no change in direction.
- ullet These vectors are called eigenvectors (German for self vector of the matrix), and the scaling factors λ are called eigenvalues
- An m x m matrix will have $\leq m$ eigenvectors where λ is nonzero
- To find eigenvalues and eigenvectors rewrite the equation:

$$(A - \lambda I)x = 0$$

• x = 0 is always a solution but we have to find $x \neq 0$. This means $A - \lambda I$ should not be invertible so we can have many solutions.

$$det(A - \lambda I) = 0$$

Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

For example;

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$det(A - \lambda I)x = 0$$
$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 - \lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 3 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

then
$$\lambda_1 = 4, x_1^T = [1 \ 1]$$
 and $\lambda_2 = 2, x_2^T = [-1 \ 1]$

Another example;

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

then
$$\lambda_1 = 1, x_1^T = [1 \ 1]$$
 and $\lambda_2 = -1, x_2^T = [-1 \ 1]$

Relation between these two matrices ?

- There are several computer algorithms that can factor a matrix, representing it as the product of some other matrices
- The most useful of these is the Singular Value Decomposition.
- Represents any matrix A as a product of three matrices: $U\Sigma V^T$
- MATLAB command: [U,S,V]=svd(A)

$$A = U\Sigma V^T$$

• where U and V are rotation matrices, and Σ is a scaling matrix.

$$\begin{bmatrix} U & \Sigma & V^T & A \\ -.40 & .916 \\ .916 & .40 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 5.39 & 0 \\ 0 & 3.154 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} -.05 & .999 \\ .999 & .05 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Eigenvectors are for square matrices, but SVD is for all matrices
- To calculate U, take eigenvectors of AA^T
- Square root of eigenvalues are the singular values (the entries of Σ).
- To calculate V, take eigenvectors of A^TA
- In general, if A is m x n, then U will be m x m, Σ will be m x n, and V^T will be n x n.

- U and V are always rotation matrices.
 - Geometric rotation may not be an applicable concept, depending on the matrix. So we call them "unitary" matrices (each column is a unit vector)
- Σ is a diagonal matrix
 - The number of nonzero entries = rank of A
 - The algorithm always sorts the entries high to low

$$\begin{bmatrix} U & \Sigma & V^T \\ -.39 & -.92 \\ -.92 & .39 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 9.51 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & .77 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} -.42 & -.57 & -.70 \\ .81 & .11 & -.58 \\ .41 & -.82 & .41 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Look at how the multiplication works out, left to right
- Column 1 of U gets scaled by the first value from

$$\begin{bmatrix} U\Sigma \\ -3.67 & -.71 & 0 \\ -8.8 & .30 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} V^T \\ -.42 & -.57 & -.70 \\ .81 & .11 & -.58 \\ .41 & -.82 & .41 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} A_{partial} \\ 1.6 & 2.1 & 2.6 \\ 3.8 & 5.0 & 6.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

 The resulting vector gets scaled by row 1 of VT to produce a contribution to the columns of A

• Each product of (column i of U).(value i from Σ).(row i of V^T) produces a component of the final A

- Were building A as a linear combination of the columns of U
- Using all columns of U, well rebuild the original matrix perfectly
- But, in real-world data, often we can just use the first few columns of U and well get something close (e.g. the first A_{partial}, above)

- We can call those first few columns of U the Principal Components of the data
- They show the major patterns that can be added to produce the columns of the original matrix
- ullet The rows of V^T show how the principal components are mixed to produce the columns of the matrix

SVD Applications

$$\begin{bmatrix} U & \Sigma & V^T \\ -.39 & -.92 \\ -.92 & .39 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 9.51 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & .77 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} -.42 & -.57 & -.70 \\ .81 & .11 & -.58 \\ .41 & -.82 & .41 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

We can look at Σ to see that the first column has a large effect

while the second column has a much smaller effect in this example

SVD Applications





- For this image, using only the first 10 of 300 principal components produces a recognizable reconstruction
- So, SVD can be used for image compression

Principal Component Analysis

$$\begin{bmatrix} U\Sigma \\ -3.67 \\ -8.8 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} V^T \\ -.42 \\ .30 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} V^T \\ -.42 \\ .81 \\ .41 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_{partial} \\ -.58 \\ .41 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Remember, columns of U are the Principal Components of the data: the major patterns that can be added to produce the columns of the original matrix
- One use of this is to construct a matrix where each column is a separate data sample
- Run SVD on that matrix, and look at the first few columns of U to see patterns that are common among the columns
- This is called Principal Component Analysis (or PCA) of the data samples