

CAP 5768: Introduction to Data Science

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PCA and Matrices

From **Johnson & Wichern**, *Applied multivariate statistical analysis*, 6th Ed

PCA

- **Tool for Dimensionality Reduction**
 - Reduces impact of curse of dimensionality
- **Tool for finding Subspace in which data lies**
- **Summarization of data to find important variables**
- **Compares relative importance of variables**
- **Explains the most amount of variation in data**

Principal Components

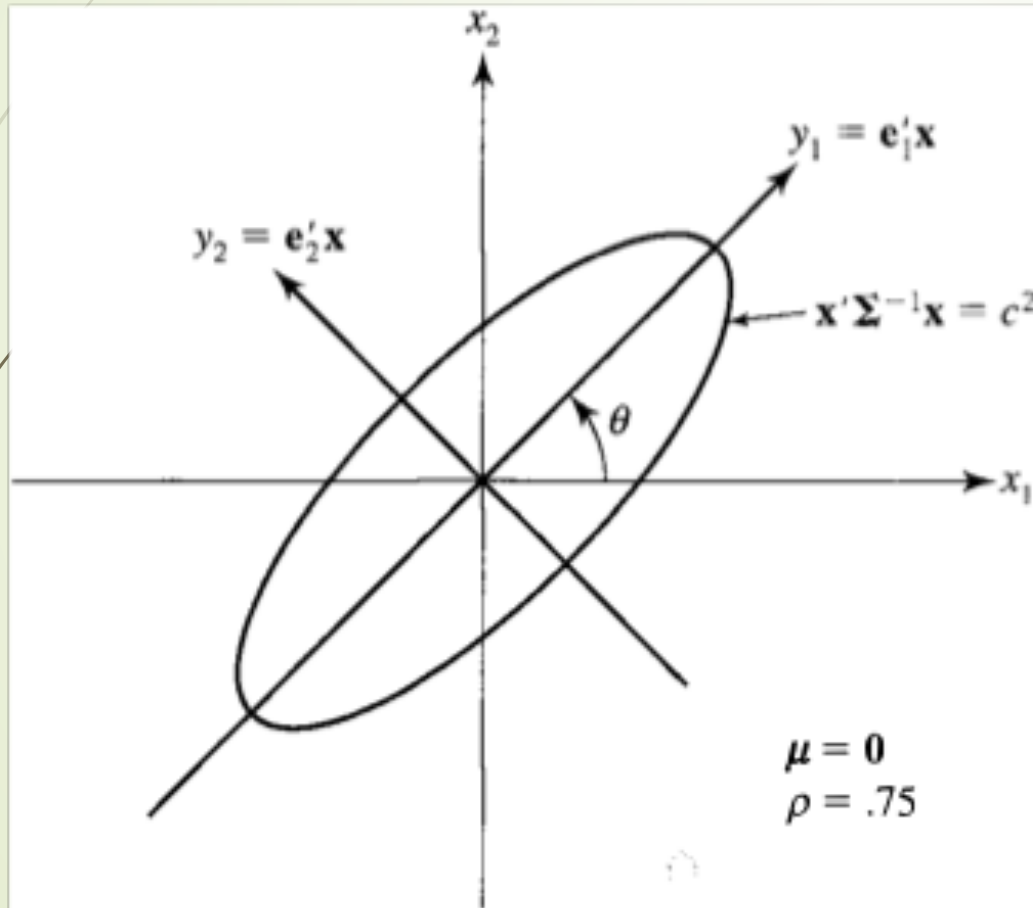


Figure 8.1 The constant density ellipse $\mathbf{x}'\Sigma^{-1}\mathbf{x} = c^2$ and the principal components y_1, y_2 for a bivariate normal random vector \mathbf{X} having mean $\mathbf{0}$.

Principal Components

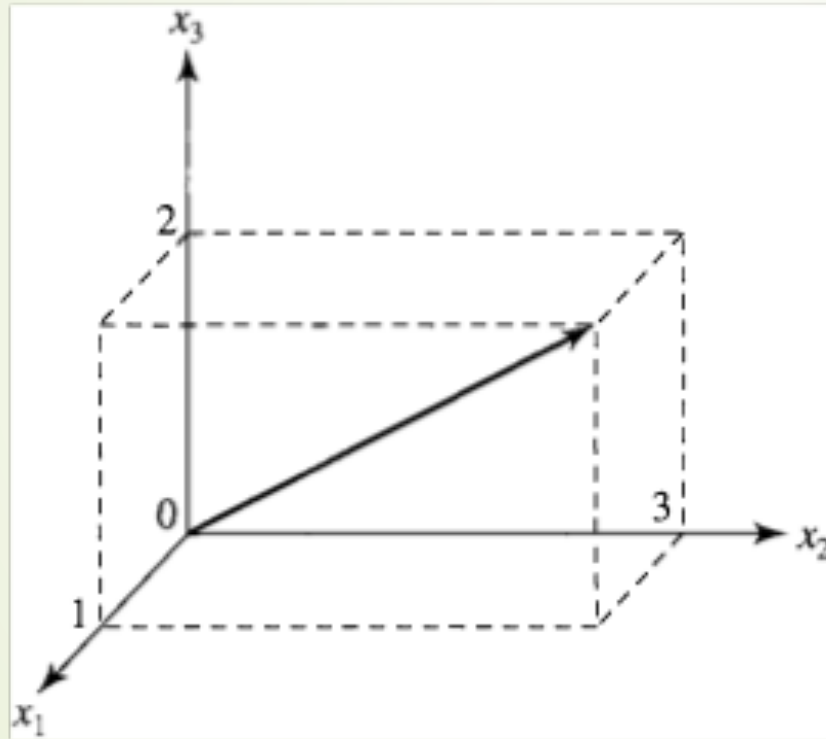
First *sample* principal component = linear combination $\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{x}_j$ that maximizes the sample variance of $\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{x}_j$ subject to $\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{a}_1 = 1$

Second *sample* principal component = linear combination $\mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{x}_j$ that maximizes the sample variance of $\mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{x}_j$ subject to $\mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{a}_2 = 1$ and zero sample covariance for the pairs $(\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{x}_j, \mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{x}_j)$

At the *i*th step, we have

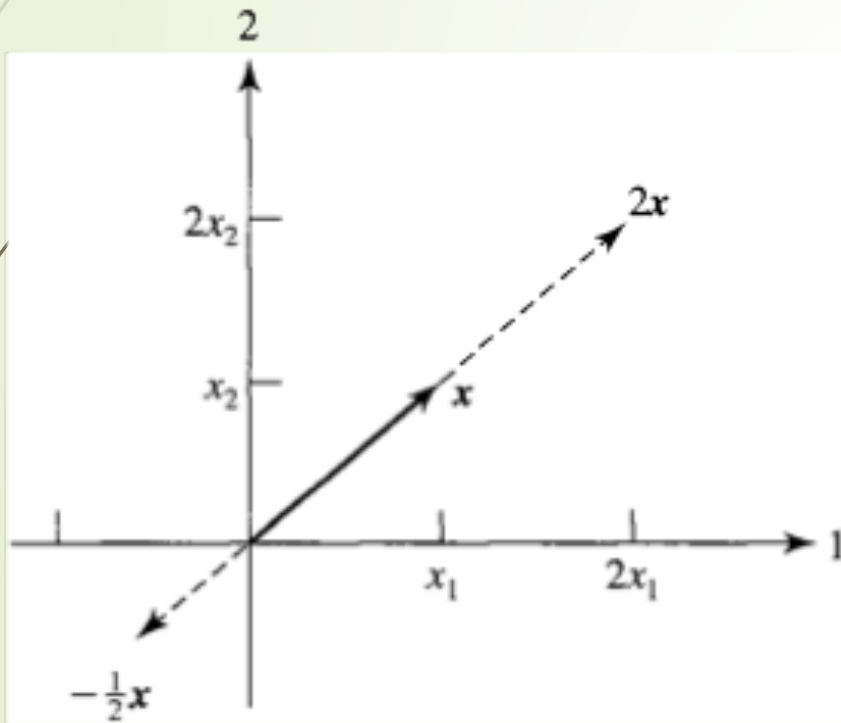
*i*th *sample* principal component = linear combination $\mathbf{a}'_i \mathbf{x}_j$ that maximizes the sample variance of $\mathbf{a}'_i \mathbf{x}_j$ subject to $\mathbf{a}'_i \mathbf{a}_i = 1$ and zero sample covariance for all pairs $(\mathbf{a}'_i \mathbf{x}_j, \mathbf{a}'_k \mathbf{x}_j)$, $k < i$

Points and Vectors



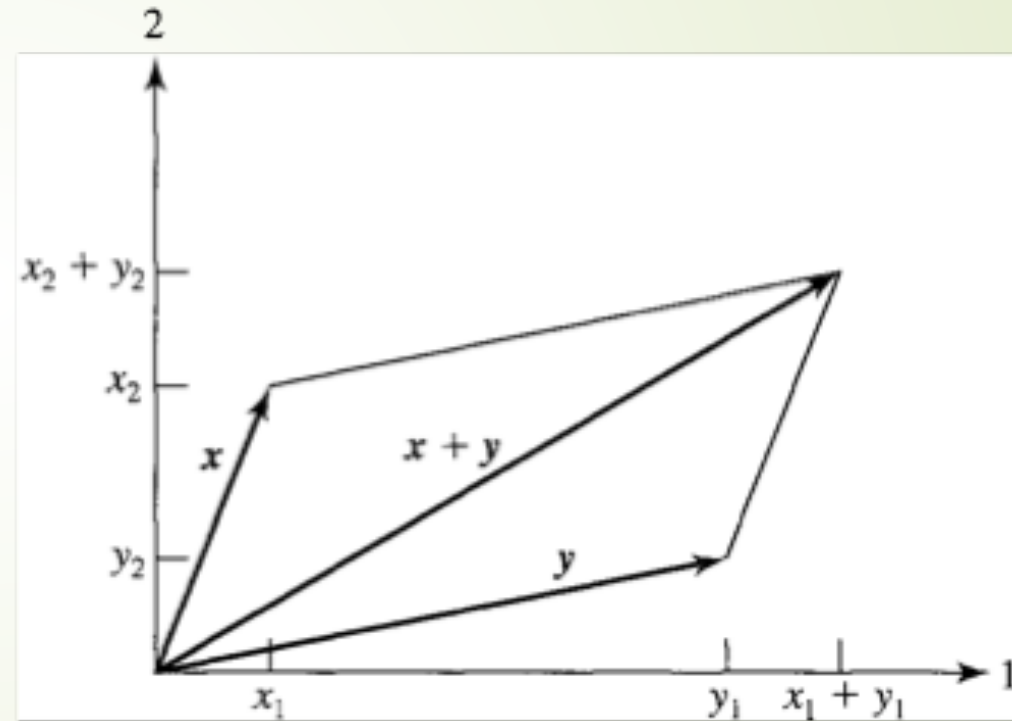
- Every point can be thought of a vector from the origin to that point
- $p = (1, 3, 2)$

Scalar Multiplication and Vector Addition



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(a)

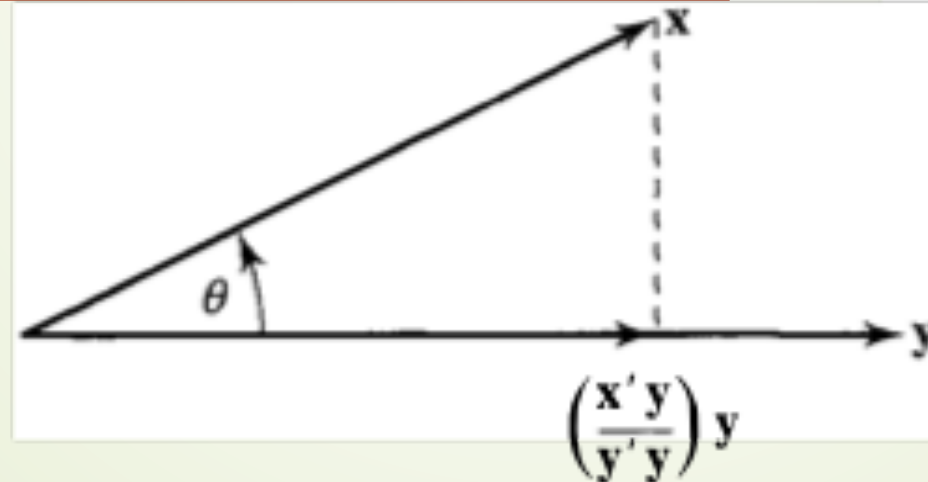
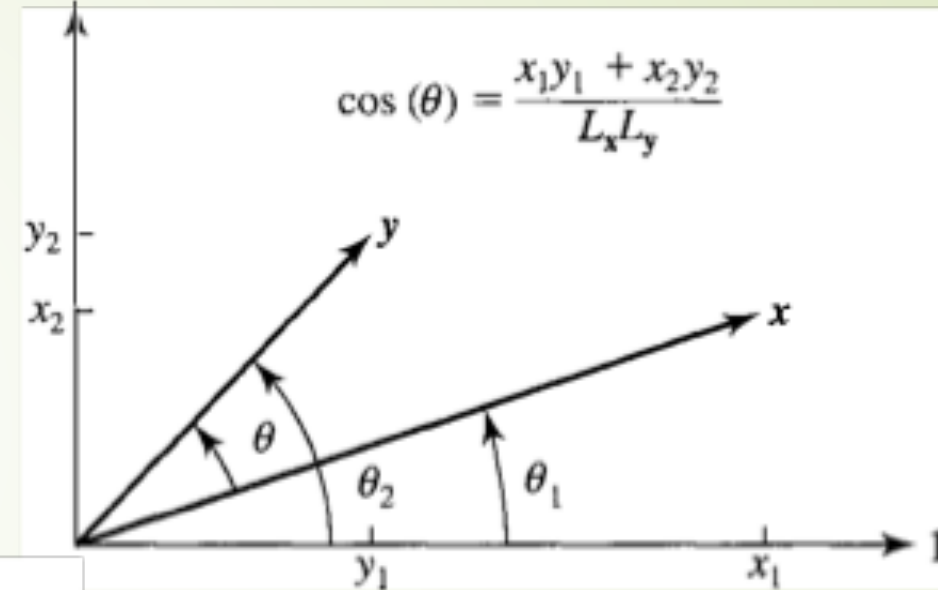


(b)

Dot Product, Angles, Projections

$$\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y} = x_1y_1 + x_2y_2 + \cdots + x_ny_n$$

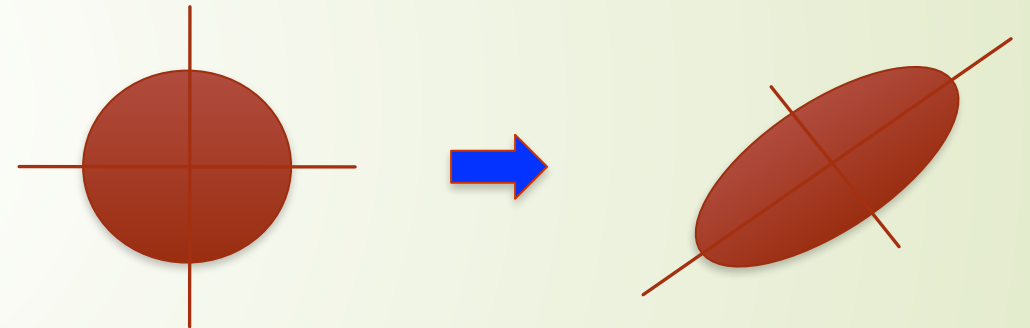
$$\text{Projection of } \mathbf{x} \text{ on } \mathbf{y} = \frac{(\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y})}{\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{y}} \mathbf{y} = \frac{(\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y})}{L_y} \frac{1}{L_y} \mathbf{y}$$



$$\leftarrow L_x \cos(\theta) \rightarrow$$

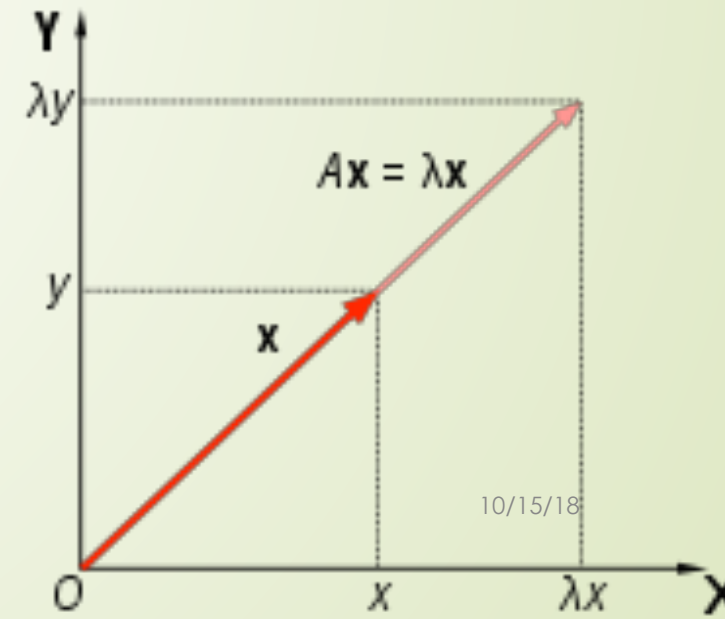
Matrices & Transformations

- Arrays of Values, A
- Linear Transformations
 - $Ax = y$
- Matrix Product
 - Composing transforms
- Matrix Inverse: $AB = I \rightarrow B = A^{-1}$

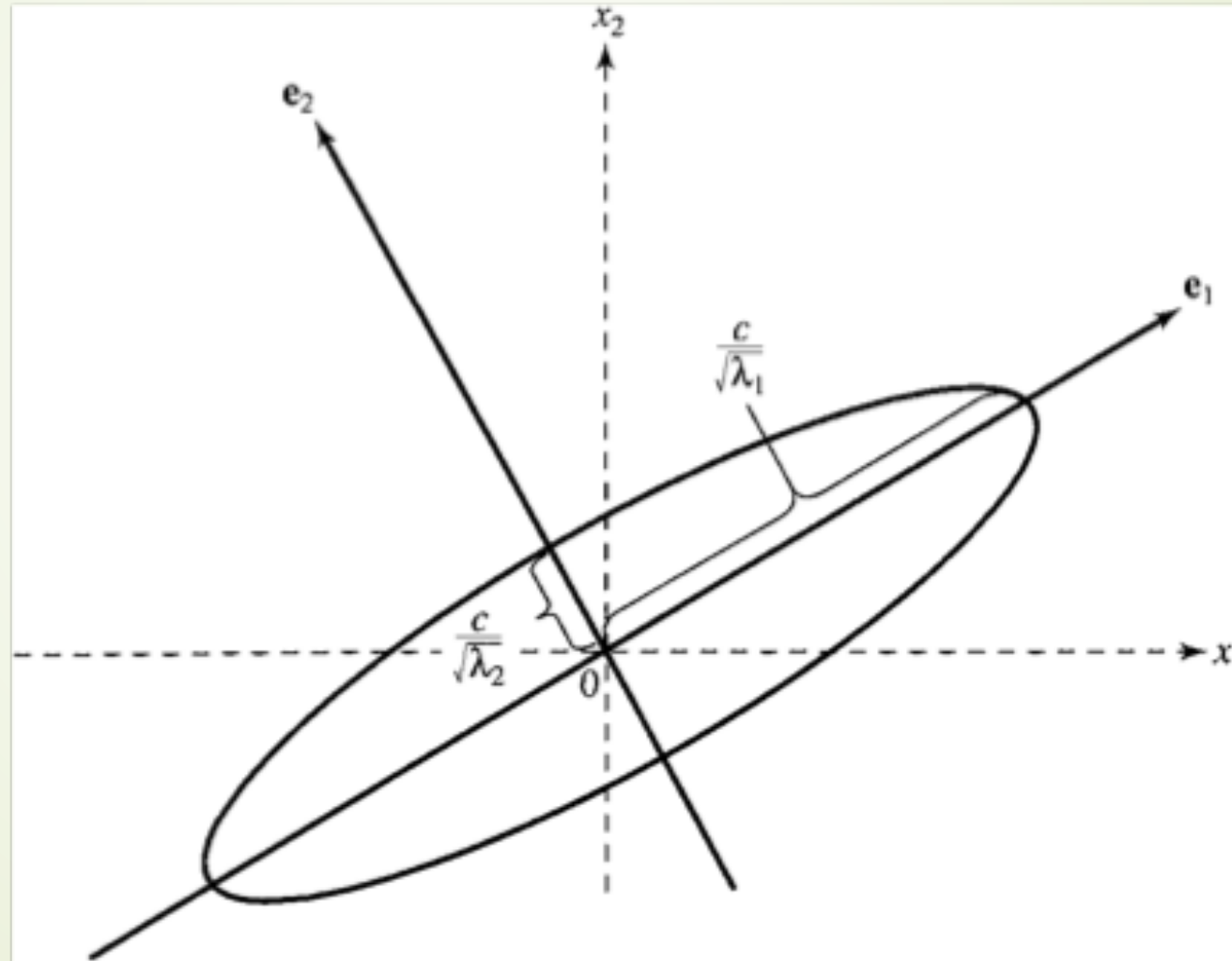


Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

- Under transform A , eigenvectors experience change in magnitude only, but not direction
- $Ax = \lambda x$; $(A - \lambda I)x = 0$
- Characteristic Eq: $|A - \lambda I| = 0$
- Eigenvalues: λ
- Eigenvectors: x, e



Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors



Spectral Decomposition

- ➔ If A is symmetric, then the following decomposition holds true:

$$\mathbf{A} = \lambda_1 \mathbf{e}_1 \mathbf{e}_1' + \lambda_2 \mathbf{e}_2 \mathbf{e}_2' + \dots + \lambda_k \mathbf{e}_k \mathbf{e}_k'$$

$(k \times k)$ $(k \times 1)(1 \times k)$ $(k \times 1)(1 \times k)$ $(k \times 1)(1 \times k)$

Quadratic Form

- The scalar $x'Ax$ is called **quadratic form**
- A is **positive definite**
 - if $x'Ax > 0$, whenever x is a nonzero vector
- Equivalently, A is **positive definite**
 - if all its eigenvalues are positive

Matrix Inverse & Square Root

$$\mathbf{A} = \sum_{i=1}^k \lambda_i \mathbf{e}_i \mathbf{e}_i' = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{P}'$$

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$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{\Lambda}^{-1} \mathbf{P}' = \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{1}{\lambda_i} \mathbf{e}_i \mathbf{e}_i'$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{1/2} = \sum_{i=1}^k \sqrt{\lambda_i} \mathbf{e}_i \mathbf{e}_i' = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{\Lambda}^{1/2} \mathbf{P}'$$

$$\mathbf{P} = [\mathbf{e}_1, \mathbf{e}_2, \dots, \mathbf{e}_k]$$

$$\mathbf{\Lambda} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & \lambda_k \end{bmatrix}$$

Dimension Reduction Revisited

➔ If we take r eigenvectors, then

➔ $P_r = [e_1, e_2, \dots, e_r]$, and

$$\Lambda_{(r \times r)} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & \lambda_r \end{bmatrix}$$

➔ A can be approximated by taking r eigenvectors

$$\begin{matrix} P & \Lambda & P^T \\ (k \times r) & (r \times r) & (r \times k) \end{matrix}$$

Random Matrices

$$E(\mathbf{X}) = \begin{bmatrix} E(X_{11}) & E(X_{12}) & \cdots & E(X_{1p}) \\ E(X_{21}) & E(X_{22}) & \cdots & E(X_{2p}) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ E(X_{n1}) & E(X_{n2}) & \cdots & E(X_{np}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E(\mathbf{X} + \mathbf{Y}) = E(\mathbf{X}) + E(\mathbf{Y})$$
$$E(\mathbf{AXB}) = \mathbf{A}E(\mathbf{X})\mathbf{B}$$

Covariance Matrix

$$\Sigma = E(\mathbf{X} - \boldsymbol{\mu})(\mathbf{X} - \boldsymbol{\mu})'$$

$$\Sigma = \text{Cov}(\mathbf{X}) = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{11} & \sigma_{12} & \cdots & \sigma_{1p} \\ \sigma_{21} & \sigma_{22} & \cdots & \sigma_{2p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \sigma_{p1} & \sigma_{p2} & \cdots & \sigma_{pp} \end{bmatrix}$$

Correlation Matrix, ρ

$$\mathbf{V}^{1/2} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{\sigma_{11}} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{\sigma_{22}} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & \sqrt{\sigma_{pp}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\rho} = (\mathbf{V}^{1/2})^{-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma} (\mathbf{V}^{1/2})^{-1}$$

$$\mathbf{V}^{1/2} \boldsymbol{\rho} \mathbf{V}^{1/2} = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}$$