

EE16B

Designing Information Devices and Systems II

Lecture 9B
Geometry of SVD, PCA

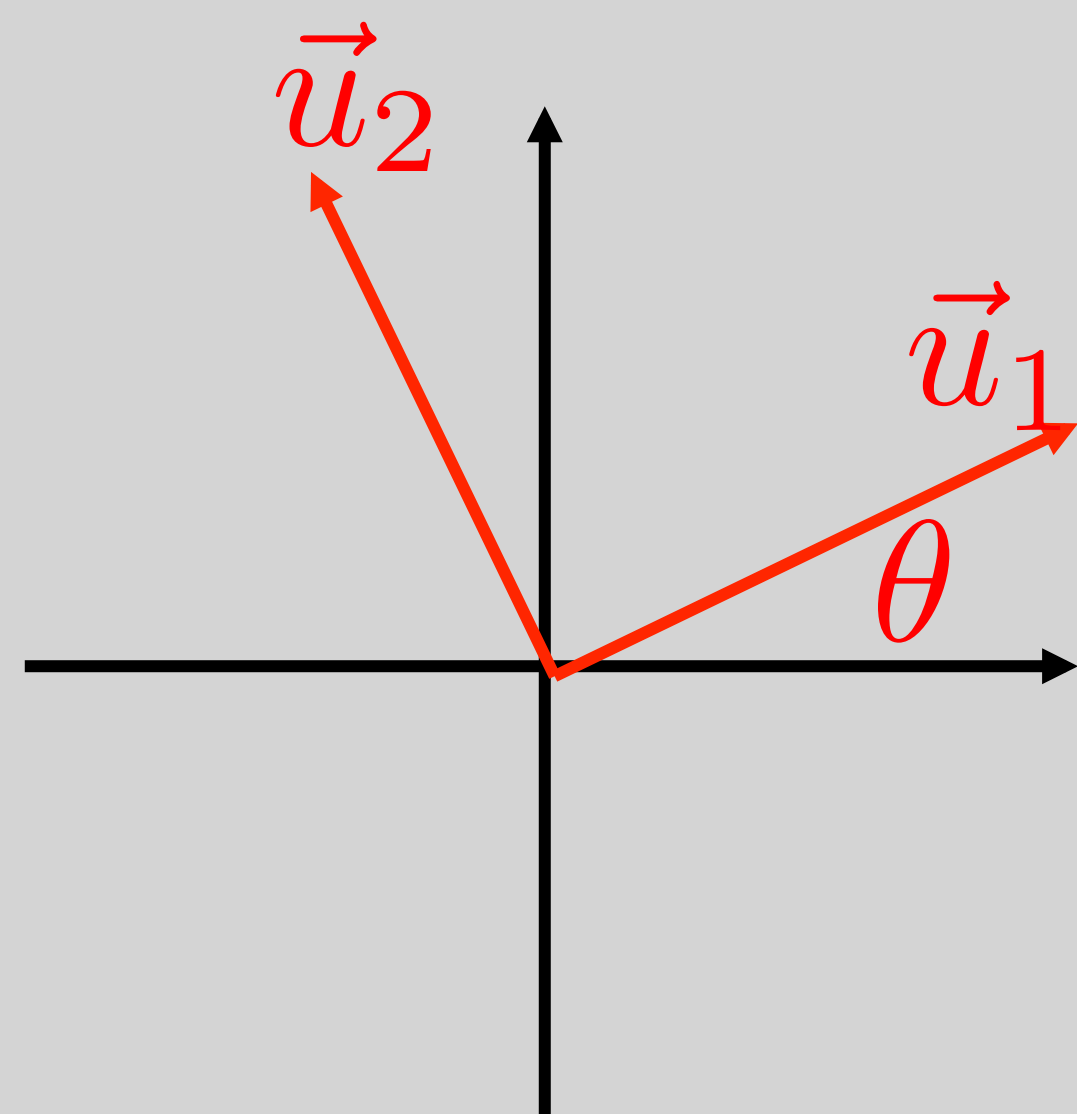
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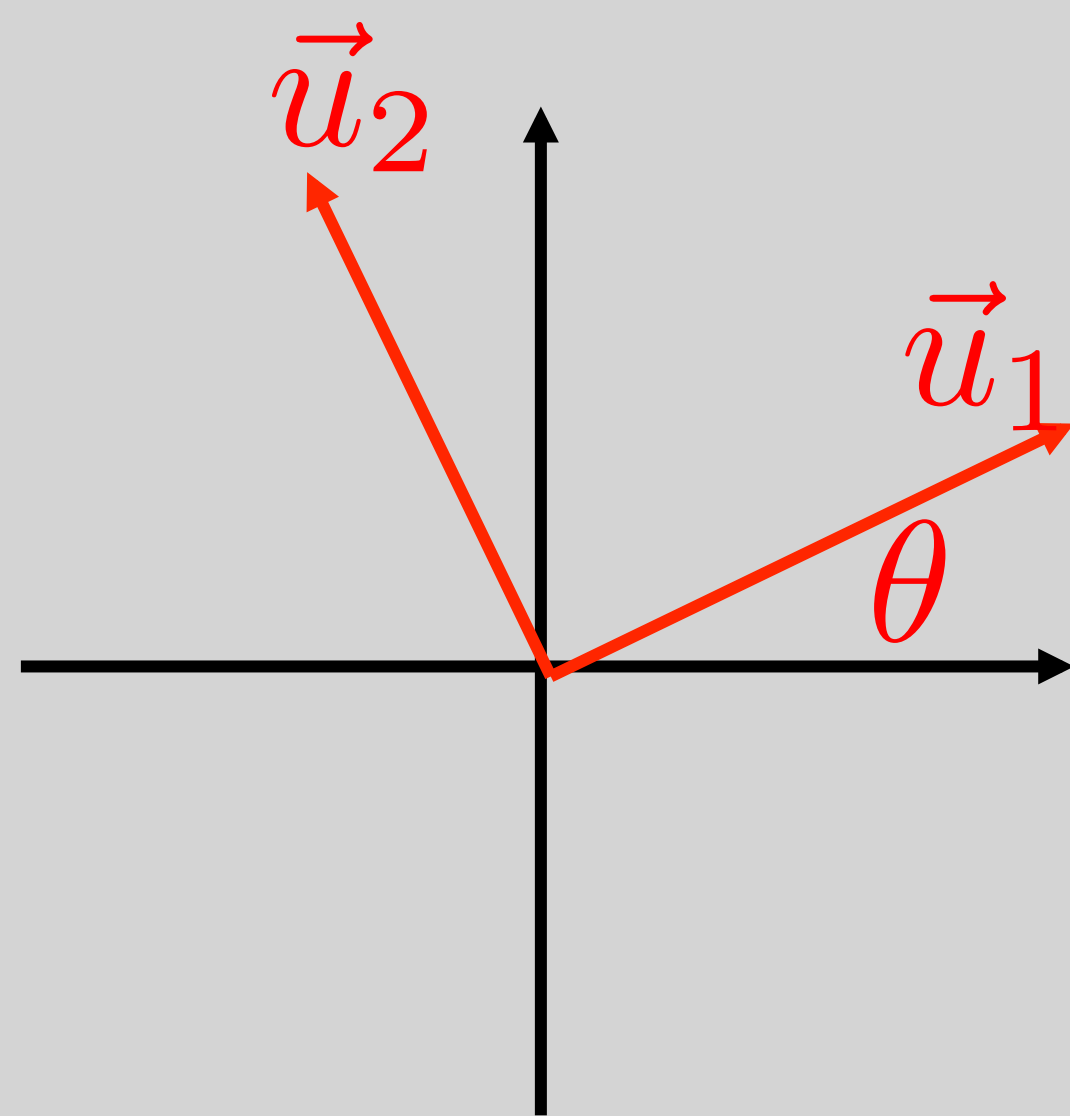
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$$\vec{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sigma_1} A^T \vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta \\ -\sin \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

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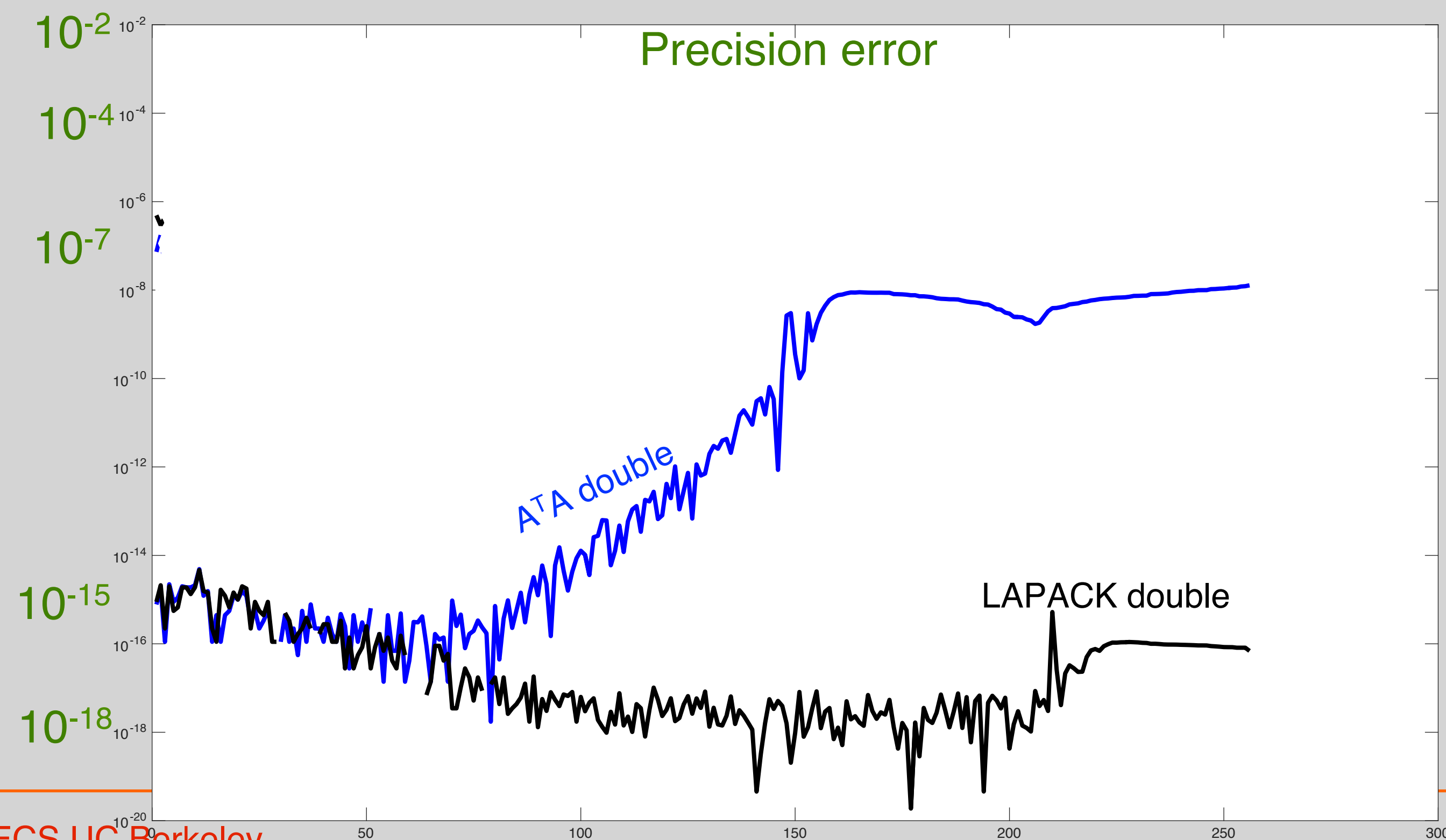
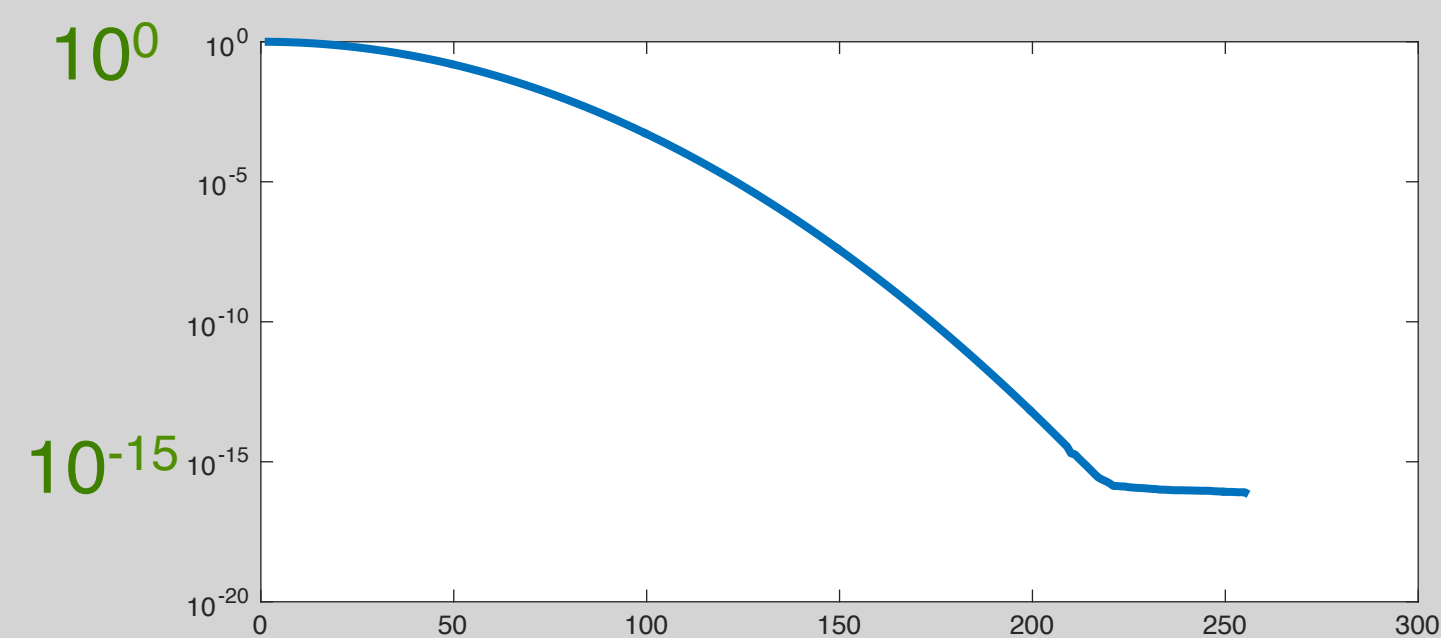
$$A = \sigma_1 \vec{u}_1 \vec{v}_1^T + \sigma_2 \vec{u}_2 \vec{v}_2^T$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \theta & -\sin \theta \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \cos \theta & -\sin^2 \theta \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \sin^2 \theta & \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ -\sin \theta \cos \theta & -\cos^2 \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

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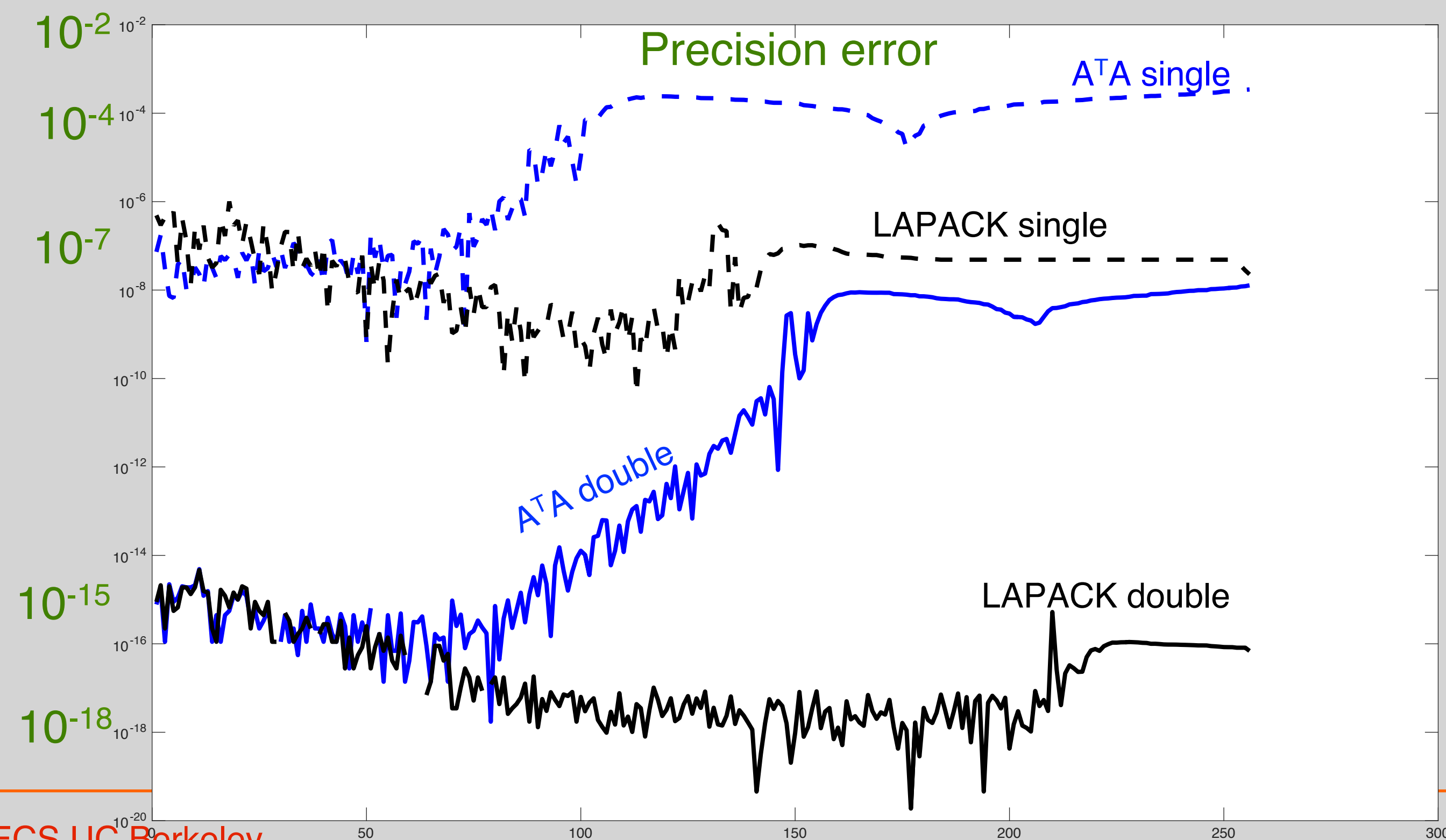
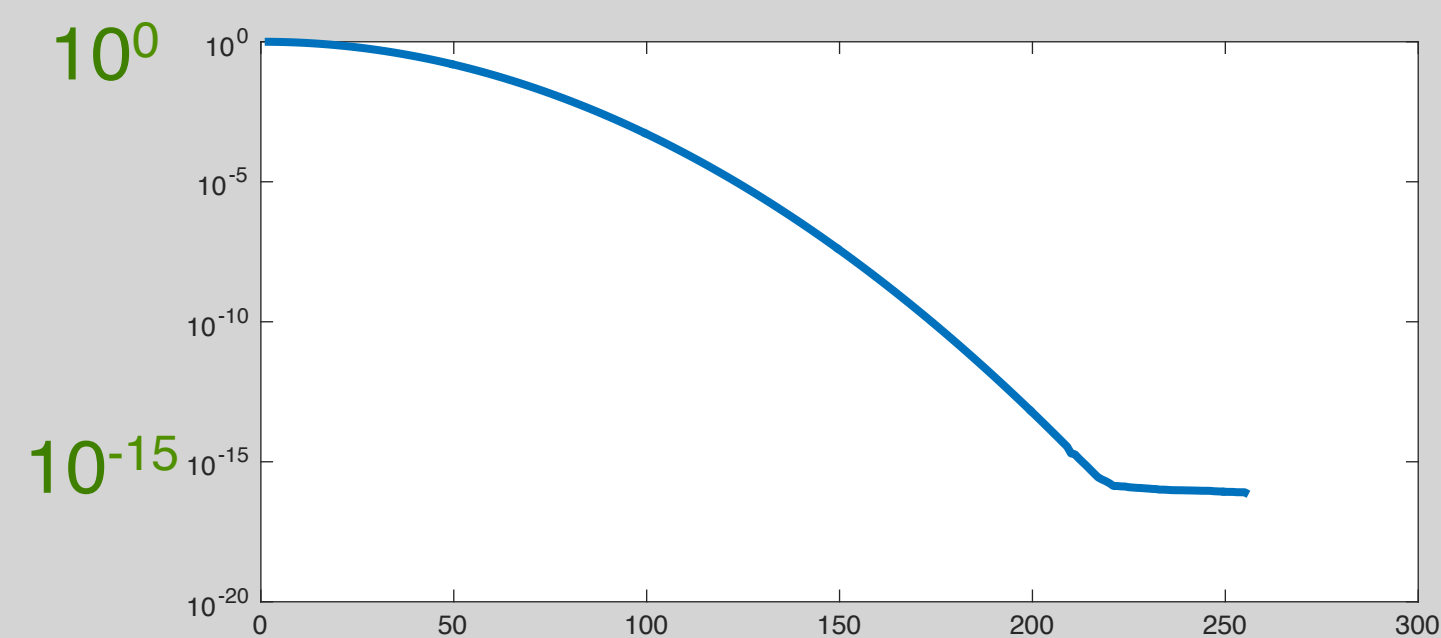
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Full Matrix Form of SVD

$$U_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{u}_1 & \vec{u}_2 & \cdots & \vec{u}_r \end{bmatrix} \quad S = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \sigma_r \end{bmatrix} \quad V_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v}_1 & \vec{v}_2 & \cdots & \vec{v}_r \end{bmatrix}$$

$m \times r$ $r \times r$ $n \times r$

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} U_1 & U_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} S & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad V = \begin{bmatrix} V_1 & V_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$m \times m$ $m \times n$ $n \times n$

$$A = U\Sigma V^T \quad \begin{aligned} U^T U &= I_{m \times m} \\ V^T V &= I_{n \times n} \end{aligned}$$

Unitary Matrices

Multiplying with unitary matrices does not change the length

$$\|U\vec{x}\| = \sqrt{(U\vec{x})^T (U\vec{x})} = \sqrt{\vec{x}^T U^T U \vec{x}} = \sqrt{\vec{x}^T \vec{x}} = \|\vec{x}\|$$

Example: Rotation, or reflection matrices

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

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Geometric Interpretation

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

$$A\vec{x} = U\Sigma V^T \vec{x}$$

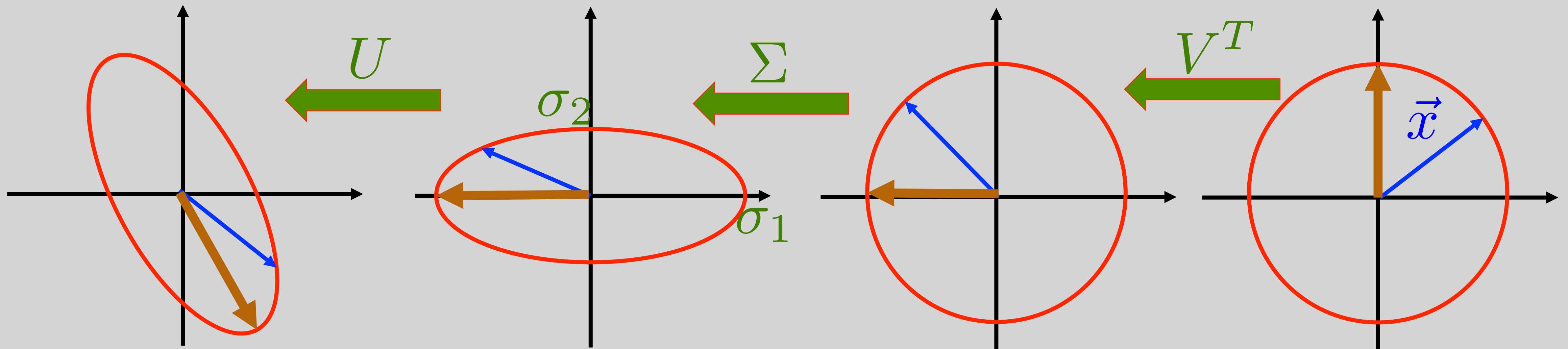
- 1) $V^T \vec{x}$ re-orientes \vec{x} without changing length.
- 2) $\Sigma(V^T \vec{x})$ Stretches along the axis with singular values

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 x_1 \\ \sigma_2 x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 3) $U(\Sigma V^T \vec{x})$ re-orientes again without changing length

Geometric Interpretation

$$A\vec{x}$$



$$\|A\vec{x}\| \leq \sigma_1 \|\vec{x}\|$$

Q: What vector would amplify the most?

Symmetric Matrices

We assumed before that,

$A^T A$ has only real eigenvalues, r of them are positive and the rest are zero

$A^T A$ has orthonormal eigenvectors (to be proven next time)

For symmetric matrices: $Q^T = Q$

$$(AB)^T = B^T A^T$$

$$(A^T A)^T = A^T A$$

$$(AA^T)^T = AA^T$$

Properties of Symmetric Matrices

1) A real-valued symmetric matrix has real eigenvalues and eigenvectors

$$Qx = \lambda x \quad \lambda = a + ib \quad \bar{\lambda} = a - ib$$

Somehow we need to use the symmetric and real-ness property of Q to show that $b=0$

$$Q\bar{x} = \bar{\lambda}\bar{x}$$

$$\bar{x}^T Q = \bar{\lambda}\bar{x}^T$$

$$\bar{x}^T Qx = \bar{\lambda}\bar{x}^T x$$

$$\bar{x}^T Qx = \lambda\bar{x}^T x$$

$$\bar{\lambda}\bar{x}^T x = \lambda\bar{x}^T x \quad \Rightarrow \quad \lambda = \bar{\lambda} \Rightarrow \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$$

Properties of Symmetric Matrices

$$Qx = \lambda x$$

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


real

So x is real as well

Properties of Symmetric Matrices

2) Eigenvectors of a symmetric matrix can be chosen to be orthonormal

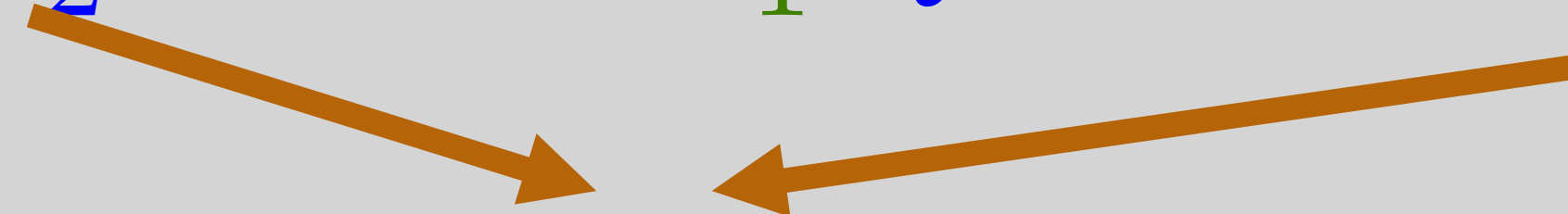
Choose two distinct eigenvalues and vectors $\lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$

$$Qx_1 = \lambda_1 x_1$$

$$Qx_2 = \lambda_2 x_2$$

$$x_2^T Qx_1 = \lambda_1 x_2^T x_1$$

$$x_1^T Qx_2 = \lambda_2 x_1^T x_2$$


$$(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)x_2^T x_1 = 0$$

Positiveness of Eigenvalues

3) If Q can be written as $Q = R^T R$ for real R , then Q is positive semidefinite – eigenvalues greater or equal to zero

$$Qx = \lambda x$$

$$R^T R x = \lambda x$$

$$x^T R^T R x = \lambda x^T x$$

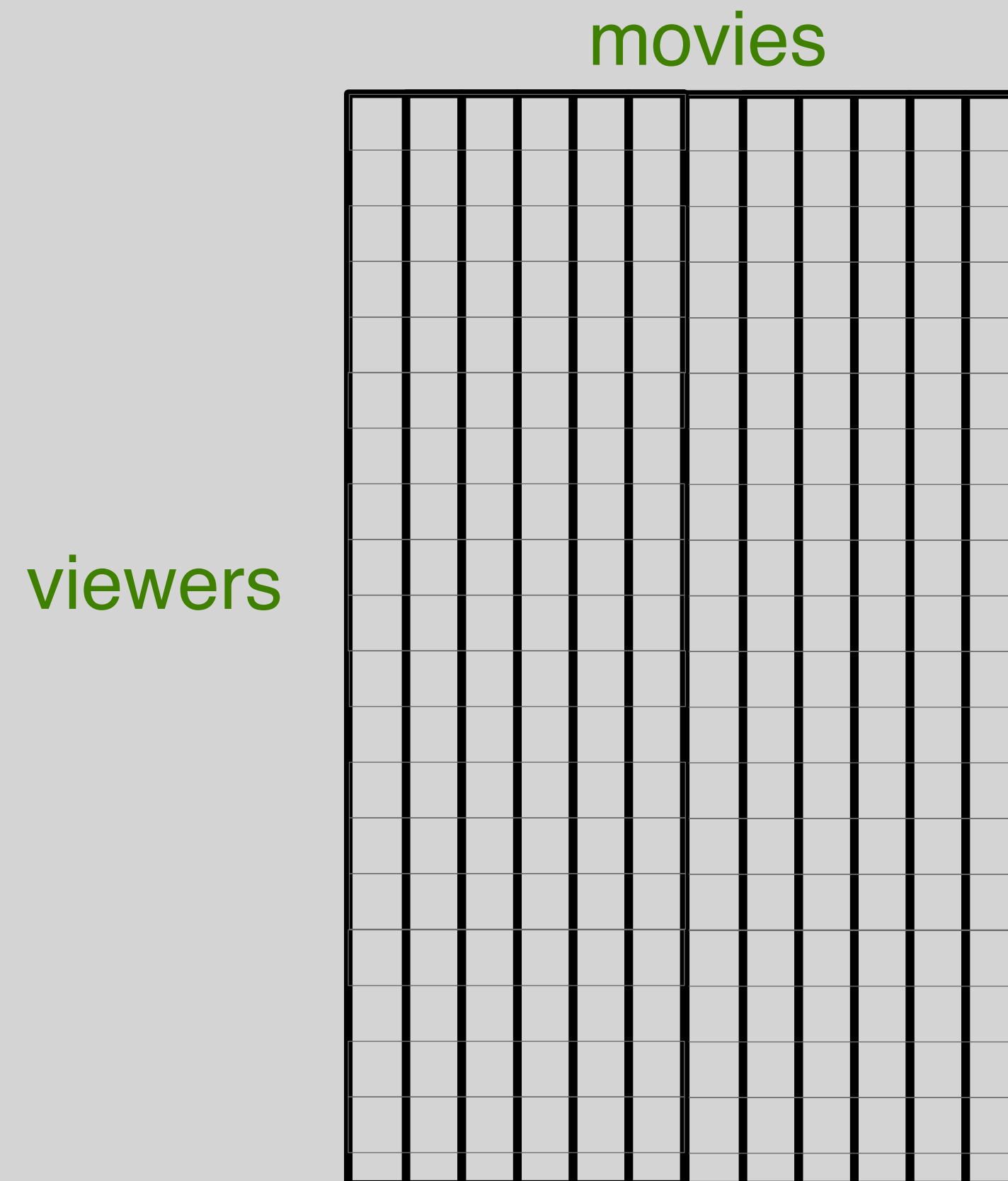
$$(Rx)^T (Rx) = \lambda x^T x$$

$$\|Rx\|^2 = \lambda \|x\|^2 \Rightarrow \lambda \geq 0$$

Principal Component Analysis

Application of the SVD to datasets to learn features

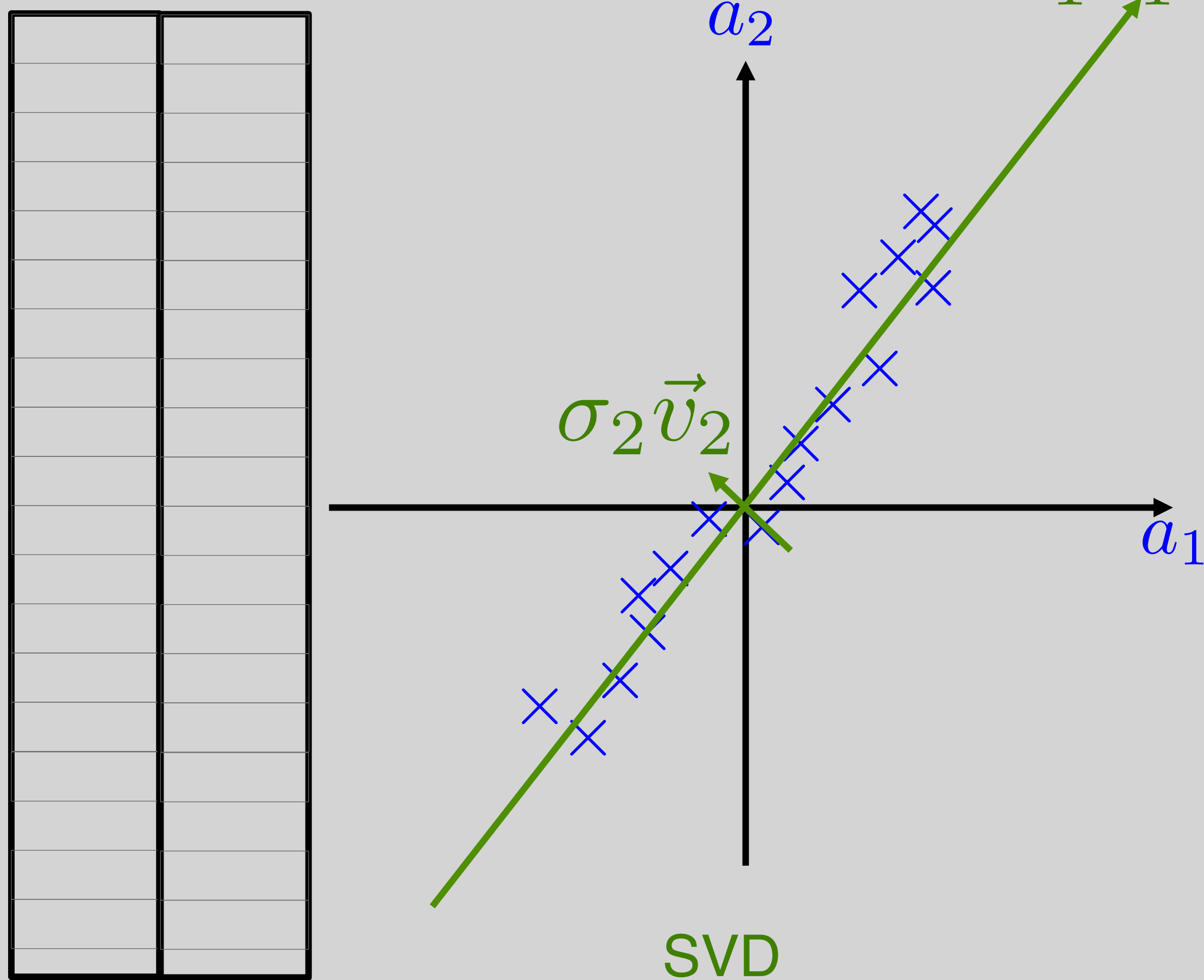
PCA is a tool in statistics and machine learning, which can be computed using SVD



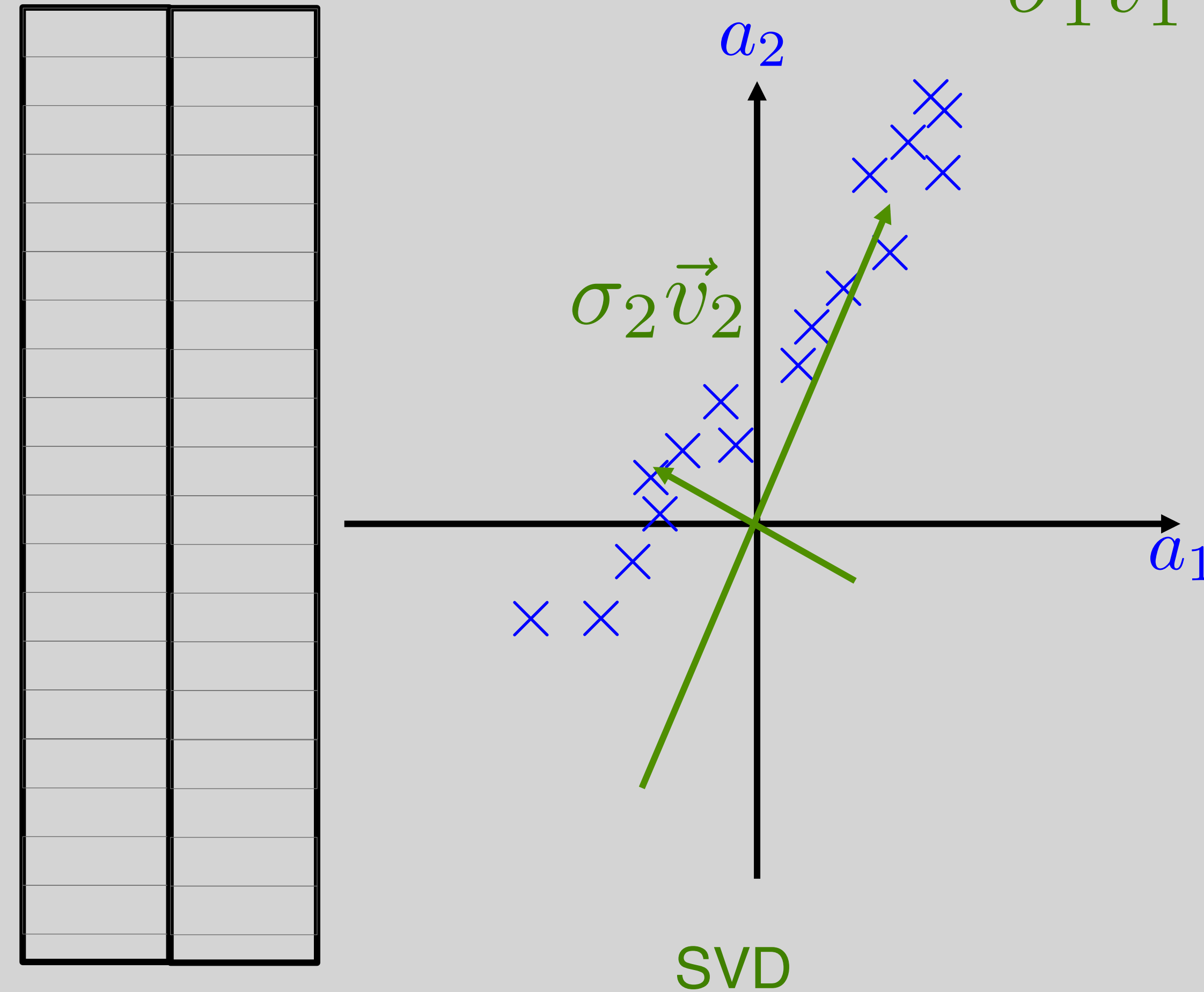
Example -- PCA

Consider data s.t.

$$\vec{a}_1 \quad \vec{a}_2 \approx 3\vec{a}_1$$



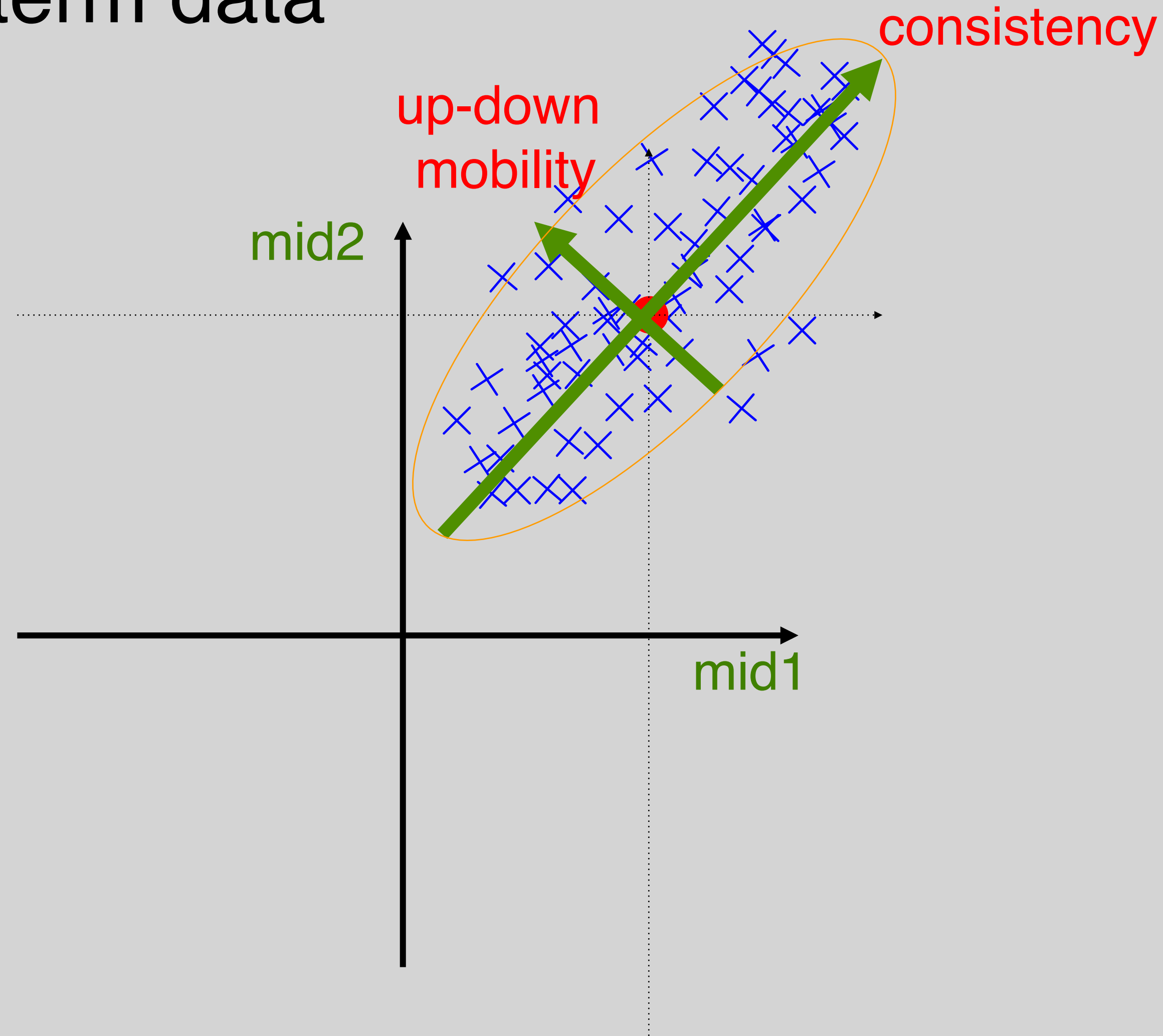
$$\vec{a}_1 \quad \vec{a}_2 \approx 3\vec{a}_1 + 1$$



Example -- PCA

Consider midterm data

	mid1	mid2
students		

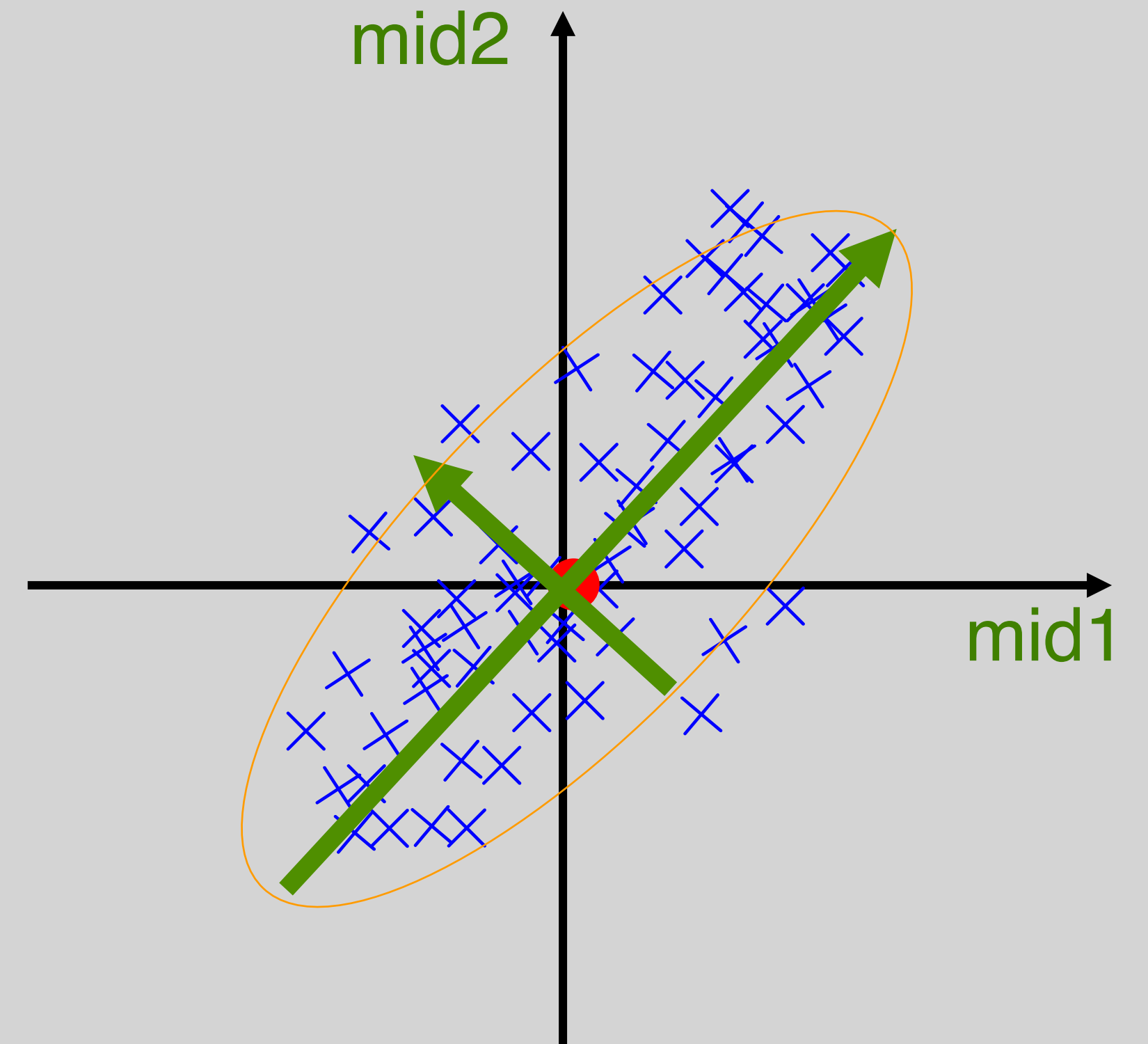
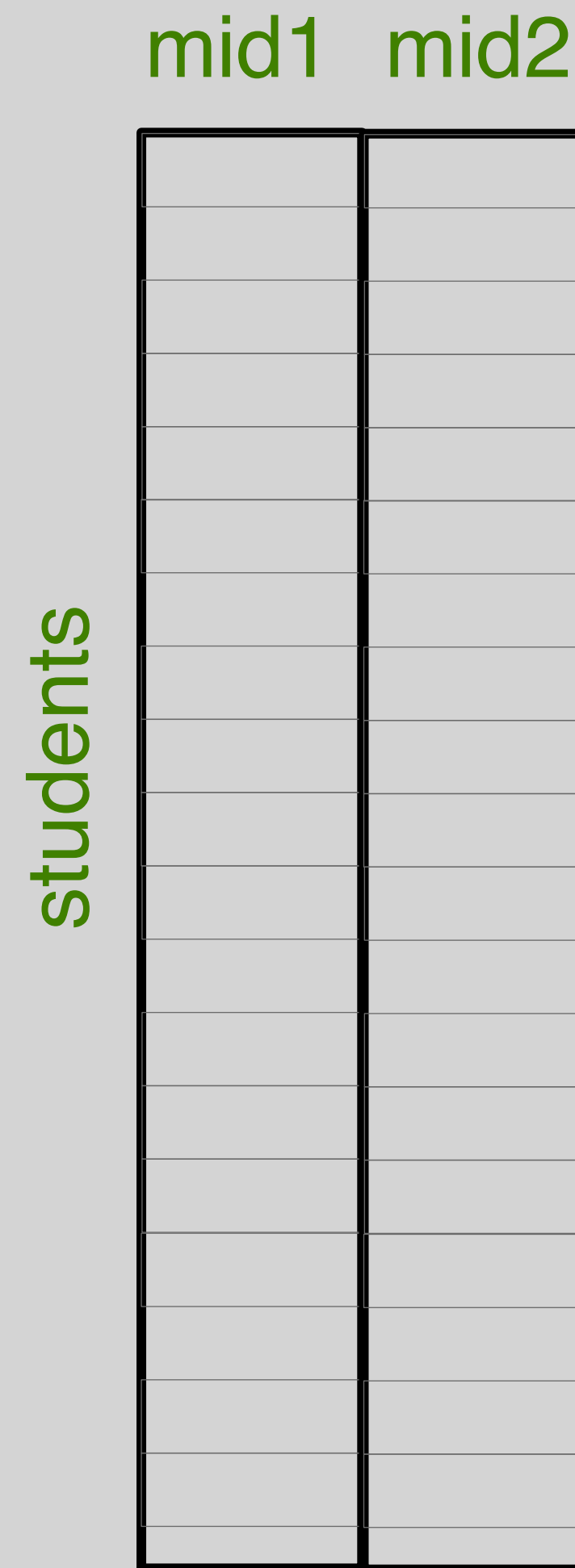


PCA Procedure

Remove averages from column of A

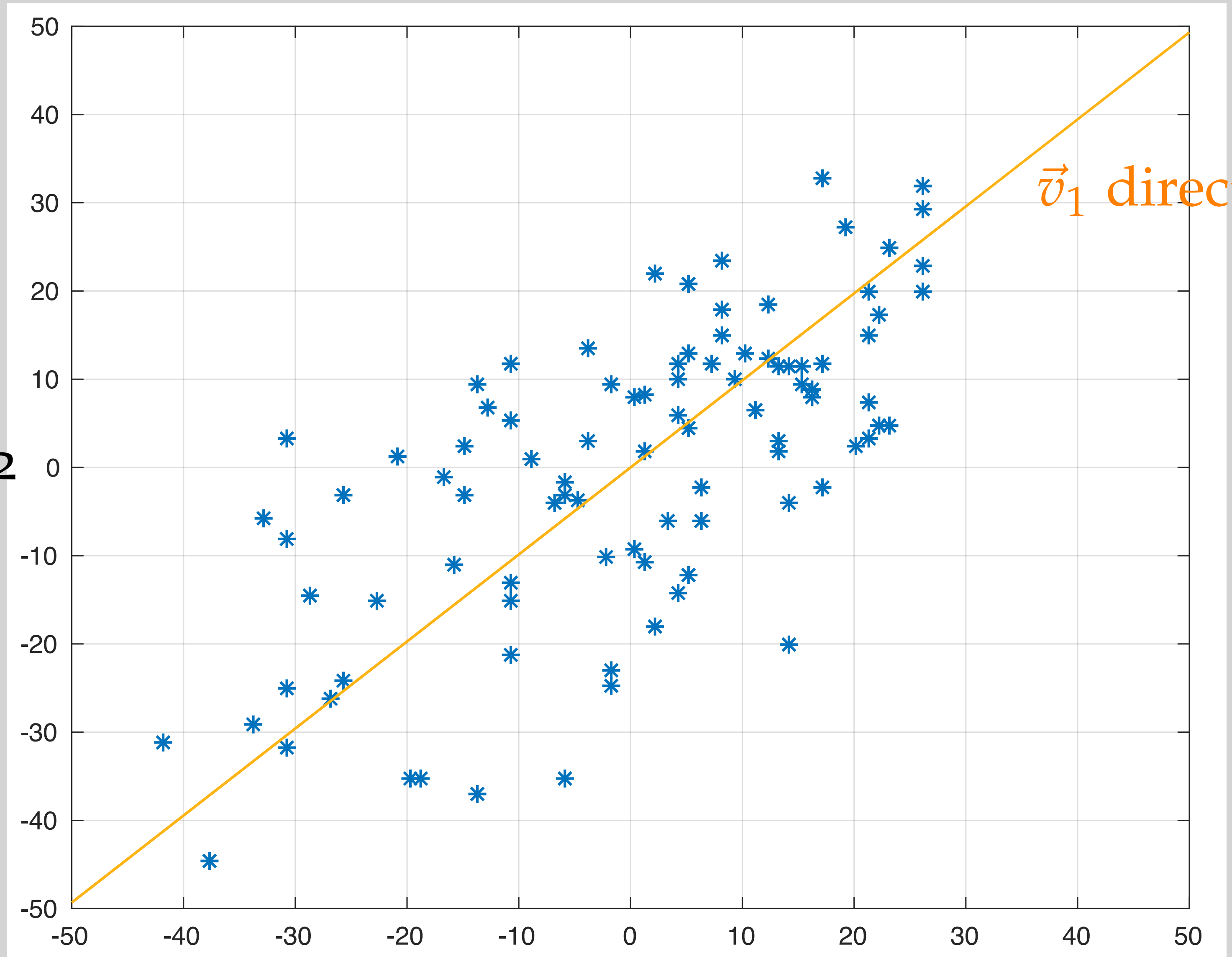
From $A^T A$, find σ_i , \vec{v}_i

\vec{v}_i are principal components!



Example midterm

Midterm 2



$$\frac{1}{93} A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 297.69 & 202.53 \\ 202.53 & 292.07 \end{bmatrix}$$

Midterm 1

PCA in Genetics Reveals Geography

Genes mirror geography within Europe
Nature **456**, 98-101 (6 November 2008)

Study:

Characterized genetic variations in 3,000 Europeans from 36 Countries

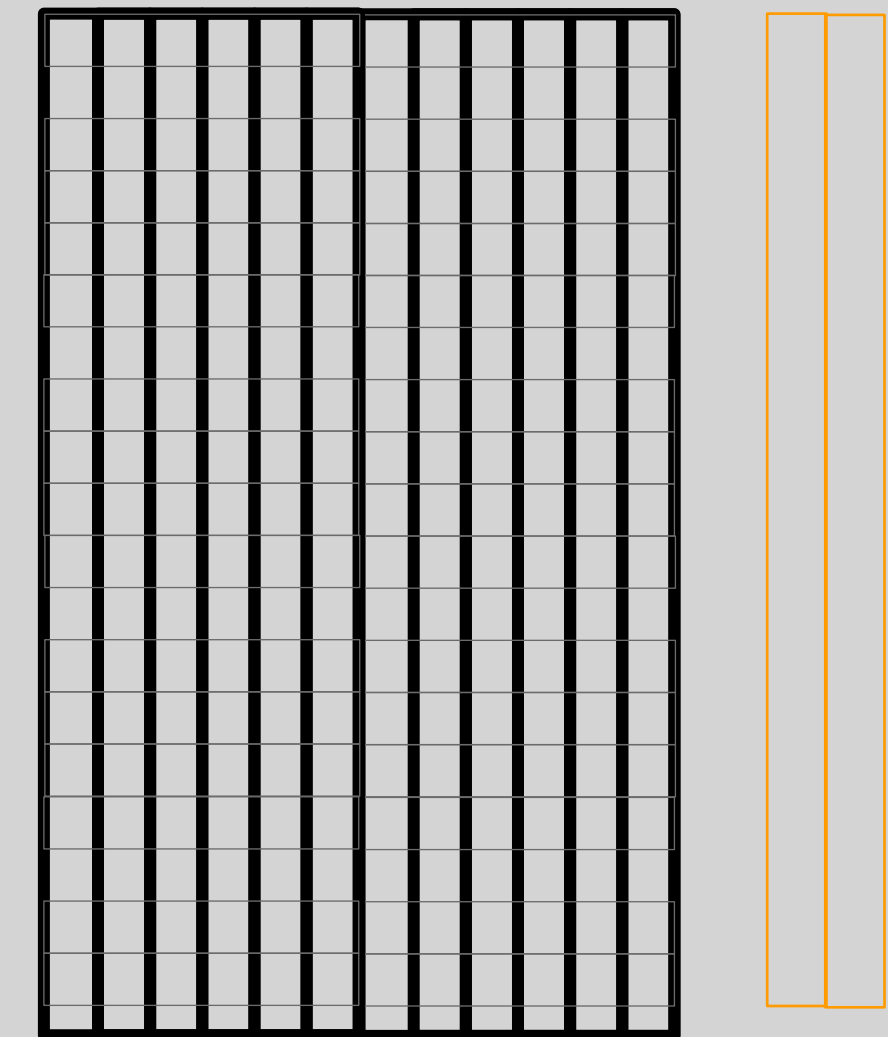
Built a matrix of 200K SNPs (single nucleotide polymorphisms)

Computed largest 2 principle components

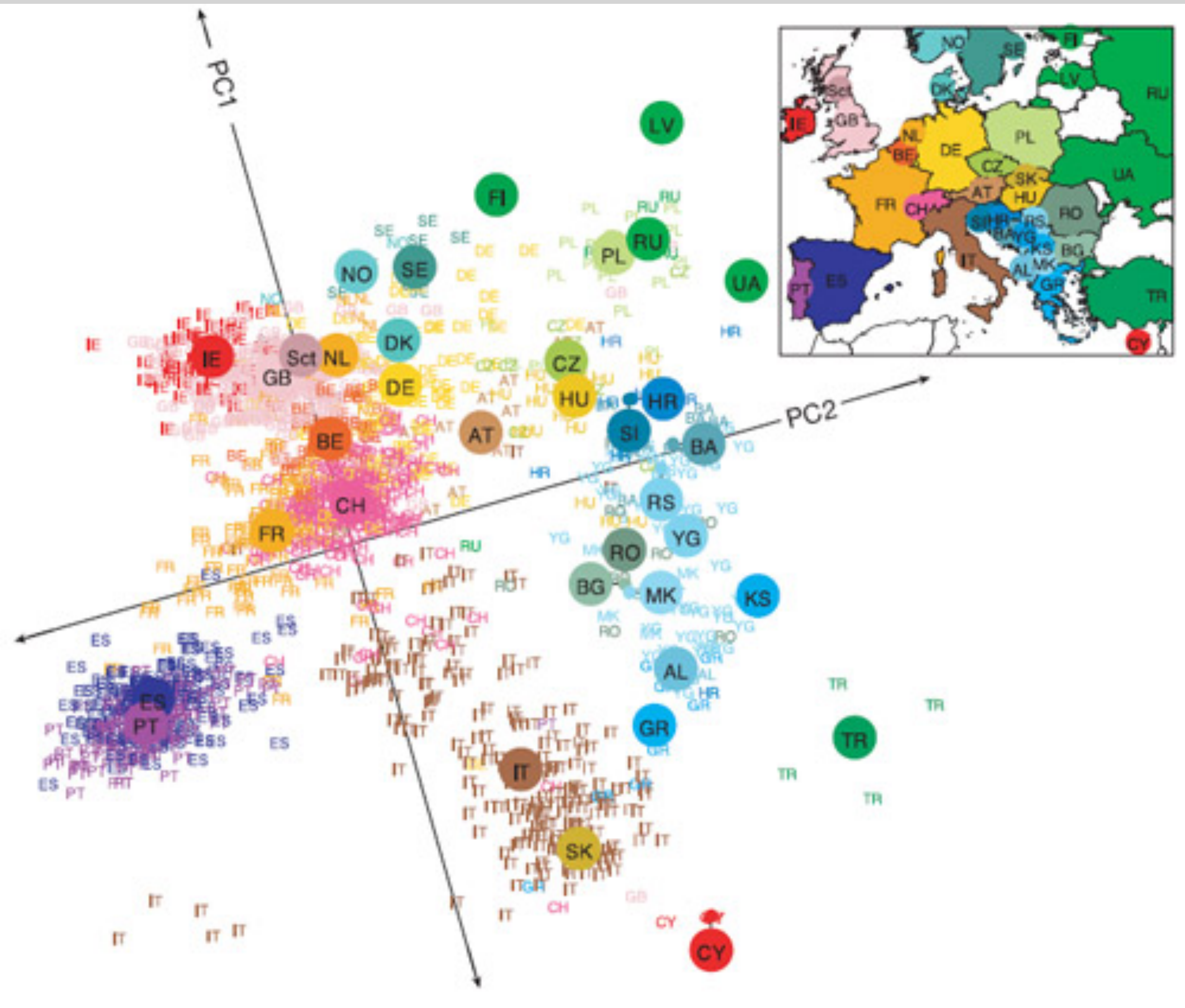
Projected subjects on 2 dimensional data

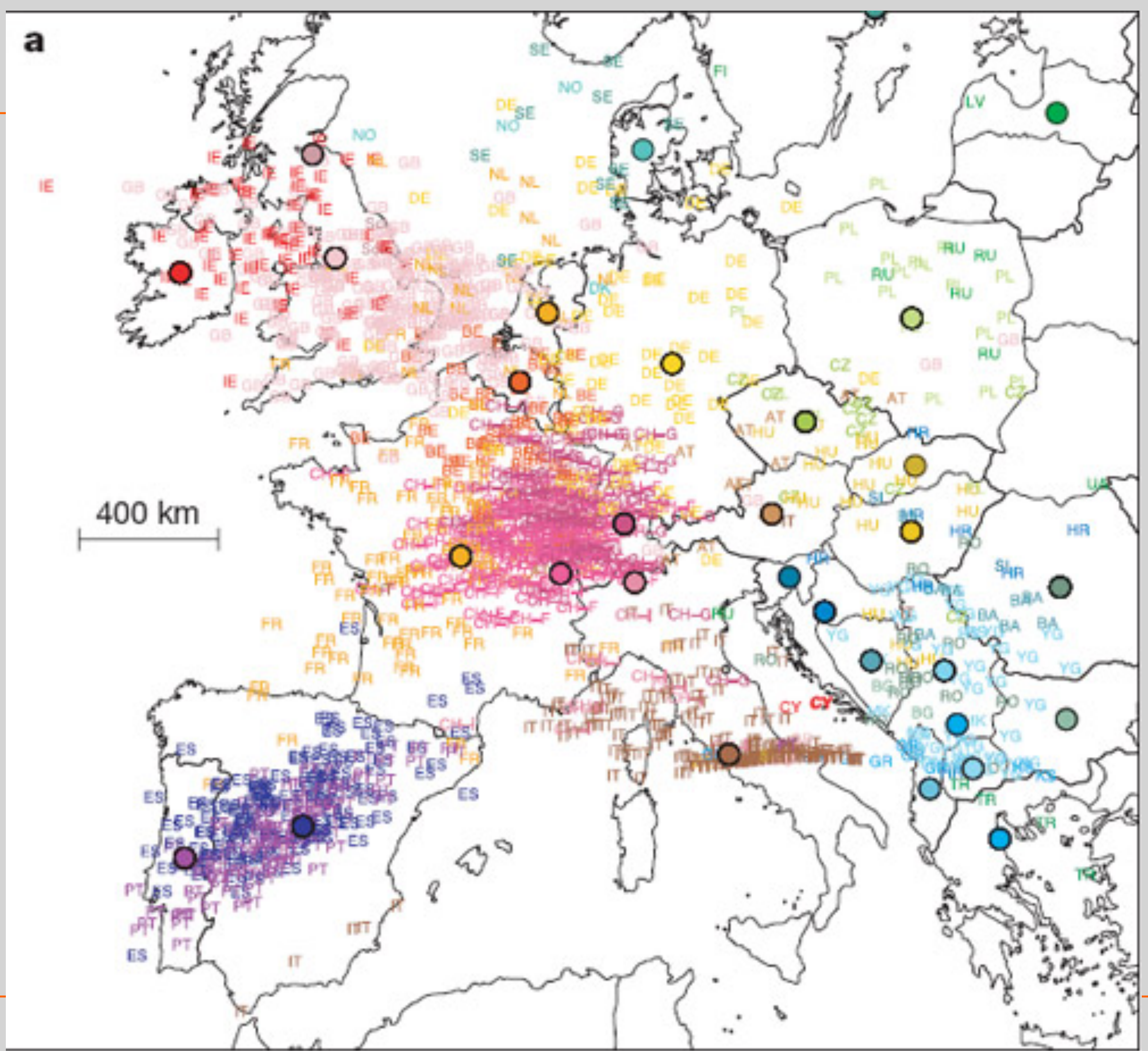
$$A\vec{v}_1 \quad A\vec{v}_2$$

Overlaid the result on the map of Europe



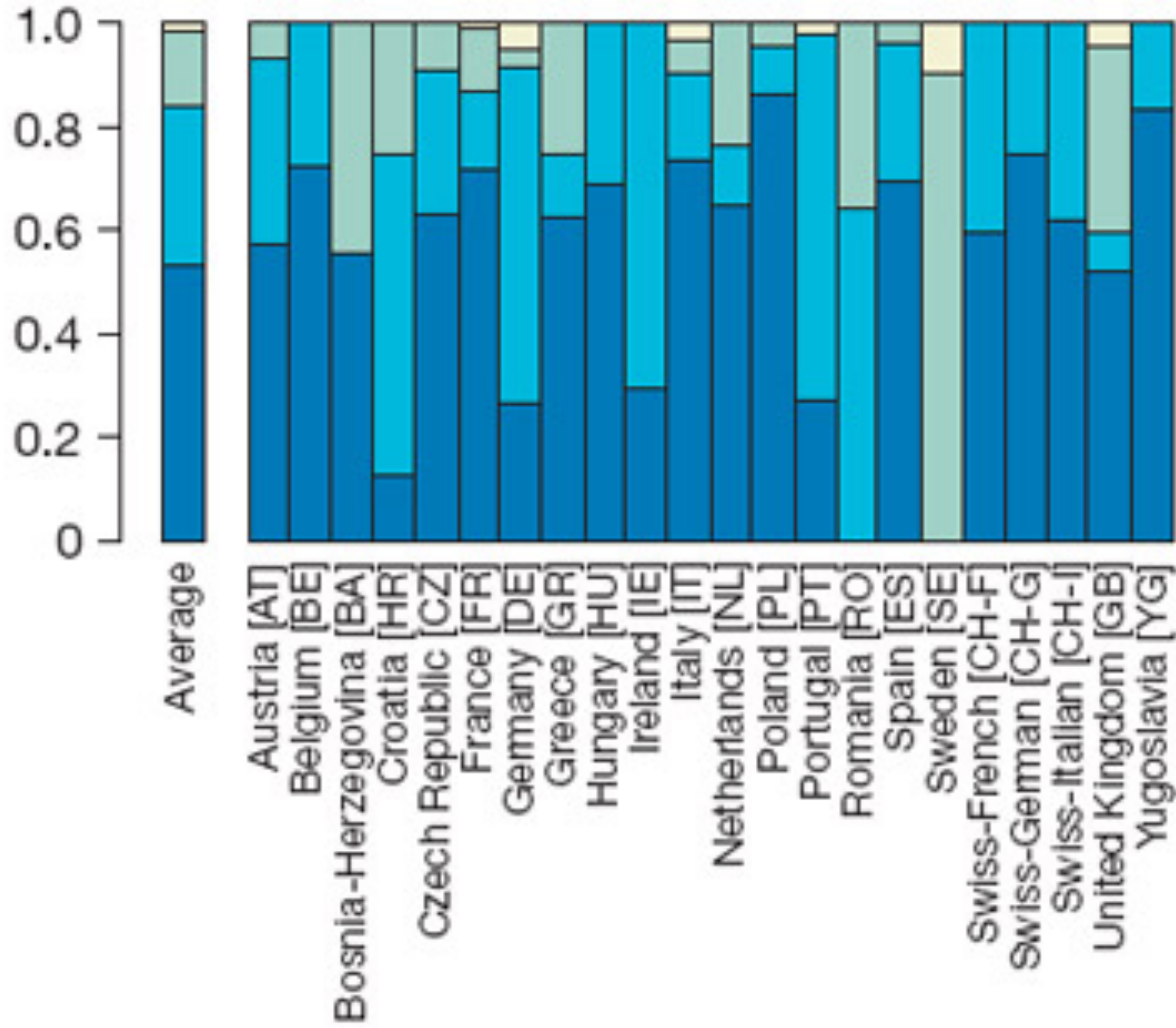
PC1 could be associated with food
PC2 associated with west migration



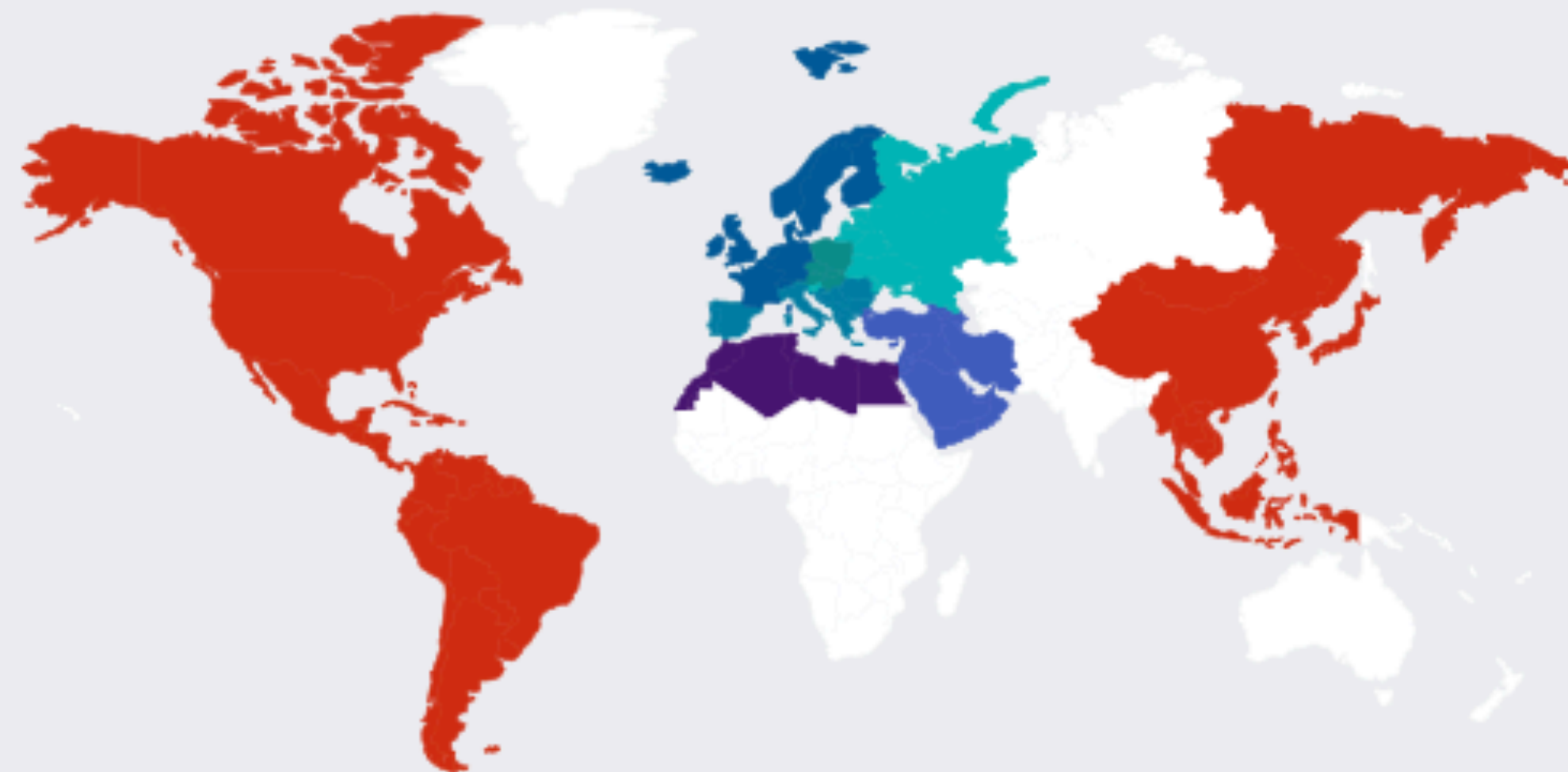
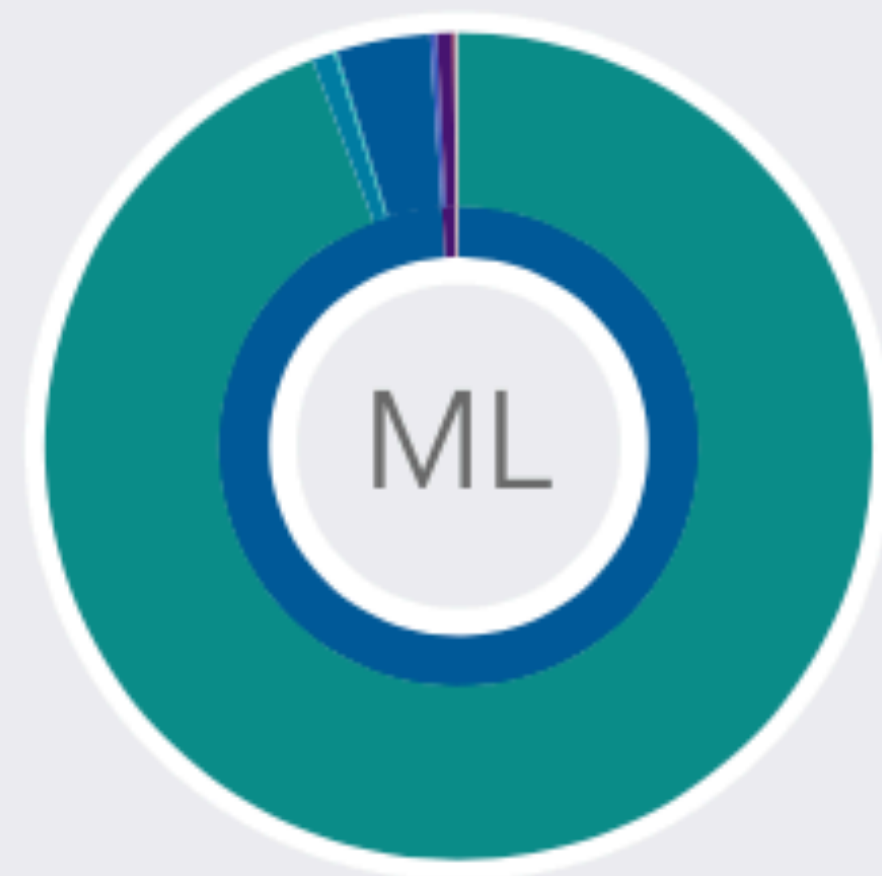


Prediction accuracy

- 1,200–2,500 km
- 800–1,200 km
- 400–800 km
- 0–400 km



23 and me



Michael Lustig	100%
● European	98.9%
● Middle Eastern & North African	0.9%
● East Asian & Native American	< 0.1%
● Unassigned	0.2%