

l_1 Approaches to PCA and ICA

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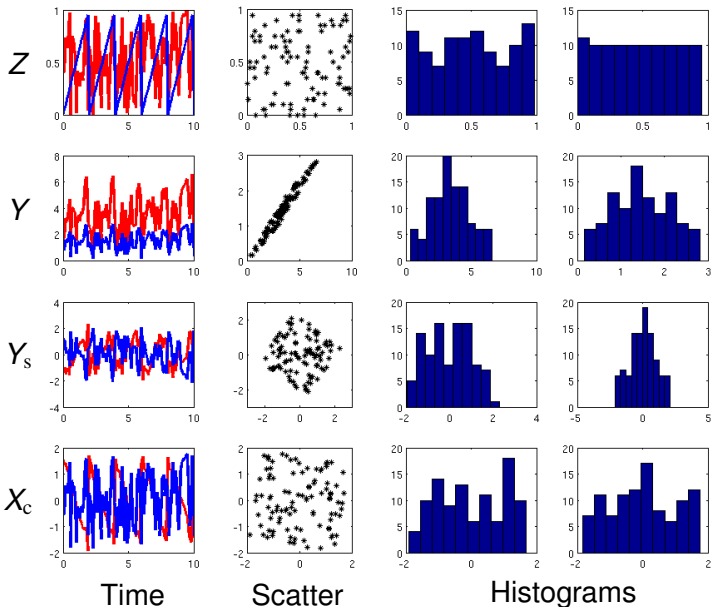
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Sources Z , Measurements Y , sphered Y_s , separated X_c



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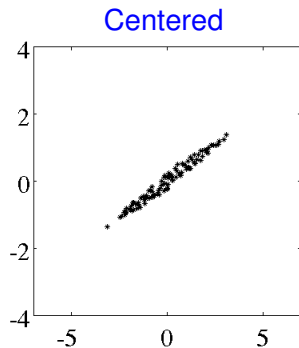
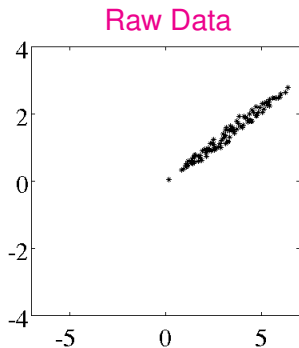
- ▶ Goal is to **undo** the trend toward **Gaußianity** to recover the sources

$$X = WY$$

with $W = U\Lambda^{-\frac{1}{2}}V^T \approx A^{-1}$ but unavoidable ambiguities.

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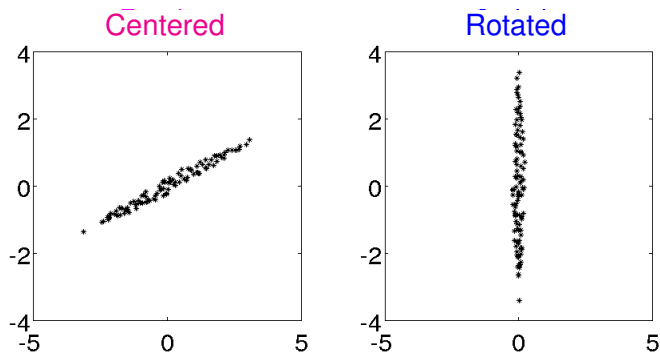
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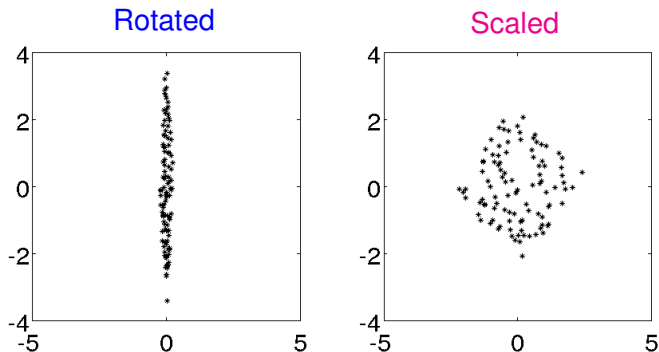


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$$\mathbf{V}^T \mathbf{K} \mathbf{V} = \Lambda, \quad \mathbf{V}^T \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{I}, \quad \Lambda = \text{diag}\{\lambda_1, \lambda_2\}, \quad \mathbf{Y}_r = \mathbf{V}^T \mathbf{Y}_c$$

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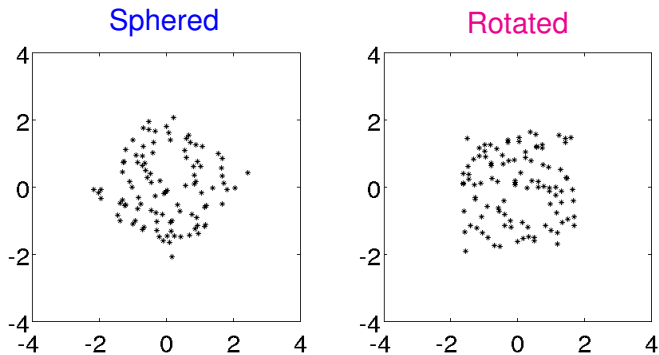


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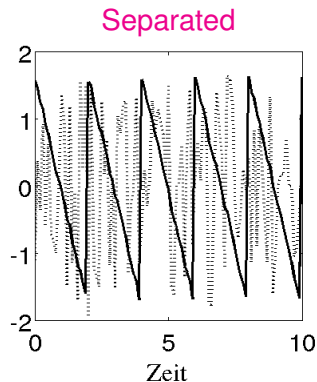
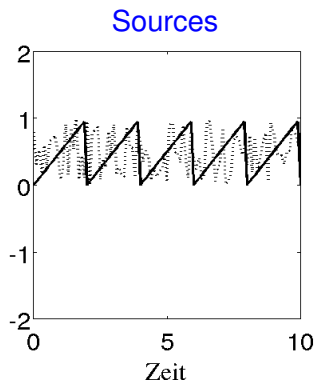
where

$$X_c = UY_s, \quad U = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & \sin(\theta) \\ -\sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}, \quad U^T U = I$$

and θ minimizes the *Gaussianity*...

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- The result:



With unavoidable ambiguities,

$$X_c = U\Lambda^{-\frac{1}{2}}V^T Y_c \approx Z, \quad \bar{X}_c = \langle 0, 0 \rangle^T, \quad \frac{1}{n} X_c X_c^T = I$$

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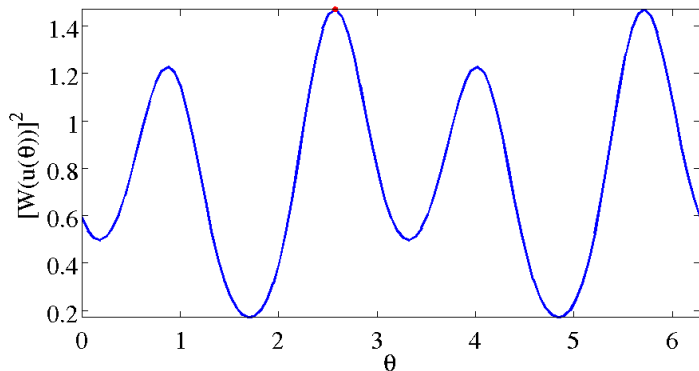
$$\theta^* = \underset{\theta \in [0, 2\pi]}{\operatorname{argmax}} [\mathcal{K}(\mathbf{x}(\theta))]^2$$

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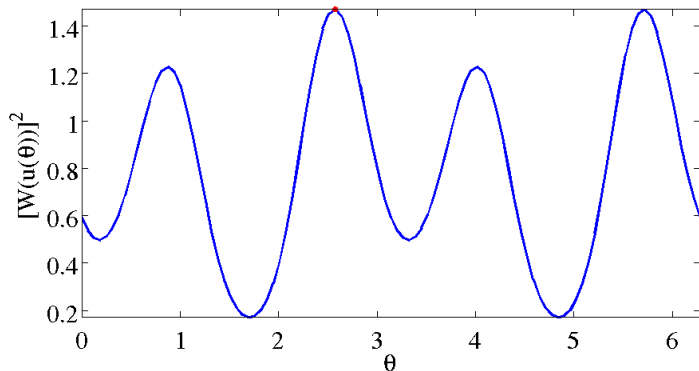


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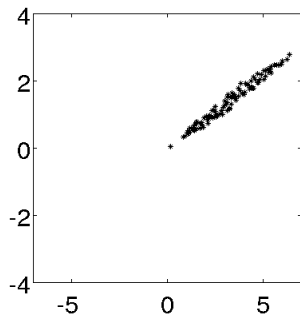
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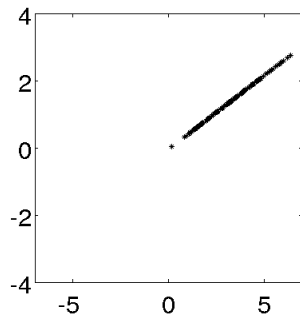
Factor Analysis

The data can be compressed,

Raw Data



Compressed



when the components with small λ_i are set to zero:

$$\Lambda = \text{diag}\{\lambda_1, \lambda_2\}, \quad \lambda_1 \ll \lambda_2, \quad P = \text{diag}\{0, 1\}$$

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With $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{r \times m}$, $r < m$, $Q_{i,j} = \delta_{q_i,j}$, the data Y are so projected to the **r independent components** $\{q_1, \dots, q_r\}$,

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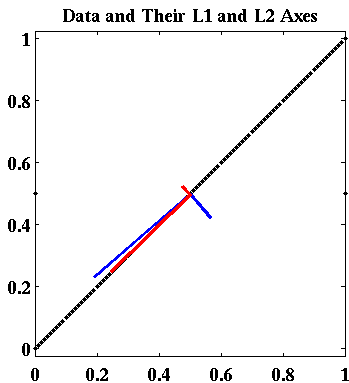
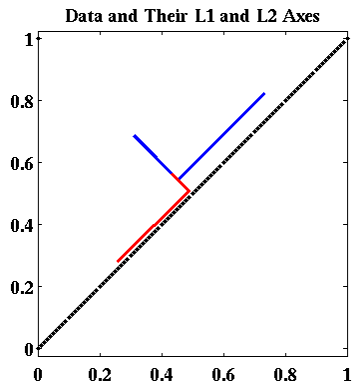
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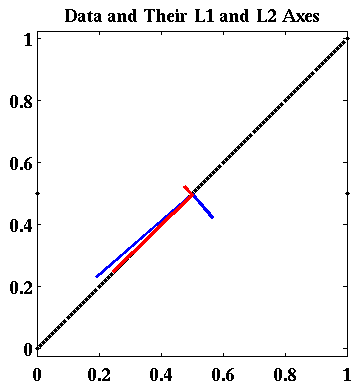
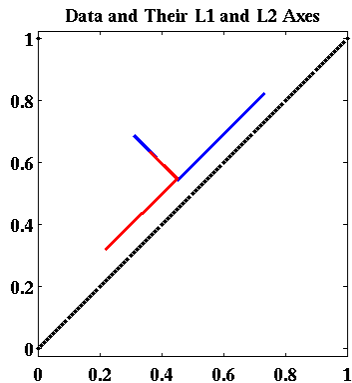
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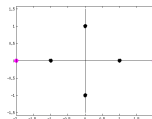


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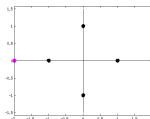


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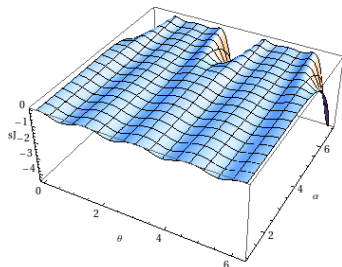
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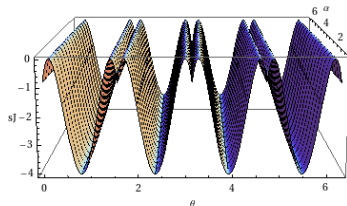
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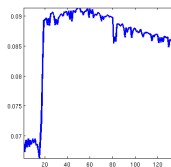
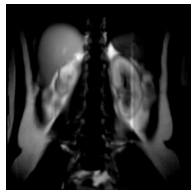
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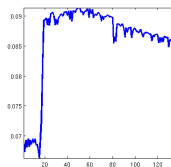
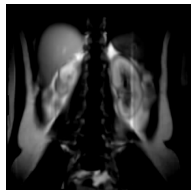
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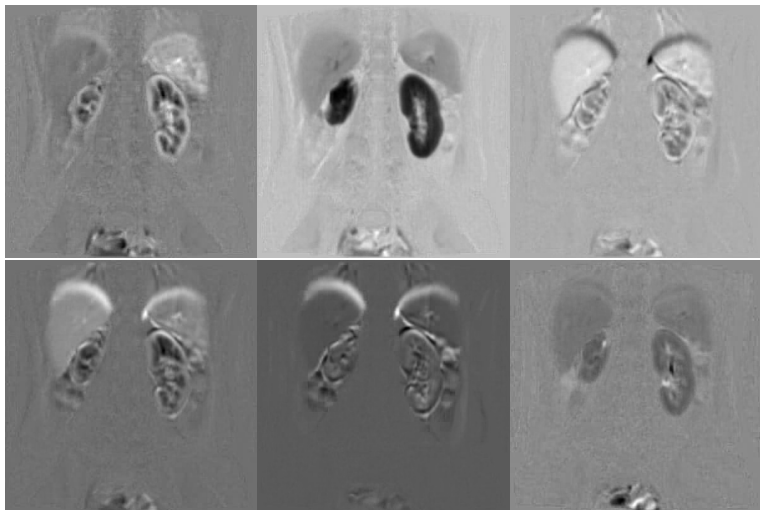


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Compressed to 10 principal components: [\[Video\]](#)

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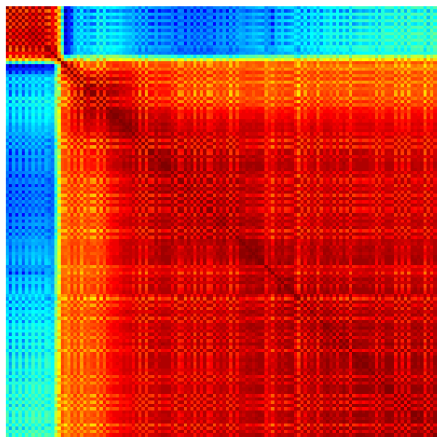
The 6 most significant independent components:



Separate intensity changes due to motion or contrast agent and eliminate motion: [\[Video\]](#)

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Virtual Gating, through segmentation of correlations:



Three groups [\[Video\]](#), stabilized further by PCA/ICA [\[Video\]](#).

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