# **Sparse Decomposition Documentation**

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Implements algorithms from 'A New Basis for Sparse PCA'.

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# **NOTE**

• Implementations are a work in progress

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### **FEATURES**

- A sparse PCA (principal component analysis) algorithm
- A sparse matrix approximation algorithm

#### 2.1 Contents:

#### 2.1.1 Installation

At the command line either via easy\_install or pip:

```
$ easy_install sparse_decomposition
$ pip install sparse_decomposition
```

#### Or, if you have virtualenvwrapper installed:

```
$ mkvirtualenv sparse_decomposition
$ pip install sparse_decomposition
```

#### 2.1.2 **Usage**

To use Sparse Decomposition in a project:

```
import sparse_decomposition
```

#### 2.1.3 Reference

#### **Decomposition**

```
class sparse_decomposition.decomposition.SparseComponentAnalysis (n\_components=2, gamma=None, max\_iter=10, scale=False, cen-ter=False, tol=0.0001, verbose=0)
```

```
class sparse_decomposition.decomposition.SparseMatrixApproximation (n\_components=2, gamma=None, max\_iter=10, scale=False, cen-ter=False, tol=0.0001, ver-bose=0)
```

#### **Utils**

#### 2.1.4 Contributing

Contributions are welcome, and they are greatly appreciated! Every little bit helps, and credit will always be given. You can contribute in many ways:

#### **Types of Contributions**

#### **Report Bugs**

Report bugs at https://github.com/bdpedigo/sparse\_decomposition/issues.

If you are reporting a bug, please include:

- Your operating system name and version.
- Any details about your local setup that might be helpful in troubleshooting.
- Detailed steps to reproduce the bug.

#### **Fix Bugs**

Look through the GitHub issues for bugs. Anything tagged with "bug" is open to whoever wants to implement it.

#### **Implement Features**

Look through the GitHub issues for features. Anything tagged with "feature" is open to whoever wants to implement it.

#### **Write Documentation**

sparse\_decomposition could always use more documentation, whether as part of the official sparse\_decomposition docs, in docstrings, or even on the web in blog posts, articles, and such.

#### **Submit Feedback**

The best way to send feedback is to file an issue at https://github.com/bdpedigo/sparse\_decomposition/issues.

If you are proposing a feature:

- Explain in detail how it would work.
- Keep the scope as narrow as possible, to make it easier to implement.
- Remember that this is a volunteer-driven project, and that contributions are welcome:)

#### **Get Started!**

Ready to contribute? Here's how to set up *sparse decomposition* for local development.

- 1. Fork the *sparse\_decomposition* repo on GitHub.
- 2. Clone your fork locally:

```
$ git clone git@github.com:your_name_here/sparse_decomposition.git
```

3. Create a branch for local development:

```
$ git checkout -b name-of-your-bugfix-or-feature
```

Now you can make your changes locally.

4. When you're done making changes, check that your changes pass style and unit tests, including testing other Python versions with tox:

```
$ tox
```

To get tox, just pip install it.

5. Commit your changes and push your branch to GitHub:

```
$ git add .
$ git commit -m "Your detailed description of your changes."
$ git push origin name-of-your-bugfix-or-feature
```

6. Submit a pull request through the GitHub website.

#### **Pull Request Guidelines**

Before you submit a pull request, check that it meets these guidelines:

- 1. The pull request should include tests.
- 2. If the pull request adds functionality, the docs should be updated. Put your new functionality into a function with a docstring, and add the feature to the list in README.rst.
- 3. The pull request should work for Python 2.6, 2.7, and 3.3, and for PyPy. Check https://travis-ci.org/bdpedigo/sparse\_decomposition under pull requests for active pull requests or run the tox command and make sure that the tests pass for all supported Python versions.

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#### **Tips**

To run a subset of tests:

\$ py.test test/test\_sparse\_decomposition.py

#### 2.1.5 Credits

#### **Development Lead**

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#### **Contributors**

None yet. Why not be the first?

### 2.1.6 History

#### 0.1.0 (2020-11-14)

• First release on PyPI.

### 2.2 Feedback

If you encounter any errors or problems with **Sparse Decomposition**, please let me know! Open an Issue at the GitHub http://github.com/bdpedigo/sparse\_decomposition main repository.

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