

State Estimation

01 Intro

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Q1:

Define: $I_x = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \sigma} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] dx$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \alpha'^2\right) d\alpha', \quad \alpha' = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$$

$$\therefore I_x^2 = I_x \cdot I_y$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}(\alpha'^2 + \beta'^2)\right] d\alpha' d\beta'$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{+\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \rho^2\right) \rho d\rho d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{+\infty} \exp(-\tau) d\tau$$

$$= -\exp(-\tau) \Big|_0^{+\infty}$$

$$= 1$$

$$\therefore I_x = \sqrt{1} = 1$$

$\therefore Q.E.D$

Q2: For $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^d$

$$\text{tr}(v u^T) = \sum_{k=1}^d u_k u_k = \sum_{k=1}^d u_k \cdot u_k = u^T v$$

\therefore Q.E.D

Q3: For $\Sigma = U \Lambda U^T = (U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T)(U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T)$

Define: $y = U \Lambda^{-1/2} U^T (x - \mu)$

$$\therefore x = U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T y + \mu$$

$$\therefore dy = \frac{1}{|\Sigma|^{1/2}} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int x p(x) dx &= U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T \int \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{d/2}} y \exp(-\frac{1}{2} y^T y) dy \\ &\quad + \mu \int \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{d/2}} \exp(-\frac{1}{2} y^T y) dy \\ &= \mu \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Q.E.D

Q4: Use the definitions in Q3:

$$\therefore x - \mu = U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T y$$

$$\therefore (x - \mu)(x - \mu)^T = U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T y y^T U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T$$

$$\therefore \int (x - \mu)(x - \mu)^T p(x) dx$$

$$= U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T \int \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{d/2}} y \cdot y^T \exp(-\frac{1}{2} y^T y) dy \cdot U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T$$

$$= U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T$$

$$= U \Lambda U^T$$

$$= \Sigma$$

\therefore Q.E.D.

Q5: For $\{x_1, \dots, x_k\}$

$$x - \mu = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - \mu_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_k - \mu_k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma^{-1} = \text{diag}(\Sigma_1^{-1}, \dots, \Sigma_k^{-1})$$

$$\therefore \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} (x - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x - \mu)\right]$$

$$= \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} [(x_1 - \mu_1)^T, \dots, (x_k - \mu_k)^T] \text{diag}(\Sigma_1^{-1}, \dots, \Sigma_k^{-1}) \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - \mu_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_k - \mu_k \end{bmatrix}\right]$$

$$= \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^k (x_i - \mu_i)^T \Sigma_i^{-1} (x_i - \mu_i)\right]$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^k \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} (x_i - \mu_i)^T \Sigma_i^{-1} (x_i - \mu_i)\right]$$

$$\therefore \mathcal{I} = \frac{|\Sigma|^{d/2}}{\prod_{i=1}^k |\Sigma_i|^{d/2}}$$

\therefore Q. E. D.