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Q. Let X have covariance matrix

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

(a) Determine P and $V^{1/2}$

(b) multiply your matrices to check the relation $V^{1/2} P V^{1/2} = \Sigma$

⇒ Assume that $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$ have a covariance matrix given

by $\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{11} & \sigma_{12} & \sigma_{13} \\ \sigma_{21} & \sigma_{22} & \sigma_{23} \\ \sigma_{31} & \sigma_{32} & \sigma_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} V^{1/2} &= \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{\sigma_{11}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{\sigma_{22}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{\sigma_{33}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{25} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{4} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{9} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the inverse of the matrix is given by:-

$$(V^{1/2})^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore,

$$P = (V^{112})^{-1} \Sigma (V^{112})^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 & \frac{4}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{5} & 2 & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{4}{5} & \frac{1}{2} & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{5} & \frac{4}{15} \\ -\frac{1}{5} & 1 & \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{4}{15} & \frac{1}{6} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Ans} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{ii} \quad V^{112} P V^{112} &= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{5} & \frac{4}{15} \\ -\frac{1}{5} & 1 & \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{4}{15} & \frac{1}{6} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{4}{3} \\ -\frac{1}{5} & 2 & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{4}{3} & \frac{1}{2} & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \Sigma \quad (\text{proved}) \end{aligned}$$

2. (a) Find ρ_{13}

(b) Find the correlation between x_1 and $\frac{1}{2}x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3$

$$\Rightarrow \rho_{13} = \frac{4}{15}$$

(b) let, $y = \frac{1}{2}x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3$

We need to find the correlation between x_1 and y

$$\begin{aligned}\text{cov}(x_1, y) &= \frac{1}{2} (\text{cov}(x_1, x_2)) + \frac{1}{2} (\text{cov}(x_1, x_3)) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (-2) + \frac{1}{2} (4) \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{var}(y) &= \frac{1}{4} (\text{var } x_2) + \frac{1}{4} (\text{var } x_3) + \frac{1}{2} (\text{cov}(x_2, x_3)) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} (4) + \frac{1}{4} (9) + \frac{1}{2} (1) \\ &= 1 + \frac{9}{4} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{13}{4}\end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma_y = \sqrt{13/4} = \frac{\sqrt{13}}{2}$$

\therefore Correlation between x_1 and y —

$$\text{cor}(x_1, y) = \frac{\text{cov}(x_1, y)}{\sigma_{x_1} \sigma_y} = \frac{1}{5 \times \sqrt{13}/2} = \frac{2}{5\sqrt{13}}$$

Q. You are given the random vector $x' = [x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4]$ with mean vector $\mu'x = [4, 3, 2, 1]$ and variance-covariance matrix

$$\Sigma_x = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 9 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

partition x as

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x^{(1)} \\ x^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

let, $A = [1 \ 2]$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

⇒ Given $\tilde{x}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$, $\tilde{x}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}$

also $\tilde{\mu}_x = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ partitioning the mean vector

$$\tilde{\mu}_x = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\mu}_x^{(1)} \\ \tilde{\mu}_x^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

① $E(x^{(1)}) = \tilde{\mu} \tilde{x}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$

② $E(\tilde{A} \tilde{x}^{(1)}) = \tilde{A} E(\tilde{x}^{(1)}) = \tilde{A} \cdot \tilde{\mu}_x^{(1)}$

$$= [1 \ 2] \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = [10]$$

③ $\text{cov}(x^{(1)}) = \tilde{\Sigma}_{11}$

Σ_x can be partitioned as

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{11} & \sigma_{12} & \sigma_{13} & \sigma_{14} \\ \sigma_{21} & \sigma_{22} & \sigma_{23} & \sigma_{24} \\ \sigma_{31} & \sigma_{32} & \sigma_{33} & \sigma_{34} \\ \sigma_{41} & \sigma_{42} & \sigma_{43} & \sigma_{44} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\Sigma}_{11} & \tilde{\Sigma}_{12} \\ \tilde{\Sigma}_{21} & \tilde{\Sigma}_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \text{cov}(x^{(1)}) = \tilde{\Sigma}_{11} = \begin{bmatrix} g_{11} & g_{12} \\ g_{21} & g_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{d} \text{cov}(Ax^{(1)}) &= A \tilde{\Sigma}_{11} A' \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{e} E(x^{(2)}) = \tilde{\mu} \tilde{x}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{f} E(Bx^{(2)}) = B \tilde{\mu} \tilde{x}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{g} \text{cov}(x^{(2)}) = \tilde{\Sigma}_{22} = \begin{bmatrix} g_{33} & g_{34} \\ g_{43} & g_{44} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -2 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{h} \text{cov}(Bx^{(2)})$$

$$= \tilde{B} \tilde{\Sigma}_{\tilde{x}^{(2)}} \tilde{B}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -2 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \text{cov}(BX^{(2)}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 20 \\ -10 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 33 & 36 \\ 36 & 48 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{i} \text{cov}(X^{(1)}, X^{(2)}) = \sum_{12} = \begin{bmatrix} 6_{13} & 6_{14} \\ 6_{23} & 6_{24} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{j} \text{cov}(AX^{(1)}, BX^{(2)}) = \tilde{A}\tilde{X}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + 2x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{B}\tilde{X}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 - 2x_4 \\ 2x_3 - x_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

let, $\tilde{Y} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + 2x_2 \\ x_3 - 2x_4 \\ 2x_3 - x_4 \end{bmatrix}$ be partitioned as

$$\begin{bmatrix} \tilde{Y}^{(1)} \\ \tilde{Y}^{(2)} \end{bmatrix} \text{ where, } \tilde{Y}^{(1)} = \tilde{A}\tilde{X}^{(1)}$$

$$\tilde{Y}^{(2)} = \tilde{B}\tilde{X}^{(2)}$$

Also, $\tilde{Y} = \tilde{C}\tilde{X}$, where, $\tilde{C} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\tilde{X} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now,
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 + 2x_2 \\ x_3 - 2x_4 \\ 2x_3 - x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \tilde{Y} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \tilde{C} \tilde{X}$$

The covariance matrix of \tilde{Y} is given by

$$\tilde{\Sigma}_{\tilde{Y}} = \tilde{C} \tilde{\Sigma}_{\tilde{X}} \tilde{C}'$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 33 & 36 \\ 6 & 36 & 48 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore \tilde{\Sigma}_{\tilde{Y}}$ can be partitioned as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6_{11} & 6_{12} & 6_{13} \\ 6_{21} & 6_{22} & 6_{23} \\ 6_{31} & 6_{32} & 6_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, $\text{cov}(\tilde{Y}^{(1)}, \tilde{Y}^{(2)})$

$$= \tilde{\Sigma}_{\tilde{Y}_{12}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \underbrace{\Sigma_{11}}_{1 \times 1} & \underbrace{\Sigma_{12}}_{1 \times 2} \\ \underbrace{\Sigma_{21}}_{2 \times 1} & \underbrace{\Sigma_{22}}_{2 \times 2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{Y}^{(1)} = \tilde{A} \tilde{X}^{(1)} \quad \& \quad \tilde{Y}^{(2)} = \tilde{B} \tilde{X}^{(2)}$$

$$\therefore \text{cov}(\tilde{A} \tilde{X}^{(1)}, \tilde{B} \tilde{X}^{(2)}) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$