

STAT 488: Multivariate Statistical Analysis — Homework 5

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Problem 9.1

```
rm(list=ls())
matrix(c(0.9,0.7,0.5))%*%t(matrix(c(0.9,0.7,0.5)))+matrix(c(0.19,0,0,0.51,0,0,0.75),nrow=3)

##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,] 1.00 0.63 0.45
## [2,] 0.63 1.00 0.35
## [3,] 0.45 0.35 1.00
```

We can see that $\rho = \mathbf{LL}' + \Psi = \begin{bmatrix} .9 & .7 & .5 \\ .7 & & \\ .5 & & \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} .19 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & .51 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .75 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & .63 & .45 \\ .63 & 1 & .35 \\ .45 & .35 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, as intended by (9-5) on page 484 of the textbook.

Problem 9.2

```
(matrix(c(0.9,0.7,0.5))[1,1])^2 # (9-6), page 484 # Problem 9.2(a)
```

```
## [1] 0.81
```

```
(matrix(c(0.9,0.7,0.5))[2,1])^2
```

```
## [1] 0.49
```

```
(matrix(c(0.9,0.7,0.5))[3,1])^2
```

```
## [1] 0.25
```

```
# We can see that approximately 0.81 of the variance is explained by the first common
# factor, approximately 0.49 of the variance is explained by the second common factor,
# and approximately 0.25 of the variance is explained by the third common factor.
```

```
matrix(c(0.9,0.7,0.5))[1,1] # (9-5), page 484 # Problem 9.2(b)
```

```
## [1] 0.9
```

```
matrix(c(0.9,0.7,0.5))[2,1]
```

```
## [1] 0.7
```

```
matrix(c(0.9,0.7,0.5))[3,1]
```

```
## [1] 0.5
```

We can see that Z_1 would likely carry the greatest weight because it has the strongest correlation (0.9).

Problem 9.9

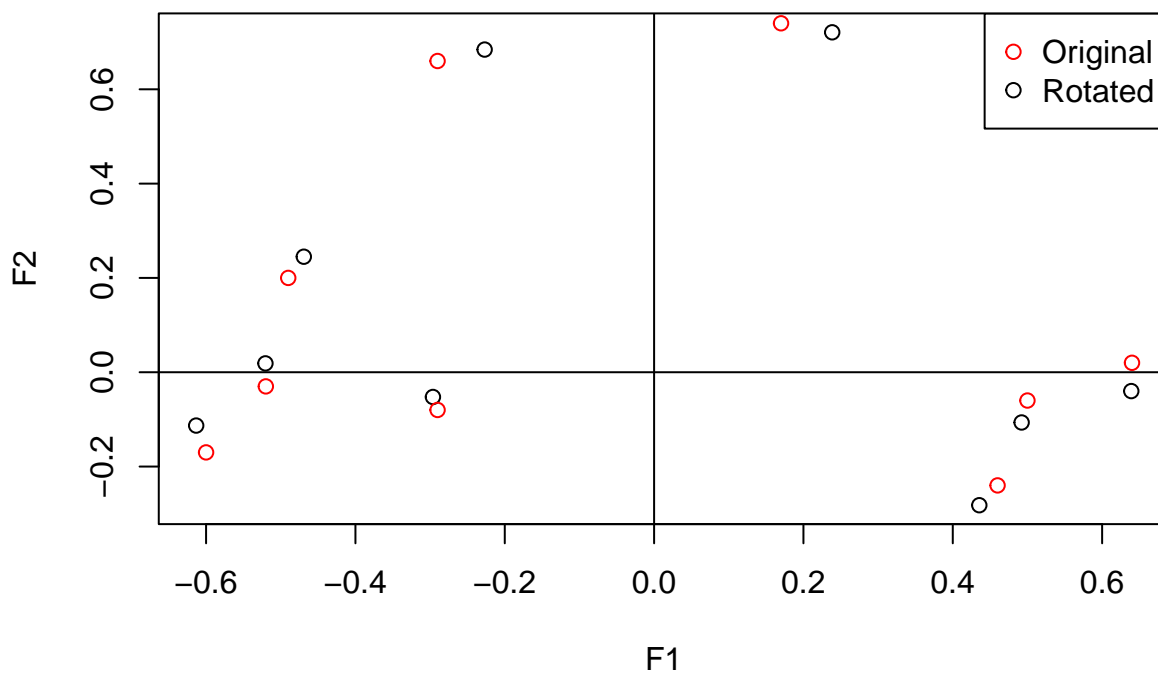
Problem 9.9(a)

I personally know nothing about liquor or alcohol in general, but these three factors seem to be reasonable interpretations of the common motivations and incentives for purchasing liquor.

Problem 9.9(b)

```
F1<-c(0.64,0.5,0.46,0.17,-0.29,-0.29,-0.49,-0.52,-0.6)
F2<-c(0.02,-0.06,-0.24,0.74,0.66,-0.08,0.2,-0.03,-0.17)
plot(varimax(matrix(c(F1,F2),ncol=2))$loadings,xlab="F1",ylab="F2",main="Problem 9.9(b) - F2 vs. F1 and
points(F1,F2,col="red")
abline(h=0,v=0)
legend("topright",c("Original","Rotated"),pch=1,col=c("red","black"))
```

Problem 9.9(b) – F2 vs. F1 and Varimax Rotation



```
varimax(matrix(c(F1,F2),ncol=2))$loadings
```

```
##
## Loadings:
##      [,1] [,2]
## [1,]  0.639
## [2,]  0.492 -0.107
## [3,]  0.436 -0.282
## [4,]  0.239  0.721
## [5,] -0.227  0.684
## [6,] -0.296
## [7,] -0.469  0.245
## [8,] -0.521
## [9,] -0.613 -0.113
##
```

```
##           [,1] [,2]
## SS loadings  1.904 1.156
## Proportion Var 0.212 0.128
## Cumulative Var 0.212 0.340
```

We can see that not much rotation of the factor axes was done, and so the interpretation of the rotated loadings for F_1 and F_2 is largely the same as Stoetzel's interpretation. Thus, the two interpretations agree.

Problem 9.20

```
ap<-read.table("/Users/newuser/Desktop/Notes/Graduate/STAT 488 - Multivariate Statistical Analysis/T1-5
names(ap)<-c("Wind", "Solar", "NO_2", "Ozone")
cov(ap)
```

```
##           Wind      Solar      NO_2      Ozone
## Wind      2.5000000 -2.780488 -0.5853659 -2.231707
## Solar -2.7804878 300.515679  6.7630662 30.790941
## NO_2  -0.5853659  6.763066 11.3635308  3.126597
## Ozone -2.2317073 30.790941  3.1265970 30.978513
```

```
L2<-t(prcomp(ap)$sdev[1:2]*t(prcomp(ap)$rotation[,c("PC1", "PC2"]))) # Problem 9.20(a)
L2
```

```
##           PC1      PC2
## Wind      0.1749782  0.4048141
## Solar -17.3246829  0.6085601
## NO_2    -0.4213923 -0.7421918
## Ozone   -1.9587473 -5.1867451
```

```
L<-factanal(factors=1, covmat=cov(ap))$loadings # Only doing m = 1 # Problem 9.20(b)
psi<-factanal(factors=1, covmat=cov(ap))$uniquenesses
L
```

```
##
## Loadings:
##      Factor1
## Wind  -0.324
## Solar  0.410
## NO_2   0.232
## Ozone  0.771
##
##           Factor1
## SS loadings      0.921
## Proportion Var   0.230
```

```
psi
```

```
##           Wind      Solar      NO_2      Ozone
## 0.8949140 0.8322114 0.9463160 0.4054956
```

```
L%*%t(L)+diag(psi) # There appears to be some rounding error, at least in the diagonal.
```

```
##           Wind      Solar      NO_2      Ozone
## Wind      1.00000075 -0.13278686 -0.07510881 -0.2499490
## Solar -0.13278686  1.00000003  0.09490699  0.3158339
## NO_2  -0.07510881  0.09490699  0.99999866  0.1786465
## Ozone -0.24994901  0.31583391  0.17864652  1.0000000
```

```
data.frame(L2[, "PC1"]) # Problem 9.20(c)
```

```
##      L2....PC1...
## Wind    0.1749782
## Solar -17.3246829
## NO_2   -0.4213923
## Ozone  -1.9587473
```

```
L
```

```
##
## Loadings:
##      Factor1
## Wind  -0.324
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## NO_2   0.232
## Ozone  0.771
##
##              Factor1
## SS loadings    0.921
## Proportion Var 0.230
```

We can see the factorization of the $m = 1$ model obtained by the principal component method is different than the factorization of the $m = 1$ model obtained by the maximum likelihood method. This illustrates how the two methods are different.

Problem 9.21

```
L2
```

```
##           PC1      PC2
## Wind    0.1749782  0.4048141
## Solar -17.3246829  0.6085601
## NO_2   -0.4213923 -0.7421918
## Ozone  -1.9587473 -5.1867451
```

```
varimax(L2)
```

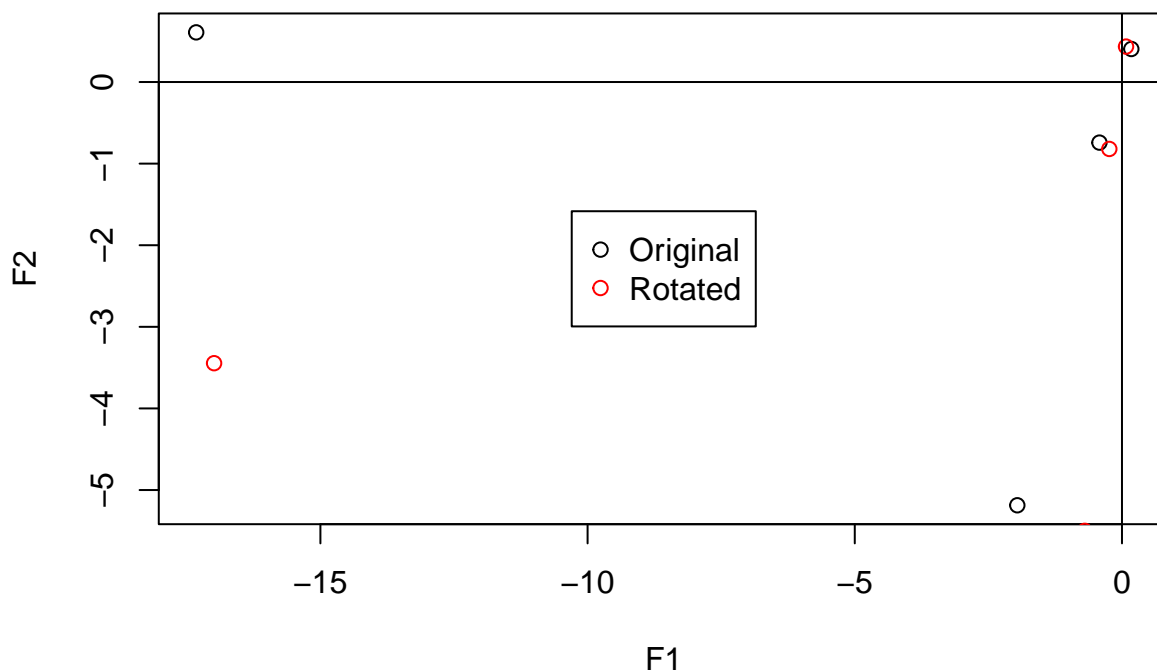
```
## $loadings
##
## Loadings:
##      PC1      PC2
## Wind           0.434
## Solar -16.989 -3.446
## NO_2  -0.237 -0.820
## Ozone -0.696 -5.500
##
##              PC1      PC2
## SS loadings  289.188 42.988
## Proportion Var 72.297 10.747
## Cumulative Var 72.297 83.044
##
## $rotmat
##           [,1]      [,2]
## [1,]  0.9724650 0.2330489
## [2,] -0.2330489 0.9724650
```

```
varimax(L) # Since there is no m = 2 model with ML, a varimax rotation is not possible.

##
## Loadings:
##      Factor1
## Wind  -0.324
## Solar  0.410
## NO_2   0.232
## Ozone  0.771
##
##              Factor1
## SS loadings    0.921
## Proportion Var 0.230

plot(L2,xlab="F1",ylab="F2",main="Problem 9.21 - Varimax Rotation of Principal Component Model")
points(varimax(L2)$loadings,col="red")
abline(h=0,v=0)
legend("center",c("Original","Rotated"),pch=1,col=c("black","red"))
```

Problem 9.21 – Varimax Rotation of Principal Component Model



We can see the varimax rotation around the origin (0,0) when using the principal component method and the solar component of F_2 changed significantly. F_1 appears to be a solar factor and F_2 appears to be an ozone and solar factor.

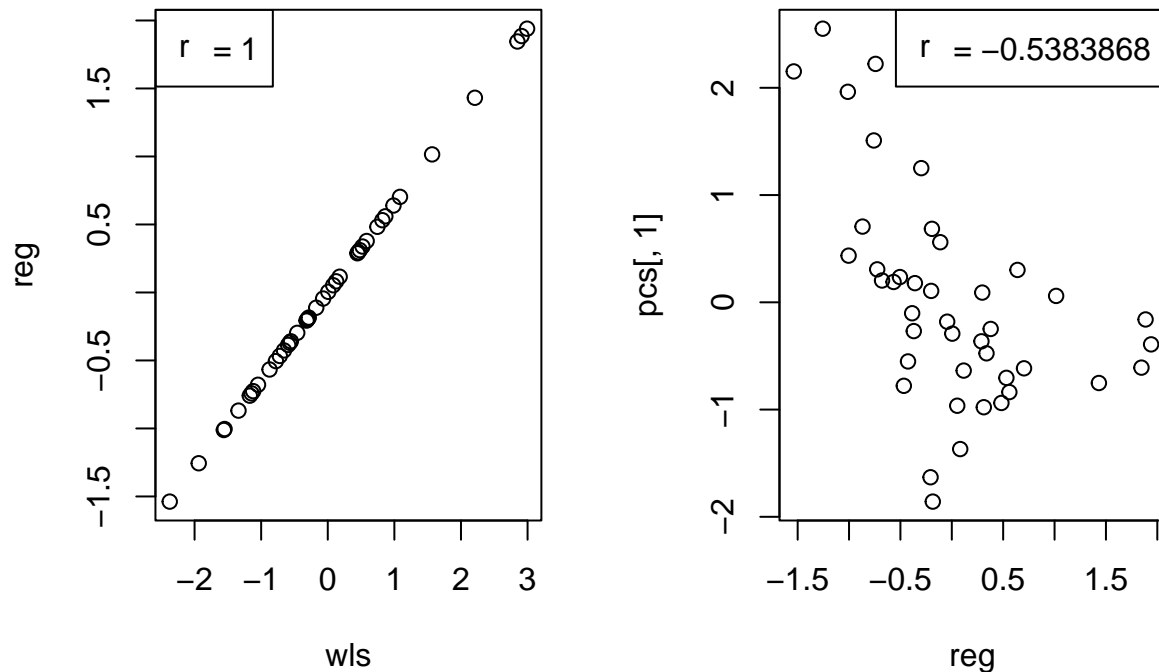
Problem 9.22

```
wls<-factanal(ap,1,scores="Bartlett")$scores # Problem 9.22(a)(i)
reg<-factanal(ap,1,scores="regression")$scores # Problem 9.22(a)(ii)
x<-matrix(rep(colMeans(ap),nrow(ap)),nrow=nrow(ap),byrow=TRUE) # Problem 9.22(b)
pcs<-t(t(L2)%*%t(ap-x))%*%diag(1/eigen(cov(ap))$values[1:2])
fs<-data.frame(wls,reg,pcs)
```

```
names(fs)<-c("Weighted Least Squares","Regression","Princ. Comp. (F1)","Princ. Comp. (F2)")
fs
```

##	Weighted Least Squares	Regression	Princ. Comp. (F1)	Princ. Comp. (F2)
## 1	0.126409623	0.081928800	-1.36839363	0.740758048
## 2	-0.285210356	-0.184850977	-1.85807752	1.557519967
## 3	-0.319123412	-0.206830759	-1.63116124	1.391294470
## 4	0.864121039	0.560055464	-0.83724080	-0.638949618
## 5	0.480495665	0.311419593	-0.97820630	0.295047660
## 6	0.745008132	0.482855822	-0.93852190	-0.174491924
## 7	1.084574660	0.702936206	-0.61554288	-0.846465244
## 8	1.566538620	1.015307432	0.05957078	-1.218595579
## 9	0.521155447	0.337772074	-0.47564394	-0.151065586
## 10	-0.172795242	-0.111992319	0.56020365	-0.210383740
## 11	-1.047303636	-0.678780052	0.20316940	1.104398872
## 12	0.081787580	0.053008293	-0.96442978	0.744945517
## 13	0.457554361	0.296550840	0.09063405	-0.368813550
## 14	-0.778894836	-0.504818525	0.23528167	0.372695298
## 15	-0.309923227	-0.200867921	0.10621269	-0.060233190
## 16	-0.069031642	-0.044740895	-0.18051575	0.007504254
## 17	-0.595370927	-0.385872726	-0.10204910	0.580306601
## 18	-0.873989926	-0.566451702	0.18956885	0.788890126
## 19	-1.549292578	-1.004129901	0.43499276	1.166583009
## 20	-1.119754022	-0.725736708	0.30730908	0.760173309
## 21	-1.340357860	-0.868714808	0.70607214	0.675159316
## 22	-0.720250549	-0.466809900	-0.77847764	1.041024037
## 23	0.444808728	0.288290121	-0.36393214	-0.233127159
## 24	-1.937591313	-1.255794677	2.55105678	0.516345776
## 25	2.847281168	1.845384272	-0.60905826	-2.341158915
## 26	-0.657529139	-0.426158802	-0.55123853	0.939583564
## 27	0.583876857	0.378423171	-0.24840484	-0.252506059
## 28	0.007315077	0.004741059	-0.29222755	0.089565827
## 29	-0.298073317	-0.193187739	0.68494078	0.008599273
## 30	-2.372730322	-1.537817645	2.15248725	0.687837546
## 31	-0.554147947	-0.359155224	0.17856293	0.392029845
## 32	-0.458308870	-0.297039853	1.25089595	-0.273933716
## 33	-1.170857713	-0.758858111	1.50885794	0.457534150
## 34	2.909439380	1.885670349	-0.15986883	-2.700435879
## 35	-1.144633155	-0.741861410	2.22270508	-0.626402177
## 36	0.178672597	0.115801560	-0.63671964	0.166992721
## 37	0.819895931	0.531392218	-0.70412148	-0.145747987
## 38	2.208807893	1.431575987	-0.75245395	-1.443325522
## 39	2.992765016	1.939675489	-0.39216187	-2.757800954
## 40	-0.570789912	-0.369941241	-0.26843114	0.789880225
## 41	0.986164795	0.639154652	0.30181329	-1.025919852
## 42	-1.560712665	-1.011531506	1.96254364	0.194687241

```
par(mfrow=c(1,2)) # Problem 9.22(c)
plot(wls,reg)
legend("topleft",legend="= 1",pch="r")
plot(reg,pcs[,1])
legend("topright",legend="= -0.5383868",pch="r")
```



We can see from the output that the factor scores from weighted least squares, regression, and the principal component method are different. The first plot shows a perfect positive linear relationship between the factor scores from weighted least squares and regression, negating the need to compare both to the principal component method. There is clearly a strong relationship between the two methods which makes sense because they originate from the same function. The second plot shows a moderate negative linear relationship between regression and the principal component method which indicates the principal component method is considerably different than the other two.

Problem 9.23

```
factanal(factors=1,covmat=cor(ap))$loadings # Using correlation matrix
```

```
##
## Loadings:
##      Factor1
## Wind  -0.324
## Solar  0.410
## NO_2   0.232
## Ozone  0.771
##
##              Factor1
## SS loadings      0.921
## Proportion Var   0.230
```

```
L
```

```
##
## Loadings:
##      Factor1
## Wind  -0.324
## Solar  0.410
## NO_2   0.232
## Ozone  0.771
```

```
##
##               Factor1
## SS loadings    0.921
## Proportion Var 0.230
```

```
factanal(factors=1,covmat=cor(ap))$uniquenesses
```

```
##      Wind      Solar      NO_2      Ozone
## 0.8949140 0.8322114 0.9463160 0.4054956
```

```
psi
```

```
##      Wind      Solar      NO_2      Ozone
## 0.8949140 0.8322114 0.9463160 0.4054956
```

We can see that it does not make a difference whether **R** or **S** is used for obtaining the maximum-likelihood estimates for **L** and Ψ . In the documentation for the `factanal()` function, the information for the `covmat` argument explains: “Of course, correlation matrices are covariance matrices.” However, the loadings and subsequent interpretations may be different.