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$$\max_{\mu, \Sigma} L(\mu, \Sigma)$$

$$\hat{\mu} = \bar{x} : \text{optimal sol}^n$$

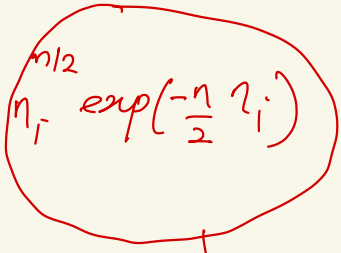
↳ MLE of μ .

$$\max_{\Xi} L(\hat{\mu}, \Xi) = \max_{\Xi} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\Xi|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \text{Trace}(\Xi^{-1} S_n)\right)$$

$$= \max_{\eta} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^p \eta_i^{n/2}}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |S_n|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \eta_i\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |S_n|^{n/2}} \max_{\eta} \prod_{i=1}^p \eta_i^{n/2} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \eta_i\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |S_n|^{n/2}} \prod_{i=1}^p \max_{\eta_i} \eta_i^{n/2} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \eta_i\right)$$



 Pair of one variable $\eta_i > 0$

$$\max_{\eta=(\eta_1, \eta_2)} g(\eta_1, \eta_2) = g_1(\eta_1) g_2(\eta_2) \quad \text{sep}^r \text{ of variables}$$

Consider a f^n

$$h(x) = x^{n/2} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} x\right), \quad x > 0$$

want to $\max_{x>0} h(x)$ by std. calculus.

$$h'(x) = x^{n/2} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2}x\right) x\left(-\frac{n}{2}\right) + \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2}x\right) \frac{n}{2} x^{n/2-1} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{n/2} (-1 + n^{-1}) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 1 \rightarrow \text{maxima (check)}$$

For likelihood $f^n L$ it means each $\eta_i = 1$, $1 \leq i \leq p$

$$\text{max value of } L(\hat{\mu}, \Sigma) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\Sigma_n|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} p\right)$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\Sigma|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \text{Trace}(\Sigma^{-1} \Sigma_n)\right) \leq \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\Sigma_n|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{n p}{2}\right)$$

\forall symmetric pos
definite Σ

The upper bound is attained iff $\Sigma = \Sigma_n$.

$$\Sigma_n^{-1/2} \Sigma^{-1} \Sigma_n^{1/2} = I_{p \times p} \Rightarrow \Sigma^{-1} = (\Sigma_n^{-1/2}) (\Sigma_n^{1/2})^{-1} = \Sigma_n^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma = \Sigma_n$$

optimal solⁿ of the problem

$$\max_{\substack{\Sigma \\ \text{symm. pd} \\ p \times p}} L(\hat{\mu}, \Sigma)$$

$$\text{is } \hat{\Sigma} = S_n \rightarrow \text{MLE of } \Sigma.$$

Recall

$$S_n = \frac{n-1}{n} S \quad \hookrightarrow p \times p$$

variance-covariance matrix of sample data
when division is by $n-1$.

unbiased	MLE
$\mu \rightarrow \bar{x}$	$\mu \rightarrow \bar{x}$
$\Sigma \rightarrow S$	$\Sigma \rightarrow S_n = \frac{n-1}{n} S$

Note :- max value = $L(\hat{\mu}, \hat{\Sigma})$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |S_n|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{np}{2}\right)$$

> 0 > 0

$$\propto \frac{1}{|S_n|^{n/2}} = \frac{1}{\left|\frac{n-1}{n} S\right|^{n/2}}$$

$\Rightarrow L(\hat{\mu}, \hat{\Sigma}) \propto \frac{1}{|S|^{n/2}}$ $\& \ |S| = \text{generalized variance of sample data.}$

The smaller the generalized variance in the sample data, the more accurate is the MLE estimation of $\hat{\Sigma}$ by S_n .

Basic stats recall

$$p=1$$

sampling

$X_1, \dots, X_n \rightarrow \underbrace{\text{random}}_{\text{iid}} \text{ sample}$

population
↓

mean μ , variance $\sigma^2 > 0$

$$\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \rightarrow \text{rv}$$

$$\begin{cases} E(\bar{X}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mu = \frac{1}{n} \cdot n\mu = \mu \\ \text{Var}(\bar{X}) = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \end{cases}$$

independent samples

Suppose population is $N(\mu, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow \bar{X} \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2/n)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = Z \sim N(0, 1) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$(n-1) \frac{s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{(n-1)}$$

$s^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{x})^2 \rightarrow \text{sample variance}$
 random variable

We want to see the multivariate case of it.

If we go back to case $p > 1$ & see our previous notes.

x_1
 x_2
 \vdots
 x_n

$\begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}$

$1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad p$

$\tilde{x}_1^{px1}, \dots, \tilde{x}_n^{px1}$ be a random sample.
iid

Let the population be p -dimensional normal $N_p(\mu, \Sigma)$
 $px1 \quad pxp$

$$\Rightarrow X_i \sim N_p(\mu, \Sigma), 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i \quad \text{random vector}$$

and $\underline{z} \sim N_p \left(\sum_{i=1}^n c_i \mu_i, \sum_{i=1}^n c_i^2 \Sigma \right)$

In particular, we take $C_i = \frac{1}{n} \quad \forall \quad i=1, 2, \dots, n$ $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{uniform} \\ \text{sample} \end{array} \right\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{v} = \bar{x} \quad \& \quad \underline{v} \sim N_p \left(\underline{\mu} \sum_{i=1}^n 1, \underline{\Sigma} \sum_{i=1}^n 1 \right) \\ &= N_p \left(\underline{\mu}, \underline{\Sigma} \right) \quad - \textcircled{2} \end{aligned}$$

If $p=1$, then $\textcircled{2} \Rightarrow \textcircled{1}$, $\therefore \textcircled{2}$ is a generalization of $\textcircled{1}$ in p -dimension.

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$p=1$

Sample X_1, \dots, X_n random (iid)

$$\tilde{X} \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{(n-1)}^2$$

Consider $p > 1$

$$\bar{X} \sim N_p(\mu_{p \times 1}, \Sigma_{p \times p})$$

if $p = 1$

$$(n-1) \frac{s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{(n-1)}$$

$$(n-1) \frac{s^2}{\sigma^2} = z_1^2 + \dots + z_{n-1}^2, \quad z_i \sim N(0, 1) \forall i \text{ \& } z_i \text{'s are independent r.v.s.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (n-1) s^2 &= (\sigma z_1)^2 + \dots + (\sigma z_{n-1})^2 \\ &= y_1^2 + \dots + y_{n-1}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$y_i = \sigma z_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2) \forall i \text{ \& } y_1, \dots, y_{n-1} \text{ are ind. r.v.s.}$$

Getting motivation from this expression, for general $p > 1$,

$$(n-1) S = \underset{p \times p}{z_1} \underset{p \times 1}{z_1^T} + \dots + \underset{p \times 1}{z_{n-1}} \underset{1 \times p}{z_{n-1}^T}$$

$$\underset{p \times 1}{z_i} \sim \underset{p \times p}{N_p(0, \Sigma)} \quad \forall 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$\text{if } y \sim \chi^2$$

then

$$y = z_1^2 + \dots + z_J^2,$$

where

$$z_i \sim N(0, 1) \quad \forall i$$

\& z_1, \dots, z_J are independent r.v.s.

and z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{n-1} are independent r.v.s.

n : sample size

S : sample variance-covariance matrix.

Wishart Distribution

Let A be a $p \times p$ symmetric random matrix.

If we can write

$$A = z_1 z_1^T + \dots + z_m z_m^T$$

+ rank 1 matrix.

$$z_i \sim N_p(0, \Sigma), 1 \leq i \leq m \text{ and}$$

z_1, \dots, z_m are independent random vectors.

Then, we say that

$$A \sim W_p(m, \Sigma) \text{ or } W_p(\Sigma, m).$$

i.e., A is p -dim. Wishart distributed & m is degree of freedom.

In case $\Sigma = I_{p \times p}$, then $W_p(m, I)$ is called as std. form of Wishart distribution.

$$\therefore (n-1)S \sim W_p(n-1, \Sigma)$$

Let $p=1$,

$$A \sim W_1(m, \Sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow A = z_1^2 + \dots + z_m^2, \quad z_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2); \quad z_i \text{'s are ind. r.v.}$$

$$\sim \sigma^2 \chi_{(m)}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{A}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{(m)}^2$$

We can take Wishart distribution as an extension of χ^2 -distribution in p -dimension.

pdf of $W_p(m, \Sigma)$ is

$$f_{\omega_p}(A) = \begin{cases} |A|^{\frac{1}{2}(m-p-1)} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \text{trace}(\Sigma^{-1}A)\right) & \text{if } A \text{ is pd.} \\ \frac{n^{\frac{p}{2}} \pi^{\frac{p(p-1)}{4}} |\Sigma|^{\frac{m}{2}} \prod_{i=1}^p \sqrt{\frac{m+1-i}{2}}}{0} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

gamma f^n .

$$\stackrel{1}{=} A_1 \sim \omega_p(m_1, \Sigma)$$

$$A_2 \sim \omega_p(m_2, \Sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow A_1 + A_2 \sim \omega_p(m_1 + m_2, \Sigma)$$

$$\stackrel{2}{=} A \sim \omega_p(m, \Sigma), \quad \vec{a} \in \mathbb{R}^p$$

$$\vec{a}^T A \vec{a} = \vec{a}^T (z_1 z_1^T + \dots + z_m z_m^T) \vec{a}$$

$$= (\vec{a}^T z_1)(z_1^T \vec{a}) + \dots + (\vec{a}^T z_m)(z_m^T \vec{a})$$

$$= y_1^2 + \dots + y_m^2, \text{ where } y_i = \vec{a}^T z_i.$$

$$\text{and, } z_i \sim N_p(0, \Sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{a}^T \vec{z}_i \sim N_1(0, \vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a})$$

$$\Rightarrow y_i \sim N_1(0, \vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}) \quad \forall i$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y_i}{\sqrt{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}}} \sim N_1(0, 1) \quad \forall i \quad \text{provided } \vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a} \neq 0.$$

$$\frac{\vec{a}^T A \vec{a}}{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}} = \left(\frac{y_1}{\sqrt{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}}} \right)^2 + \dots + \left(\frac{y_m}{\sqrt{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}}} \right)^2$$

$\searrow \quad \quad \quad \searrow$
 $N(0, 1) \quad \quad \quad N(0, 1)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\vec{a}^T A \vec{a}}{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}} \sim \chi_{(m)}^2$$

$$A \sim W_p(m, \Sigma), \vec{a} \in \mathbb{R}^p, \vec{a}^T \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\vec{a}^T A \vec{a}}{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}} \sim \chi_{(m)}^2$$

Converse is NOT true, i.e., if $\frac{\vec{a}^T A \vec{a}}{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}} \sim \chi_{(m)}^2 \quad \forall \vec{a} \in \mathbb{R}^p, \vec{a}^T \neq 0.$

then, we cannot say that A is celshant.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \vec{\varepsilon} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{a}^T A \vec{a} &= a_{11} \\ \vec{\varepsilon}^T A \vec{a} &= a_{12} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{cannot get } a_{12} \text{ without} \\ \text{changing the basis.} \end{array} \right\}$$

Counter-example:

$$\text{Let } A = W + S$$

$$\text{where } W \sim W_p(m, \Sigma)$$

$$S = -S^T \text{ (skew symm.)}$$

Prop

$\therefore W$ is random $\Rightarrow A$ is random.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{let } \vec{a} \in \mathbb{R}^p &\Rightarrow \vec{a}^T A \vec{a} = \vec{a}^T W \vec{a} + \vec{a}^T S \vec{a} \\ &= \vec{a}^T W \vec{a} + 0 \\ &= \vec{a}^T W \vec{a}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\vec{a}^T A \vec{a}}{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}} = \frac{\vec{a}^T W \vec{a}}{\vec{a}^T \Sigma \vec{a}} \sim \chi^2_{(m)}$$

$$A = z_1 z_1^T + \dots + z_m z_m^T + S$$

$z_i z_i^T$ is symm. matrix & S is skew symm

$\therefore \nexists$ any $y \in \mathbb{R}^p$ s.t. $S = y y^T$ type
($y \neq 0$)

$\therefore A$ is not Wishart (not even symm.)

3- class missed

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$$H_0: \mu = \mu_0, H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0.$$

$$T^2 = n (\bar{x} - \mu_0)^T S^{-1} (\bar{x} - \mu_0)$$

random
variable

$$P_{H_0} \{ X_{\text{sample}} : T^2 > c \} = \alpha \rightarrow \alpha \in (0, 1) \text{ given level of significance.}$$

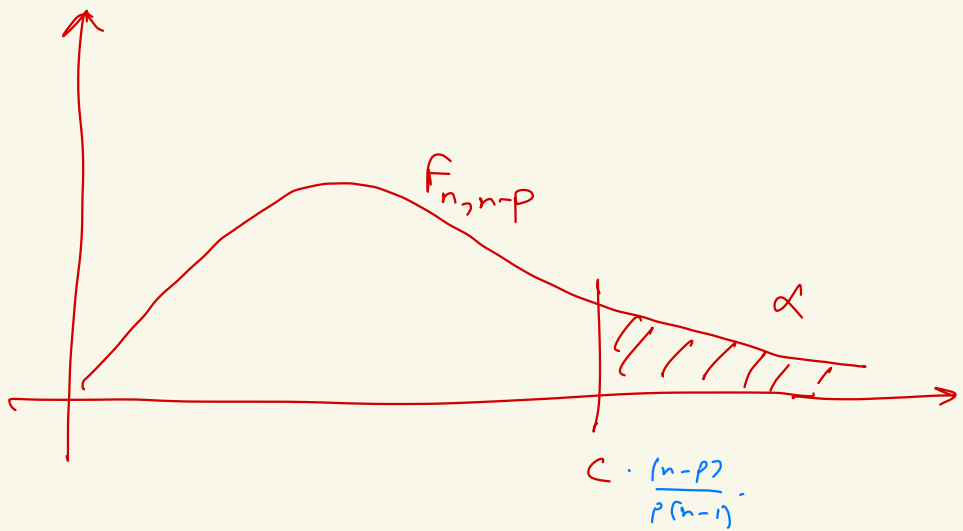
c is some
true constant

$$\frac{n-p}{p(n-1)} T^2 \sim F_{p, n-p, \alpha}$$

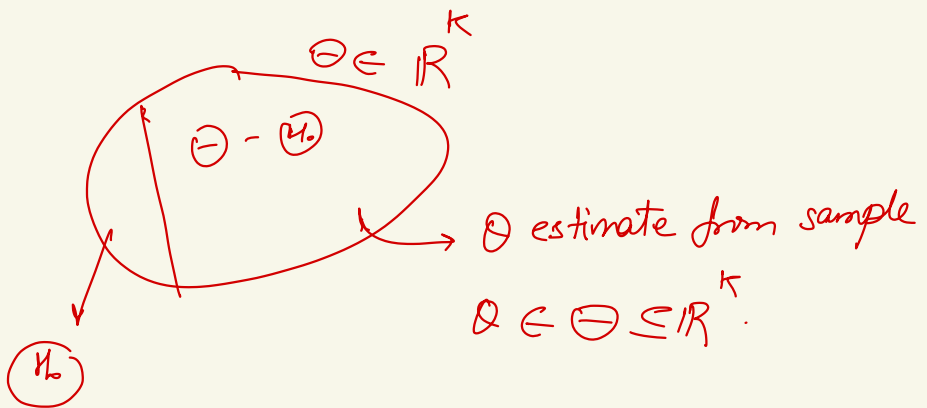
$$P_{H_0} \left\{ x : \frac{n-p}{p(n-1)} T^2 > \frac{n-p}{p(n-1)} c \right\} = \alpha$$

critical region

$$c = \frac{p(n-1)}{n-p} F_{p, n-p, \alpha}.$$



Likelihood ratio test (Neymann Pearson Lemma)



$$H_0 : \Theta = \Theta_0$$

$$H_1 : \Theta \neq \Theta_0$$

$$\underline{L} = \frac{\sup_{\theta \in \hat{H}_0} L(\underline{\theta})}{\sup_{\theta \in \Theta} L(\underline{\theta})}$$

$$0 \leq \underline{L} \leq 1$$

If $\underline{L} \rightarrow 1$, then it indicates that the sample statistics for $\theta = \theta_0$ is supported by almost all samples.

for critical region

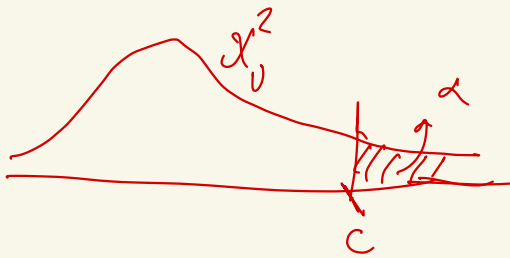
(H_0 is true but reject H_0)

we have to find out const $c \rightarrow 0^+$ such that

$P_{H_0}(\underline{L} < c) = \alpha$, where $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ is the level of significance or area of critical region.

Distribution of Λ is not precisely known, but what we know is that if sample size $n \rightarrow \infty$, then asymptotically

$$-2 \ln \Lambda \xrightarrow{D} \chi^2_D, \text{ where } D = \dim \Theta - \dim \Theta_0.$$



Aim: To simplify the expression of Λ (Wilk's lambda)

Recall from notes, assume population to be $N_p(\mu, \Sigma)$, Σ is not known & $\mu_{p \times 1}$ is to be estimated using sampling.

$$H_0: \mu = \mu_0$$

$$H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0.$$

$$L(\mu, \Sigma) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\Sigma|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \left(\text{trace}(\Sigma^{-1} S_n) + (\bar{x} - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (\bar{x} - \mu) \right)\right)$$

$$\text{MLE of } \mu = \hat{\mu} = \bar{x}$$

$$\text{MLE of } \Sigma = \hat{\Sigma} = S_n = \frac{n-1}{n} S$$

$$\therefore \sup_{(\mu, \Sigma)} L(\mu, \Sigma) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\hat{\Sigma}|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{np}{2}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \Sigma: \text{symm. pd} \\ & \text{matrix of} \\ & p \times p \\ & \mu \in \mathbb{R}^p. \end{aligned} \quad = L(\hat{\mu}, \hat{\Sigma})$$

For numerator in L , we assume μ_0 is true so $\mu = \mu_0$.

$$L(\mu, \Sigma) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\Sigma|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu_0)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x_i - \mu_0)\right)$$

original defⁿ.

$$\sup L(\mu, \Sigma) = ?$$

Σ : p.p.p symm
pd matrices

$$L(\mu, \Sigma) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\Sigma|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \text{trace}\left[\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu_0)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x_i - \mu_0)\right]\right)$$

$$= \quad || \quad \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{trace}\left[(x_i - \mu_0)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x_i - \mu_0)\right]\right)$$

$$= \quad || \quad \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{trace}\left[\Sigma^{-1} (x_i - \mu_0)^T (x_i - \mu_0)\right]\right)$$

$$= \quad || \quad \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{trace}\left(\frac{\Sigma^{-1} (x_i - \mu_0)^T (x_i - \mu_0)}{n}\right)\right)$$

$$= \quad || \quad \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \text{trace} \Sigma^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \mu_0)(x_i - \mu_0)^T}{n}\right)$$

$$= \quad || \quad \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \text{trace}(\Sigma^{-1} S_0)\right)$$

$$S_0 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu_0)(x_i - \mu_0)^T$$

$$\Rightarrow L(\mu, \Sigma) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |\Sigma|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} \text{trace}(\Sigma^{-1} S_0)\right)$$

$$\underset{\Sigma}{\text{maximize}} \quad L(\mu, \Sigma)$$

Apply the same steps as done while calculating MLE of Σ (using eigenvalues of $\Sigma^{-1} S_0$), we can finally arrive at that, the maximum $L(\mu_0, \Sigma)$ is attained $\underset{\Sigma}$ when $\Sigma = S_0$.

$$\therefore \text{Maximum value} = L(\mu_0, S_0) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{np/2} |S_0|^{n/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2} p\right)$$

$L \text{ (2)}$

$$\therefore \mathcal{L} = \frac{(2)}{(1)}$$

$$= \frac{|S_n|^{n/2}}{|S_0|^{n/2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{n} \ln \mathcal{L} = \ln |S_n| - \ln |S_0|$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 \ln \mathcal{L} = n (\ln |S_0| - \ln |S_n|)$$

$$S_0 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu_0)(x_i - \mu_0)^T$$

$$S_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(x_i - \bar{x})^T.$$