## Assignment #5 — Due: Wednesday, December 16, 2020, by 11:50 p.m.

Use R to answer the questions. Your answers should include some selected, relevant outputs or graphs but not necessarily all of them. Download the data set, Gasoline.txt from the blackboard. Definition of the variables is given below.

Variable	Definition
$\overline{Y}$	Miles/gallon
$X_1$	Displacement (cubic inches)
$X_2$	Horsepower (feet/pound)
$X_3$	Torque (feet/pound)
$X_4$	Compression ratio
$X_5$	Rear axle ratio
$X_6$	Carburetor (barrels)
$X_7$	Number of transmission speeds
$X_8$	Overall length (inches)
$X_9$	Width (inches)
$X_{10}^{"}$	Weight (pounds)
$X_{11}$	Type of transmission $(1 = automatic; 0 = manual)$

- 1. [10 points] Compute the correlation matrix of the predictor variables  $X_1, \dots, X_{11}$  and the corresponding pairwise scatter plots. Identify any evidence of multicollinearity.
- 2. [10 points] Compute the eigenvalues. How many principle components are required if we want to retain at least 85% of the information in the covariates (X)?
- 3. [10 points] Compute the variance inflation factor (VIF) for each of the predictor variables. Which predictors are affected by the presence of multicollinearity?
- 4. [10 points] Calculate two principle components  $(Z_1, \text{ and } Z_2)$  based on the correlation matrix of X. Then, show the principle components for the first three observations. (These are called PC scores.) Do not use > pcr() function.
- 5. [10 points] Select a model using a forward selection method based on BIC. Write the fitted regression equation. (Use > step() function to answer this question. Specifically, your coding must include  $X_6$  and exclude  $X_{11}$  during the selection procedure.)
- 6. [10 points] Use best subset selection method to choose the 'best' model using an adjusted  $R^2$ . Use > regsubsets() function to answer this question. Specifically, your coding must include  $X_6$  and exclude  $X_{11}$  during the selection procedure. Justify your answer by showing a plot. (Use a default value for nbest option.) Which variables are contained in your best model?
- 7. [10 points] Covariance matrix M is given as below.

$$\mathbf{M} = \left(\begin{array}{cc} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{array}\right)$$

Derive the two principle components  $(Z_1 \text{ and } Z_2)$  by hand calculation. (Answers using R will get zero point. Do not type but write using hand then scan or take a photo your hand-written answer. Then combine it with other answers to make a one pdf file.)