

$$\left. \begin{aligned} X &\sim N(\mu_x, \sigma_x^2) \\ Y &= \alpha_0 + \beta_1 X + \varepsilon \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$\varepsilon$  is independent of  $X$

$$\varepsilon \sim N[0, \sigma_\varepsilon^2]$$


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Derived the joint distribution of  $(X, Y)$   
in terms of  $(\mu_x, \mu_y, \sigma_x^2, \sigma_y^2, \rho)$

$$f_{X,Y}(x, y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma_x\sigma_y(1-\rho^2)^{1/2}} \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2(1-\rho^2)} \right] \quad \boxed{E}$$

$$\boxed{E = \left( \frac{x-\mu_x}{\sigma_x} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{y-\mu_y}{\sigma_y} \right)^2 - 2\rho \left( \frac{x-\mu_x}{\sigma_x} \right) \left( \frac{y-\mu_y}{\sigma_y} \right)}$$

Normalized forms of  $(X, Y)$

$$\boxed{BVN[\mu_x, \mu_y, \sigma_x^2, \sigma_y^2, \rho]}$$

Exercise:  $\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1x + b_1y \\ a_2x + b_2y \end{pmatrix}$

$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 \end{pmatrix}$  is non-singular matrix,

then  $\begin{pmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{pmatrix}$  has a  $BVN$  distribution

How? Use COVT.

Parameters:  $(\mu_{w_1}, \mu_{w_2}, \sigma_{w_1}^2, \sigma_{w_2}^2, \rho_{w_1 w_2})$

These can be worked out completely  
in terms of the parameters we start  
with.

Specifically, if  $w_1 = \frac{x - \mu_x}{\sigma_x}$

$$w_2 = \frac{y - \mu_y}{\sigma_y}$$

Then:  $w_1 \sim N(0, 1), w_2 \sim N(0, 1)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{pmatrix} \sim BVN[(0, 0, 1, 1, \rho)]$$

[check] ←

$$f_{W_1, W_2}(w_1, w_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi(1-\rho^2)^{1/2}} \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2(1-\rho^2)} (w_1^2 + w_2^2 - 2\rho w_1 w_2) \right]$$

We'll show that  $X$  can also be expressed as a linear model in  $\gamma$ .

To that end, first show that  $w_1$  is expressible as a linear model in  $w_2$ .

$$f_{W_1, W_2}(w_1, w_2)$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{1/2}} \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} w_2^2 \right] \right]$$

marginal of  $w_2$

conditional  
of  $w_1 | w_2 = w_2$

$$X = \frac{\exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2(1-\rho^2)} (w_1^2 + w_2^2 - 2\rho w_1 w_2 - w_2^2 (1-\rho^2)) \right]}{(2\pi)^{1/2} (1-\rho^2)^{1/2}}$$

$$f_{W_1} | w_2 = w_2 \quad (\omega_1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{1/2} (1-\rho^2)^{1/2}} \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} (w_1 - \rho w_2)^2 \right]$$

(look at  $w_1^2 + w_2^2 - 2\rho w_1 w_2$   
 $\oplus -w_2^2 (1 - \rho^2)$ )

$$= w_1^2 + w_2^2 \rho^2 - 2\rho w_1 w_2$$

$$= (w_1 - \rho w_2)^2$$

$$w_1 | w_2 = w_2 \sim N[\rho w_2, 1 - \rho^2]$$

To get at LM representation,

define:  $\begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} w_2 \\ w_1 - \rho w_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} w_2 \\ w_1 - \rho w_2 \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} \varepsilon \\ \varepsilon \end{matrix}$

again we COVT to show that  
 $w_2$  and  $\varepsilon$  are independent

and so:

$$w_1 = \rho w_2 + \tilde{\varepsilon} \quad \text{with } \tilde{\varepsilon} \text{ ind. of } w_2, \text{ and } \tilde{\varepsilon} \sim N[0, 1 - \rho^2].$$

This gives an LM representation.

$$\text{so: } \frac{x - \mu_x}{\sigma_x} = \rho \cdot \frac{y - \mu_y}{\sigma_y} + \tilde{\varepsilon}$$

simplify to see that:

$$x = \tilde{\alpha}_0 + \tilde{\beta}_0 y + \tilde{\varepsilon}$$

where  $y \sim N[\mu_y, \sigma_y^2]$  and

$$\tilde{\varepsilon} \perp\!\!\!\perp y.$$

Next, we talk about the general multivariate normal distribution in  $p$  dimensions for some  $p \geq 2$ .

We'd like to define the notion of a random variable  $X \sim N_p(\mu, \Sigma)$

$$\mu = E\mathbf{X}, \Sigma = \text{Disp}(\mathbf{X})$$

$$= E[(\mathbf{X} - \mu)(\mathbf{X} - \mu)^T]$$

$\Sigma$  is a positive-definite matrix.

Given any  $\Sigma$ -p.d. there exists a  $p \times p$  matrix  $B$  of full rank such that  $\Sigma = BB^T$ .

Since  $\Sigma$  is positive definite, we can express  $\Sigma = U \Lambda U^T$  where  $U_{p \times p}$  is an orthonormal matrix (i.e.  $U^T U = U^T U = I$ ) and  $\Lambda$  is a diagonal matrix:  $\Lambda = \text{diag}(\lambda_{11}, \dots, \lambda_{pp})$  where  $\lambda_i > 0 \forall i$ . ( $\Sigma u = \Lambda u$ )

eigen-vectors  $\downarrow$  eigen-values

$$\Sigma = \frac{U \Lambda U^T}{(U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T) U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T}$$

$$\Lambda^{1/2} = \text{diag}(\lambda_1^{1/2}, \lambda_2^{1/2}, \dots, \lambda_p^{1/2})$$

Then  $\Sigma = B^2$  ( $B^T = B$ )

$B$  is called the symmetric square root of  $\Sigma$ .

Let  $z \sim N_p(0, I_p)$  by this  
mean that  $Z = \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_p \end{pmatrix}$  where

$z_1, z_2, \dots, z_p$  are i.i.d  $N(0, 1)$

$$f_Z(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_p) = \prod_{i=1}^p \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} z_i^2}$$

$$\rightarrow = \frac{\exp(-\frac{1}{2} \|z\|^2)}{(2\pi)^{p/2}}$$

$$\|z\| = \sqrt{\sum z_i^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{p/2}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum z_i^2\right]$$

Have refined the canonical multivariate normal random vector.

Now define the class of non-singular  
 $p$ -variate normal distribution  
as the class of distributions of all  
non-singular affine transformations  
of  $Z$ , i.e.

consider  $\underline{X} = \underline{\mu} + B\underline{Z}$  where  
 $\mu \in \mathbb{R}^p$  and  $B_{p \times p}$  is a non-singular  
matrix with  $BB^T$  being denoted  $\Sigma$ .

Use the COVT to show:

$$\begin{aligned} E\underline{X} &= \underline{\mu} \\ \text{Disp}(\underline{X}) &= BB^T \\ &= \Sigma \end{aligned}$$

$$f_{\underline{X}}(\underline{x}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{p/2} |\Sigma|^{1/2}} \cdot$$

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

density function  $\uparrow$

$$\underline{x} \in \mathbb{R}^p$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Disp}(x) &= E[(x - \mu)(x - \mu)^T] \\
 &= E[BZ(BZ)^T] \\
 &= E[BZ Z^T B^T] \\
 &= B E[Z Z^T] B^T \\
 &= B I B^T = \Sigma
 \end{aligned}$$

Easy check: any affine transformation of  $x$  is also MvN (multivariate normal)

$y = \gamma + Cx$  where  $C$  is non-singular

Then,

$$y \sim \text{MvN}[\gamma + C\mu, C\Sigma C^T]$$

[Prove using COVT.]

Yet another application of COVT.

Suppose  $X \sim N(\mu, \Sigma)$   
and  $\Sigma = B^2$  (as indicated before)  
and define  $Y = B^{-1}(X - \mu)$   
 $\equiv \Sigma^{1/2}(X - \mu)$

(notation:  $B = \Sigma^{1/2}$ )

show that  $Y \sim N[0, I_p]$  i.e.  
 $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_p$  are i.i.d  $N[0, 1]$ .

Moment generating functions:

Suppose  $Z \sim N[0, I_p]$ .

$$\text{so } f_Z(z) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{1/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}z^T z\right)$$

Calculate:  $M_Z(t) = \mathbb{E}[e^{t^T Z}]$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Show this is } & \exp\left(\frac{1}{2}t^T t\right) \\ &= \exp\left(\frac{1}{2}t^T t\right)\end{aligned}$$

if  $X \sim N_p(\mu, \Sigma)$ ,  
use the fact that  $X = \mu + BZ$   
for  $B$ , the symmetric square root of  $\Sigma$ ,  
and  $Z \sim N_p(0, I_p)$  to conclude

that :

$$M_X(t) = E[e^{t^T X}] = e^{\mu t + \frac{1}{2} t^T \Sigma t}$$

Critical property of Normal Distributions:

For normal random vectors  $(X_1, X_2)$   
(i.e  $(X_1, X_2)$  have a joint normal

distribution) independence is

equivalent to  $\text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) = 0$ .

$$\underline{\Sigma_{12} = \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2)} = \left[ \text{Cov}(X_{1i}, X_{2j}) \right]_{1 \leq i \leq p_1, 1 \leq j \leq p_2}$$

where  $X_1 = (X_{11}, \dots, X_{1p_1})^T$        $1 \leq j \leq p_2$   
 $X_2 = (X_{21}, \dots, X_{2p_2})^T$

$$X_{p \times 1} = \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad f = f_1 + f_2.$$

Let  $X_p \sim N[\mu, \Sigma]$ .

$$\Rightarrow = N \left[ \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \Sigma_{11} & \Sigma_{12} \\ \Sigma_{21} & \Sigma_{22} \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

$$\Sigma_{11}, p_1 \times p_1 = Disp(X_1)$$

$$= E[(X_1 - \mu_1)(X_1 - \mu_1)^T]$$

$$\Sigma_{22}, p_2 \times p_2 = E[(X_2 - \mu_2)(X_2 - \mu_2)^T]$$

$$\Sigma_{12}, p_1 \times p_2 = E[(X_1 - \mu_1)(X_2 - \mu_2)^T]$$

$$\Sigma_{21}, p_2 \times p_1 = \Sigma_{12}^T$$

$$\mu_1 = E[X_1], \mu_2 = E[X_2]$$

① Suppose  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are independent  
Then trivially,  $\Sigma_{12} = 0$ .

$$\Sigma_{12} = \mathbb{E} \left[ \begin{pmatrix} x_{11} - \mu_{11} \\ \vdots \\ x_{1p_1} - \mu_{1p_1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_{21} - \mu_{21}, \dots, \\ \vdots \\ x_{2p_2} - \mu_{2p_2} \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

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$$(\Sigma_{12})_{ij}$$

$$= \mathbb{E} [(x_{1i} - \mu_{1i})(x_{2j} - \mu_{2j})]$$

$$= 0$$

because  $x_{1i}$  is independent of  $x_{2j}$ .

Next suppose that  $\Sigma_{12} = 0$ .

$$f_{X_1, X_2}(x_1, x_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{p/2} |\Sigma|^{1/2}} \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \frac{(x-\mu)^\top \Sigma^{-1} (x-\mu)}{(x-\mu)} \right]$$

$$\underline{x} = (x_1, x_2)$$

Look at:

$$(x - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x - \mu)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} & | \Sigma | \\ & = |\Sigma_{11}| |\Sigma_{22}| \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$= [(x_1 - \mu_1)^T, (x_2 - \mu_2)^T]$$

$$x \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & \Sigma_{22} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - \mu_1 \\ x_2 - \mu_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= [(x_1 - \mu_1)^T, (x_2 - \mu_2)^T] \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_{11}^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \Sigma_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 - \mu_1 \\ x_2 - \mu_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \underline{(x_1 - \mu_1)^T \Sigma_{11}^{-1} (x_1 - \mu_1)}$$

$$+ \underline{(x_2 - \mu_2)^T \Sigma_{22}^{-1} (x_2 - \mu_2)}$$

Simplify the joint density:

$$f_{X_1, X_2}(x_1, x_2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{n/2} |\Sigma_{11}|^{1/2} |\Sigma_{22}|^{1/2}} \\ &\times \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} (x_1 - \mu_1)^\top \Sigma_{11}^{-1} (x_1 - \mu_1) \right] \\ &\times \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} (x_2 - \mu_2)^\top \Sigma_{22}^{-1} (x_2 - \mu_2) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Joint density splits as product of functions involving  $x_1$  and  $x_2$

respectively

Easily deduced that -

$$\begin{aligned} f_{X_1}(x_1) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{n/2} |\Sigma_{11}|^{1/2}} \exp \left( \cancel{\Phi} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (x_1 - \mu_1)^\top \Sigma_{11}^{-1} (x_1 - \mu_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} X_1, X_2 &\text{ indep.} \\ X_1 &\sim N(\mu_1, \Sigma_{11}) \\ X_2 &\sim N(\mu_2, \Sigma_{22}) \end{aligned} \right\} \quad \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

When  $\Sigma_{12} \neq 0$ , what can we say about conditional distributions?

How do we know in general that  $X_1 \sim N(\mu_1, \Sigma_{11})$ ?

I could integrate out w.r.t.  $X_2$ !

$$\text{or: } \underbrace{\mathbb{E} [\exp(t_1^T X_1)]}_{\rightarrow} \quad t_1 \cdot \beta_1 x_1$$

$$= \mathbb{E} [\exp[(t_1^T, 0^T) \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{pmatrix}]] \quad \leftarrow$$

where  $\underline{\theta} = \underline{\theta}_2 \times 1$  vector of 0's

$$= \mathbb{E} \left[ \underline{(t_1^T, 0^T)} \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \underline{(t_1^T, 0^T)} \begin{pmatrix} \Sigma_{11} & \Sigma_{12} \\ \Sigma_{21} & \Sigma_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

$$= \mathbb{E} \left[ \exp \left( t_1^T \mu_1 + \frac{1}{2} t_1^T \Sigma_{11} t_1 \right) \right]$$

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precisely mgf of  $N(\mu_1, \Sigma_{11})$ !

