

STAT 3690 Lecture Note

Part I: R and matrix basics

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Syllabus

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Timeline

- Lectures
 - Mon/Wed/Fri 9:30–10:20 am
- Office Hour
 - Wed 10:30–11:30 am
- Assessments
 - 4 or 5 Assignments
 - Midterm
 - Final project

Grading

- Assignments (30%)
 - Scanned/photographed and submitted to Crowdmark
 - Attaching both outputs and source codes (if applicable)
 - Including necessary interpretation
 - Organized in a clear and readable way
 - Accepting NO late submission
- Midterm (35%)
 - Open-book
 - In-person on Mar 10 6–8 pm OR take-home (webcam-invigilated) NOT later than Mar. 20
- Final project (35%)
 - Individual report analyzing recently collected datasets
 - See the Project Guideline posted at UM Learn

Materials

- Reading list (recommended but not required)
 - [J&W] R. A. Johnson & D. W. Wichern. (2007). *Applied Multivariate Statistical Analysis*, 5/6th Ed. London: Pearson Education.
 - * 2HR print reserve in the Sciences and Technology Library
 - [R&C] A. C. Rencher & W. F. Christensen. (2012). *Methods of Multivariate Analysis*, 3rd Ed. Hoboken: Wiley.
 - * Digital copy accessible via the library
 - D. Salsburg (2001). *The Lady Tasting Tea: How Statistics Revolutionized Science in the Twentieth Century*. New York: WH Freeman.
- Lecture notes and beyond
 - zhiyanggeezhou.github.io
 - UM Learn

Outline

- Topics to be covered
 - Matrix manipulation
 - Basics of statistical modeling
 - Multivariate normal distribution
 - Inference on a mean vector
 - Comparisons of several multivariate means
 - Multivariate linear regression
 - Principal component analysis
 - Factor analysis
 - Canonical correlation analysis
 - and so forth

R basics

- Installation
 - download and install BASE *R* from <https://cran.r-project.org>
 - download and install *Rstudio* from <https://www.rstudio.com>
 - download and install packages via *Rstudio*
- Working directory
 - When you ask *R* to open a certain file, it will look in the working directory for this file.
 - When you tell *R* to save a data file or figure, it will save it in the working directory.

```
getwd()
mainDir <- "c:/"
subDir <- "stat3690"
dir.create(file.path(mainDir, subDir), showWarnings = FALSE)
setwd(file.path(mainDir, subDir))
```

- Packages
 - installation: `install.packages()`
 - loading: `library()`

```
install.packages('nlme')
library(nlme)
```

- Help manual: `help()`, `?`, google, stackoverflow, etc.

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- *R* is free but not cheap
 - Open-source
 - Citing packages
 - NO quality control
 - Requiring statistical sophistication
 - Time-consuming to become a master

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- References for *R*
 - M. L. Rizzo (2019) Statistical Computing with R, 2nd Ed. (forthcoming)
 - O. Jones, R. Maillardet, A. Robinson (2014) Introduction to Scientific Programming and Simulation Using R, 2nd Ed.
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 - Courses online
 - <https://www.pluralsight.com/search?q=R>
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 - Data types: let `str()` or `class()` tell you
 - numbers (integer, real, or complex)
 - characters (“abc”)
 - logical (TRUE or FALSE)
 - date & time
 - factor (commonly encountered in this course)
 - NA (different from Inf, “ ”, 0, NaN etc.)

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- Data structures: let `str()` or `class()` tell you
 - vector: an ordered collection of the same data type
 - matrix: two-dimensional collection of the same data type
 - array: more than two dimensional collection of the same data type
 - data frame: collection of vectors of same length but of arbitrary data types
 - list: collection of arbitrary objects

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- Data input and output
 - create
 - * vector: `c()`, `seq()`, `rep()`
 - * matrix: `matrix()`, `cbind()`, `rbind()`
 - * data frame

- output: write.table(), write.csv(), write.xlsx()
- import: read.table(), read.csv(), read.xlsx()
 - * header: whether or not assume variable names in first row
 - * stringsAsFactors: whether or not convert character string to factors
- scan(): a more general way to input data
- save.image() and load(): save and reload workspace
- source(): run R script

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- Parenthesis in R
 - parenthesis () to enclose inputs for functions
 - square brackets [], [[]] for indexing
 - braces {} to enclose forloop or statements such as if or ifelse
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```
# Create numeric vectors
```

```
v1 = c(1,2,3); v1
v2 = seq(4,6,by=0.5); v2
v3 = c(v1,v2); v3
v4 = rep(pi,5); v4
v5 = rep(v1,2); v5
v6 = rep(v1,each=2); v6
# Create Character vector
v7 <- c("one", "two", "three"); v7
# Select specific elements
v1[c(1,3)]
v7[2]
```

```
# Create matrices
```

```
m1 = matrix(-1:4, nrow=2); m1
m2 = matrix(-1:4, nrow=2, byrow=TRUE); m2
m3 = cbind(m1,m2); m3
(m4 = cbind(m1,m2))
```

```
# Create a data frame
```

```
e <- c(1,2,3,4)
f <- c("red", "white", "black", NA)
g <- c(TRUE,TRUE,TRUE,FALSE)
mydata <- data.frame(e,f,g)
names(mydata) <- c("ID", "Color", "Passed") # name variable
mydata
```

```
# Output
```

```
write.csv(mydata, file='mydata.csv', row.names=F)
```

```
# Import
```

```
(simple = read.csv('mydata.csv', header=TRUE, stringsAsFactors=TRUE))
class(simple)
class(simple[[1]])
class(simple[[2]])
class(simple[[3]])
(simple = read.csv('mydata.csv', header=FALSE, stringsAsFactors=FALSE))
class(simple[[3]])
```

```
# EXERCISE
```

```
# Create a matrix with 2 rows and 6 columns such that it contains the numbers 1,4,7,...,34.
```

```
# Make sure the numbers are increasing row-wise; ie, 4 should be in the second column.  
# Use the seq() function to generate the numbers. Do NOT type them out by hand!
```

```
# ANSWER
```

```
matrix(seq(from=1, to=34, by=3), nrow=2)
```

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- Elementary arithmetic operators
 - +, -, *, /, ^
 - log, exp, sin, cos, tan, sqrt
 - FALSE and TRUE becoming 0 and 1, respectively
 - sum(), mean(), median(), min(), max(), var(), sd(), summary()
 - Matrix calculation
 - element-wise multiplication: A * B
 - matrix multiplication: A %*% B
 - singular value decomposition: eigen(A)
 - Loops: for() and while()

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- Probabilities
 - normal distribution: dnorm(), pnorm(), qnorm(), rnorm()
 - uniform distribution: dunif(), punif(), qunif(), runif()
 - multivariate normal distribution: dmvnorm(), rmvnorm()

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# Generate two datasets
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```
set.seed(100)  
x = rnorm(250, mean=0, sd=1)  
y = runif(250, -3, 3)
```

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- Basic plots
 - strip chart, histogram, box plot, scatter plot
 - Package ggplot2 (RECOMMENDED)

```
# Strip chart
```

```
stripchart(x)
```

```
# Histogram
```

```
hist(x)
```

```
# Box plot
```

```
boxplot(x)
```

```
# Side-by-side box plot
```

```
xy = data.frame(normal=x, uniform=y)
```

```
boxplot(xy)
```

```
# Scatter Plot with fitted line
```

```
plot(x, y, xlab="x", ylab = "y", main = "scatter plot between x and y")
```

```
abline(lm(y~x))
```

```

# EXERCISE
# Play with a data set called "Gasoline" included in the package "nlme".
# 1. How many variables are contained in this data set? What are they?
# 2. Generate a histogram of yield and calculate the five number summary for it.
#    What is the shape of the histogram?
# 3. Generate side-by-side boxplots,
#    comparing the temperature at which all the gasoline is vaporized (endpoint) to sample.
#    Does it seem that the temperatures at which all the gasoline is vaporized differ by sample?
# 4. Generate a plot that illustrates the relationship between yield and endpoint.
#    Describe the relationship between these two variables.
# 5. What if the plot created in Q4 were separated by sample?
#    Generate a plot of yield v.s. endpoint, separated by sample.

# ANSWER
attach(nlme::Gasoline)
# 1. Six variables: yield, endpoint, sample, API, vapor, ASTM
# 2.
summary(yield)
hist(yield, nclass=50)
# 3.
boxplot(endpoint ~ Sample)
anova(lm(endpoint ~ Sample))
# 4.
plot(x=endpoint, y=yield, xlab="endpoint", ylab = "yield",
     main = "scatter plot between endpoint and yield")
abline(lm(yield~endpoint))
# 5.
par(mfrow=c(2,5))
for (i in 1:10){
  plot(x=endpoint[Sample==i], y=yield[Sample==i], xlab='', ylab='', main=paste('Sample=', i))
  abline(lm(yield[Sample==i]~endpoint[Sample==i]))
}
# Do not forget to detach the dataset after using it.
detach(nlme::Gasoline)

```

Matrix basics

Matrix decomposition

- Eigen-decomposition (for square matrix $\mathbf{A}_{n \times n}$): $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{V}\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{V}^{-1}$
 - $\mathbf{\Lambda} = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n)$
 - $\lambda_1 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_n$ are the eigenvalues of \mathbf{A} , i.e., n roots of characteristic equation $\det(\lambda \mathbf{I}_n - \mathbf{A}) = 0$
 - $\mathbf{V} = [\mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n]_{n \times n}$
 - $\mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n$ are (right) eigenvectors of \mathbf{A} , i.e., $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{v}_i = \lambda_i \mathbf{v}_i$
 - Implementation in *R*: `eigen()`

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- Spectral decomposition (for symmetric \mathbf{A}): $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{V}\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{V}^T$
 - \mathbf{V} is orthogonal, i.e., $\mathbf{V}^T = \mathbf{V}^{-1}$

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- Singular value decomposition (SVD) for $n \times p$ matrix \mathbf{B} : $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{S}\mathbf{W}^T$
 - $\mathbf{U} = [\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_n]_{n \times n}$ with \mathbf{u}_i the i th eigenvector of $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{B}^T$

- * \mathbf{U} is orthogonal
- $\mathbf{W} = [\mathbf{w}_1, \dots, \mathbf{w}_p]_{p \times p}$ with \mathbf{w}_i the i th eigenvector of $\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{B}$
- * \mathbf{W} is orthogonal

$$\mathbf{S} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{S}_1 & \mathbf{0}_{n \times (p-n)} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times p} \text{ if } n \leq p \text{ AND } \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{S}_1 & \dots & \mathbf{0}_{(n-p) \times p} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times p} \text{ if } n > p$$

- * $\mathbf{S}_1 = \text{diag}(s_1, \dots, s_n)$ if $n \leq p$ and $\text{diag}(s_1, \dots, s_p)$ if $n > p$
- * $s_1 \geq \dots \geq s_n$ are square roots of eigenvalues of $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{B}^\top$
- * $s_1 \geq \dots \geq s_p$ are square roots of eigenvalues of $\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{B}$
- Thin/compact SVD for $n \times p$ matrix \mathbf{B} :

$$\mathbf{B} = [\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_r] \text{diag}(s_1, \dots, s_r) [\mathbf{w}_1, \dots, \mathbf{w}_r]^\top = s_1 \mathbf{u}_1 \mathbf{w}_1^\top + \dots + s_r \mathbf{u}_r \mathbf{w}_r^\top$$

- * $r = \text{rank}(\mathbf{B}) \leq \min\{n, p\}$
- * $s_1 \geq \dots \geq s_r > 0$ are square roots of non-zero eigenvalues of $\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{B}$ or $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{B}^\top$
- * Implementation via R: `svd()`

- The connection of decompositions

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Spectral decomposition} & \Leftrightarrow & \text{Eigen-decomposition} \\ \text{(for symmetric matrices)} & & \text{(for square matrices)} \\ \uparrow & & \\ \text{(Thin) SVD} & & \\ \text{(for any matrices)} & & \end{array}$$

```
options(digits = 4) # control the number of significant digits
set.seed(1)
# Generate a symmetric matrix
A = matrix(runif(12), nrow = 2, ncol = 6)
B = t(A) %*% A # guaranteed to be symmetric
isSymmetric(B) # check symmetry
# Eigen-decomposition
(res_eigen = eigen(B))
res_eigen$vectors %*% diag(res_eigen$values) %*% t(res_eigen$vectors) - B # diff between B and decompos
# SVD
(res_svd = svd(B))
res_svd$u %*% diag(res_svd$d) %*% t(res_svd$v) - B # diff between B and decomposed B
# Thin SVD
r = qr(B)$rank # rank
res_svd$u[,1:r] %*% diag(res_svd$d[1:r]) %*% t(res_svd$v[,1:r]) - B # diff between B and decomposed B
# Comparing eigen-decomposition and SVD
res_eigen$values - res_svd$d
res_eigen$vectors - res_svd$u
res_eigen$vectors - res_svd$v
```

Square root and inverse of positive (semi-)definite matrix

- \mathbf{A} is positive semi-definite (say $\mathbf{A} \geq 0$) iff \mathbf{A} is symmetric and its eigenvalues are all non-negative
 - Equiv., $\mathbf{u}^\top \mathbf{A} \mathbf{u} \geq 0$ for any non-zero real n -vector \mathbf{u} (i.e., $n \times 1$ real matrix, say $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$ OR $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{R}^n$)
- If $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{V} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{V}^\top$ is the spectral decomposition of positive semi-definite \mathbf{A} , then $\mathbf{A}^{1/2} = \mathbf{V} \mathbf{\Lambda}^{1/2} \mathbf{V}^\top$, where

- $\Lambda^{1/2} = \text{diag}(\lambda_1^{1/2}, \dots, \lambda_n^{1/2})$
- $\mathbf{A}^{1/2} \mathbf{A}^{1/2} = \mathbf{A}$
- \mathbf{A} is positive definite (say $\mathbf{A} > 0$) iff \mathbf{A} is symmetric and its eigenvalues are all positive
 - Equiv., $\mathbf{u}^\top \mathbf{A} \mathbf{u} > 0$ for all non-zero $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- If $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{V} \Lambda \mathbf{V}^\top$ is the spectral decomposition of positive definite \mathbf{A} , then
 - $\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{V} \Lambda^{-1} \mathbf{V}^\top$, where $\Lambda^{-1} = \text{diag}(\lambda_1^{-1}, \dots, \lambda_n^{-1})$
 - $\mathbf{A}^{-1/2} = \mathbf{V} \Lambda^{-1/2} \mathbf{V}^\top$ is the inverse of $\mathbf{A}^{1/2}$ and also the root of \mathbf{A}^{-1} , where $\Lambda^{-1/2} = \text{diag}(\lambda_1^{-1/2}, \dots, \lambda_n^{-1/2})$

```

options(digits = 4) # control the number of significant digits
set.seed(1)
## Generate a demo of positive semi-definite matrices
A = matrix(runif(12), nrow = 2, ncol = 6)
B = t(A) %*% A # guaranteed to be positive semi-definite
# Get the root of B via the eigen-decomposition of B
res_eigen_B = eigen(B)
B_root1 = res_eigen_B$vectors %*%
  diag((res_eigen_B$values*(res_eigen_B$values>1e-6))^.5) %*%
  t(res_eigen_B$vectors)
# Get the root of B via an existing function
B_root2 = expm::sqrtm(B)
# Comparing
B_root1 - B_root2

## Generate a demo of positive definite matrices
C = A %*% t(A) # (almost surely) guaranteed to be positive definite
# Get the inverse of C via the eigen-decomposition of B
res_eigen_C = eigen(C)
C_inv1 = res_eigen_C$vectors %*%
  diag(res_eigen_C$values^-1) %*%
  t(res_eigen_C$vectors)
# Get the inverse of C via an existing function
C_inv2 = solve(C)
# Comparing
C_inv1 - C_inv2

```

Determinant and trace

- Merely applicable to square matrices
- Properties for determinant
 - $\det(\mathbf{A}) = \prod_i \lambda_i$
 - $\det(\mathbf{A}^\top) = \det(\mathbf{A})$
 - $\det(\mathbf{A}^{-1}) = 1/\det(\mathbf{A})$
 - $\det(c \cdot \mathbf{A}) = c^n \det(\mathbf{A})$ for $n \times n$ matrix \mathbf{A} and scalar c
 - $\det(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B}) = \det(\mathbf{A})\det(\mathbf{B})$ if \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} are square matrices of the identical dimension
- Properties for trace
 - $\text{tr}(\mathbf{A}) = \sum_i \lambda_i$
 - $\text{tr}(c \cdot \mathbf{A}) = c \cdot \text{tr}(\mathbf{A})$ for scalar c
 - $\text{tr}(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = \text{tr}(\mathbf{A}) + \text{tr}(\mathbf{B})$ if \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} are square matrices of the identical dimension

- (Trace trick) $\text{tr}(\mathbf{A}_1 \cdots \mathbf{A}_k) = \text{tr}(\mathbf{A}_{k'+1} \cdots \mathbf{A}_k \mathbf{A}_1 \cdots \mathbf{A}_{k'})$ for $1 < k' < k$.
* Specifically, $\text{tr}(\mathbf{AB}) = \text{tr}(\mathbf{BA})$
 - Remark: $\det(\mathbf{A})$ and $\text{tr}(\mathbf{A})$ can be taken as measures of the size of \mathbf{A} when $\mathbf{A} > 0$
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Block/partitioned matrix

- A partition of matrix: Suppose \mathbf{A}_{11} is of $p \times r$, \mathbf{A}_{12} is of $p \times s$, \mathbf{A}_{21} is of $q \times r$ and \mathbf{A}_{22} is of $q \times s$. Make a new $(p+q) \times (r+s)$ -matrix by organizing \mathbf{A}_{ij} 's in a 2 by 2 way:

$$\mathbf{A} = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \mathbf{A}_{12} \\ \hline \mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{22} \end{array} \right]$$

e.g.,

$$\mathbf{A} = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ \hline 4 & 5 \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{c} 2 \\ 3 \\ \hline 6 \end{array} \right]$$

if

$$\mathbf{A}_{11} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{A}_{12} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{A}_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{A}_{22} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- Operations with block matrices
 - Working with partitioned matrices just like ordinary matrices
 - Matrix addition: if dimensions of \mathbf{A}_{ij} and \mathbf{B}_{ij} are quite the same, then

$$\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \mathbf{A}_{12} \\ \mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{22} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}_{11} & \mathbf{B}_{12} \\ \mathbf{B}_{21} & \mathbf{B}_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} + \mathbf{B}_{11} & \mathbf{A}_{12} + \mathbf{B}_{12} \\ \mathbf{A}_{21} + \mathbf{B}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{22} + \mathbf{B}_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Matrix multiplication: if $\mathbf{A}_{ij}\mathbf{B}_{jk}$ makes sense for each i, j, k , then

$$\mathbf{AB} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \mathbf{A}_{12} \\ \mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}_{11} & \mathbf{B}_{12} \\ \mathbf{B}_{21} & \mathbf{B}_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11}\mathbf{B}_{11} + \mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{B}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{11}\mathbf{B}_{12} + \mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{B}_{22} \\ \mathbf{A}_{21}\mathbf{B}_{11} + \mathbf{A}_{22}\mathbf{B}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{21}\mathbf{B}_{12} + \mathbf{A}_{22}\mathbf{B}_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Inverse: if \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{A}_{11} and \mathbf{A}_{22} are all invertible, then

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11.2}^{-1} & -\mathbf{A}_{11.2}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1} \\ -\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21}\mathbf{A}_{11.2}^{-1} & \mathbf{A}_{22.1}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

- * $\mathbf{A}_{11.2} = \mathbf{A}_{11} - \mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21}$
 - * $\mathbf{A}_{22.1} = \mathbf{A}_{22} - \mathbf{A}_{21}\mathbf{A}_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{12}$
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```
options(digits = 4)
set.seed(1)
## Generate an (almost surely) invertible matrix
(A = matrix(runif(9), nrow = 3, ncol = 3)) #

# Verify the inverse of partition matrix
## Method 1: following the above formula
(A11 = A[1:2, 1:2])
(A12 = matrix(A[1:2, 3], nrow = 2, ncol = 1))
(A21 = matrix(A[3, 1:2], nrow = 1, ncol = 2))
(A22 = matrix(A[3, 3], nrow = 1, ncol = 1))
(A11.2 = A11 - A12 %*% solve(A22) %*% A21)
(A22.1 = A22 - A21 %*% solve(A11) %*% A12)
```

```
(Ainv1 = rbind(
  cbind(solve(A11.2), -solve(A11.2) %*% A12 %*% solve(A22)),
  cbind(-solve(A22) %*% A21 %*% solve(A11.2), solve(A22.1))
))

## Method 2: solve()
Ainv2 = solve(A)

## Comparison
Ainv2 - Ainv1
```

An example utilizing matrix basics: rephrasing the ridge estimator