

4.10 The likelihood function is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
p(\mathbf{t}|\pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_K, \boldsymbol{\mu}_1, \boldsymbol{\mu}_2, \dots, \boldsymbol{\mu}_K, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) &= \prod_{n=1}^N \prod_{k=1}^K (\pi_k p(\phi_n | C_k))^{t_{nk}} \\
&= \prod_{n=1}^N \prod_{k=1}^K (\pi_k \mathcal{N}(\phi_n | \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}))^{t_{nk}}
\end{aligned}$$

The log-likelihood function is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \ln(\pi_k \mathcal{N}(\phi_n | \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})) \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \ln(\pi_k) + t_{nk} \ln(\mathcal{N}(\phi_n | \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})) \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \ln(\pi_k) + \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \ln(\mathcal{N}(\phi_n | \boldsymbol{\mu}_k, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})) \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \ln(\pi_k) + \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \left(-\frac{D}{2} \ln(2\pi) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(|\boldsymbol{\Sigma}|) - \frac{1}{2} (\phi_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}_k)^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} (\phi_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}_k) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

To maximize the log-likelihood w.r.t $\boldsymbol{\mu}_k$, we take the derivative w.r.t $\boldsymbol{\mu}_k$ and set it to 0:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\Rightarrow \frac{d}{d\boldsymbol{\mu}_k} p(\mathbf{t}|\pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_K, \boldsymbol{\mu}_1, \boldsymbol{\mu}_2, \dots, \boldsymbol{\mu}_K, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) \\
&= 0 + \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) (-2\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\phi_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}_k)) \quad \text{Using Eqn. 86 of matrix cookbook} \\
&\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} = \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} (\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\phi_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}_k)) \\
&\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} (\phi_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}_k) \\
&\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} = \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} (\phi_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}_k)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} \phi_n = \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} \mu_k \\
&\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} \phi_n = \mu_k \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} \\
&\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} \phi_n = \mu_k N_k \\
&\Rightarrow \mu_k = \frac{1}{N_k} \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} \phi_n.
\end{aligned}$$

To maximize the log-likelihood w.r.t Σ , we take the derivative w.r.t Σ and set it to 0:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\Rightarrow \frac{d}{d\Sigma} p(\mathbf{t} | \pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_K, \mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_K, \Sigma) \\
&= 0 + \frac{d}{d\Sigma} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \left(-\frac{D}{2} \ln(2\pi) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(|\Sigma|) - \frac{1}{2} (\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma^{-1} (\phi_n - \mu_k) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Using equations 49 and 61 of Matrix cookbook, we get:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} = \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \left(-\frac{1}{2} (\Sigma)^{-T} - \frac{1}{2} (-\Sigma^{-T}) (\phi_n - \mu_k) (\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma^{-T} \right) \\
&\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} = \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \Sigma^{-1} - \frac{1}{2} (-\Sigma^{-1}) (\phi_n - \mu_k) (\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma^{-1} \right) \\
&\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} = \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \Sigma^{-1} + \frac{1}{2} \Sigma^{-1} (\phi_n - \mu_k) (\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma^{-1} \right) \\
&\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} = \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} (-\Sigma^{-1} + \Sigma^{-1} (\phi_n - \mu_k) (\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma^{-1}) \\
&\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} = \left(\sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} (-\mathbf{I} + \Sigma^{-1} (\phi_n - \mu_k) (\phi_n - \mu_k)^T) \right) \Sigma^{-1}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} &= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} (-\mathbf{I} + \Sigma^{-1}(\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T) \\
\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} &= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K -t_{nk} \mathbf{I} + \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} \Sigma^{-1}(\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \\
\Rightarrow \mathbf{0} &= -\mathbf{I} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} + \Sigma^{-1} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} (\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \\
\Rightarrow \mathbf{I}N &= \Sigma^{-1} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} (\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \\
\Rightarrow \Sigma N &= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} (\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \\
\Rightarrow \Sigma &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K t_{nk} (\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \\
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\Rightarrow \Sigma &= \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{1}{N} \left(\frac{N_k}{N} \right) \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} (\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \\
\Rightarrow \Sigma &= \sum_{k=1}^K \left(\frac{N_k}{N} \right) \frac{1}{N_k} \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} (\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T \\
\text{Let } \mathbf{S}_k &= \frac{1}{N_k} \sum_{n=1}^N t_{nk} (\phi_n - \mu_k)(\phi_n - \mu_k)^T
\end{aligned}$$

This gives us:

$$\Sigma = \sum_{k=1}^K \left(\frac{N_k}{N} \right) \mathbf{S}_k.$$

Thus proved.