

## Exercise 12

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Q.1. Observed:  $x_c, x_o, x_s, x_n$  factors:  $f_v, f_p, f_n$   
 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$   
 $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$

(a) Factor analysis model:

$$\begin{aligned} x_{i,1} &= \lambda_{11} f_{i1} + \lambda_{12} f_{i2} + \lambda_{13} f_{i3} + e_{i,1} + \mu_c \\ x_{i,2} &= \lambda_{21} f_{i1} + \lambda_{22} f_{i2} + \lambda_{23} f_{i3} + e_{i,2} + \mu_o \\ x_{i,3} &= \lambda_{31} f_{i1} + \lambda_{32} f_{i2} + \lambda_{33} f_{i3} + e_{i,3} + \mu_s \\ x_{i,4} &= \lambda_{41} f_{i1} + \lambda_{42} f_{i2} + \lambda_{43} f_{i3} + e_{i,4} + \mu_n \end{aligned}$$

(b) Matrix Notation for factor analysis model:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{i,1} \\ x_{i,2} \\ x_{i,3} \\ x_{i,4} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_{11} & \lambda_{12} & \lambda_{13} \\ \lambda_{21} & \lambda_{22} & \lambda_{23} \\ \lambda_{31} & \lambda_{32} & \lambda_{33} \\ \lambda_{41} & \lambda_{42} & \lambda_{43} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_{i,1} \\ f_{i,2} \\ f_{i,3} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} e_{i,1} \\ e_{i,2} \\ e_{i,3} \\ e_{i,4} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \mu_c \\ \mu_o \\ \mu_s \\ \mu_n \end{bmatrix}$$

(c) Known Terms:  ~~$x_c$~~ ,  ~~$x_o$~~ ,  ~~$x_s$~~ ,  ~~$x_n$~~   $x$

Terms to be estimated:  ~~$\lambda$~~ ,  ~~$f$~~ ,  ~~$e$~~ ,  ~~$\mu$~~   $\lambda, f, e, \mu$

(d) Assumptions:

Latent variable (factor  $f$ ) follows a gaussian dist.  
 $f \sim \mathcal{N}(0, I)$

while Mean = 0 and covariance = I,

In [62]:

```
# Pkg.add("Cairo");
using Distributions

mu = [10 20 30 40]';
Lambda =
[1.0 0 0
 0 1.0 0
 0 0 1.0
 0.5 0.5 0];
Psi = diagm([0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4]);
d1 = MvNormal([0,0,0],ones(3));
X = zeros(50,4);
for i=1:50
f = rand(d1,1);
d2 = MvNormal(vec(mu+ Lambda*f),Psi);
x = rand(d2,1);
X[i,:] = x';
end
X
```

Out[62]:

```
50×4 Array{Float64,2}:
 10.9157  19.8912  31.1335  40.5303
 11.2593  20.2802  30.6414  42.1862
 11.6201  20.1413  28.482   39.8312
  9.38563 21.4925  29.369   40.9083
 10.1267  21.3495  29.3811  41.7121
  8.56655 21.3649  31.9531  39.7583
 10.8312  20.9982  30.7176  41.9568
 11.2732  20.8429  28.6785  40.8595
  7.76473 19.1212  29.1907  38.9001
 10.1661  20.8392  29.552   40.0082
 10.4591  21.4165  29.8694  39.7899
 10.5241  20.5505  27.0688  40.2748
 11.4772  20.6228  31.3478  39.9425
  ⋮
 10.938   20.1902  30.0361  40.0494
  9.87135 19.9888  29.6799  40.4248
  8.5961  20.3973  30.1045  40.4084
  8.05787 21.6147  30.914   40.4337
  9.81402 21.3347  30.7051  40.6769
  9.2221  21.2462  30.9303  40.511
  8.94407 18.3371  29.176   38.7042
 10.6674  19.4005  29.9369  41.2012
  9.58202 19.7752  28.6777  38.9778
 12.105   19.1915  29.1306  40.7783
  9.46215 20.3068  28.9354  40.3139
 11.6499  18.6145  30.4429  40.0936
```

In [63]:

```
function E_Step(X,mu,Lambda,Psi,k)
mu_f_by_x = (X - repmat(mu',size(X,1),1))*(Lambda'*inv(Lambda*Lambda' + Psi))';
Sig_f_by_x = eye(k) - Lambda'*inv(Lambda*Lambda' + Psi)*Lambda;
return mu_f_by_x,Sig_f_by_x;
end
```

Out[63]:

E\_Step (generic function with 1 method)

In [64]:

```
function M_Step(X,mu_f_by_x,Sig_f_by_x,k)
nrows, ncols = size(X);
#Computing mu
mu = mean(X,1)';
#Computing Lambda
Lambda_term1 = zeros(ncols,k);
Lambda_term2 = zeros(k,k);
for i=1:nrows
Lambda_term1 = Lambda_term1 + ((X[i,:] - mu)*mu_f_by_x[i,:])';
Lambda_term2 = Lambda_term2 + (mu_f_by_x[i,:]*mu_f_by_x[i,:])'+Sig_f_by_x;
end
Lambda = Lambda_term1*Lambda_term2;
#Computing Psi
Phi = zeros(ncols,ncols);
for i=1:nrows
Phi = Phi + (X[i,:]*X[i,:]' - X[i,:]*mu_f_by_x[i,:]'*Lambda' - Lambda*mu_f_by_x[i,:]);
end
Psi = diagm(diag(Phi./nrows));
return mu, Lambda, Psi
end
function compute_llh(X,mu,Lambda,Psi)
llh = 0;
for i=1:size(X,1)
llh = llh + log(pdf(MvNormal(vec(mu),(Lambda*Lambda')+Psi),X[i,:]));
end
return llh;
end
```

Out[64]:

compute\_llh (generic function with 1 method)

In [65]:

```
function fa_em(X,k)
    max_Iter = 100;
    eps = 0.0001;
    llh = -Inf*ones(max_Iter+1);
    mu = mean(X,1)';
    Lambda = rand(size(X,2),k);
    Psi = diagm(rand(size(X,2)));
    print(mu,"\n",Lambda,"\n",Psi,"\n");
    llh[1] = compute_llh(X,mu,Lambda,Psi);
    print(llh[1],"\n")
    for i=1:max_Iter
        print(i,"\n");
        mu_f_by_x,Sig_f_by_x = E_Step(X,mu,Lambda,Psi,k);
        mu_new, Lambda_new, Psi_new = M_Step(X,mu_f_by_x,Sig_f_by_x,k);
        print(mu_new,"\n",Lambda_new,"\n",Psi_new,"\n");
        llh[i+1] = compute_llh(X,mu_new,Lambda_new,Psi_new);
        print(llh[i+1],"\n");
        if(sum(abs.(mu_new-mu))<eps && sum(abs.(Lambda_new-Lambda))<eps && sum(abs.(Psi
            break;
    end
    mu = mu_new;
    Lambda = Lambda_new;
    Psi = Psi_new;
    end
    mu_f_by_x,Sig_f_by_x = E_Step(X,mu,Lambda,Psi,k);
    return (mu, Lambda, Psi, mu_f_by_x, Sig_f_by_x, llh);
end
```

Out[65]:

fa\_em (generic function with 1 method)

In [66]:

```
#Calling the EM approach for dataset X and 3 factors
mu, Lambda, Psi, mu_f_by_x, Sig_f_by_x, llh = fa_em(X,3)
```

```
2
[10.2494; 20.1751; 29.7844; 40.2144]
[0.0707107 0.312041 0.101665; -0.0101316 -0.403127 0.649494; 0.7890
46 0.345488 0.0883719; 0.0648728 0.0200756 0.583952]
[106.267 0.0 0.0 0.0; 0.0 408.261 0.0 0.0; 0.0 0.0 889.044 0.0; 0.0
0.0 0.0 1617.91]
-805.6783651010933
3
[10.2494; 20.1751; 29.7844; 40.2144]
[1.86839 8.97183 2.18586; -0.307245 -3.77153 3.49144; 3.13611 1.036
4 0.508012; 0.810094 1.37568 2.26327]
[194.771 0.0 0.0 0.0; 0.0 434.415 0.0 0.0; 0.0 0.0 899.695 0.0; 0.0
0.0 0.0 1625.42]
-833.6340108912119
4
[10.2494; 20.1751; 29.7844; 40.2144]
[11.9823 63.1097 15.259; -1.66918 -21.7641 16.2585; 11.2748 -1.7190
9 1.54367; 4.42875 10.5447 11.4519]
[3053.95 0.0 0.0 0.0; 0.0 1021.21 0.0 0.0; 0.0 0.0 1019.12 0.0; 0.0
```

In [67]:

```
mu
```

Out[67]:

```
4x1 Array{Float64,2}:  
 10.2494  
 20.1751  
 29.7844  
 40.2144
```

**The results match the parameter we used to generate data.**

In [68]:

```
Lambda
```

Out[68]:

```
4x3 Array{Float64,2}:  
  7.91435  76.0793  23.592  
 -2.19493 -24.3011  20.9408  
 28.615   -6.27952 -0.510796  
  5.41899  12.6643  16.1697
```

In [69]:

```
Psi
```

Out[69]:

```
4x4 Array{Float64,2}:  
 4364.21  0.0  0.0  0.0  
  0.0  1064.51  0.0  0.0  
  0.0  0.0  1424.77  0.0  
  0.0  0.0  0.0  1899.73
```

In [70]:

11h

Out[70]:

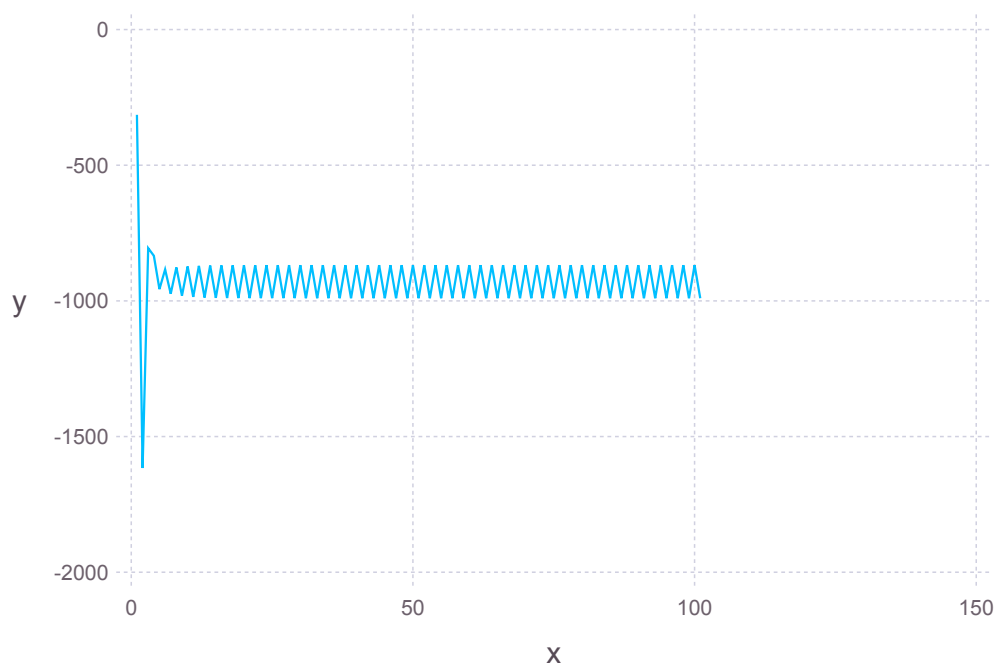
101-element Array{Float64,1}:

-314.078  
-1616.03  
-805.678  
-833.634  
-956.631  
-884.214  
-973.74  
-876.767  
-980.597  
-873.05  
-985.149  
-870.939  
-987.545  
:  
-868.307  
-990.049  
-868.307  
-990.049  
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-868.307  
-990.049

In [71]:

```
using Gadfly, Cairo, Fontconfig
#plot the log-likelihood
plot(x=collect(1:1:101), y=llh,Geom.line)
```

Out[71]:



**The EM approach converges to the final estimates. Our algorithm started converging just after 3-4 iteration.**

**For  $k = 2$**

In [55]:

```
mu, Lambda, Psi, mu_f_by_x, Sig_f_by_x, llh = fa_em(X,2)
0.0 0.0 1869.27]
-933.2207616082413
15
[9.99745; 20.0657; 30.0777; 40.0283]
[2.23754 7.3517; 26.9937 -9.11396; 29.6519 -19.701; 11.8225 -0.1246
41]
[121.118 0.0 0.0 0.0; 0.0 876.719 0.0 0.0; 0.0 0.0 1644.62 0.0; 0.0
0.0 0.0 1678.63]
-879.7501404402069
16
[9.99745; 20.0657; 30.0777; 40.0283]
[21.2759 47.8385; 15.47 0.979071; 10.0535 -19.7825; 13.2726 15.476]
[1903.31 0.0 0.0 0.0; 0.0 509.253 0.0 0.0; 0.0 0.0 1134.59 0.0; 0.0
0.0 0.0 1870.07]
-931.9414478262806
17
[9.99745; 20.0657; 30.0777; 40.0283]
[2.20779 7.35812; 27.8139 -9.46218; 30.6237 -20.1805; 12.1299 -0.24
9306]
1121 182 0 0 0 0 0. 0 0 022 824 0 0 0 0. 0 0 0 0 1714 07 0 0. 0 0
```

In [56]:

```
mu
```

Out[56]:

```
4x1 Array{Float64,2}:
 9.99745
20.0657
30.0777
40.0283
```

In [57]:

```
Lambda
```

Out[57]:

```
4x2 Array{Float64,2}:
20.3356 48.3952
13.9042 1.06843
 8.95359 -19.3295
12.4187 15.6389
```

In [58]:

```
Psi
```

Out[58]:

```
4x4 Array{Float64,2}:
1911.05 0.0 0.0 0.0
 0.0 486.47 0.0 0.0
 0.0 0.0 1124.35 0.0
 0.0 0.0 0.0 1858.45
```



In [59]:

```
llh
```

Out[59]:

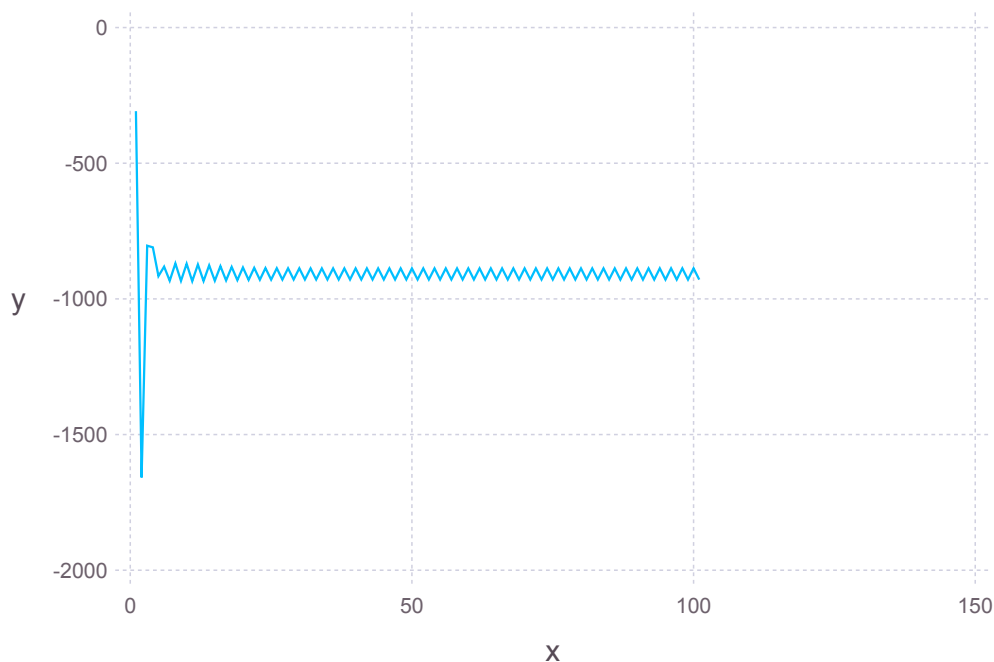
101-element Array{Float64,1}:

```
-308.159  
-1658.17  
-804.137  
-810.217  
-916.108  
-881.283  
-933.128  
-869.544  
-933.876  
-870.753  
-934.851  
-873.409  
-934.386  
⋮  
-887.596  
-928.879  
-887.591  
-928.885  
-887.587  
-928.891  
-887.583  
-928.897  
-887.579  
-928.903  
-887.575  
-928.908
```

In [60]:

```
using Gadfly, Cairo, Fontconfig
#plot the log-likelihood
plot(x=collect(1:1:101), y=llh,Geom.line)
```

Out[60]:



The mean value  $\mu$  is almost the same for both  $k = 2$  and  $3$  and they match the mean parameter we used to generate the data. For  $k=3$ ,  $\Lambda$  has dimension  $4 \times 3$  and for  $k=2$ ,  $\Lambda$  has dimension  $4 \times 2$  as we only consider 2 factors for the second part. The values of  $\Lambda$  and  $\psi$  have different values in both analysis because there could be many possible solutions (indeterminacy problem).

In [ ]: