

Project #7

SAMPLES AND STATISTICS

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Tool : MATLAB v2016a|Windows 10(Professional)

Problem #1

Implement a random number generator for a random vector $X = [X_1, X_2, X_3]^T$ having multivariate Gaussian distribution with

$$\mu = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

- **EXPERIMENT:** The purpose of this problem is to implement a random number generator for a random vector 'X' with a multivariate Gaussian Distribution with the above given specifications. For doing so, we generate 'Z', a standard normal random variable row vector i.e.

$$Z \sim N(0,1)$$

Since X is a vector, it can be expressed as:

$$X = [X_1, X_2, X_3]$$

Then, we can write:

$$X^T = A.(Z^T) + \mu$$

where, $\Sigma = A.A^T$

We can calculate the lower triangular matrix A by using the Choleski Decomposition, which says that:

“For any $n \times n$ symmetric and positive definite matrix M , there is an $n \times n$ lower triangular matrix A such that $M = AA^T$, where by lower triangular we mean that all elements in the upper triangle of the matrix are equal to 0.” (M.Ross, 2013)

Hence, I generated a row vector Z of length 3 and initialize it with standard normal random variables using normrnd.

I generated the lower triangular square matrix 'A' by using the chol() function provided in MATLAB, and hence obtained the column vector 'X' of length 3.

I have generated N samples of 'X' and calculated the sample mean and covariance.

– CODE:

```
function randNumGenerate(N)
XArray = zeros(3,N);
for i = 1:N
    mu = [1 2 3];
    sigma = [ 3 -1 1;
              -1 5 3;
              1 3 4 ];
    A = chol(sigma,'lower');
    Z = normrnd(0,1,1,3);
    X = A*Z.' + mu.';
    X = transpose(X);
    for k = 1:3
        XArray(k,i) = X(k);
    end
end
X1Array = zeros(1,N);
X2Array = zeros(1,N);
X3Array = zeros(1,N);
for i = 1:N
    X1Array(1,i) = mean(XArray(1,i));
    X2Array(1,i) = mean(XArray(2,i));
    X3Array(1,i) = mean(XArray(3,i));
end
display('The sample mean is:');
formatSpecMean = 'The mean of the samples is %.2f\n';
meanX1 = mean(X1Array);
meanX2 = mean(X2Array);
meanX3 = mean(X3Array);
fprintf(formatSpecMean,meanX1);
fprintf(formatSpecMean,meanX2);
fprintf(formatSpecMean,meanX3);

covariance = cov(XArray. ');
display('The covariance of the samples is:');
display(covariance);

end
```

– OUTPUT

```
>> randNumGenerate(1000)
The sample mean is:
The mean of the samples is 1.05
The mean of the samples is 1.94
The mean of the samples is 2.99
The covariance of the samples is:

covariance =

    2.9673    -0.9940    1.0418
   -0.9940     4.7800    2.8178
    1.0418     2.8178    3.9098
```

```
>> randNumGenerate(100000)
The sample mean is:
The mean of the samples is 1.00
The mean of the samples is 2.01
The mean of the samples is 3.01
The covariance of the samples is:

covariance =

    2.9843    -0.9837     0.9994
   -0.9837     4.9968     3.0092
    0.9994     3.0092     4.0101
```

ANALYSIS: As can be viewed from the output, the mean and the covariance of the samples generated matches very closely with the specified mean and covariance. The margin of difference decreases when the number of samples is increased.

Problem #2

Implement a random number generator for a random variable with the following mixture distribution: $f(x) = 0.4N(-1,1) + 0.6N(1,1)$. Generate a histogram and overlay the theoretical p.d.f. of the random variable.

EXPERIMENT: I generated N uniform random variables in X and set a constraint that if :

$X(i) \leq 0.4$

Then the distribution be generated from $N(-1,1)$, otherwise, the distribution be generated from $N(1,1)$. I have then plotted the histogram of X and overlayed it with the theoretical PDF.

– **CODE**

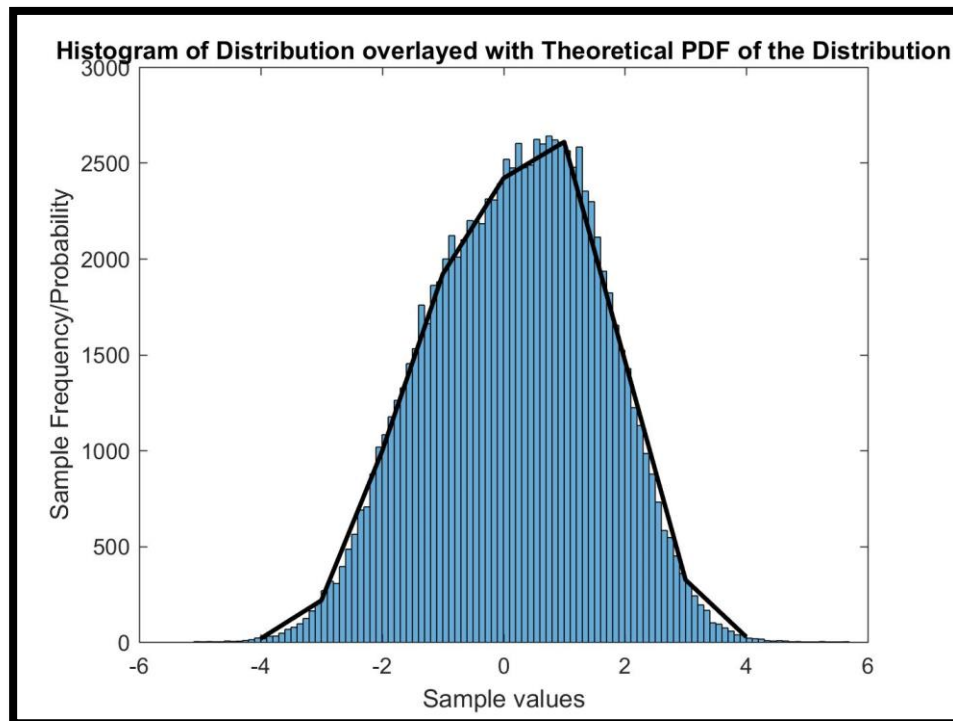
```
function mixtureDist(N)
X = rand(N,1);
Z = zeros(N,1);
%% Distribution Generation
for i = 1:N
    if(X(i) <= 0.4)
        Z(i) = normrnd(-1,1);
    else
        Z(i) = normrnd(1,1);
    end
end
end
```

```

grid on;
histogram(Z);
x = -4:4;
hold on
%% Histogram and Theoretical PDF
pdf = 10000*(0.4*normpdf(x,-1,1)+ 0.6*normpdf(x,1,1));
plot(x,pdf,'linewidth',2,'color','black');
title('Histogram of Distribution overlayed with Theoretical PDF of the
Distribution');
xlabel('Sample values');
ylabel('Sample Frequency/Probability');
end

```

– OUTPUT



- **ANALYSIS:** As can be seen, the theoretical PDF and the histogram of X are overlayed very well together. The quality of fit increases with increase in number of samples of X .

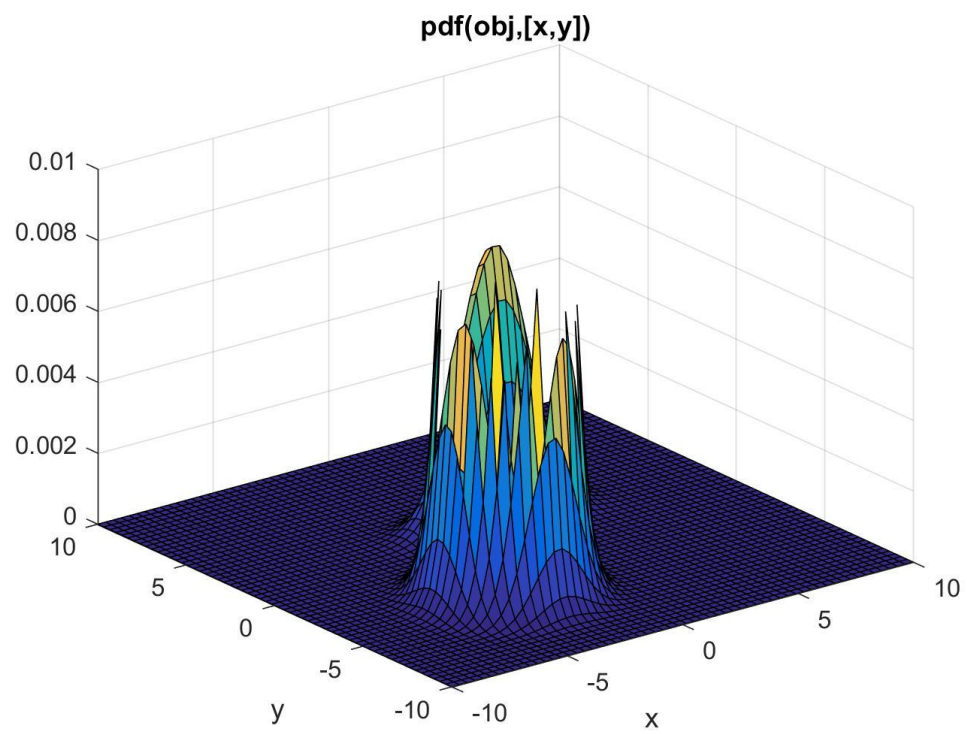
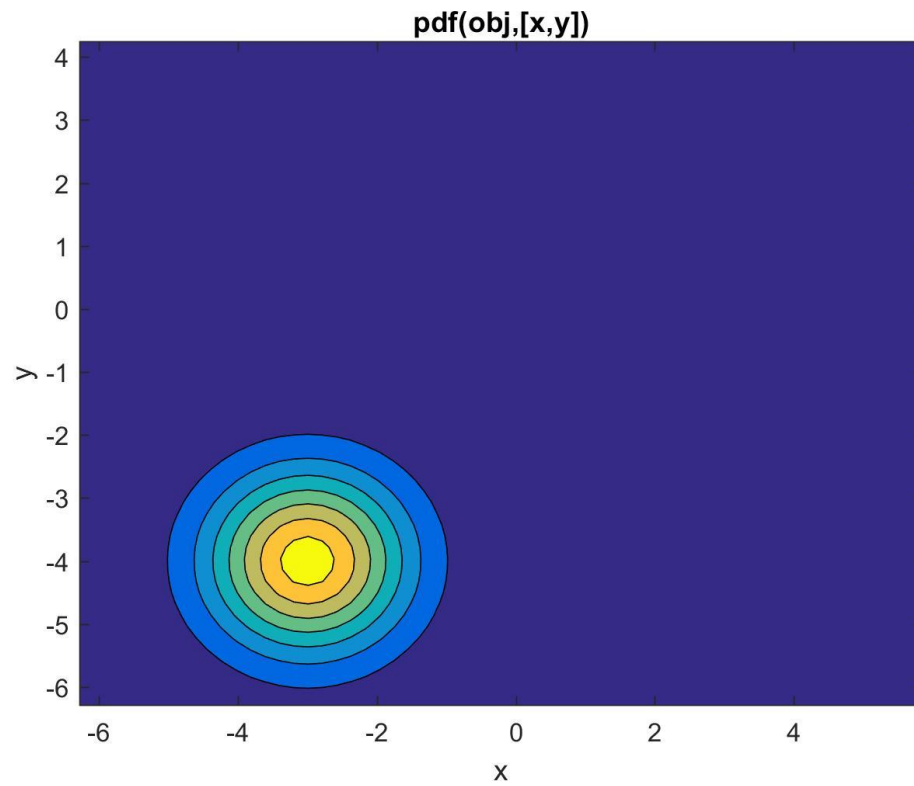
Problem #3

Implement a 2-dimensional random number generator for a Gaussian mixture model (GMM) pdf with 2 subpopulations. Use the expectation maximization (EM) algorithm to estimate the pdf parameters of the 2-D GMM from samples. Compare the quality and speed of your GMM-EM estimates using 300 samples from different GMM distributions (e.g. spherical vs ellipsoidal covariance, close vs well-separated subpopulations, etc.).

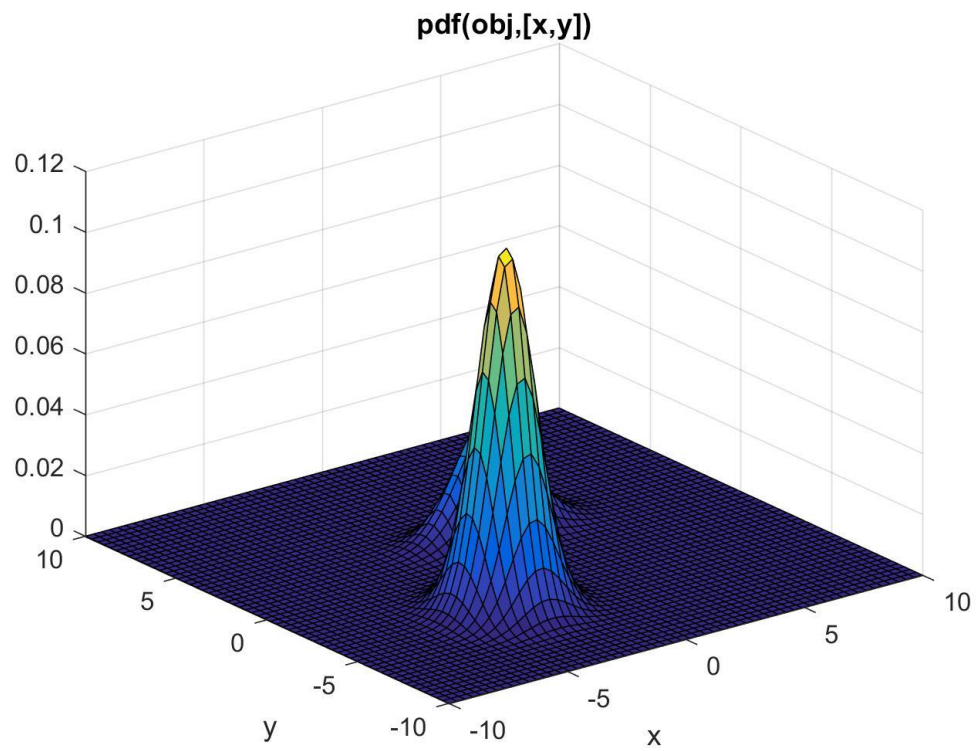
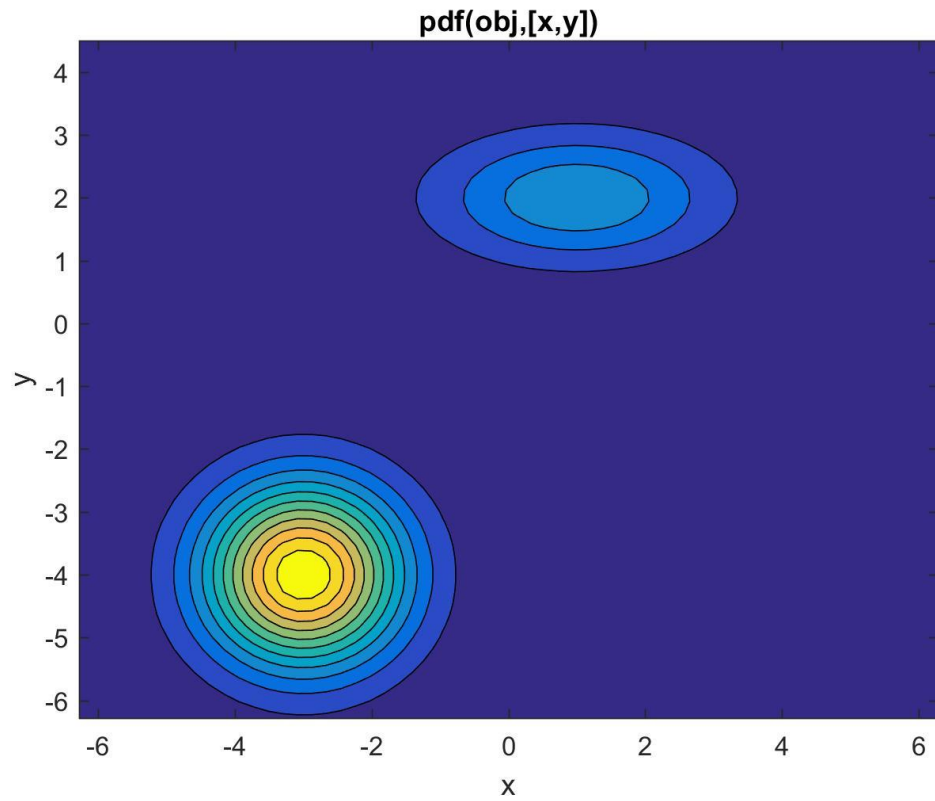
- **EXPERIMENT:** I created a Gaussian Mixture Distribution object using the `gmdistribution()` function which creates a distribution with the given specifications. I, then, used the `random()` to randomly choose 300 samples from the distribution 'obj'. Then, I used the `gmdistribution.fit()` function which applies the Expectation Maximization algorithm on the Gaussian Mixture Model.
I then used the `ezcontour()` and the `ezsurf()` to draw the contour and scatter plots.
- **CODE:**

```
function expectationMaximization()  
  
%% first distribution is centered at (0,0), second at (-1,3)  
mu = [1 -2; 3 4];  
  
%% covariance matrix  
sigma = cat(3, [2 0; 0 .5], [1 0; 0 1]);  
  
%% weight  
p = [0.05, 0.95];  
  
%% build GMM  
obj = gmdistribution(mu, sigma, p);  
samples = random(obj, 300);  
options = statset('Display', 'final');  
EM = gmdistribution.fit(samples, 2, 'options', options);  
  
%% 2D projection  
figure;  
ezcontourf(@(x,y) pdf(obj, [x y]));  
  
%% view PDF surface  
figure;  
ezsurf(@(x,y) pdf(obj, [x y]), [-10 10], [-10 10])  
end
```

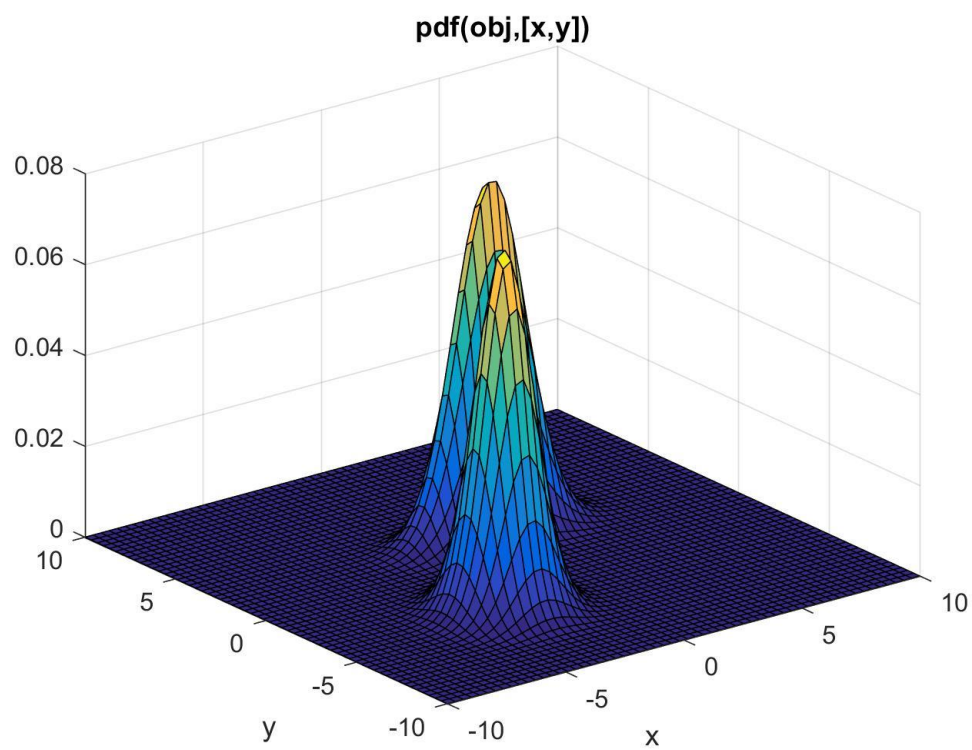
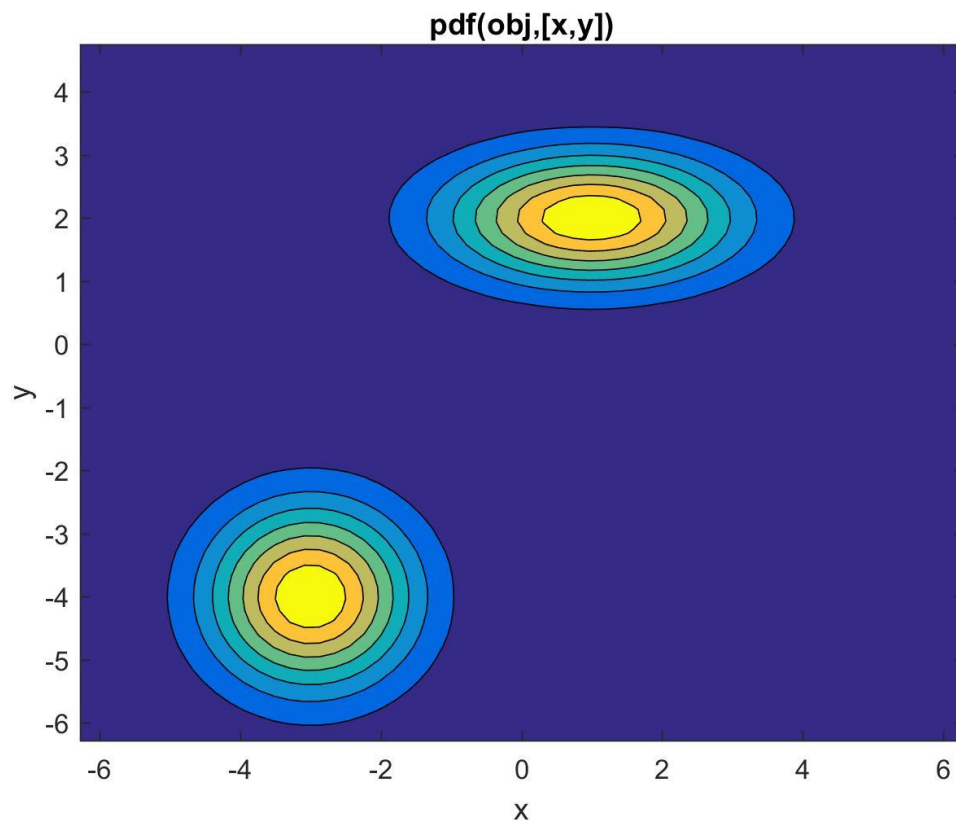
- **OUTPUT:**
 $\mu = [1 \ 2; -3 \ -4]$, $p = [0.05 \ 0.95]$;



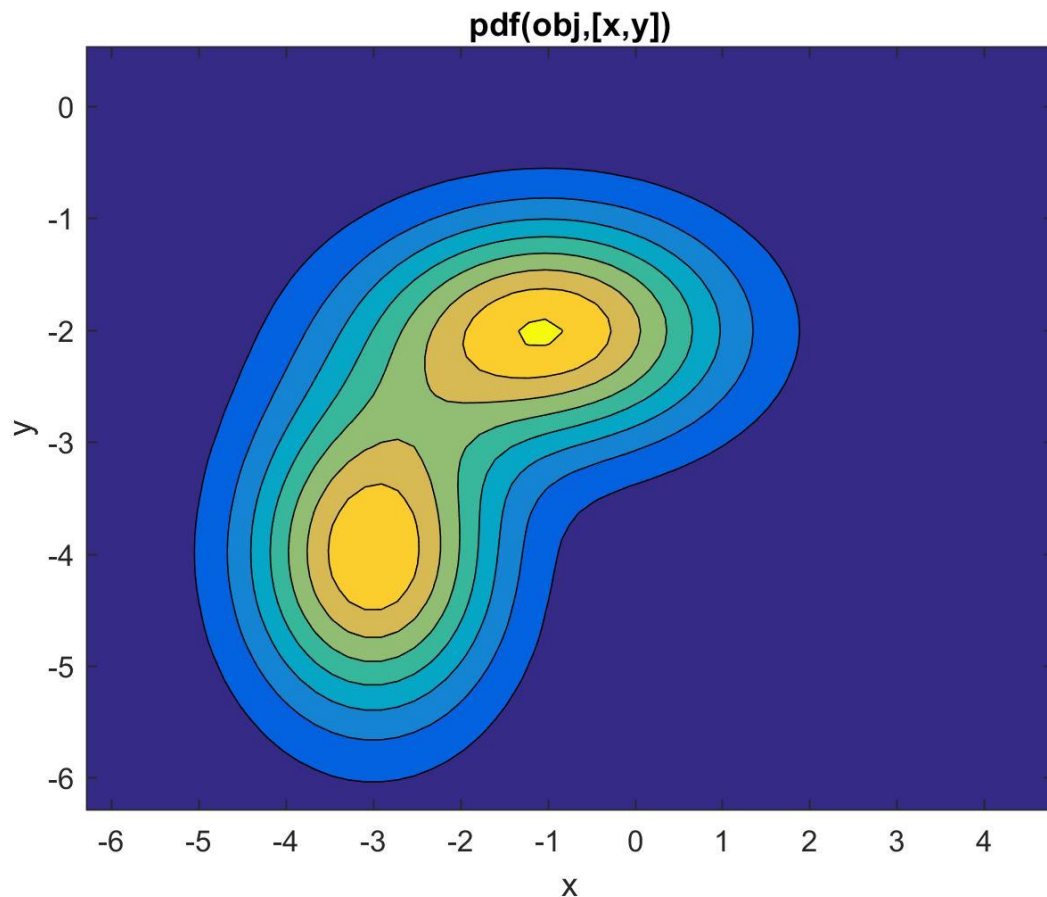
$\mu = [1 \ 2; -3 \ -4]$, $p = [0.25 \ 0.75]$;



$\mu = [1 \ 2; -3 \ -4]$, $p = [0.5 \ 0.5]$



$$\mu = [-1 \ -2; -3 \ -4]$$



- **ANALYSIS:** As we can observe, changing the value of μ changes the proximity of the contour plots of the clusters to each other. Changing the values of the weights changes how heavily the distribution is effected by each weight. Changing the values of the Σ changes the shapes of the contours.

Problem #4

A geyser is a hot spring characterized by an intermittent discharge of water and steam. Old Faithful is a famous cone geyser in Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming. It has a predictable geothermal discharge and since 2000 it has erupted every 44 to 125 minutes. Refer to the addendum data file that contains waiting times and the durations for 272 eruptions.

a. Generate a 2-D scatter plot of the data. Run a k -means clustering routine on the data for $k = 2$. Show the two clusters on a scatterplot.

b. Use a GMM-EM algorithm to fit the dataset to a GMM pdf. Draw a contour plot of your final GMM pdf. Overlay the contour plot with a scatterplot of the data set. How can you use the GMM pdf estimates to cluster the data?

- **EXPERIMENT:** After gathering the data from the data file, I used the `kmeans` function to generate the clusters and then plot them together by using the `hold` function. For plotting the

contour, I have again used the ezcontour() function and passed the distribution returned by the gmdistribution.fit() function.

– **CODE**

```
X = [
    3.600    79;
    1.800    54;
    3.333    74;
    2.283    62;
    4.533    85;
    2.883    55;
    4.700    88;
    3.600    85;
    1.950    51;
    4.350    85;
    1.833    54;
    3.917    84;
    4.200    78;
    1.750    47;
    4.700    83;
    2.167    52;
    1.750    62;
    4.800    84;
    1.600    52;
    4.250    79;
    1.800    51;
    1.750    47;
    3.450    78;
    3.067    69;
    4.533    74;
    3.600    83;
    1.967    55;
    4.083    76;
    3.850    78;
    4.433    79;
    4.300    73;
    4.467    77;
    3.367    66;
    4.033    80;
    3.833    74;
    2.017    52;
    1.867    48;
    4.833    80;
    1.833    59;
    4.783    90;
    4.350    80;
    1.883    58;
    4.567    84;
    1.750    58;
    4.533    73;
    3.317    83;
    3.833    64;
    2.100    53;
    4.633    82;
    2.000    59;
    4.800    75;
    4.716    90;
    1.833    54;
    4.833    80;
    1.733    54;
    4.883    83;
    3.717    71;
    1.667    64;
    4.567    77;
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4.317	81;
2.233	59;
4.500	84;
1.750	48;
4.800	82;
1.817	60;
4.400	92;
4.167	78;
4.700	78;
2.067	65;
4.700	73;
4.033	82;
1.967	56;
4.500	79;
4.000	71;
1.983	62;
5.067	76;
2.017	60;
4.567	78;
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3.600	83;
4.133	75;
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4.100	70;
2.633	65;
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4.933	88;
3.950	76;
4.517	80;
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2.200	60;
4.333	90;
1.867	50;
4.817	78;
1.833	63;
4.300	72;
4.667	84;
3.750	75;
1.867	51;
4.900	82;
2.483	62;
4.367	88;
2.100	49;
4.500	83;
4.050	81;
1.867	47;
4.700	84;
1.783	52;
4.850	86;
3.683	81;
4.733	75;
2.300	59;
4.900	89;
4.417	79;
1.700	59;
4.633	81;
2.317	50;
4.600	85;
1.817	59;
4.417	87;
2.617	53;
4.067	69;

4.250	77;
1.967	56;
4.600	88;
3.767	81;
1.917	45;
4.500	82;
2.267	55;
4.650	90;
1.867	45;
4.167	83;
2.800	56;
4.333	89;
1.833	46;
4.383	82;
1.883	51;
4.933	86;
2.033	53;
3.733	79;
4.233	81;
2.233	60;
4.533	82;
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4.633	80;
2.017	49;
5.100	96;
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1.800	53;
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3.500	87;
4.366	77;
2.250	51;
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4.350	82;
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2.217	50;
4.450	90;
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1.850	54;
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3.950	79;
2.333	64;
4.150	75;
2.350	47;
4.933	86;
2.900	63;
4.583	85;
3.833	82;
2.083	57;
4.367	82;

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3.917      71;
4.450      83;
2.000      56;
4.283      79;
4.767      78;
4.533      84;
1.850      58;
4.250      83;
1.983      43;
2.250      60;
4.750      75;
4.117      81;
2.150      46;
4.417      90;
1.817      46;
4.467      74;];

```

```

%% kmeans and scatter plot
[y C] = kmeans(X,2); % Find the assignment y and the means C of
each cluster

```

```

figure(2)
plot(X(y==1,1),X(y==1,2), 'x');
hold on
plot(X(y==2,1),X(y==2,2), 'o');
% plot(X(y==3,1),X(y==3,2), '^');
% plot(X(y==4,1),X(y==4,2), '+');
plot(C(1,1),C(1,2), 'rx','LineWidth',2);
plot(C(2,1),C(2,2), 'ro','LineWidth',2);
% plot(C(3,1),C(3,2), 'r^','LineWidth',2);
% plot(C(4,1),C(4,2), 'r+','LineWidth',2);
legend('Points of cluster 1','Points of cluster 2')
title('Data Points with Labels by K-means Clustering')
hold off

```

```

%% GMM Distribution
EM = gmdistribution.fit(X,2);

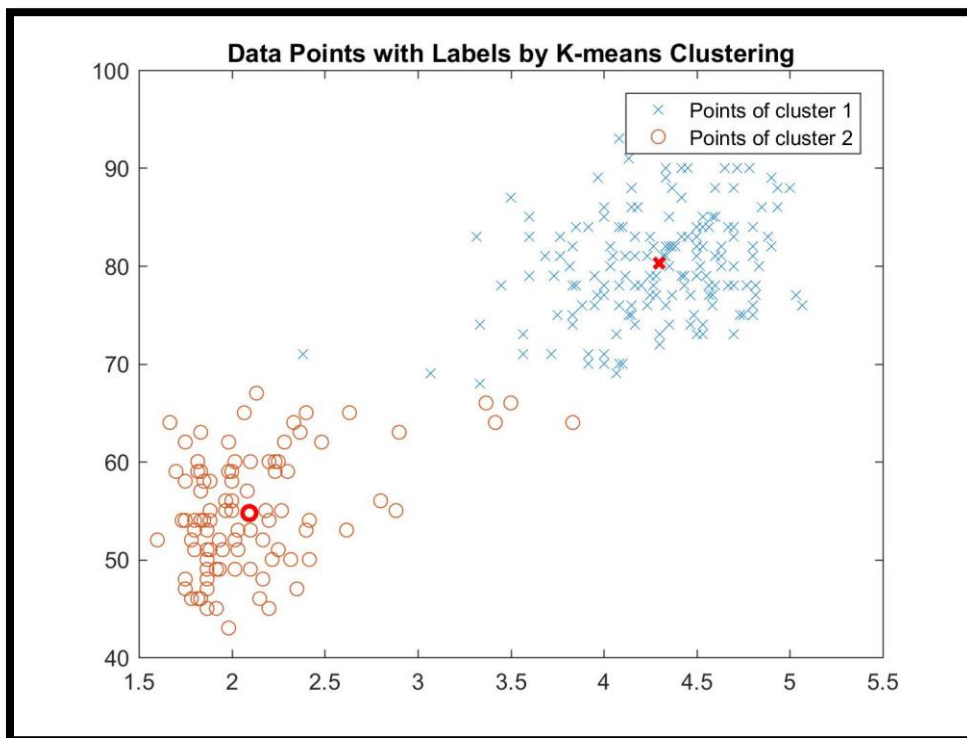
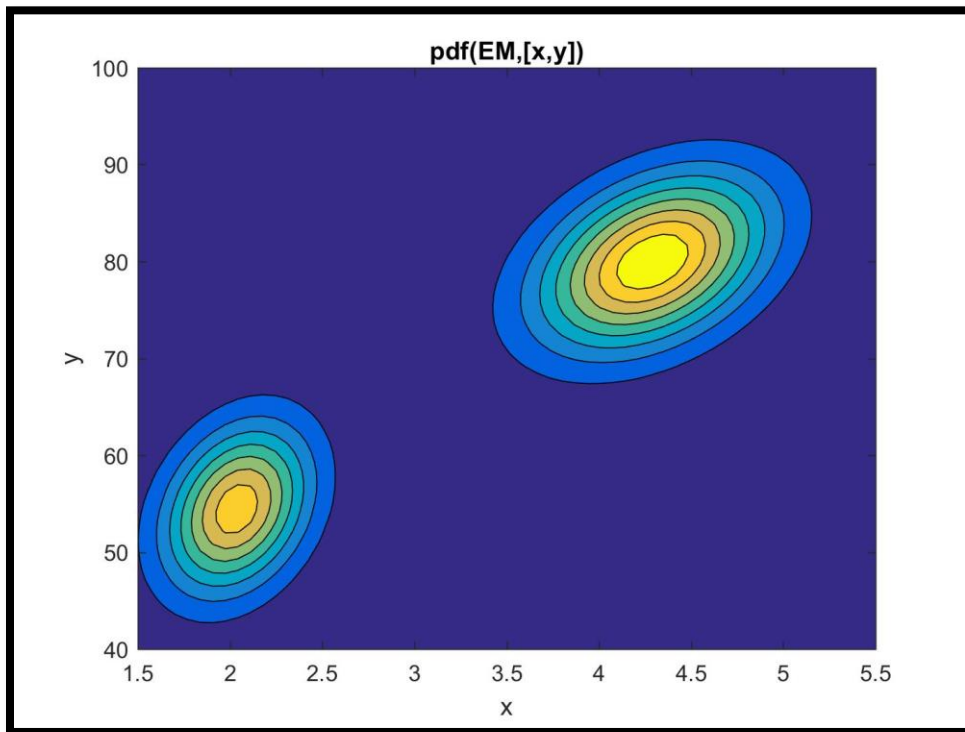
```

```

%% 2D projection
figure;
% x = 1.5:5.5;
% y = 40:100;
ezcontourf(@(x,y) pdf(EM,[x y]),[1.5 5.5, 40 100]);

```

OUTPUT



- **ANALYSIS** : As can be seen in the plots, the clusters are well apart and the scatter plot is spherical.