Assignment 10 (Week 10)

Due on 2016-03-30, 19:29 IST

Submitted assignment

1) The goal of performing Principal Component Analysis (PCA) is-

1 point

- to explain variance-covariance structure of a large set of variables through a few linear combinations of these variables.
- to explain only variance structure of a large set of variables through a few linear combinations of these variables.
- to explain only covariance structure of a large set of variables through a few linear combinations of these variables.
- to explain variance-covariance structure of a large set of variables through a few nonlinear combinations of these variables.
- None of these.
- 2) Consider the following sample covariance matrix.

2 points

$$S = \left[egin{array}{cc} 100 & 60 \ 60 & 64 \end{array}
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The sample correlation matrix R is-

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S = \left[egin{array}{cc} 1 & 1 \ 1 & 1 \end{array}
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$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 1.00 & 0.75 \\ 0.75 & 1.00 \end{bmatrix}$$

- None of these.
- 3) Based on the data given in Q2, choose the correct percentage of variance explained by first principal component.

3 points

- 70%
- 74%
- 80%
- 88%
- 4) Consider the following samples co-variance matrix

3 points

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 100 & 55 \\ 55 & 36 \end{bmatrix}$$
, here sample size (n) = 50.

Based on the data given, choose the correct Eigen values

- (131.63, 4.37)
- (123.22, 8.26)
- (135.56, 6.25)
- (145.55, 3.37)
- 5) Based on the data given in Q4, choose the correct 95% confidence interval for the population variance (for PC 1).

3 points

- $88.29 < \theta_1 < 150.92$
- $94.29 < \theta_1 < 217.92$
- $80.29 < \theta_1 < 217.92$

$90.29 < \theta_1 < 117.92$

- 6) Based on the data given in question 4, conduct the Bartlett's sphericity test and choose the correct option given below:
 - 2 points

- Null hypothesis is rejected
- Null hypothesis is accepted
- Sufficient data is not available
- 7) Choose the correct option:

1 point

- Scree plot is used to extract the principal components to be retained.
- Bartlett's test is used to extract the principal components to be retained
- Both of these
- None of these