

Bivariate Normal Distribution:

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma_1\sigma_2\sqrt{1-\rho^2}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2(1-\rho^2)} \left[\left(\frac{x-\mu_1}{\sigma_1} \right)^2 - 2\rho \left(\frac{x-\mu_1}{\sigma_1} \right) \left(\frac{y-\mu_2}{\sigma_2} \right) + \left(\frac{y-\mu_2}{\sigma_2} \right)^2 \right] \right\},$$

$$-\infty < x < \infty, \quad -\infty < y < \infty.$$

(a) the marginal distributions of X and Y are $\mathbf{N}(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$ and $\mathbf{N}(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2)$, respectively;

(b) the correlation coefficient of X and Y is $\rho_{XY} = \rho$, and X and Y are independent if and only if $\rho = 0$;

(c) the conditional distribution of Y , given $X = x$, is

$$\mathbf{N} \left(\mu_2 + \rho \frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_1} (x - \mu_1), (1 - \rho^2) \sigma_2^2 \right);$$

(d) the conditional distribution of X , given $Y = y$, is

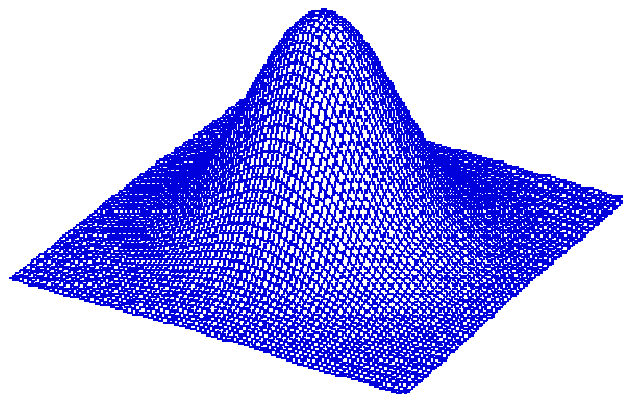
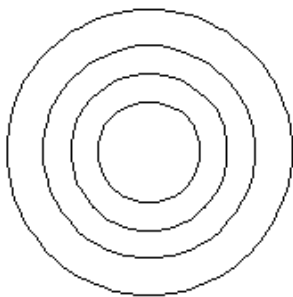
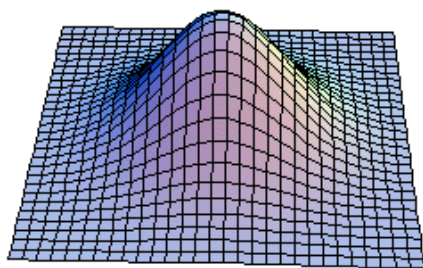
$$\mathbf{N} \left(\mu_1 + \rho \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_2} (y - \mu_2), (1 - \rho^2) \sigma_1^2 \right).$$

(e) $aX + bY$ is normally distributed with

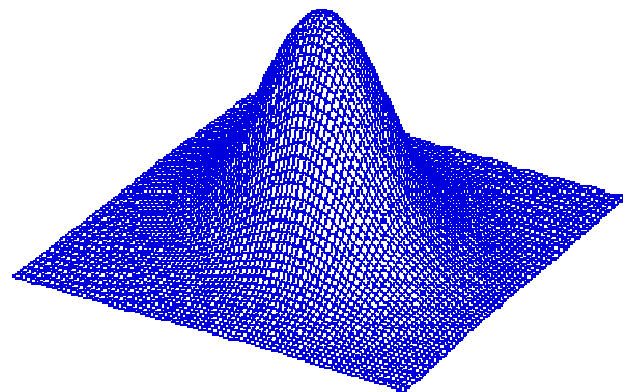
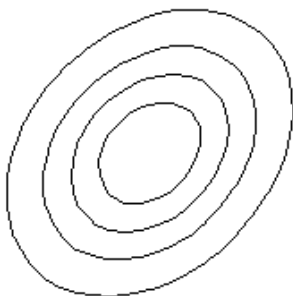
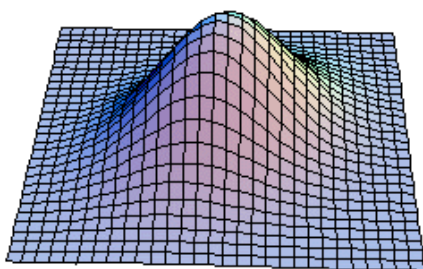
$$\text{mean} \quad E(aX + bY) = a\mu_1 + b\mu_2 \quad \text{and}$$

$$\text{variance} \quad \text{Var}(aX + bY) = a^2\sigma_1^2 + 2ab\rho\sigma_1\sigma_2 + b^2\sigma_2^2.$$

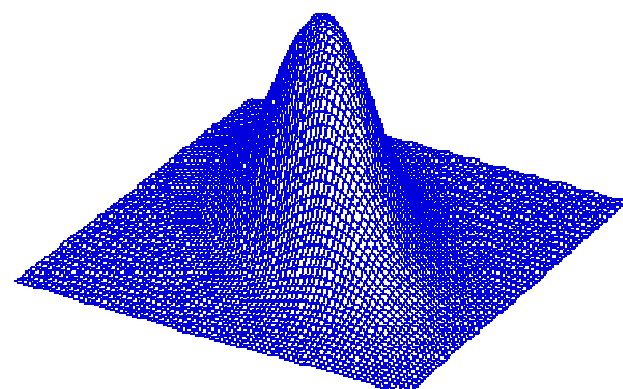
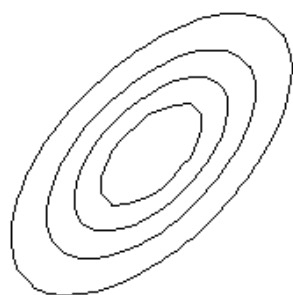
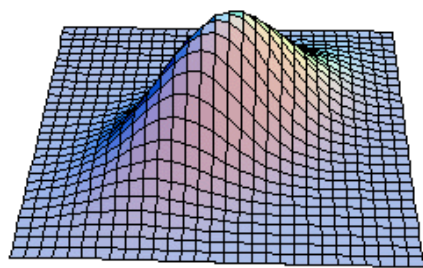
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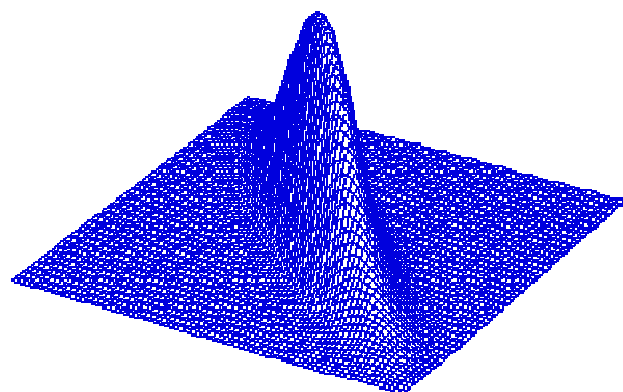
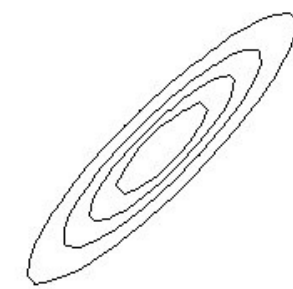
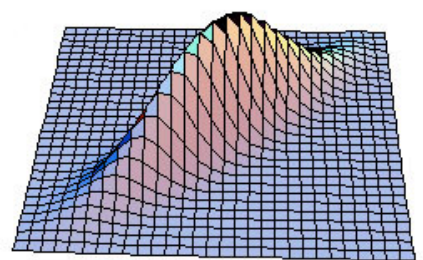
$\rho = 0.3$



$\rho = 0.6$



$\rho = 0.9$



1. A large class took two exams. Suppose the exam scores X (Exam 1) and Y (Exam 2) follow a bivariate normal distribution with

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_1 &= 70, & \sigma_1 &= 10, \\ \mu_2 &= 60, & \sigma_2 &= 15, & \rho &= 0.6.\end{aligned}$$

- a) A student is selected at random. What is the probability that his/her score on Exam 2 is over 75?
- b) Suppose you're told that a student got a 80 on Exam 1. What is the probability that his/her score on Exam 2 is over 75?
- c) Suppose you're told that a student got a 66 on Exam 1. What is the probability that his/her score on Exam 2 is over 75?

- d) Suppose you're told that a student got a 70 on Exam 2. What is the probability that his/her score on Exam 1 is over 80?
- e) A student is selected at random. What is the probability that the sum of his/her Exam 1 and Exam 2 scores is over 150?
- f) What proportion of students did better on Exam 1 than on Exam 2?

g) Find $P(2X + 3Y > 350)$.

h) Find $P(5X + 3Y < 570)$.

i) Find $P(5X - 4Y > 150)$.