

4) a) Find distribution of $3X_1 - 2X_2 + X_3$

$$(3, -2, 1) \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 6 + 6 + 1 = 13 = \mu$$

$$\begin{matrix} (3, -2, 1) & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} & = (3-2+1) & (3-6+2) & (3-4+2) & \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} & = 6+2+1=9=\sigma^2 \\ 1 \times 3 & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} & & & & & \end{matrix}$$

$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 1 \times 3 \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{3x3}} \quad \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{3x1}}$$

$$N_3(13, 9)$$

b) Find $\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{pmatrix}$ such that X_2 and $X_2 - \mathbf{a}^T \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_3 \end{pmatrix}$ are independent

$$Y = X_2 - (\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{a}_2) \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_3 \end{pmatrix} = X_2 - a_1 X_1 - a_2 X_3$$

$$= a_1 X_1 + X_2 - a_2 X_3 \quad A^T \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -a_1 & 1 & -a_2 \end{pmatrix} X_2$$

$$A \Sigma A^T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -a_1 & 1 & -a_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -a_1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -a_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ -a_1+1-a_2 & -a_1+3-2a_2 & -a_1+2-2a_2 \\ 0 & -a_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -a_1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -a_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{We want } -a_1 + 3 - 2a_2 = 0$$

$$\text{so } a_1 = 3 - 2a_2 \quad \mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} + c \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

⑥ Independent?

a) X_1 and X_2 Yes $\text{cov}(X_1, X_2) = 0$

b) X_1 and X_3 No $\text{cov}(X_1, X_3) = -1$

c) X_2 and X_3 Yes $\text{cov}(X_2, X_3) = 0$

d) (X_1, X_3) and X_2 Yes $\text{cov}(X_1, X_2) = 0 \text{ and } \text{cov}(X_3, X_2) = 0$

e) X_1 and $X_1 + 3X_2 - 2X_3 = Y$

$$\text{No } \text{cov}(X_1, Y) = 6 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & -1 \\ 6 & 15 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 3 \times 3 & Y_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 6 & 61 \end{pmatrix} \\ & 3 \times 2 \end{matrix}$$