

## Chapter 5

# Visualization of Multivariate Data

Packages used in these exercises include bootstrap, DAAG, ISLR, lattice, MASS, and FactoMineR.

- 5.1 *Generate 200 random observations from the multivariate normal distribution having mean vector  $\mu = (0, 1, 2)$  and covariance matrix*

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & - & 0.5 & 0.5 \\ - & 0.5 & 1.0 & - & 0.5 \\ 0.5 & - & 0.5 & 1.0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Use any of the functions `rmvn.eigen`, `rmvn.Choleski` from Chapter 3, `mvrnorm` (MASS) or `rmvnorm` (mvtnorm).

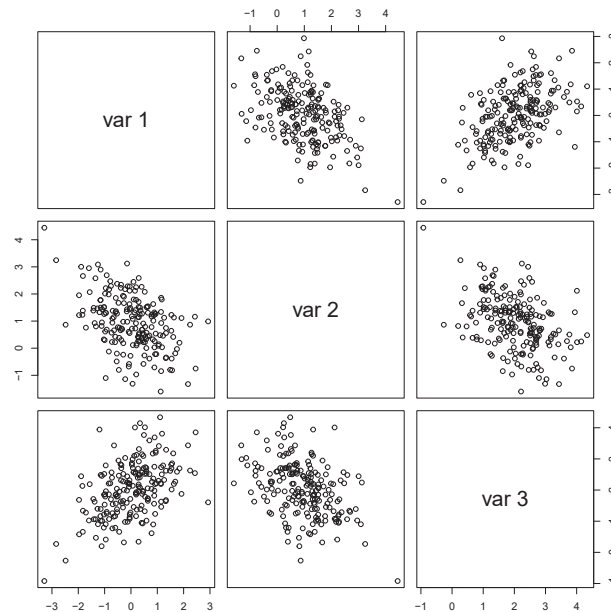
```
library(MASS)
Sigma <- matrix(c(1, -.5, .5, -.5, 1, -.5, .5, -.5, 1),
                3, 3)
mu <- c(0, 1, 2)
x <- mvrnorm(200, mu, Sigma)
colMeans(x)

## [1] 0.02900539 0.95726516 2.02953589

cor(x)

##           [,1]      [,2]      [,3]
## [1,] 1.0000000 -0.4478050 0.4856554
## [2,] -0.4478050 1.0000000 -0.4107898
## [3,] 0.4856554 -0.4107898 1.0000000
```

```
pairs(x)
```



From the pairs plot it appears that the parameters for each plot approximately agree with the parameters of the corresponding bivariate distributions.

## 5.2 Add a fitted smooth curve to each of the *iris virginica* scatterplots.

The panel function below is similar to `panel.smooth`, with the options for color removed.

```
panel.d <- function(x, ...) {
  usr <- par("usr")
  on.exit(par(usr))
  par(usr = c(usr[1:2], 0, .5))
  lines(density(x))
}

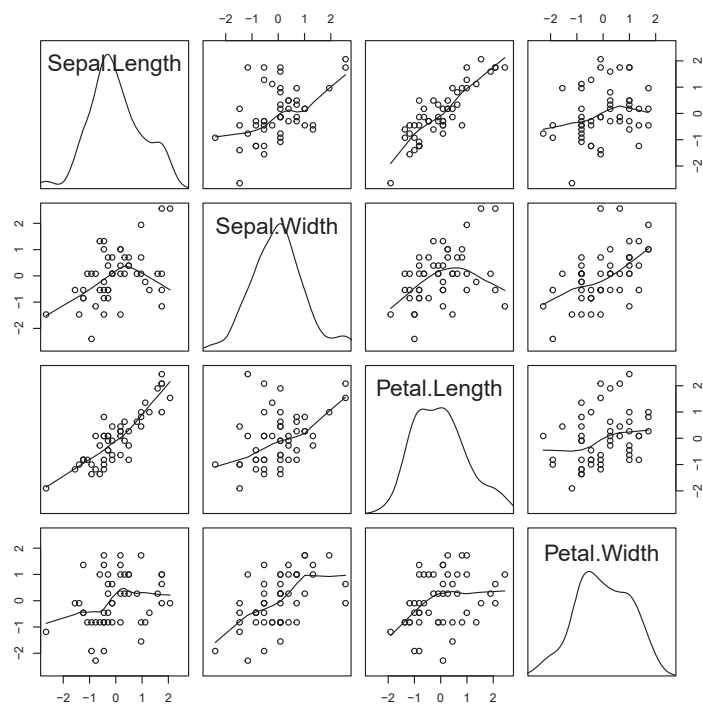
panel.sm <- function(x, y, bg = NA, pch = par("pch"),
  cex = 1, span = 2/3, iter = 3, ...) {
  points(x, y, pch = pch, bg = bg, cex = cex)
  ok <- is.finite(x) & is.finite(y)
  if (any(ok))
```

```

    lines(stats::lowess(x[ok], y[ok],
                        f = span, iter = iter), ...)
  }

x <- scale(iris[101:150, 1:4])
r <- range(x)
pairs(x, panel = panel.sm, diag.panel = panel.d,
      xlim = r, ylim = r)

```



5.3 The random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent and identically distributed with normal mixture distributions. The components of the mixture have  $N(0, 1)$  and  $N(3, 1)$  distributions with mixing probabilities  $p_1$  and  $p_2 = 1 - p_1$  respectively.

The code below generates a bivariate random sample from the joint distribution of  $(X, Y)$ .

```

n <- 500
mu <- c(0, 3)
p <- .25

```

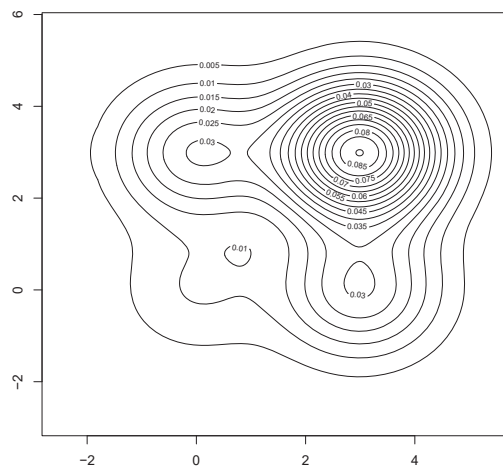
```
m <- sample(mu, size=2*n, replace=TRUE, prob=c(p, 1-p))
X <- matrix(rnorm(2*n, m), n, 2)
```

For the contour plot, we need the joint density. The random variables are independent so the joint density is the product of the marginals. (If dependent, cannot sort  $X$  and  $Y$  independently.)

(Generally, when the joint density is available, we would not construct the contour plot from a sample, because we can generate the grid of points directly. When the joint density is not available, a density estimate can provide the  $z$  values.)

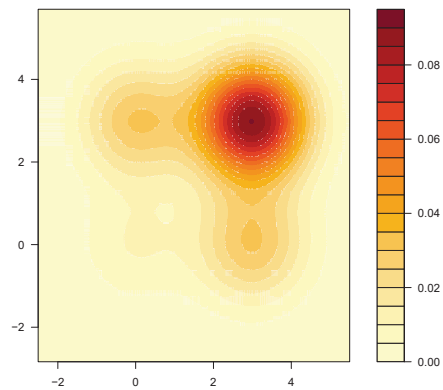
```
f <- function(x, y) {
  f1 <- p * dnorm(x, mu[1]) + (1-p) * dnorm(x, mu[2])
  f2 <- p * dnorm(y, mu[1]) + (1-p) * dnorm(y, mu[2])
  f1 * f2
}

x <- sort(X[,1])
y <- sort(X[,2])
z <- outer(x, y, f)
contour(x, y, z, nlevels=20)
```



5.4 Construct a filled contour plot of the bivariate mixture in Exercise 5.3.

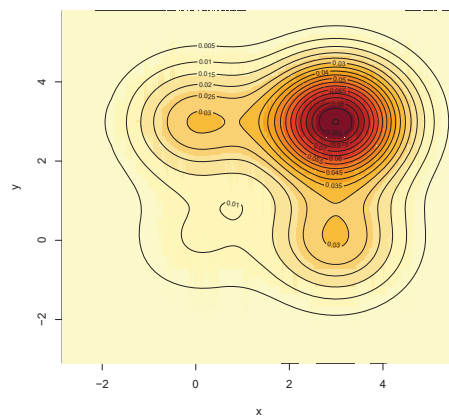
```
filled.contour(x, y, z) #default colors
```



```
## other colors
#filled.contour(x, y, z, col=topo.colors(20))
#filled.contour(x, y, z,
#               col=gray(seq(.99,.01,length=20))) #no color
```

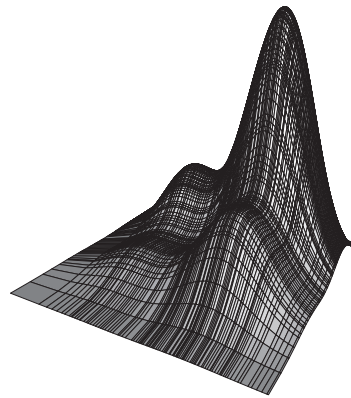
Another version using image and contour:

```
image(x, y, z)
contour(x, y, z, nlevels=20, add=TRUE)
```



- 5.5 *Construct a surface plot of the bivariate mixture in Exercise 5.3.*  
(First “thinning out” the data because the perspective plot turns out to be quite dark for the printed version.)

```
i <- seq(1, n, 5)
u <- x[i]
v <- y[i]
w <- z[i, i]
persp(u, v, w, shade=TRUE, theta=30, ltheta=30, box=FALSE)
```



- 5.6 *Repeat Exercise 5.3 for various different choices of the parameters of the mixture model, and compare the distributions through contour plots.*

```
n <- 200
mu <- c(0, 3)
pr <- seq(.1, .9, .1)

f <- function(x, y) {
  f1 <- p * dnorm(x, mu[1]) + (1-p) * dnorm(x, mu[2])
  f2 <- p * dnorm(y, mu[1]) + (1-p) * dnorm(y, mu[2])
  f1 * f2
}

x <- matrix(0, n, 9)
y <- matrix(0, n, 9)
```

```

z <- array(0, c(n, n, 9))
for (i in 1:9) {
  p <- pr[i]
  m <- sample(mu, size=2*n, replace=TRUE, prob=c(p, 1-p))
  X <- matrix(rnorm(2*n, m), n, 2)

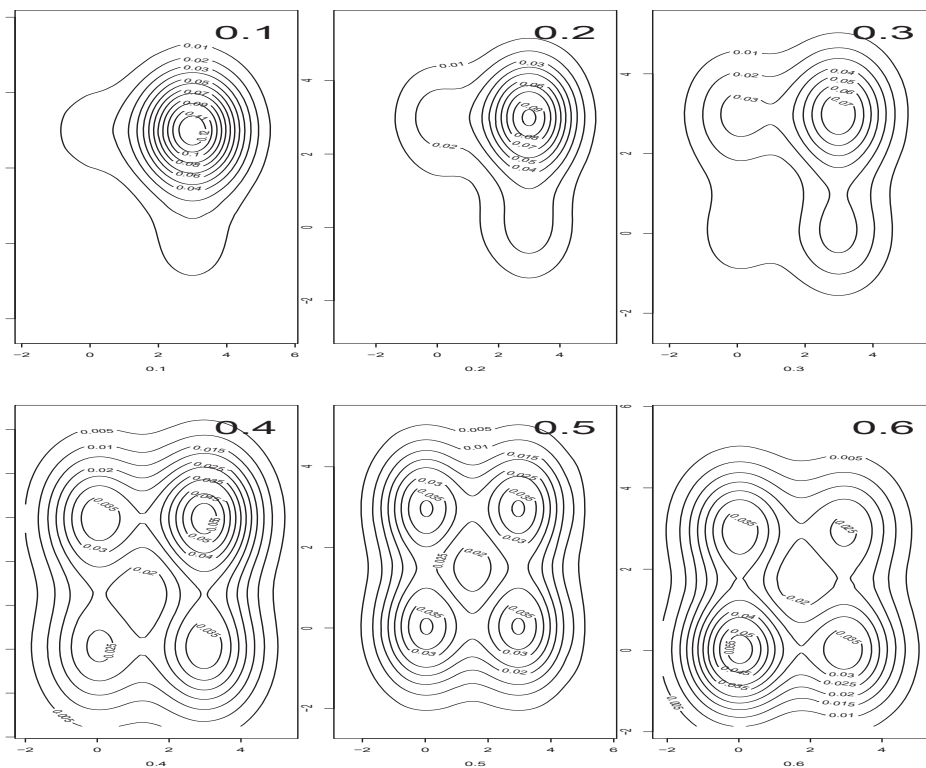
  x[,i] <- sort(X[,1])
  y[,i] <- sort(X[,2])
  z[, ,i] <- outer(x[,i], y[,i], f)
}

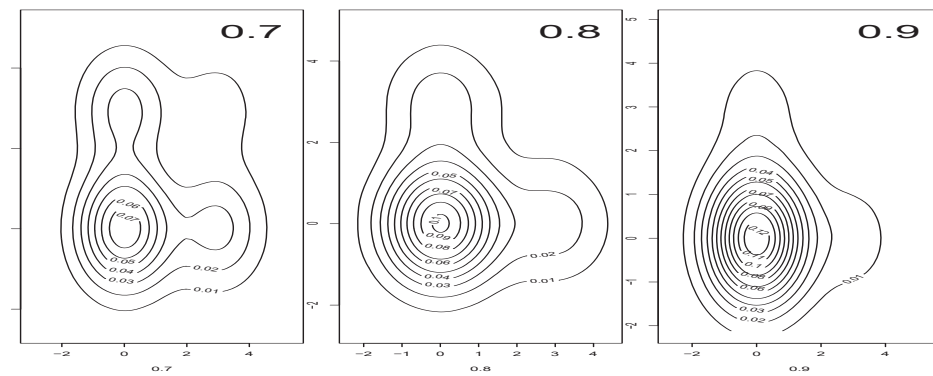
```

```

def.par <- par(no.readonly=TRUE)
par(mfrow = c(1, 3), mar=c(5,1,2,1))
for (i in 1:9) {
  contour(x[,i], y[,i], z[, ,i], nlevels=10, xlab=pr[i])
  legend("topright", paste(pr[i]), cex=3, bty="n")
}

```





```
par(def.par)
```

It is clear that the contours of mixtures for  $1 - p$  are simply a rotation of the contours for  $p$ . As  $p$  or  $1 - p$  increases toward 0.5 the surface is less smooth and becomes multi-modal.