

$$\text{var}(u) := \mathbb{E} \left[\underbrace{(u - \mathbb{E}[u])}_{T \times 1} \underbrace{(u - \mathbb{E}[u])'}_{(T \times 1)'} \right]$$

$$\mathbb{E}[u] = 0 \quad \text{by A1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{var}(u) &= \mathbb{E}[(u - 0)(u - 0)'] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[uu'] \end{aligned}$$

in general,

$$\text{var}(u) = \mathbb{E}[uu'] - \mathbb{E}[u]\mathbb{E}[u]'$$

w, v random

$$\begin{aligned} \text{var}(w+v) &= \mathbb{E}[(w+v - \mathbb{E}[w+v])(w+v - \mathbb{E}[w+v])'] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(w - \mathbb{E}[w]) + (v - \mathbb{E}[v])((w - \mathbb{E}[w]) + (v - \mathbb{E}[v]))'] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(w - \mathbb{E}[w])(v - \mathbb{E}[v])'] + \mathbb{E}[(v - \mathbb{E}[v])(v - \mathbb{E}[v])'] \\ &\quad + \mathbb{E}[(w - \mathbb{E}[w])(v - \mathbb{E}[v])'] + \mathbb{E}[(v - \mathbb{E}[v])(w - \mathbb{E}[w])'] \\ &= \text{var}(w) + \text{var}(v) \\ &\quad + \text{cov}(w, v) + \text{cov}(v, w) \end{aligned}$$

w random, A fixed, non-stoch.

$$\begin{aligned} v &= Aw \\ \text{var}(v) &= \mathbb{E}[(v - \mathbb{E}[v])(v - \mathbb{E}[v])'] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(Aw - \mathbb{E}[Aw])(Aw - \mathbb{E}[Aw])'] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(Aw - A\mathbb{E}[w])(Aw - A\mathbb{E}[w])'] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[A(w - \mathbb{E}[w])(w - \mathbb{E}[w])'] \\ &= A \mathbb{E}[(w - \mathbb{E}[w])(w - \mathbb{E}[w])'] A' \\ &= A \text{var}(w) A' \end{aligned}$$

$$y \in \mathbb{R}^T, \quad X$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Col}(X) &= \{w \in \mathbb{R}^T : w = X\alpha \text{ for some } \alpha \in \mathbb{R}^k\} \\ \text{Col}(X)^\perp &= \{v \in \mathbb{R}^T : X'v = 0\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbb{R}^T = \text{Col}(X) \oplus \text{Col}(X)^\perp$$

$$P_X = X(X'X)^{-1}X'$$

$$\begin{aligned} w \in \text{Col}(X) : P_X w &= X(X'X)^{-1}X'w \\ &= X(X'X)^{-1}X'X\alpha \\ &= X\alpha \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v \in \text{Col}(X)^\perp : P_X v &= X(X'X)^{-1}X'v \\ &= \underbrace{X(X'X)^{-1}X'}_{=0} v \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$