

Applied Multivariate Statistical Analysis Solutions

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1 Chapter 1

1.1

Show the following

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} &= |\mathbf{A}| |\mathbf{B}| \\
 \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} &= \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} = \\
 &= |\mathbf{A}\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{0}\mathbf{0}'| |\mathbf{I}\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{0}\mathbf{0}'| = |\mathbf{A}\mathbf{I}| |\mathbf{I}\mathbf{B}| = |\mathbf{A}| |\mathbf{B}|
 \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} &= |\mathbf{A}| |\mathbf{B}| \quad \text{for } |\mathbf{A}| \neq 0 \\
 \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} &= \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix} = \\
 &= |\mathbf{A}| |\mathbf{B}| |\mathbf{I}\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{C}\mathbf{0}'| = |\mathbf{A}| |\mathbf{B}| |\mathbf{I}| = |\mathbf{A}| |\mathbf{B}|
 \end{aligned}$$

Hint:

(a) $\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix}$. Expanding the determinant $\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix}$ by the first row (see definition 2A.24) gives 1 times a determinant of the same form, with the order of \mathbf{I} reduced by one. This procedure is repeated until $1 \times |\mathbf{B}|$ is obtained. Similarly, expanding the determinant $\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix}$ by the last row gives

$$\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} = |\mathbf{A}|.$$

(b) $\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{B} \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix}$. Expanding the determinant $\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix}$ by the last row gives $\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{vmatrix} = 1$. Now use the results in Part a.

1.2

Show that, if \mathbf{A} is square,

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbf{A}| &= |\mathbf{A}_{22}| |\mathbf{A}_{11} - \mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21}| \quad \text{for } |\mathbf{A}_{22}| \neq 0 \\ &= |\mathbf{A}_{11}| |\mathbf{A}_{22} - \mathbf{A}_{21}\mathbf{A}_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{12}| \quad \text{for } |\mathbf{A}_{11}| \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hint: Partition \mathbf{A} and verify that

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & -\mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \mathbf{A}_{12} \\ \mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ -\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} - \mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{A}_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

Take the determinants on both sides of this inequality. Use Exercise 4.10 for the first and third determinants on the left and for the determinant on the right. The second inequality for $|\mathbf{A}|$ follows by considering

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ -\mathbf{A}_{21}\mathbf{A}_{11}^{-1} & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \mathbf{A}_{12} \\ \mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & -\mathbf{A}_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{12} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{A}_{22} - \mathbf{A}_{21}\mathbf{A}_{11}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

1.3

Show that, for \mathbf{A} symmetric,

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ -\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (\mathbf{A}_{11} - \mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21})^{-1} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & -\mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, $(\mathbf{A}_{11} - \mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21})^{-1}$ is the upper left-hand block of \mathbf{A}^{-1} .

Hint: Premultiply the expression in the hint to Exercise 4.11 by $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & -\mathbf{A}_{12}\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix}$

and postmultiply by $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ -\mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1}\mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix}$. Take inverses of the resulting expression.

1.4

Show the following if \mathbf{X} is $N_p(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ with $|\boldsymbol{\Sigma}| \neq 0$.

- (a) Check that $|\boldsymbol{\Sigma}| = |\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}| |\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11} - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21}|$. (Note that $|\boldsymbol{\Sigma}|$ can be factored into the product of contributions from the marginal and conditional distributions.)
- (b) Check that

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu})' \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} (\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}) &= [\mathbf{x}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} (\mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2)]' \\ &\quad \times (\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11} - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21})^{-1} [\mathbf{x}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} (\mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2)] \\ &\quad + (\mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2)' \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} (\mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2) \end{aligned}$$

(Thus the joint density exponent can be written as the sum of two terms corresponding to contributions from the conditional and marginal distributions.)

- (c) Given the results in Parts a and b, identify the marginal distribution of \mathbf{X}_2 and the conditional distribution of $\mathbf{X}_1 | \mathbf{X}_2 = \mathbf{x}_2$.

Hint:

- (a) Apply Exercise 4.11
- (b) Note from Exercise 4.12 that we can write $(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu})' \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} (\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu})$ as

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 \\ \mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2 \end{bmatrix}' \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21} & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11} - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21})^{-1} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \\ \times \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & -\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 \\ \mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

If we group the product so that

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & -\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \\ \mathbf{0}' & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 \\ \mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} (\mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2) \\ \mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

the result follows.