

**ECE 595: Homework 1**  
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**Exercise 2**

2a

2(a)

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} \quad x \in (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$E[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x f_X(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{(x-\mu+\mu)}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{(x-\mu)}{\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx + \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{\mu}{\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx \right]$$

As  $f_X(x)$  is PDF  $\Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f_X(x) dx = 1 \Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} = \sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2$

$$\Rightarrow E[X] = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-t} dt + \frac{\mu}{\sigma^2} \times \sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2 \right], \text{ where } t = \frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} \left[ -e^{-t} \Big|_{-\infty}^{+\infty} + \mu \right] \Rightarrow E[X] = \mu$$

$$\text{Var}[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} (x-\mu)^2 f_X(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} (x-\mu)^2 e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx$$

$$\text{let } z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} \Rightarrow dz = \frac{dx}{\sigma}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{Var}[X] &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \sigma^2 z^2 e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}} (\sigma dz) \\ &= \frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} z \cdot z e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}} dz \end{aligned}$$

using Integration By parts

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left[ \left[ -z \cdot e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}} \right]_{-\infty}^{+\infty} - \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} -e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}} dz \right]$$

For First term, the exponential term will go to zero faster than the  $z$  term

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}[X] = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}} dz}_I$$

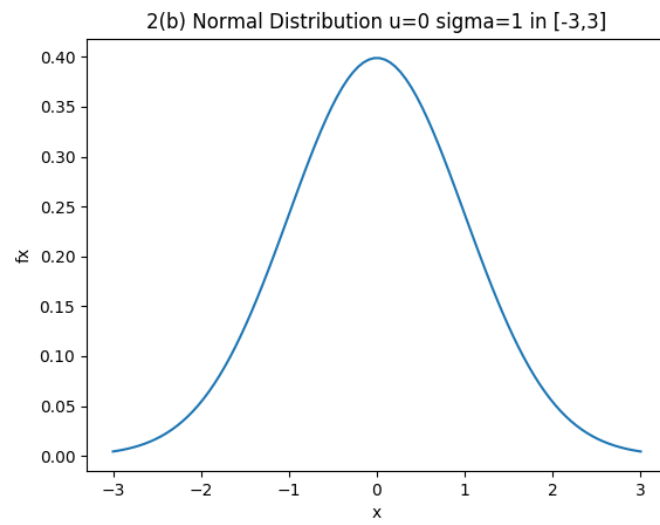
$$I^2 = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}} dz dt = \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^r e^{-\frac{r^2}{2}} r dr d\theta$$

with  $r^2 = z^2 + t^2$

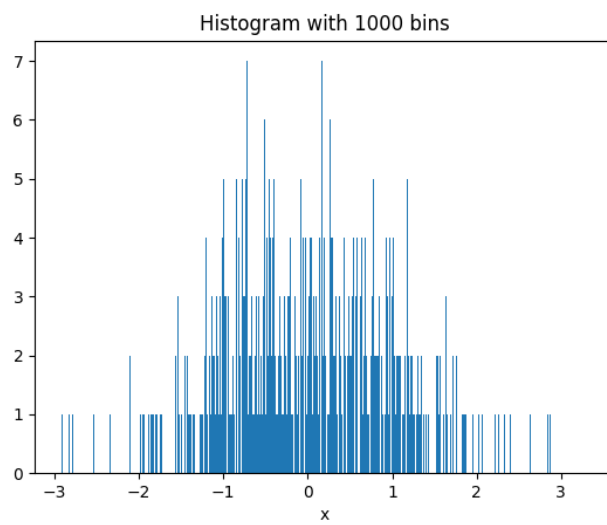
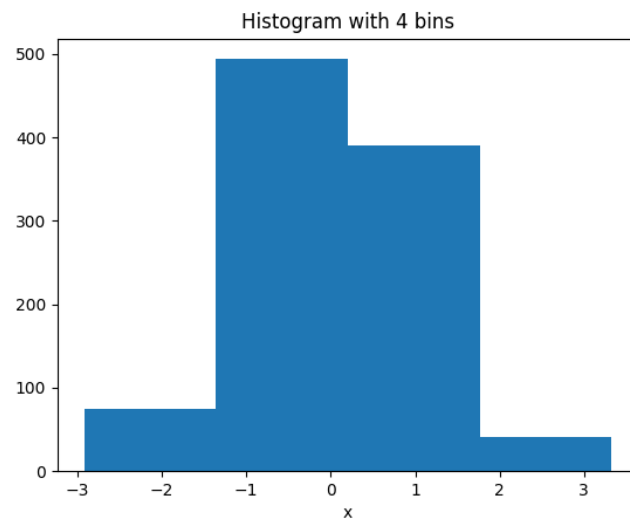
$$\Rightarrow I^2 = 2\pi \left. -e^{-\frac{r^2}{2}} \right|_0^\infty = 2\pi \Rightarrow I = \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}[X] = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \sqrt{2\pi} = \sigma^2$$

**2b** Given:  $\mu = 0$  and  $\sigma = 1$

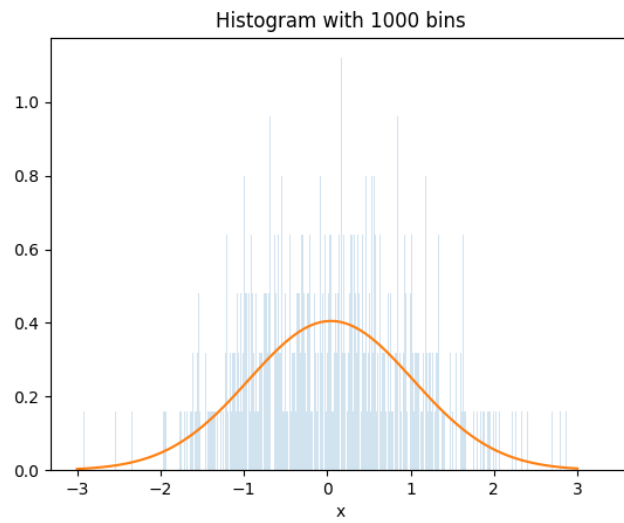
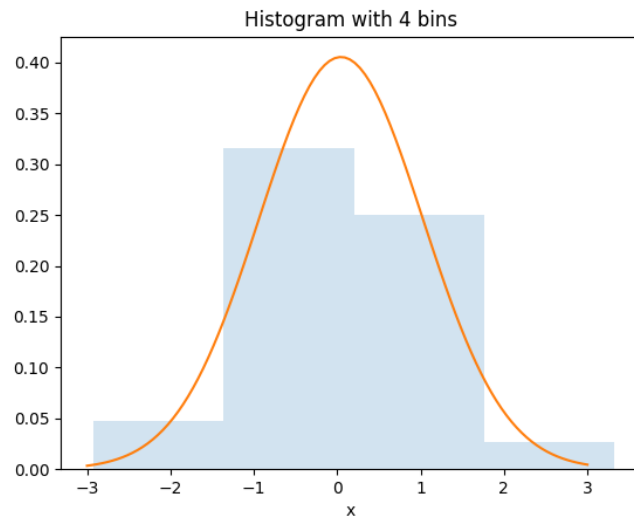


2c  
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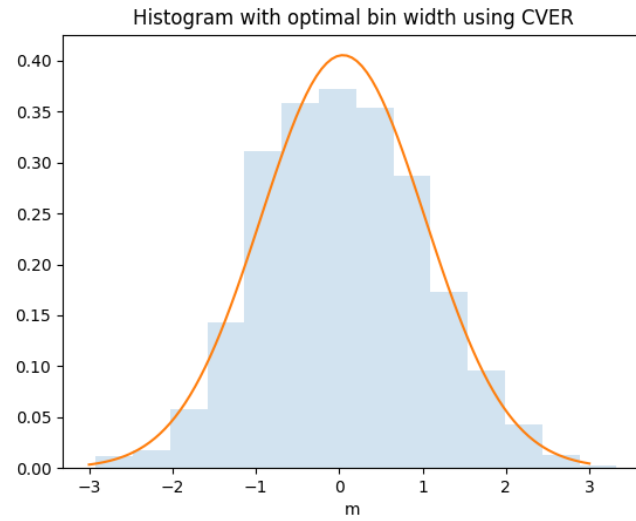
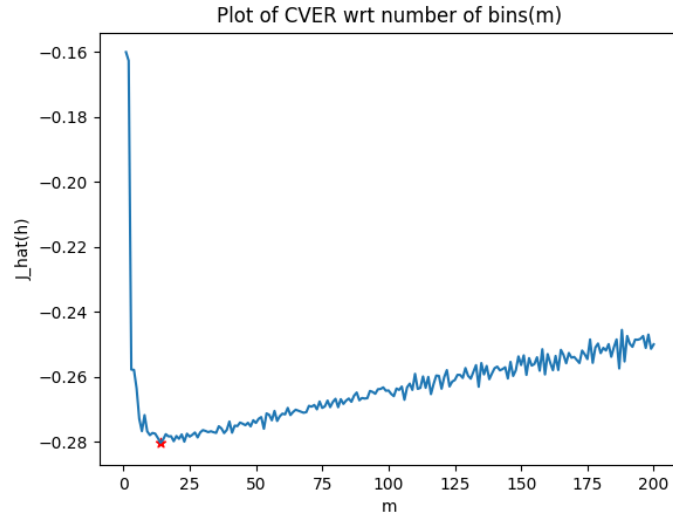
iii The estimated mean and standard deviation from the samples came out to be:  
 $\mu = 0.04477392273763491$  and  $\sigma = 0.983857216790902$

iv



v From the above plots we can see that neither of the the histograms match the fitted Gaussian accurately. Therefore we need to find optimal bin width to obtain a better histogram.

**2d** From Computation  $m^*$  came out as **14**



On Comparing the above histogram with the previous histograms we can clearly observe that when using the optimal bin width we have a better histogram which represents the fitted Gaussian more accurately.

The code for this Problem is:

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"""
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"""

# import libraries
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.stats import norm

#%% Exercise 2
#%% 2b
u = 0
sigma = 1
numpts = 100
lb = -3; ub = 3;
x = np.linspace(lb, ub, numpts)
fx = (1/np.sqrt(2*np.pi*sigma**2))*np.exp(-(x-u)**2/(2*sigma**2))
plt.plot(x, fx)
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('fx')
plt.title('2(b)_Normal_Distribution_u=0_sigma=1_in_[-3,3]')
plt.savefig('2b_fig')
#%% 2c
# i
n = 1000
s = np.random.normal(0, 1, n)
# ii
bins = 4
plt.figure()
plt.hist(s, bins)
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.title('Histogram_with_'+str(bins)+'_bins')
plt.savefig('2c1_fig')
bins = 1000
plt.figure()
plt.hist(s, bins)
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.title('Histogram_with_'+str(bins)+'_bins')
plt.savefig('2c2_fig')
# iii
u_est, sig_est = norm.fit(s)
print('estimated_u: '+str(u_est)+'_estimated_sigma: '+str(sig_est))
# iv
bins = 4
plt.figure()
plt.hist(s, bins, normed=True, alpha=0.2)
plt.plot(x, norm.pdf(x, u_est, sig_est))
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.title('Histogram_with_'+str(bins)+'_bins')
plt.savefig('2c3_fig')
bins = 1000
plt.figure()
plt.hist(s, bins, normed=True, alpha=0.2)
plt.plot(x, norm.pdf(x, u_est, sig_est))
plt.xlabel('x')
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plt.title('Histogram_with_'+str(bins)+'_bins')
plt.savefig('2c4_fig')
#%% 2d
Jh = []
range_s = max(s)-min(s)
for m in range(1,200+1):
    h = range_s/m
    temp = 2/(h*(n-1)) - ((n+1)/(h*(n-1))) * \
    np.sum(np.square(np.histogram(s, bins=m)[0]/n))
    Jh.append([temp])

m_star = np.argmin(Jh)+1
print(m_star)
plt.figure()
plt.plot(np.arange(1,200+1), Jh)
plt.scatter(m_star, Jh[m_star-1], c='r', marker='*')
plt.xlabel('m')
plt.ylabel('J_hat(h)')
plt.title('Plot_of_CVER_wrt_number_of_bins(m)')
plt.savefig('2c5_fig')
plt.figure()
plt.hist(s, m_star, normed=True, alpha=0.2)
plt.plot(x, norm.pdf(x, u_est, sig_est))
plt.xlabel('m')
plt.title('Histogram_with_optimal_bin_width_using_CVER')
plt.savefig('2c6_fig')

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### Exercise 3

3a

i

$$\underline{3a)} \quad \underline{\mu} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \underline{\Sigma} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\Sigma}^{-1} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad |\underline{\Sigma}| = 3$$

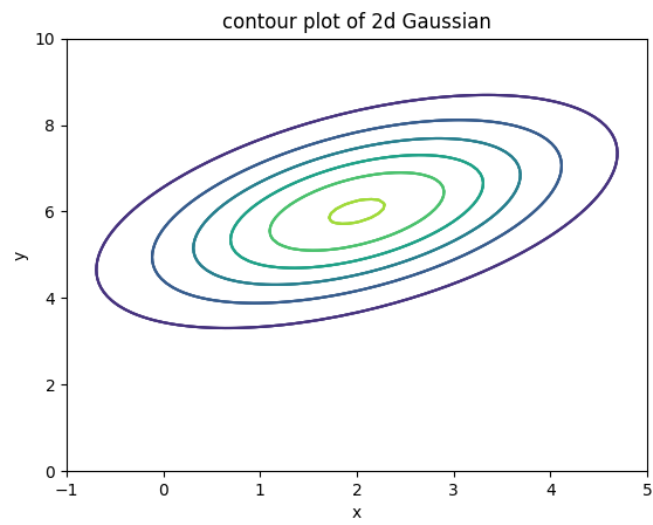
$$f_{\underline{x}}(\underline{x}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^2 |\underline{\Sigma}|}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu})^T \underline{\Sigma}^{-1} (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi^2 \cdot 3}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} [x_1 - 2, x_2 - 6] \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - 2 \\ x_2 - 6 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{12\pi^2}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{6} (2(x_1 - 2)^2 + 2(x_2 - 6)^2 - 2(x_1 - 2)(x_2 - 6)) \right\}$$

$$f_{\underline{x}}(\underline{x}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{12\pi^2}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{6} (2x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 - 2x_1x_2 + 4x_1 - 20x_2 + 56) \right\}$$

ii



3b  
i

3(b) given  $X \sim N(0, I) \Rightarrow E[X] = 0 \quad E[XX^T] = I$

(i) given:  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$ ,  $b \in \mathbb{R}^d$

$$Y = AX + b$$

$$\mu_Y = E[Y] = E[AX + b] = E[AX] + E[b]$$

$$= A E[X] + b$$

$$= A \cdot 0 + b = b$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\mu_Y = b}$$

$$\Sigma_Y = E[(Y - \mu_Y)(Y - \mu_Y)^T] = E[(AX + b - b)(AX + b - b)^T]$$

$$= E[(AX)(AX)^T] = E[A XX^T A^T] = A E[XX^T] A^T$$

$$= A I A^T = A A^T$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\Sigma_Y = A A^T}$$

(ii), (iii), (iv)

(i) given:  $\Sigma_y = A A^T$

To prove:  $\Sigma_y$  is symmetric & semi-pos-def

$$\Sigma_y^T = (A A^T)^T = (A^T)^T A^T = A A^T = \Sigma_y$$

$\Rightarrow \Sigma_y$  is symmetric

Now let  $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$

$$x^T \Sigma_y x = x^T A A^T x = (A^T x)^T (A^T x)$$

$$= \|A^T x\|_2^2 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^T \Sigma_y x \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

$\therefore \Sigma_y$  is semi-pos-def

(iii) Let  $A = U \Lambda U^T \Rightarrow \Sigma_y = (U \Lambda U^T)(U \Lambda U^T)^T$   
where  $U U^T = I$   
 $= U \Lambda U^T U \Lambda U^T$   
 $= U \Lambda^2 U^T$

for  $\Sigma_y$  to be strictly pos-def by def  $\lambda_i^2 > 0 \neq 0$

$$(iv) M_y = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma_y = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$b = M_y = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma_y = A A^T \quad \text{let } \Sigma_y = U \Lambda U^T$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \Sigma_y &= U \Lambda^{1/2} \Lambda^{1/2} U^T \\ &= U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T \quad \text{as } U U^T = I \\ &= (U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T) (U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T)^T \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma_y = (U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T) (U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T)^T = A A^T$$

$$\Rightarrow A = U \Lambda^{1/2} U^T$$

Finding Eigenvalues of  $\Sigma_y$ ,  $\det(\Sigma_y - \lambda I) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (2 - \lambda)^2 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 1, 3$$

$$\text{for } \lambda = 1, (A - I) v_1 = 0$$

$$\text{for } \lambda = 3, (A - 3I) v_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} v_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

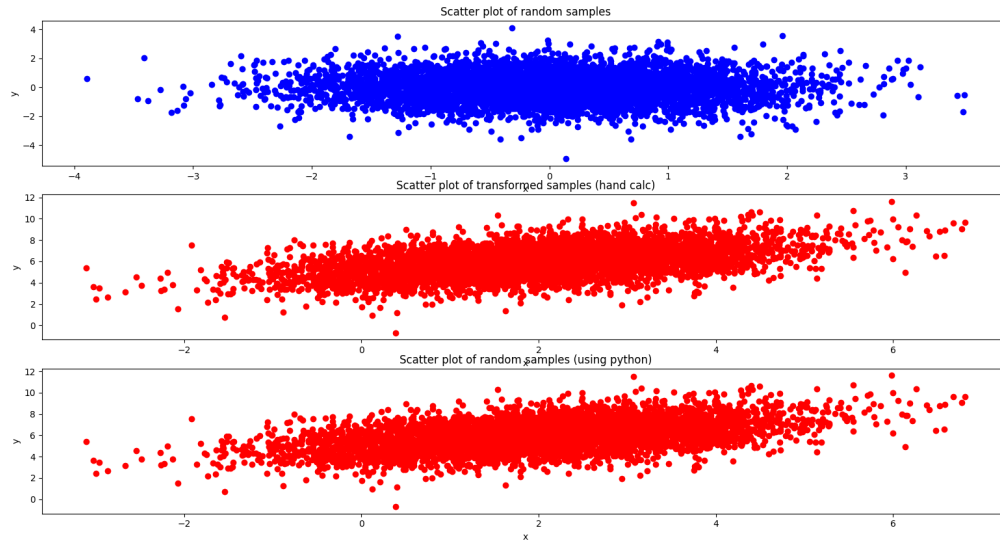
$$\Rightarrow v_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad U = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} & \sqrt{3} \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3}+1 & \sqrt{3}-1 \\ \sqrt{3}-1 & \sqrt{3}+1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**3c**  
**(i),(ii)**



**iii** We can observe that the scatter plots in the above sub-plots 2 and 3 are exactly similar. This indicates that the theoretical findings from part(b) match with the computation.

Also, if we compute the mean and co variance from the transformed samples they come out as:

$$\mu_Y = \begin{bmatrix} 2.0019569 \\ 6.02267004 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \Sigma_Y = \begin{bmatrix} 2.00022568 & 0.99505734 \\ 0.99505734 & 2.00444455 \end{bmatrix}$$

which is very close what is given in the problem statement.

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```
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import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
#%% 3a
def gauss_2d(x,u,s):
    f = (1/np.sqrt((2*np.pi)**2*np.linalg.det(s)))*np.exp((-1/2)*(x-u).T@np.linalg.
        inv(s)@(x-u))
    return(f)

u=np.array([2,6])
sigma = np.array([[2,1],[1,2]])
N=100
x = np.linspace(-1,5,N)
y = np.linspace(0,10,N)
X,Y=np.meshgrid(x,y)

F = np.zeros((N,N))
for i in range(N):
    for j in range(N):
        x = np.array([X[i,j],Y[i,j]])
        F[i,j]= gauss_2d(x,u,sigma)

#plot
plt.figure(1)
plt.contour(X,Y,F)
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.axis([-1,5,0,10])
plt.title('contour_plot_of_2d_Gaussian')
plt.show()
plt.savefig('3a2')
#%% 3c
# i
N_sample = 5000
samples = np.random.multivariate_normal(np.zeros(2),np.eye(2),N_sample)
#plot
plt.figure(2)
plt.subplot(3,1,1)
plt.scatter(samples[:,0],samples[:,1],c='b',marker='o')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Scatter_plot_of_random_samples')
# ii
sqrt_3 = np.sqrt(3)
A =(1/2)*np.array([[sqrt_3+1,sqrt_3-1],[sqrt_3-1,sqrt_3+1]])
b = np.array([2,6])
Y = ((A@samples.T).T+b)
plt.subplot(3,1,2)
plt.scatter(Y[:,0],Y[:,1],c='r',marker='o')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Scatter_plot_of_transformed_samples_(hand_calc)')
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# iii
D,U = np.linalg.eig(sigma)
A_py = U@np.diag(np.sqrt(D))@U.T
Y_py = ((A_py@samples.T).T+b)
plt.subplot(3,1,3)
plt.scatter(Y_py[:,0], Y_py[:,1], c='r', marker='o')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Scatter_plot_of_random_samples_(using_python)')
# check
print('Sample_observed_mean: '+str(np.mean(Y, axis=0)))
print('Sample_observed_covariance: '+str(np.cov(Y.T)))

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#### Exercise 4

(a),(b),(c)

4(a) | given:  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$   $x \in \mathbb{R}^m$   $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$R = \max_j \sum_{k=1}^n |a_{jk}|, \quad C = \max_k \sum_{j=1}^m |a_{jk}|$$

To prove:  $|x^T A y| \leq \sqrt{RC} \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2$

Proof:  $|x^T A y| = \left| \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n x_i a_{ij} y_j \right|$

Let us Flatten the double sum to a single sum  
using  $k = (i-1)n + j$

$$\Rightarrow \text{L.H.S.} = \left| \sum_{k=1}^{mn} (x_i a_{ij} y_j)_k \right| = \left| \sum_{k=1}^{mn} \underbrace{x_i}_{X_k} \underbrace{a_{ij} y_j}_Y \right|$$

Now using Cauchy-Schwarz we get

$$\text{L.H.S.} \leq \left( \sum_k X_k^2 \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_k Y_k^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\begin{pmatrix} x_1^2(a_{11}+a_{12}+\dots+a_{1n})+ \\ x_2^2(a_{21}+a_{22}+\dots+a_{2n})+ \\ \vdots \\ x_m^2(a_{m1}+\dots+a_{mn}) \end{pmatrix}} \cdot \sqrt{\begin{pmatrix} (a_{11}+a_{21}+\dots+a_{m1})y_1^2+ \\ (a_{12}+a_{22}+\dots+a_{m2})y_2^2+ \\ \vdots \\ (a_{1n}+a_{2n}+\dots+a_{mn})y_n^2 \end{pmatrix}}$$

Now by def,  $\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} \leq R \quad \forall i \in \{1, 2, \dots, m\}$

4  $\sum_{i=1}^m a_{ij} \leq C \quad \forall j \in \{1, \dots, n\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Rightarrow \text{L.H.S.}^2 &\leq \sqrt{R(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2)} \cdot \sqrt{C(y_1^2 + y_2^2 + \dots + y_n^2)} \\
&= \sqrt{RC} \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2} \cdot \sqrt{y_1^2 + y_2^2 + \dots + y_n^2} \\
&= \sqrt{RC} \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2 = \text{R.H.S.}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow |x^T A y| \leq \sqrt{RC} \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2 \quad \text{Hence Proved}$$

4(b) (i) given:  $A$  is pos-def  
To prove:  $A$  is invertible

Proof: by def,  $x^T A x > 0 \quad \forall x$

$$\text{Let } A = U \Lambda U^T \quad \text{s.t. } U U^T = I \quad \& \quad \|u_i\| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^T (U \Lambda U^T) x > 0 \quad \forall x$$

$$\text{let } x = \text{first eigenvector } u_1 \Rightarrow U^T x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 \ 0 \ 0 \dots) \wedge \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} > 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 > 0$$

$$\text{By } \lambda_i > 0 \quad \forall i = 1-n$$

Now  $\det(A) = \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda_i > 0$  as  $\lambda_i > 0 \quad \forall i=1, \dots, n$

$\Rightarrow \det(A) > 0$

$\therefore A$  is invertible

(9<sup>o</sup>) given: Hessian is invertible i.e.  $\det(H) \neq 0$

& Hessian is not positive definite anywhere

$\Rightarrow \lambda_i < 0$

To find:  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  which has the above Hessian

one such Hessian is  $H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$   $\det(H) = -3$

&  $\lambda(H) = -1, -3$

$f(\underline{x}) = \underline{x}^T \left( \frac{1}{2} H \right) \underline{x} = \frac{1}{2} [x_1, x_2] \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 4x_1x_2}{2}$

$\Rightarrow \boxed{f(\underline{x}) = \frac{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 4x_1x_2}{2}}$

check

$H = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2 \partial x_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2^2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(iii) given:  $A$  s.t.  $x^T A x \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

To find: condition for  $x^T A x > 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

Proof: Let us do the eigen decomposition of  $A$

$$A = U \Lambda U^T \quad \text{s.t.} \quad U U^T = I$$

$$\Rightarrow x^T (U \Lambda U^T) x \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Let  $x = u_i$  the  $i$ th eigen vector

$$\Rightarrow U^T x = U^T u_i = [1 \ 0 \ \dots \ 0]^T \quad \text{--- ②}$$

From ① & ② we get

$$\lambda_i \geq 0 \quad \forall i = 1 \dots n$$

Now,

for  $x^T A x > 0$  we would get  $\lambda_i > 0$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_i \neq 0$$

Equivalently  $\det(A) = \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda_i \neq 0$  } Additional condition on  $A$

4(c) | To prove:  $AA^+A = A$

using Hint,

$$A = U \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} U^T \quad \text{where } \Lambda = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda_i \neq 0$$

with  $UU^T = I$

$$A^+ = U \Lambda^- U^T \quad \text{where } [\Lambda^-]_{j,j} = \begin{cases} [\Lambda]_{j,j}^{-1} & \forall 1 \leq j \leq n \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow AA^+A = \left( U \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} U^T \right) (U \Lambda^- U^T) \left( U \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} U^T \right)$$

$$= U \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda^- & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} U^T$$

$$= U \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda^- \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} U^T = U \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} U^T$$

$$= U \begin{bmatrix} \Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} U^T = A = \text{R.H.S.}$$

hence proved