

Empirical Bayes

$$y|Q \sim N(Q, \sigma^2 I), \quad Q \sim N(\mu_1, \tau^2 I).$$

$$P(Q|y) \propto P(y|Q)P(Q)$$

$$\propto \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}(y-Q)^T \frac{1}{\sigma^2} I (y-Q)\right\} \cdot \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}(Q-\mu_1)^T \frac{1}{\tau^2} I (Q-\mu_1)\right\}$$

$$= \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (Q^T Q - 2y^T Q + y^T y) - \frac{1}{2\tau^2} (Q^T Q - 2\mu_1^T Q + \mu_1^T \mu_1)\right\}$$

$$\propto \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\tau^2}\right) Q^T Q - 2\left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} y + \frac{1}{\tau^2} \mu_1\right)^T Q \right\}\right]$$

$$\propto \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\tau^2}\right) \left(Q - \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\tau^2}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} y + \frac{1}{\tau^2} \mu_1\right)\right)^T\right\}$$

$$\left\{ \left(Q - \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\tau^2}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} y + \frac{1}{\tau^2} \mu_1\right)\right)^T \right\}$$

kernel of multivariate normal dist. with

$$\text{mean } \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\tau^2}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} y + \frac{1}{\tau^2} \mu_1\right)$$

$$\text{and variance } \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\tau^2}\right)^{-1} I_n$$

Since

$$\left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\tau^2}\right)^{-1} I_n = \frac{\sigma^2 \tau^2}{\sigma^2 + \tau^2} I_n = \sigma^2 (1-B) I_n,$$

$$E(Q|y) = \sigma^2 (1-B) I_n \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} y + \frac{1}{\tau^2} \mu_1\right)$$

$$= (1-B) y + \frac{\sigma^2}{\tau^2} (1-B) \mu_1$$

$$= (1-B) y + \underbrace{\frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma^2 + \tau^2}}_B \mu_1$$

$$\text{Var}(Q|y) = \sigma^2 (1-B) I_n$$