## Calculation of Factor Score Coefficients

$$B = R^{-1} A$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 4.76 & -7.46 & 3.91 & -2.35 & 2.42 & -0.49 \\ -7.46 & 18.49 & -12.42 & 5.45 & -5.54 & 1.22 \\ 3.91 & -12.42 & 10.07 & -3.65 & 3.79 & -0.96 \\ -2.35 & 5.45 & -3.65 & 2.97 & -2.16 & 0.02 \\ 2.42 & -5.54 & 3.79 & -2.16 & 2.98 & -0.56 \\ -0.49 & 1.22 & -0.96 & 0.02 & -0.56 & 1.27 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0.87 & 0.01 \\ 0.96 & -0.03 \\ 0.92 & 0.04 \\ 0.00 & 0.82 \\ -0.10 & 0.75 \\ 0.09 & 0.70 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Column 1 of matrix B

To get the first element of the first column of matrix B, you need to multiply each element in the *first column* of matrix A with the correspondingly placed element in the *first row* of matrix  $R^{-1}$ . Add these six products together to get the final value of the first element. To get the second element of the first column of matrix B, you need to multiply each element in the *first column* of matrix A with the correspondingly placed element in the *second row* of matrix  $B^{-1}$ . Add these six products together to get the final value ... and so on.

$$\begin{split} B_{11} &= (4.75924 \times 0.87407) + (-7.46190 \times 0.95768) + (3.90949 \times 0.92138) \\ &+ (-2.35093 \times -0.00237) + (2.42104 \times -0.09575) + (-0.48607 \times 0.096) \\ &= 0.343 \\ B_{12} &= (-7.4619 \times 0.87407) + (18.48556 \times 0.95768) + (-12.41679 \times 0.92138) \\ &+ (5.445 \times -0.00237) + (-5.54427 \times -0.09575) + (1.22155 \times 0.096) \\ &= 0.376 \\ B_{13} &= (3.90949 \times 0.87407) + (-12.41679 \times 0.95768) + (10.07382 \times 0.92138) \\ &+ (-3.64853 \times -0.00237) + (3.78869 \times -0.09575) + (-0.95731 \times 0.096) \\ &= 0.362 \\ B_{14} &= (-2.35093 \times 0.87407) + (5.445 \times 0.95768) + (-3.64853 \times 0.92138) \\ &+ (2.96922 \times -0.00237) + (-2.16094 \times -0.09575) + (0.02255 \times 0.096) \\ &= 0.000 \\ B_{15} &= (2.42104 \times 0.87407) + (-5.54427 \times 0.95768) + (3.78869 \times 0.92138) \\ &+ (-2.16094 \times -0.00237) + (2.97983 \times -0.09575) + (-0.56017 \times 0.096) \\ &= -0.037 \\ B_{16} &= (-0.48607 \times 0.87407) + (1.22155 \times 0.95768) + (-0.95731 \times 0.92138) \\ &+ (0.02255 \times -0.00237) + (-0.56017 \times -0.09575) + (1.27072 \times 0.096) \\ &= 0.039 \\ \end{split}$$

## Column 2 of matrix B

To get the first element of the second column of matrix B, you need to multiply each element in the second column of matrix A with the correspondingly placed element in the first row of

matrix  $R^{-1}$ . Add these six products together to get the final value. To get the second element of the second column of matrix B, you need to multiply each element in the second column of matrix A with the correspondingly placed element in the second row of matrix  $R^{-1}$ . Add these six products together to get the final value ... and so on.

$$\begin{split} B_{11} &= (4.75924 \times 0.00842) + (-7.46190 \times -0.03653) + (3.90949 \times 0.03178) \\ &+ (-2.35093 \times 0.81556) + (2.42104 \times 0.75435) + (-0.48607 \times 0.69936) \\ &= 0.006 \\ B_{12} &= (-7.4619 \times 0.00842) + (18.48556 \times -0.03653) + (-12.41679 \times 0.03178) \\ &+ (5.445 \times 0.81556) + (-5.54427 \times 0.75435) + (1.22155 \times 0.69936) \\ &= -0.020 \\ B_{13} &= (3.90949 \times 0.00842) + (-12.41679 \times -0.03653) + (10.07382 \times 0.03178) \\ &+ (-3.64853 \times 0.81556) + (3.78869 \times 0.75435) + (-0.95731 \times 0.69936) \\ &= 0.020 \\ B_{14} &= (-2.35093 \times 0.00842) + (5.445 \times -0.03653) + (-3.64853 \times 0.03178) \\ &+ (2.96922 \times 0.81556) + (-2.16094 \times 0.75435) + (0.02255 \times 0.69936) \\ &= 0.473 \\ B_{15} &= (2.42104 \times 0.00842) + (-5.54427 \times -0.03653) + (3.78869 \times 0.03178) \\ &+ (-2.16094 \times 0.81556) + (2.97983 \times 0.75435) + (-0.56017 \times 0.69936) \\ &= 0.437 \\ B_{16} &= (-0.48607 \times 0.00842) + (1.22155 \times -0.03653) + (-0.95731 \times 0.03178) \\ &+ (0.02255 \times 0.81556) + (-0.56017 \times 0.75435) + (1.27072 \times 0.69936) \\ &= 0.405 \\ \end{split}$$

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