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EE511 Simulation Methods for Stochastic Systems

Project #7- Expectation Maximization

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PROBLEM 1:

DESCRIPTION:

- A multivariate normal distribution also known as multivariate gaussian distribution is nothing but a generalization of the univariate normal distribution to higher dimensions.
- One possible definition is that a random vector is said to be k-variate normally distributed if every linear combination of its k components has a univariate normal distribution.
- Its importance derives mainly from the multivariate central limit theorem.
- The multivariate normal distribution is often used to describe, at least approximately, any set of (possibly) correlated real-valued random variables each of which clusters around a mean value.
- A random vector is said to be multivariate normal distribution if it satisfies the following conditions
- Every linear combination of its components $Y = a_1X_1 + \dots + a_kX_k$ is normally distributed.
- That is, for any constant vector $a \in R_k$, the random variable $Y = a^T x$ has a univariate normal distribution, where a univariate normal distribution with zero variance is a point mass on its mean.
- The covariance matrix is allowed to be singular (in which case the corresponding distribution has no density).
- This case arises frequently in statistics; for example, in the distribution of the vector of residuals in the ordinary least squares regression.
- Note also that the X_i are in general not independent; they can be seen as the result of applying the matrix A to a collection of independent Gaussian variables z .

PROCEDURE:

- RandNumber(N) function is used for generation of N samples.
- An array is initialized with N elements and sigma and mean values are given.
- A total of N samples are generated of X and the sample mean and covariance is calculated. A row vector Z of length and standard normal random variables are used to initialize Z for which normrnd is used.
- Matlab's chol() function is used to generate a lower triangular square matrix and column vector X is obtained and is of length 3.

CODE:

```
function rand_Num_Gen(Number)
Arr_X = zeros(3,Number);

for l = 1:Number
    myu = [1 2 3];
    sigma = [ 3 -1 1;
              -1 5 3;
              1 3 4 ];
    A = chol(sigma, 'lower');
    B = normrnd(0,1,1,3);
    Cap_X = A*B.' + myu.';
    Cap_X = transpose(Cap_X);

    for b= 1:3
        Arr_X(b,l) = Cap_X(b);
    end
end
Array_X1 = zeros(1,Number);
Array_X2 = zeros(1,Number);
Array_X3 = zeros(1,Number);

for c = 1:Number
    Array_X1(1,c) = mean(Arr_X(1,c));
    Array_X2(1,c) = mean(Arr_X(2,c));
    Array_X3(1,c) = mean(Arr_X(3,c));
end
display('mean of samples is:');
formatSpecMean = 'The mean of the samples is %.2f\n';
mean1 = mean(Array_X1);
fprintf(formatSpecMean,mean1);
mean2 = mean(Array_X2);
fprintf(formatSpecMean,mean2);
mean3 = mean(Array_X3);
fprintf(formatSpecMean,mean3);
covariance = cov(Arr_X.');
display('The covariance calculated from samples is:');
display(covariance);
end
```

OUTPUT

```
mean of samples is:
The mean of the samples is 1.11
The mean of the samples is 2.03
The mean of the samples is 3.10
The covariance calculated from samples is:
```

covariance =

2.8699	-0.7207	1.1634
-0.7207	4.6581	2.8175
1.1634	2.8175	3.8968

```
mean of samples is:
The mean of the samples is 1.00
The mean of the samples is 2.00
The mean of the samples is 3.00
The covariance calculated from samples is:
```

```
covariance =
```

```
    2.9750   -0.9845    1.0034
   -0.9845    4.9923    3.0004
    1.0034    3.0004    4.0070
```

ANALYSIS:

- From the above we could see that, the mean and the covariance of the samples generated matches very closely with the specified mean and covariance.
- The margin of difference decreases when the number of samples is increased.

PROBLEM 2:

- A mixture distribution is the probability distribution of a random variable that is derived from a collection of other random variables as follows:
- first, a random variable is selected by chance from the collection according to given probabilities of selection, and then the value of the selected random variable is realized.
- The underlying random variables may be random real numbers, or they may be random vectors (each having the same dimension), in which case the mixture distribution is a multivariate distribution.
- In cases where each of the underlying random variables is continuous, the outcome variable will also be continuous and its probability density function is sometimes referred to as a mixture density.
- The cumulative distribution function (and the probability density function if it exists) can be expressed as a convex combination (i.e. a weighted sum, with non-negative weights that sum to 1) of other distribution functions and density functions.
- The individual distributions that are combined to form the mixture distribution are called the mixture components, and the probabilities (or weights) associated with each component are called the mixture weights.

- The number of components in mixture distribution is often restricted to being finite, although in some cases the components may be countably infinite.
- More general cases (i.e. an uncountable set of component distributions), as well as the countable case, are treated under the title of compound distributions.

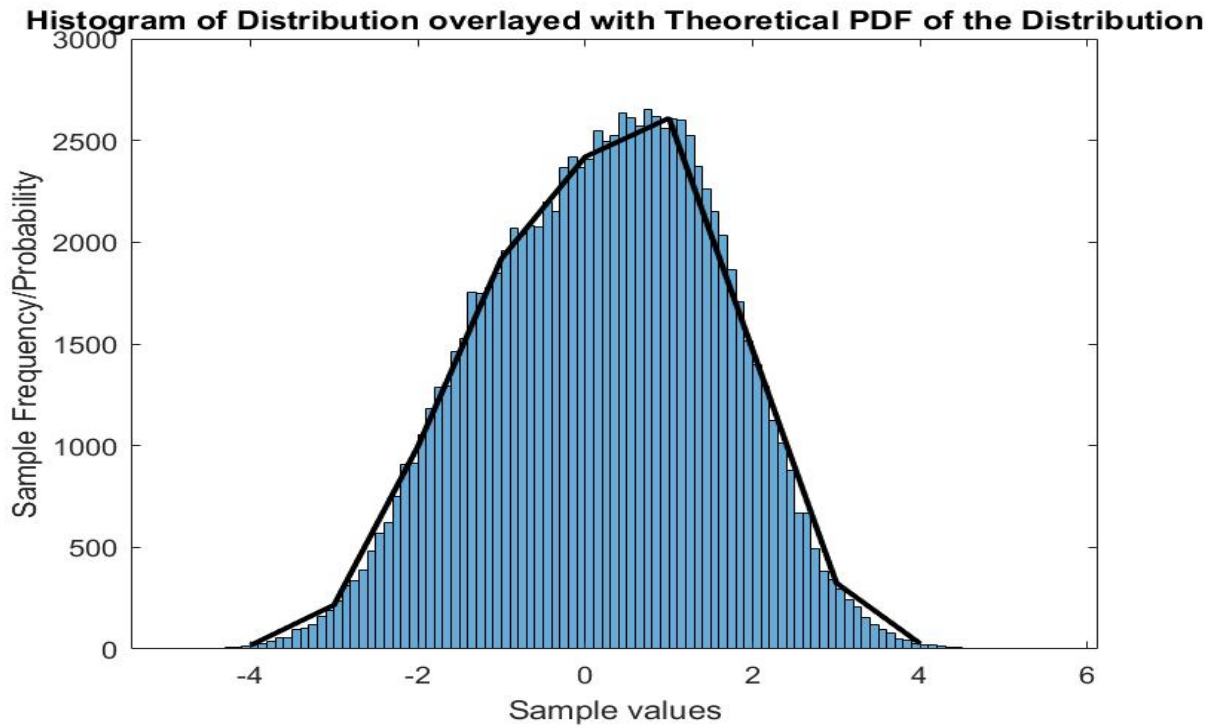
Methodology:

- A function MixedDistribution(N) is inherited for a total of N samples.
- An array is initialized which consists of a total of N elements when sigma and mean values are given.
- A total of N samples are generated from X and for the sample the sample mean and covariance values are calculated.
- Therefore, a row vector Z which of length # is generated and normrnd() function is used to initialize Z with standard normal random variables

CODE:

```
function MixedDistribution(N)
X = rand(N,1);
Y = zeros(N,1);
%%Distribution Generation
for i = 1:N
    if(X(i) <= 0.4)
        Y(i) = normrnd(-1,1);
    else
        Y(i) = normrnd(1,1);
    end
end

grid on;
histogram(Y);
x = -4:4;
hold on
%Histogram and Theoretical PDF
mixpdf = 10000*(0.4*normpdf(x,-1,1)+ 0.6*normpdf(x,1,1));
plot(x,mixpdf,'linewidth',2,'color','black');
title('Histogram of Distribution overlayed with Theoretical PDF of the
Distribution');
xlabel('Sample values');
ylabel('Sample Frequency/Probability');
end
```



ANALYSIS:

- From the above we could see that both the theoretical pdf and histogram of X are overlaid well together.
- The quality of fit increases with increase in number of samples of X.

PROBLEM 3:

METHODOLOGY

- A Gaussian Mixture Distribution object is created using `gmdistribution()` function which helps in creation of distribution with the given specifications.
- MATLAB's `random()` function is used for choosing of 300 samples randomly from distribution obj.
- Then `gmdistribution.fit()` function is used for the application of Expectation Maximization algorithm on the generated Gaussian Mixture Model.
- MATLAB's `ezcontour()` and `ezsurf()` functions are used to draw the contour and scatter plots.

CODE:

```
function Expectation_Maximization()
sigma = cat(3,[2 0;0 .5],[1 0;0 1]);
myu = [-1 2;-3 -4];
m = [0.5,0.5];

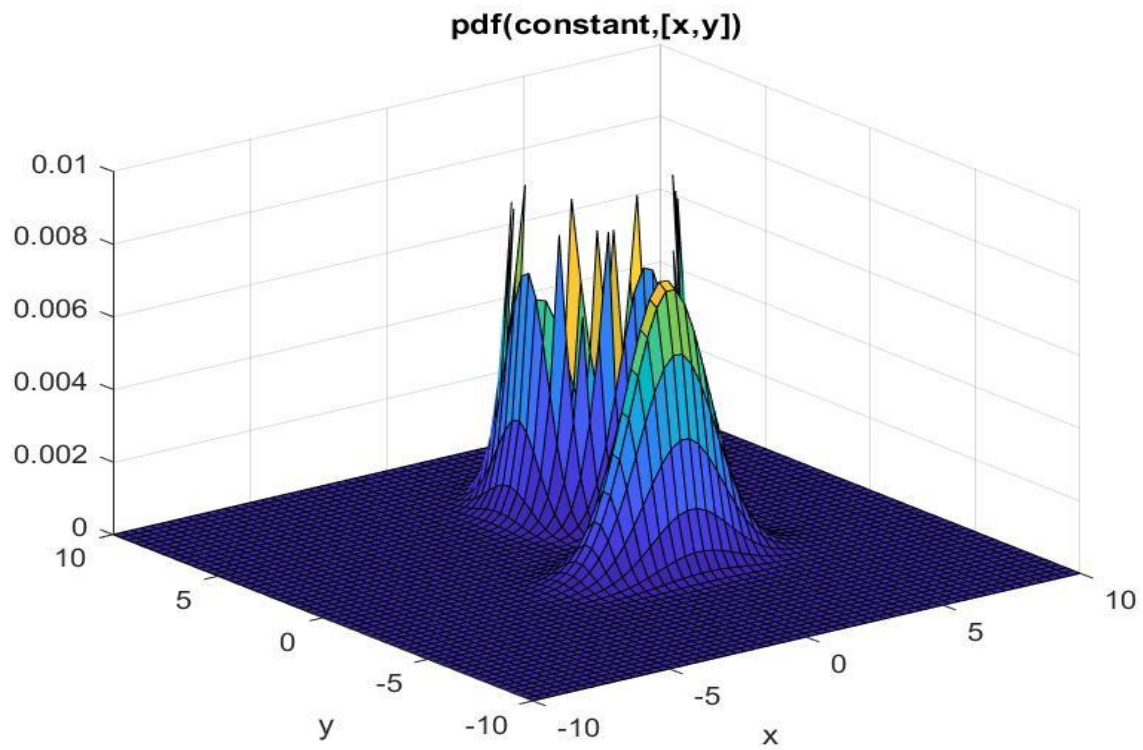
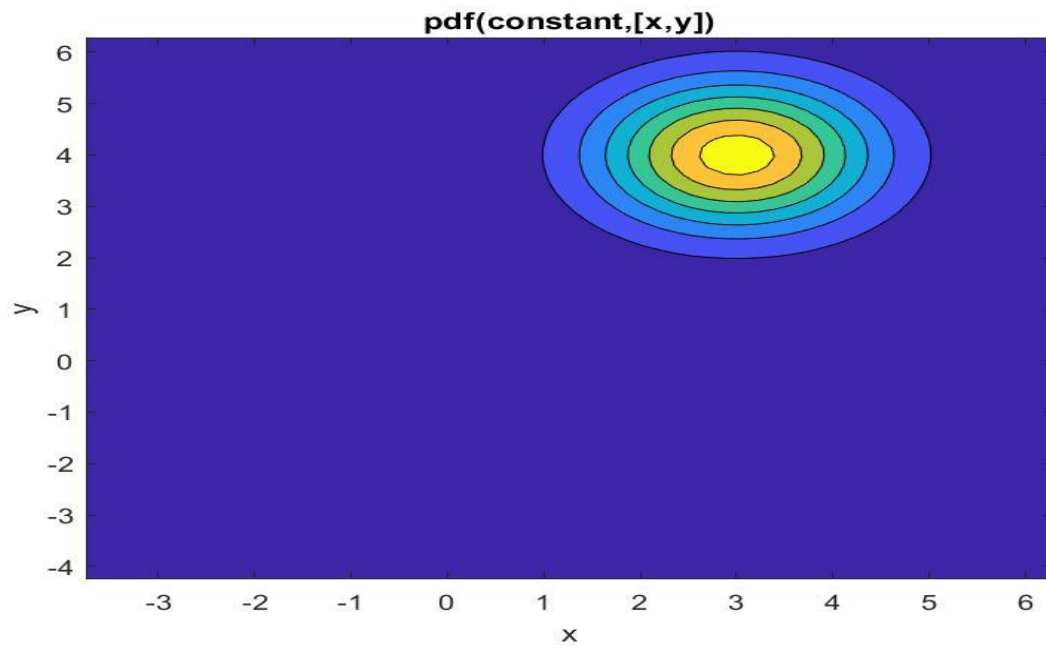
constant = gmdistribution(myu,sigma,m);
total_samples = random(constant,300);
options = statset('Display','final');
ExMax = gmdistribution.fit(total_samples, 2, 'options',options);

%% figure of 2D Projection;
figure;
%ezcontourf(@(x,y) pdf(constant,[x y]));

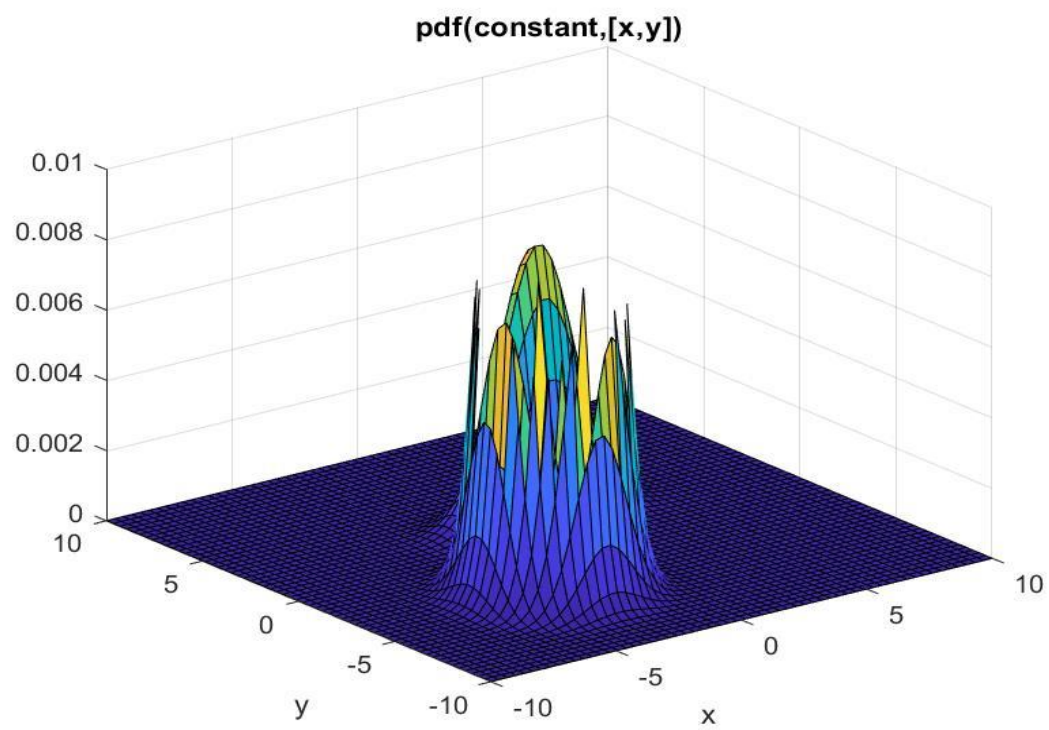
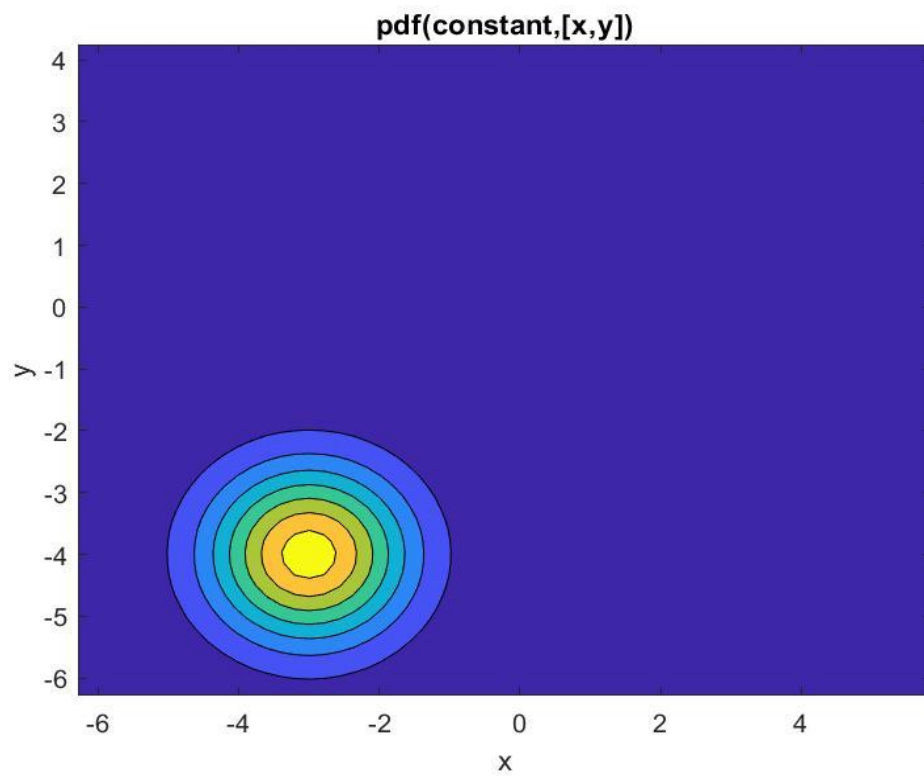
%% PDF surface figure;
ezsurf(@(x,y)pdf(constant,[x y]),[-10 10],[-10 10])

end
```

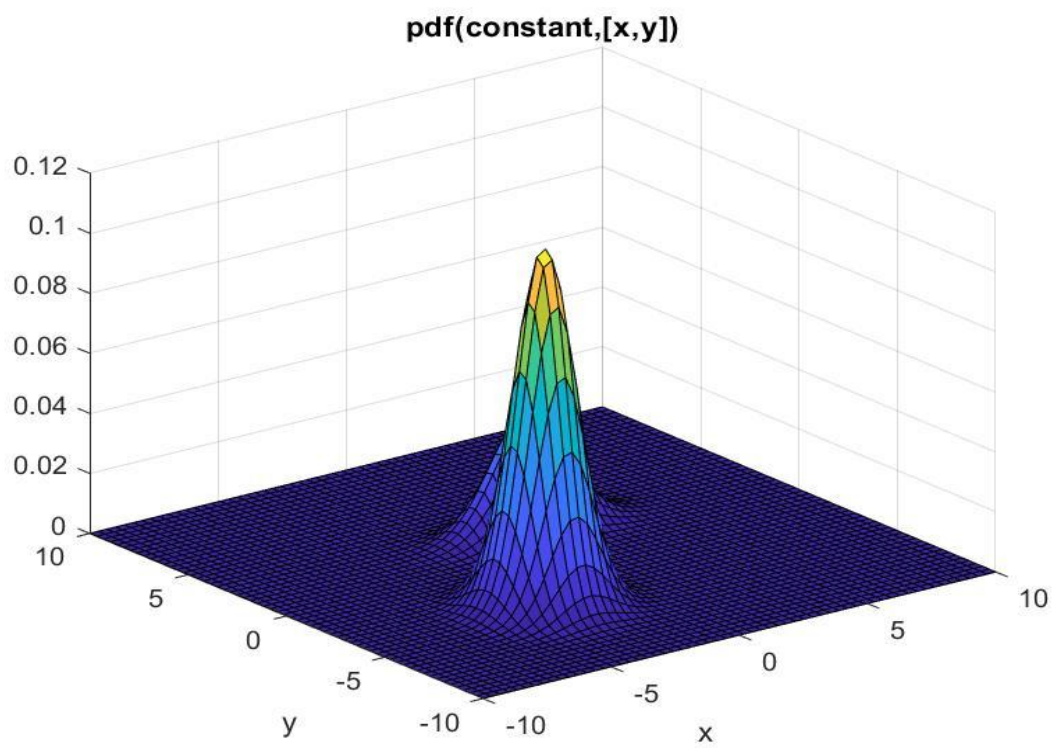
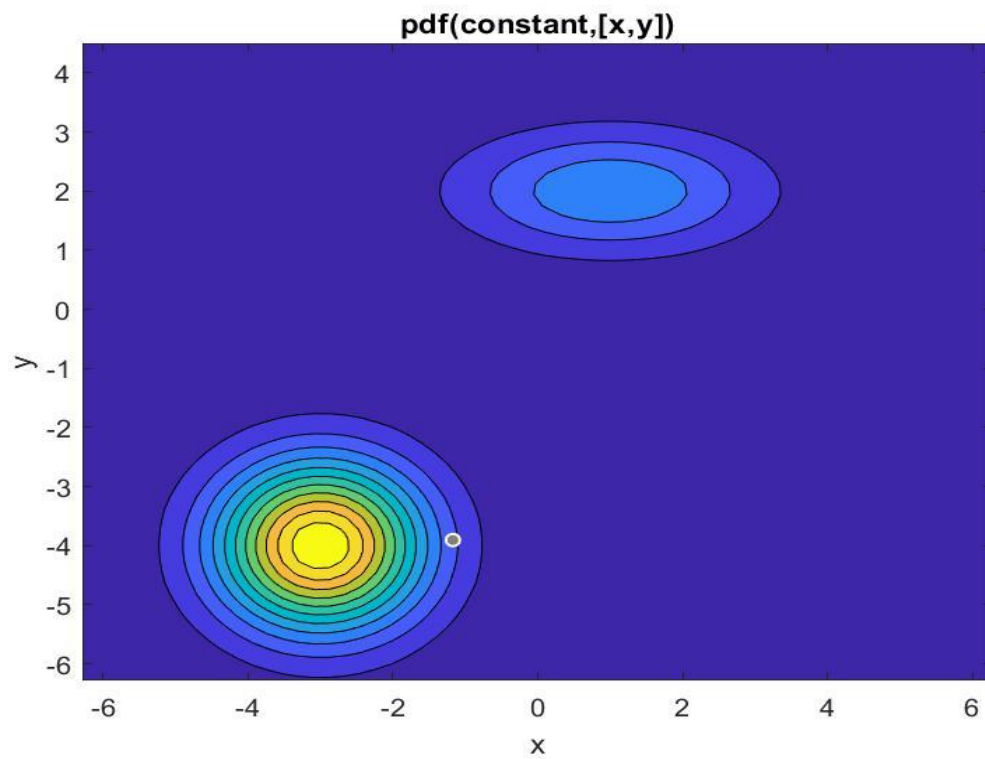
`mu = [1 -2;3 4]; and a = [0.05,0.95];`



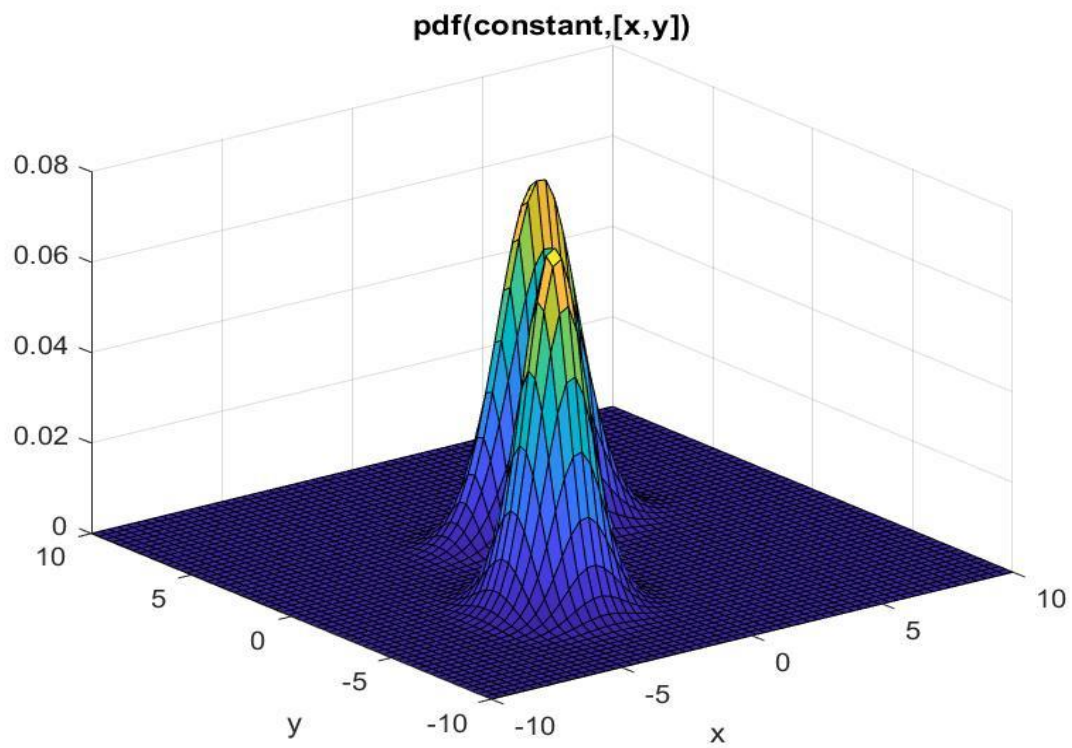
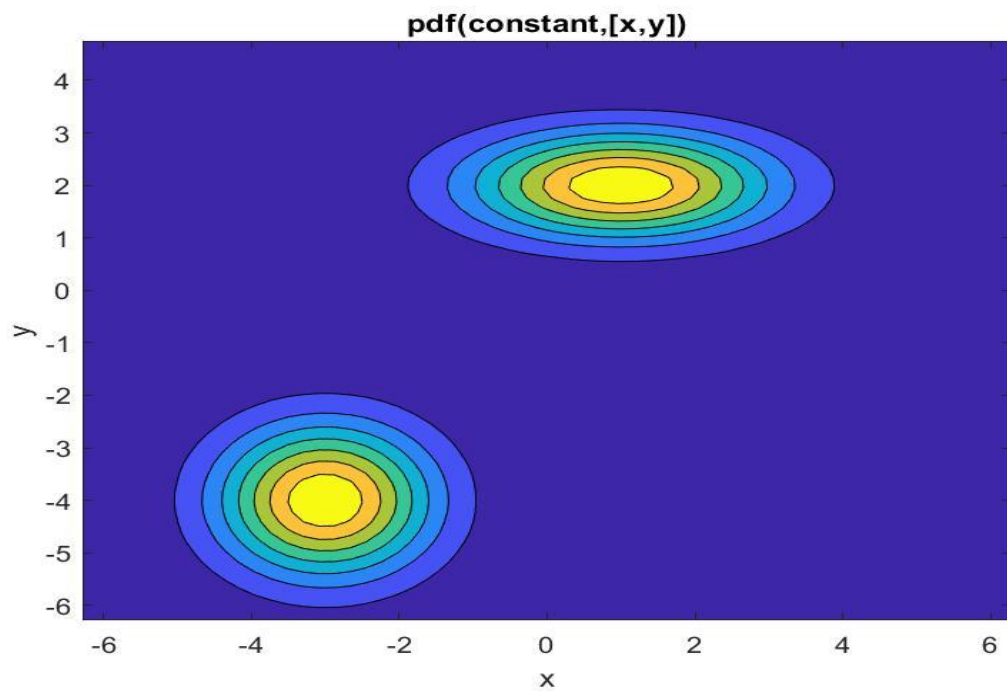
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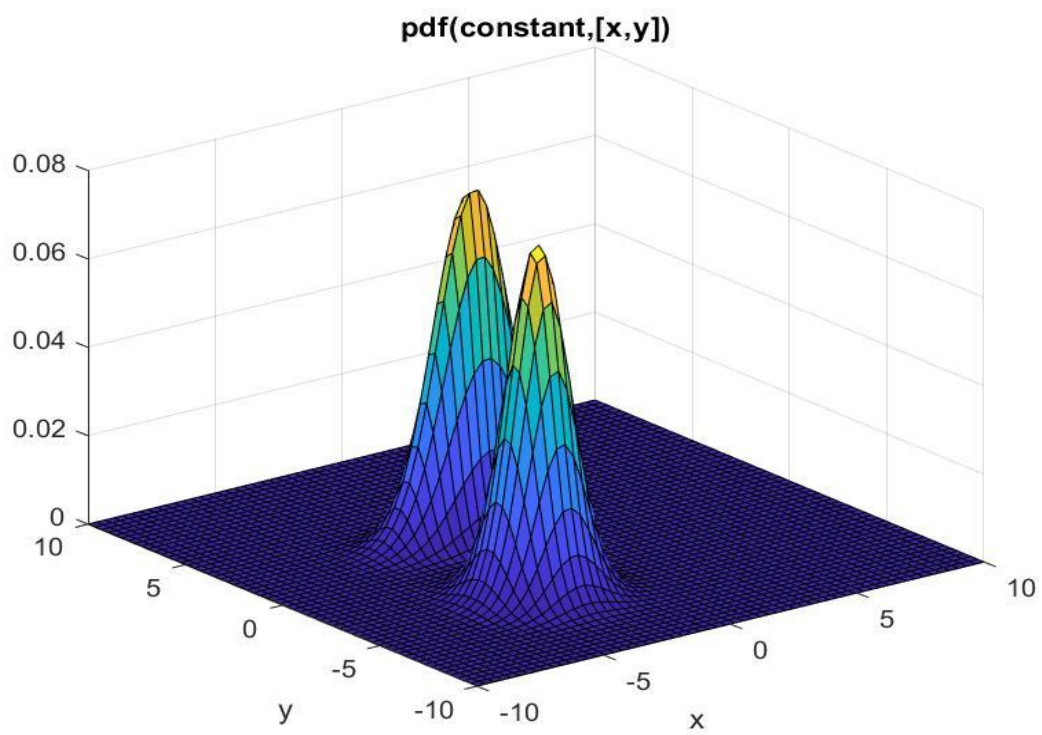
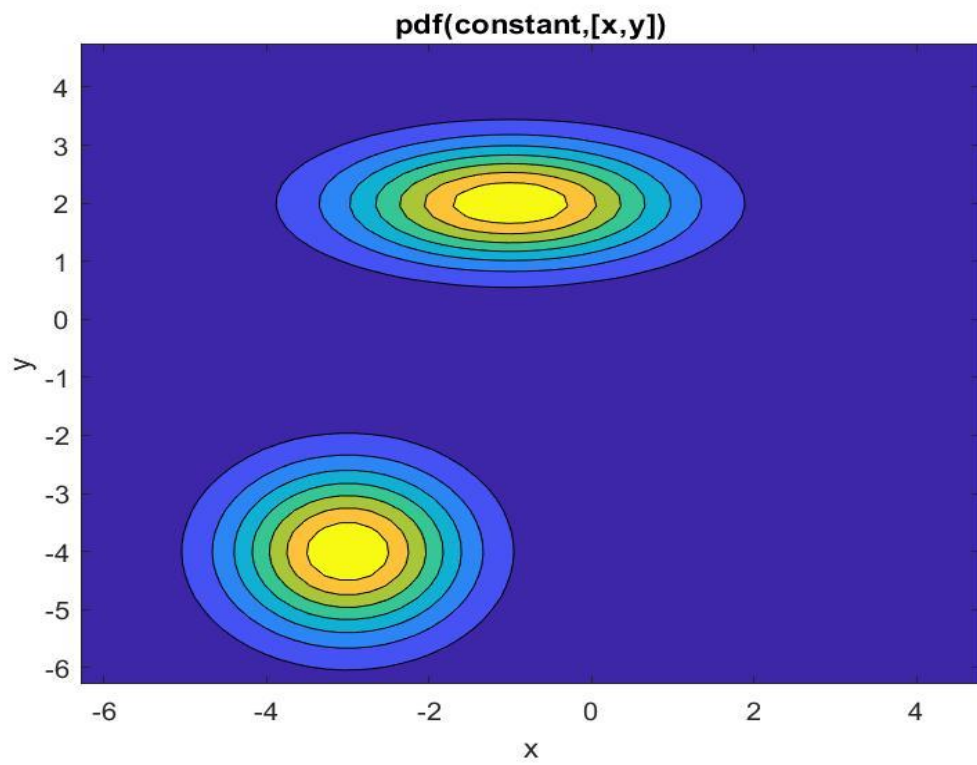
`mu = [1 2; -3 -4]; and P = [0.25,0.75];`



$\mu = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$; and $P = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$;



```
mu = [-1 2; -3 -4];
```



Observation:

- From the above results, we could see that with the change in the value of μ , the proximity f changes the contour plots of the clusters to each other
- As the values of the weight's changes, the distribution is effected by each weight. As the values of the Σ changes, the shapes of the contours also change.

PROBLEM 4:**DEFINTION:**

- A mixture model is a probabilistic model for representing the presence of subpopulations within an overall population, without requiring that an observed data set should identify the sub-population to which an individual observation belongs.

METHODOLOGY:

- Here the `kmeans()` function is used to generate the clusters and they are plotted together by using `hold` function after the data collection from data list.
- Then Matlab's `gmdistribution.fit()` function is used to apply Expectation Maximization algorithm on Gaussian Mixture Model.
- Now `ezcontour()` and `ezsurf()` functions are used to draw contour and scatter plots.

CODE:

```
X = [ 3.600 79;  
      1.800 54;  
      3.333 74;  
      2.283 62;  
      4.533 85;  
      2.883 55;  
      4.700 88;  
      3.600 85;  
      1.950 51;  
      4.350 85;  
      1.833 54;  
      3.917 84;  
      4.200 78;  
      1.750 47;  
      4.700 83;  
      2.167 52;  
      1.750 62;  
      4.800 84;  
      1.600 52;  
      4.250 79;  
      1.800 51;  
      1.750 47;  
      3.450 78;  
      3.067 69;  
      4.533 74;  
      3.600 83;  
      1.967 55;  
      4.083 76;  
      3.850 78;  
      4.433 79;  
      4.300 73;  
      4.467 77;  
      3.367 66;  
      4.033 80  
      3.833 74;  
      2.017 52;  
      1.867 48;  
      4.833 80;  
      1.833 59;  
      4.783 90;  
      4.350 80;  
      1.883 58;  
      4.567 84;  
      1.750 58;  
      4.533 73;  
      3.317 83;  
      3.833 64;  
      2.100 53;  
      4.633 82;  
      2.000 59;  
      4.800 75;  
      4.716 90;  
      1.833 54;  
      4.833 80;  
      1.733 54;  
      4.883 83;  
      3.717 71;
```

1.667 64;
4.567 77;
4.317 81;
2.233 59;
4.500 84;
1.750 48;
4.800 82;
1.817 60;
4.400 92;
4.167 78;
4.700 78;
2.067 65;
4.700 73;
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1.783 52;
4.850 86;
3.683 81;
4.733 75;
2.300 59;
4.900 89;
4.417 79;

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4.450 83;
2.000 56;
4.283 79;
4.767 78;
4.533 84;
1.850 58;
4.250 83;
1.983 43;
2.250 60;
4.750 75;
4.117 81;
2.150 46;
4.417 90;
1.817 46;
4.467 74;];% kmeans and scatter plot

% To find the assignment y and the means C of each cluster
[kmeans1,kmeans2] = kmeans(X,2);

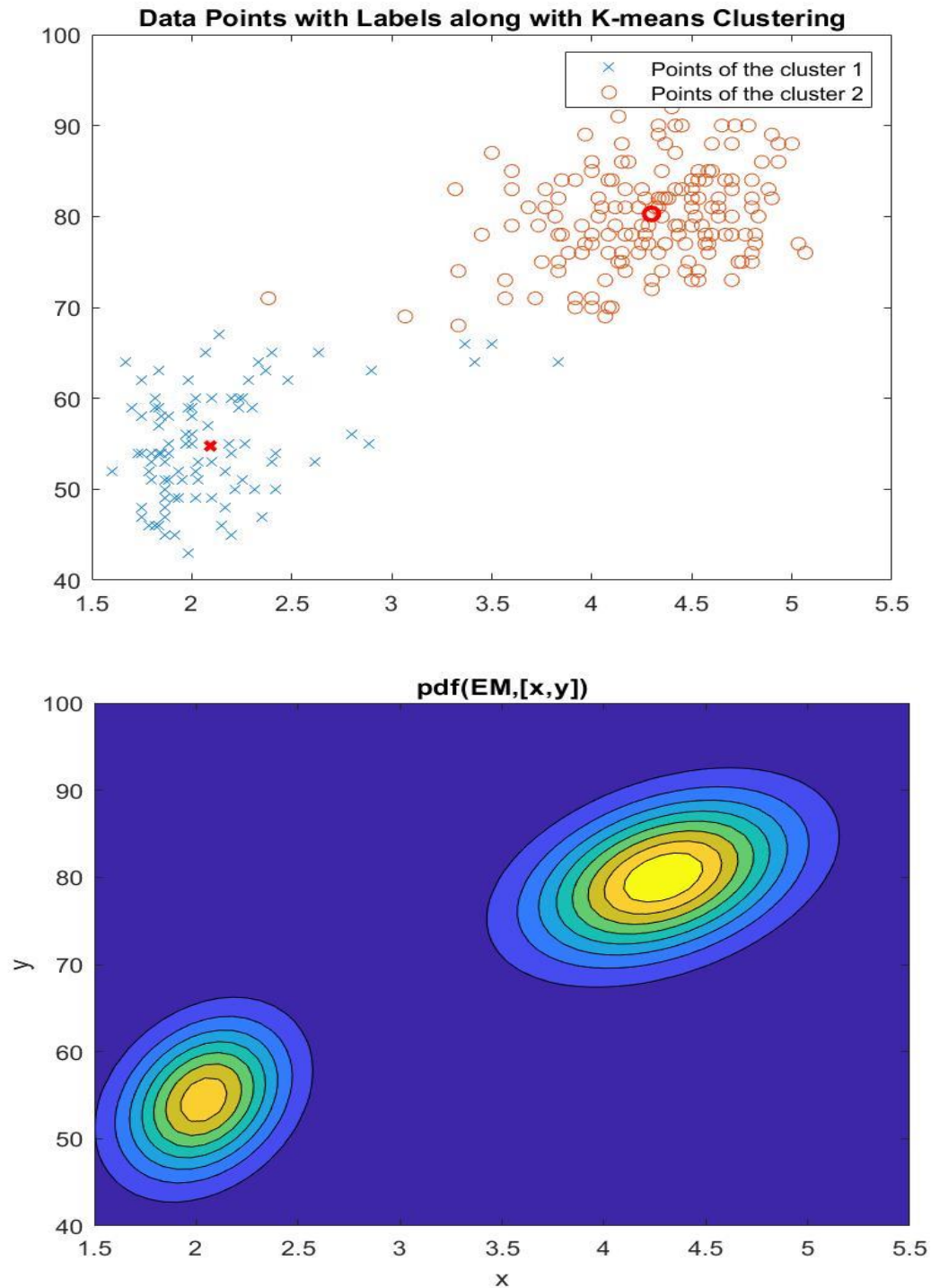
% Plotting of results
figure(2)
plot(X(kmeans1==1,1),X(kmeans1==1,2), 'x');
hold on

plot(X(kmeans1==2,1),X(kmeans1==2,2), 'o');
plot(kmeans2(1,1),kmeans2(1,2), 'rx','LineWidth',2);
plot(kmeans2(2,1),kmeans2(2,2), 'ro','LineWidth',2);

legend('Points of the cluster 1','Points of the cluster 2')
title('Data Points with Labels along with K-means Clustering')
hold off % GMM Distribution
EM = gmdistribution.fit(X,2); % 2D projection
figure;
ezcontourf(@(x,y) pdf(EM,[x y]),[1.5 5.5, 40 100]);

```

RESULT:



ANALYSIS:

- From the above figures we could see that the clusters are superated well.
- The scatter plots are also spherical which is clear from the above figures.