

1. 1 First, we find the partials:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial x_i}{\partial u_j} &= \frac{1}{u_{d+1}} \\ \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial j_i} &= \frac{1}{u_i} + \frac{1}{u_{d+1}}\end{aligned}$$

Which gives us the Jacobian:

$$\begin{aligned}J &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial u_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial u_d} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial x_d}{\partial u_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial x_d}{\partial u_d} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{u_1} + \frac{1}{u_{d+1}} & & \frac{1}{u_{d+1}} \\ & \ddots & \\ \frac{1}{u_{d+1}} & & \frac{1}{u_d} + \frac{1}{u_{d+1}} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{u_1} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{u_d} \end{bmatrix} I_d + \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ \frac{1}{u_{d+1}} \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

Letting $X = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{u_1} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{u_d} \end{bmatrix}$ and $C = \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ \frac{1}{u_{d+1}} \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$, Sylvester's Formula gives us that:

$$\begin{aligned}\det(J) &= \det(X \times I_d) \cdot (1 + CX^{-1} [\dots \ 1 \ \dots]) \\ &= \left(\prod_{i=1}^d \frac{1}{u_i} \right) \left(1 + \left(\frac{\frac{1}{u_{d+1}}}{\frac{1}{u_1}} + \dots + \frac{\frac{1}{u_{d+1}}}{\frac{1}{u_d}} \right) \right) \\ &= \left(\prod_{i=1}^d \frac{1}{u_i} \right) \left(\frac{u_1 + \dots + u_d}{u_{d+1}} + \frac{u_{d+1}}{u_{d+1}} \right) \\ &= \left(\prod_{i=1}^d \frac{1}{u_i} \right) \left(\frac{1 - u_{d+1}}{u_{d+1}} + \frac{u_{d+1}}{u_{d+1}} \right) \\ &= \left(\prod_{i=1}^{d+1} u_i \right)^{-1}\end{aligned}$$