

Exercise 5

Given: $\chi^2 = (Y - AX)^T C^{-1} (Y - AX)$

Consider $R = Y - AX$

\therefore Jacobian $= -A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial R_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial R_1}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial R_1}{\partial x_n} \\ \frac{\partial R_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial R_2}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial R_2}{\partial x_n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial R_n}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial R_n}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial R_n}{\partial x_n} \end{bmatrix}$

$$\chi^2 = R^T C^{-1} R$$

Notice: χ^2 is a scalar. $\Rightarrow (\chi^2)^T = \chi^2$

This can be seen by taking $(\chi^2)^T$ too.

$$(R^T C^{-1} R)^T = R^T C^{-1} R$$

$$= R^T (C^{-1})^T R$$

But C^{-1} is sym. $\therefore C$ is sym.

$$\therefore (\chi^2)^T = \chi^2$$

$$\frac{d\chi^2}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} (R^T C^{-1} R) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\begin{pmatrix} \dots \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \dots \\ \vdots \\ \dots \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

the product of $(R^T C^{-1} R)$ is a scalar, and the elements of R^T and R are the same.

Hence when taking derivative, we get two equal terms in product rule.

$$\frac{d\chi^2}{dx} = \cancel{2} R^T C^{-1} (-A) = 0 \quad [\text{Setting it 0, for extremum}]$$

Taking T on both the sides.

$$A^T C^{-1} R = 0$$

[C is sym.]

$$A^T C^{-1} Y = A^T C^{-1} A X$$

$$X = [A^T C^{-1} A]^{-1} [A^T C^{-1} Y]$$