



FORMULAS FOR STK4040

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A - Vectors and matrices

A.1) For a $n \times k$ matrix \mathbf{A} and a $k \times n$ matrix \mathbf{B} we have $(\mathbf{AB})' = \mathbf{B}'\mathbf{A}'$.

A.2) For nonsingular square matrices \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} we have $(\mathbf{A}^{-1})' = (\mathbf{A}')^{-1}$ and $(\mathbf{AB})^{-1} = \mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{-1}$.

A.3) A $k \times k$ matrix \mathbf{Q} is *orthogonal* if $\mathbf{QQ}' = \mathbf{Q}'\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{I}$, i.e. if $\mathbf{Q}^{-1} = \mathbf{Q}'$.

A.4) For $k \times k$ matrices \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} we have $|\mathbf{AB}| = |\mathbf{A}| \cdot |\mathbf{B}|$.

A.5) For a diagonal matrix $\mathbf{A} = \text{diag}\{a_{11}, a_{22}, \dots, a_{kk}\}$ we have $|\mathbf{A}| = \prod_{i=1}^k a_{ii}$.

A.6) Let \mathbf{A} be a symmetric $k \times k$ matrix and \mathbf{x} a k dimensional vector.

Then $\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^k a_{ij}x_i x_j$ is denoted a *quadratic form*.

A.7) A symmetric $k \times k$ matrix \mathbf{A} is *nonnegative definite* if $\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} \geq 0$ for all k dimensional vectors \mathbf{x} .
It is *positive definite* if $\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} > 0$ for all $\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}$.

A.8) A $k \times k$ matrix \mathbf{A} has *eigenvalue* λ with corresponding *eigenvector* $\mathbf{e} \neq \mathbf{0}$ if $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{e} = \lambda\mathbf{e}$.

A.9) An eigenvalue λ is a solution to the *characteristic equation* $|\mathbf{A} - \lambda\mathbf{I}| = 0$.

A.10) For a $k \times k$ matrix \mathbf{A} the *trace* is given by $\text{tr}(\mathbf{A}) = \sum_{i=1}^k a_{ii}$.

A.11) $\text{tr}(\mathbf{A}) = \sum_{i=1}^k \lambda_i$ where the λ_i s are the eigenvalues of \mathbf{A} .

A.12) For a $m \times k$ matrix \mathbf{B} and a $k \times m$ matrix \mathbf{C} , we have $\text{tr}(\mathbf{BC}) = \text{tr}(\mathbf{CB})$.

A.13) For a positive definite $k \times k$ matrix \mathbf{A} we have the *spectral decomposition*

$$\mathbf{A} = \lambda_1 \mathbf{e}_1 \mathbf{e}_1' + \lambda_2 \mathbf{e}_2 \mathbf{e}_2' + \cdots + \lambda_k \mathbf{e}_k \mathbf{e}_k'$$

Here $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \cdots \geq \lambda_k > 0$ are the eigenvalues of \mathbf{A} and $\mathbf{e}_1, \mathbf{e}_2, \dots, \mathbf{e}_k$ are the corresponding orthogonal and normalized eigenvectors (i.e. $\mathbf{e}_i' \mathbf{e}_i = 1$ and $\mathbf{e}_i' \mathbf{e}_j = 0$ for $i \neq j$)

A.14) For a positive definite $k \times k$ matrix \mathbf{A} , the square root matrix of \mathbf{A} and its inverse are defined as

$$\mathbf{A}^{1/2} = \sum_{i=1}^k \sqrt{\lambda_i} \mathbf{e}_i \mathbf{e}_i' \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{A}^{-1/2} = \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_i}} \mathbf{e}_i \mathbf{e}_i'.$$

A.15) Let \mathbf{B} be a positive definite matrix and \mathbf{d} be a given vector. Then for an arbitrary nonzero

vector \mathbf{x} , we have $\max_{\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}} \frac{(\mathbf{x}' \mathbf{d})^2}{\mathbf{x}' \mathbf{B} \mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{d}' \mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{d}$ with the maximum attained when $\mathbf{x} = c \mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{d}$

for any constant $c \neq 0$.

A.16) Let \mathbf{B} be a positive definite $p \times p$ matrix with eigenvalues $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \cdots \geq \lambda_p > 0$ and corresponding orthogonal and normalized eigenvectors $\mathbf{e}_1, \mathbf{e}_2, \dots, \mathbf{e}_p$. Then

$$\max_{\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}} \frac{\mathbf{x}' \mathbf{B} \mathbf{x}}{\mathbf{x}' \mathbf{x}} = \lambda_1 \quad (\text{attained when } \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{e}_1)$$

Moreover for $j = 1, 2, \dots, p-1$

$$\max_{\mathbf{x} \perp \mathbf{e}_1, \mathbf{e}_2, \dots, \mathbf{e}_j} \frac{\mathbf{x}' \mathbf{B} \mathbf{x}}{\mathbf{x}' \mathbf{x}} = \lambda_{j+1} \quad (\text{attained when } \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{e}_{j+1})$$

A.17) Given a positive definite $p \times p$ matrix \mathbf{B} and a scalar $b > 0$, we have

$$\frac{1}{|\boldsymbol{\Sigma}|^b} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \text{tr}[\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \mathbf{B}]\right) \leq \frac{1}{|\mathbf{B}|^b} (2b)^{pb} e^{-bp}$$

for any positive definite $p \times p$ matrix $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$, with equality if and only if $\boldsymbol{\Sigma} = (1/2b) \mathbf{B}$.

B - Random vectors and matrices

B.1) For random matrices \mathbf{X} and \mathbf{Y} of the same dimension, and \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} matrices of constants, we have that

$$E(\mathbf{X} + \mathbf{Y}) = E(\mathbf{X}) + E(\mathbf{Y})$$

$$E(\mathbf{A} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{A} E(\mathbf{X}) \mathbf{B}$$

B.2) For a random vector \mathbf{X} with mean vector $\boldsymbol{\mu}$, the *covariance matrix* is given by

$$\text{Cov}(\mathbf{X}) = E\{(\mathbf{X} - \boldsymbol{\mu})(\mathbf{X} - \boldsymbol{\mu})'\}$$

B.3) For a random vector \mathbf{X} with mean vector $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and covariance matrix $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ and a matrix \mathbf{C} of constants, we have that $E(\mathbf{C} \mathbf{X}) = \mathbf{C} E(\mathbf{X}) = \mathbf{C} \boldsymbol{\mu}$ and $\text{Cov}(\mathbf{C} \mathbf{X}) = \mathbf{C} \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \mathbf{C}'$.

B.4) Let $\boldsymbol{\rho}$ denote the correlation matrix. Then

$$\mathbf{V}^{1/2} \boldsymbol{\rho} \mathbf{V}^{1/2} = \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \quad \text{and} \quad \boldsymbol{\rho} = \mathbf{V}^{-1/2} \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \mathbf{V}^{-1/2},$$

where $\mathbf{V}^{1/2} = \text{diag}(\sqrt{\sigma_{11}}, \sqrt{\sigma_{22}}, \dots, \sqrt{\sigma_{kk}})$ is the standard deviation matrix.

C - The multivariate normal distribution and related distributions

C.1) A p -variate random vector \mathbf{X} with mean vector $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and covariance matrix $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ is multivariate normally distributed, $\mathbf{X} \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$, if its density takes the form

$$f(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{p/2} |\boldsymbol{\Sigma}|^{1/2}} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x}-\boldsymbol{\mu})' \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{x}-\boldsymbol{\mu})\right\}$$

C.2) $\mathbf{X} \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ if and only if $\mathbf{a}'\mathbf{X} \sim N(\mathbf{a}'\boldsymbol{\mu}, \mathbf{a}'\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\mathbf{a})$ for all p -dimensional vectors \mathbf{a} .

C.3) Let $\mathbf{X} \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$, then the probability is $1-\alpha$ that \mathbf{X} takes values in the ellipsoid

$$\{\mathbf{x}: (\mathbf{x}-\boldsymbol{\mu})' \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{x}-\boldsymbol{\mu}) \leq \chi_p^2(\alpha)\}$$

C.4) Let $\mathbf{X} \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$, and let \mathbf{A} be a $q \times p$ matrix and \mathbf{d} a q -dimensional vector.

Then $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{X} + \mathbf{d} \sim N_q(\mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\mu} + \mathbf{d}, \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\mathbf{A}')$

C.5) Assume that $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_1 \\ \mathbf{X}_2 \end{bmatrix} \sim N_p\left(\begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 \\ \boldsymbol{\mu}_2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11} & \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \\ \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21} & \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)$, where \mathbf{X}_1 is a q dimensional vector.

Then $\mathbf{X}_1 | \mathbf{X}_2 = \mathbf{x}_2 \sim N_q(\boldsymbol{\mu}_1 + \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1}(\mathbf{x}_2 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2), \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11} - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21})$

C.6) Assume that $\mathbf{X}_1, \mathbf{X}_2, \dots, \mathbf{X}_n$ are independent, $\mathbf{X}_j \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{\mu}_j, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$, and let $\mathbf{V}_1 = c_1 \mathbf{X}_1 + c_2 \mathbf{X}_2 + \dots + c_n \mathbf{X}_n$ and $\mathbf{V}_2 = b_1 \mathbf{X}_1 + b_2 \mathbf{X}_2 + \dots + b_n \mathbf{X}_n$, where the c_j 's and b_j 's are constants. Then

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{V}_1 \\ \mathbf{V}_2 \end{bmatrix} \sim N_p\left(\begin{bmatrix} \sum_{j=1}^n c_j \boldsymbol{\mu}_j \\ \sum_{j=1}^n b_j \boldsymbol{\mu}_j \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{c}'\mathbf{c}\boldsymbol{\Sigma} & \mathbf{b}'\mathbf{c}\boldsymbol{\Sigma} \\ \mathbf{b}'\mathbf{c}\boldsymbol{\Sigma} & \mathbf{b}'\mathbf{b}\boldsymbol{\Sigma} \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

C.7) Assume that $\mathbf{Z}_1, \dots, \mathbf{Z}_m$ are i.i.d. $N_p(\mathbf{0}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$. The distribution of $\sum_{j=1}^m \mathbf{Z}_j \mathbf{Z}_j'$ is called the

Wishart distribution with m degrees of freedom (and $p \times p$ covariance matrix $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$), denoted $W_{p,m}(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})$.

C.8) Properties of the Wishart distribution:

- If $\mathbf{W}_1 \sim W_{p,m_1}(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ and $\mathbf{W}_2 \sim W_{p,m_2}(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ are independent, then $\mathbf{W}_1 + \mathbf{W}_2 \sim W_{p,m_1+m_2}(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})$
- If $\mathbf{W} \sim W_{p,m}(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ and \mathbf{C} is a $q \times p$ matrix, then $\mathbf{C}\mathbf{W}\mathbf{C}' \sim W_{q,m}(\mathbf{C}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\mathbf{C}')$

C.9) Let $\mathbf{Z} \sim N_p(\mathbf{0}, \Sigma)$ and $\mathbf{W} \sim W_{p,m}(\Sigma)$ be independent.

Then $\mathbf{Z}' \left(\frac{\mathbf{W}}{m} \right)^{-1} \mathbf{Z}$ is distributed as $\frac{m \cdot p}{m - p + 1} F_{p, m-p+1}$.

D – Estimation for multivariate distributions

D.1) Assume that $\mathbf{X}_1, \mathbf{X}_2, \dots, \mathbf{X}_n$ are i.i.d. with mean vector $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and covariance matrix Σ .

Unbiased estimators for $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and Σ are $\bar{\mathbf{X}} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \mathbf{X}_j$ and $\mathbf{S} = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n (\mathbf{X}_j - \bar{\mathbf{X}})(\mathbf{X}_j - \bar{\mathbf{X}})'$.

D.2) Assume that $\mathbf{X}_1, \mathbf{X}_2, \dots, \mathbf{X}_n$ are i.i.d. $N_p(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \Sigma)$. Then we have the following results

- $\bar{\mathbf{X}}$ and \mathbf{S} are independent
- $\bar{\mathbf{X}} \sim N_p\left(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \frac{1}{n} \Sigma\right)$
- $(n-1)\mathbf{S} \sim W_{p, n-1}(\Sigma)$

E – Principal components

E.1) Let \mathbf{X} be a p -variate random vector with mean vector $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and covariance matrix Σ .

- The first population principal component is the linear combination $\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{X}$ that maximizes $\text{Var}(\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{X})$ subject to $\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{a}_1 = 1$.
- The second population principal component is the linear combination $\mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{X}$ that maximizes $\text{Var}(\mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{X})$ subject to $\mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{a}_2 = 1$ and $\text{Cov}(\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{X}) = 0$.
- Etc

E.2) Let \mathbf{X} a p -variate random vector with mean vector $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and covariance matrix Σ , and assume that Σ has eigenvalue-eigenvector pairs $(\lambda_1, \mathbf{e}_1), (\lambda_2, \mathbf{e}_2), \dots, (\lambda_p, \mathbf{e}_p)$ with $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_p > 0$.

Then we have the following results:

- The i -th population principal component is $Y_i = \mathbf{e}'_i \mathbf{X}$
- $\text{Var}(Y_i) = \lambda_i$
- $\sum_{i=1}^p \text{Var}(X_i) = \sum_{i=1}^p \sigma_{ii} = \sum_{i=1}^p \lambda_i = \sum_{i=1}^p \text{Var}(Y_i)$
- $\text{corr}(Y_i, X_k) = \frac{e_{ik} \sqrt{\lambda_i}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{kk}}}$

F – Factor analysis

F.1) Let \mathbf{X} a p -variate random vector with mean vector $\boldsymbol{\mu}$. The orthogonal factor model assumes that

$$\mathbf{X} - \boldsymbol{\mu} = \mathbf{L}\mathbf{F} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$$

where $\mathbf{L} = \{l_{ij}\}$ is a $p \times m$ matrix of *factor loadings*, $\mathbf{F} = [F_1, F_2, \dots, F_m]'$ is a m -dimensional vector of *common factors*, and $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = [\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2, \dots, \varepsilon_p]'$ is a p -vector of errors (*specific factors*).

F.2) The unobservable random vectors \mathbf{F} and $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$ in the factor model satisfy:

- $E(\mathbf{F}) = \mathbf{0}$
- $\text{Cov}(\mathbf{F}) = \mathbf{I}$
- $E(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}) = \mathbf{0}$
- $\text{Cov}(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}) = \boldsymbol{\Psi} = \text{diag}\{\psi_1, \psi_2, \dots, \psi_p\}$
- $\text{Cov}(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}, \mathbf{F}) = \mathbf{0}$

G – Discrimination and classification

G.1) We have two populations, denoted π_1 and π_2 , with prior probabilities p_1 and p_2 . If a random vector \mathbf{X} is selected from π_1 it has density $f_1(\mathbf{x})$, while it has density $f_2(\mathbf{x})$ if it is selected from π_2 . The cost of misclassifying an observation from π_2 as coming from π_1 is $c(1|2)$, while the cost is $c(2|1)$ for misclassifying an observation from π_1 as coming from π_2 . Then the expected cost of misclassification is minimized if an observation \mathbf{x} is allocated to π_1 provided that

$$\frac{f_1(\mathbf{x})}{f_2(\mathbf{x})} \geq \frac{c(1|2)}{c(2|1)} \cdot \frac{p_2}{p_1}$$

and allocated to π_2 otherwise.

G.2) If the densities $f_i(\mathbf{x})$, $i = 1, 2$, are multivariate normal with mean vectors $\boldsymbol{\mu}_i$ and common covariance matrix $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$, then the expected cost of misclassification is minimized if an observation \mathbf{x} is allocated to π_1 provided that

$$(\boldsymbol{\mu}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2)' \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \mathbf{x}_0 - \frac{1}{2} (\boldsymbol{\mu}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2)' \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} (\boldsymbol{\mu}_1 + \boldsymbol{\mu}_2) \geq \ln \left[\frac{c(1|2)}{c(2|1)} \cdot \frac{p_2}{p_1} \right]$$

and allocated to π_2 otherwise.