AMS256 Homework 3

1.

$$Cov(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{x}) = E\left[(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{x} - E(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{x}))(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{x} - E(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{x}))^{T}\right]$$
$$= E\left[(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{A}E(\boldsymbol{x}))(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{A}E(\boldsymbol{x}))^{T}\right]$$
$$= E\left[\boldsymbol{A}(\boldsymbol{x} - E(\boldsymbol{x}))(\boldsymbol{x} - E(\boldsymbol{x}))^{T}\boldsymbol{A}^{T}\right]$$
$$= \boldsymbol{A}E\left[(\boldsymbol{x} - E(\boldsymbol{x}))(\boldsymbol{x} - E(\boldsymbol{x}))^{T}\right]\boldsymbol{A}^{T}$$
$$= \boldsymbol{A}Cov(\boldsymbol{x})\boldsymbol{A}^{T}$$

2. With the similar method used above,

$$Cov(Ax, By) = E [(Ax - E(Ax))(By - E(By))^{T}]$$

= E [(Ax - AE(x))(By - BE(y))^{T}]
= E [A(x - E(x))(y - E(y))^{T}B^{T}]
= AE [(x - E(x))(y - E(y))^{T}]B^{T}
= ACov(x, y)B^T

3. With the similar method used above,

$$Cov(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{a}, \ \boldsymbol{y} - \boldsymbol{b}) = E\left[(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{a} - E(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{a}))(\boldsymbol{y} - \boldsymbol{b} - E(\boldsymbol{y} - \boldsymbol{b}))^T\right]$$
$$= E\left[(\boldsymbol{x} - E(\boldsymbol{x}))(\boldsymbol{y} - E(\boldsymbol{y}))^T\right]$$
$$= E\left[(\boldsymbol{x} - E(\boldsymbol{x}))(\boldsymbol{y} - E(\boldsymbol{y}))^T\right]$$
$$= Cov(\boldsymbol{x}, \ \boldsymbol{y})$$

4.

$$\begin{aligned} x_{i+1} &= \rho x_i + a &= \rho(\rho x_{i-1} + a) + a \\ &= \rho^2 x_{i-1} + a\rho + a \\ &= \rho^2(\rho x_{i-2} + a) + a\rho + a \\ &= \rho^3 x_{i-2} + a\rho^2 + a\rho + a \\ &\dots \\ &= \rho^i x_1 + \sum_{k=1}^i a\rho^{k-1}. \end{aligned}$$
$$\begin{aligned} \cos(x_i, x_j) &= \cos(\rho^{i-1} x_1 + c_1, \rho^{j-1} x_1 + c_2) \\ &= \rho^{i+j-2} \cos(x_1, x_1) = \rho^{i+j-2} \sigma^2 \end{aligned}$$

where c_1 and c_2 are some constants.

$$[\operatorname{Cov}(\boldsymbol{X})]_{ij} = \sigma^2 \cdot \rho^{i+j-2}.$$

5. First observe

$$\operatorname{var}(\bar{x}) = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum \operatorname{var}(x_i) = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum \sigma_i^2.$$

Now we show $E\left\{\frac{\sum(x_i-\bar{x})^2}{n(n-1)}\right\} = \frac{1}{n^2}\sum \sigma_i^2$.

$$E\{\frac{\sum(x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n(n-1)}\} = \frac{1}{n(n-1)}E\{\sum(x_i - \bar{x})^2\} = \frac{1}{n(n-1)}\{\sum E(x_i^2) - 2E(x_i\bar{x}) + nE(\bar{x}^2)\} = \frac{1}{n^2}\sum \sigma_i^2,$$

since $E(x_i^2) = \sigma_i^2 + \mu^2$ and $E(x_i x_j) = \mu^2, i \neq j$.

6. Observe $\boldsymbol{V} = \text{diag}(1,2)$. So, $\hat{\beta}_{GLS} = (\boldsymbol{X}^T \boldsymbol{V}^{-1} \boldsymbol{X})^{-1} \boldsymbol{X} \boldsymbol{V}^{-1} \boldsymbol{y} = (x_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}x_2^2)^{-1} (x_1 y_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 y_2)$.

$$\operatorname{Var}(\hat{\beta}_{GLS}) = \operatorname{Var}(x_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}x_2^2)^{-1}(x_1y_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2y_2) = (x_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}x_2^2)^{-2}(x_1^2 + \frac{1}{4}x_2^2)\sigma^2$$

7. The mgf of x is $M_x(t) = E[e^{tx}] = \exp(\frac{t^2 \sigma^2}{2}).$

$$\begin{split} M'_x(t) &= t\sigma^2 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) \\ M''_x(t) &= t^2\sigma^4 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) + \sigma^2 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) \\ M_x^{(3)}(t) &= t^3\sigma^6 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) + 2t\sigma^4 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) + t\sigma^4 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) \\ M_x^{(4)}(t) &= t^4\sigma^8 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) + 3t^2\sigma^6 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) + 2t^2\sigma^6 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) \\ &+ 2\sigma^4 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) + t^2\sigma^6 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) + \sigma^4 \exp(\frac{t^2\sigma^2}{2}) \end{split}$$

So, $\mu_3 = M_x^3(0) = 0$ and $\mu_4 = M_x^{(4)}(0) = 3\sigma^4$

8. If $z_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(0,1)$ then $\boldsymbol{z} \sim N_n(\boldsymbol{0}, \boldsymbol{I})$. Since \boldsymbol{y} is a linear combination of a multivariate normal, it is also a multivariate normal.

$$E(\boldsymbol{y}) = E(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{z}) + E(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = \boldsymbol{A}E(\boldsymbol{z}) + E(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0 + \boldsymbol{\mu} = \boldsymbol{\mu}$$

and

$$\operatorname{Cov}(\boldsymbol{y}) = \operatorname{Cov}(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{z}) = \boldsymbol{A}\operatorname{Cov}(\boldsymbol{z})\boldsymbol{A}^T + 0 = \boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{I}\boldsymbol{A}^T = \boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{A}^T = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}.$$

So $\boldsymbol{y} \sim \boldsymbol{N}_n(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$, which means its density is

$$f(\boldsymbol{y}) = (2\pi)^{-n/2} |\boldsymbol{\Sigma}|^{-1/2} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}(\boldsymbol{y}-\boldsymbol{\mu})^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\boldsymbol{y}-\boldsymbol{\mu})\right\}.$$

9. Let \boldsymbol{z} be a multivariate standard normal random variable, and by using the transformation $\boldsymbol{x} = \boldsymbol{m} + \boldsymbol{V}\boldsymbol{z}$, where \boldsymbol{V} is a $k \times k$ invertible matrix such that $\boldsymbol{\Sigma} = \boldsymbol{V}\boldsymbol{V}^{T}$.

$$E[\boldsymbol{x}] = E[\boldsymbol{m} + \boldsymbol{V}\boldsymbol{z}] = \boldsymbol{m}] + \boldsymbol{V}\boldsymbol{0} = \boldsymbol{m},$$

$$Cov[\boldsymbol{x}] = Cov[\boldsymbol{m} + \boldsymbol{V}\boldsymbol{z}] = \boldsymbol{V}Cov(\boldsymbol{z})\boldsymbol{V}^{T} = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}.$$

10. Since \boldsymbol{y} is distributed as $N_n(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$, then its moment generating function is $M\boldsymbol{y}(\boldsymbol{t}) = \exp(\boldsymbol{t}^T\boldsymbol{\mu} + \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{t}^T\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\boldsymbol{t})$. Let $\boldsymbol{x} = \boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{y}$. The mgf of \boldsymbol{x} is

$$M_{\boldsymbol{x}}(\boldsymbol{t}) = \mathrm{E}[e^{\boldsymbol{t}^{T}\boldsymbol{z}}] = \mathrm{E}[e^{\boldsymbol{t}^{T}\boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{y}}] = M_{\boldsymbol{y}}(\boldsymbol{t}^{T}\boldsymbol{C}) = \exp(\boldsymbol{t}^{T}(\boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{\mu}) + \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{t}^{T}(\boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\boldsymbol{C}^{T})\boldsymbol{t}).$$

 $\Rightarrow \quad \boldsymbol{x} = \boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{y} \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\boldsymbol{C}^T).$

11. (\longrightarrow) If \boldsymbol{y}_1 and \boldsymbol{y}_2 are independent, then $\text{Cov}(\boldsymbol{y}_1, \boldsymbol{y}_2) = 0$, and

$$\operatorname{Cov}(\boldsymbol{y}) = \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_{11} & 0\\ 0 & \Sigma_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore, $\Sigma_{12} = \Sigma_{21}^T = 0$. (\leftarrow) If $\Sigma_{12} = \Sigma_{21}^T = 0$, then the mgf for \boldsymbol{y} is $m_{\boldsymbol{y}}(\boldsymbol{t}) = \exp\{\boldsymbol{t}^T \boldsymbol{\mu} + \boldsymbol{t}^T \Sigma \boldsymbol{t}/2\} = \exp\{\boldsymbol{t}_1^T \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 + \boldsymbol{t}_2^T \boldsymbol{\mu}_2 + \boldsymbol{t}_1^T \Sigma_{11} \boldsymbol{t}_1/2 + \boldsymbol{t}_2^T \Sigma_{22} \boldsymbol{t}_2/2\}.$

That is,
$$m_{\boldsymbol{y}}(\boldsymbol{t}) = m_{\boldsymbol{y}_1}(\boldsymbol{t}_1) \times m_{\boldsymbol{y}_2}(\boldsymbol{t}_2)$$
 implying independence between \boldsymbol{y}_1 and \boldsymbol{y}_2 .

12. Observe $[\bar{x}, \bar{y}]^T = \frac{1}{n} \sum Z_i$, that is, a linear combination of bivariate normal random variables.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{x} \\ \bar{y} \end{bmatrix} \sim N_2(\boldsymbol{\theta}, \Sigma/n)$$

13. (a) Observe $\mathbf{11}^T = \mathbf{J}_{n \times n}$. So $\Sigma_{ii} = \sigma^2$ and $\Sigma_{ij} = \rho \sigma^2, i \neq j$.

(b) We can express

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 / [\sigma^2 (1 - \rho)] = \boldsymbol{y}^T \underbrace{\{\frac{1}{\sigma^2 (1 - \rho)} (\boldsymbol{I} - \frac{1}{n} \mathbf{1} \mathbf{1}^T)\}}_{\boldsymbol{A}} \boldsymbol{y}$$

We can show $\mathbf{A}\Sigma = (\mathbf{I} - \frac{1}{n}\mathbf{1}\mathbf{1}^T)$ is idempotent and $\operatorname{rank}(\mathbf{A}\Sigma) = n - 1$. So $\sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 / [\sigma^2(1-\rho)] \sim \chi^2(n-1)$.

(c) We can show

$$\bar{Y} = \underbrace{\frac{1}{n} \mathbf{1}^T}_{\boldsymbol{B}} \boldsymbol{y} \sim \mathrm{N}(\theta \mathbf{1}, \frac{\sigma^2 (1 - \rho - n\rho)}{n}).$$

We can easily check $A\Sigma B = 0$ so from the result in class, \bar{Y} and $\sum_{i} (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2$ are independent.

- 14. (a) $x_2 \sim N(\mu_2, 1)$ and $x_3 \sim N(\mu_3, 1)$
 - (b) From a result in the lecture (or in Monahan p.116),

$$x_1|x_2, x_3 \sim N\left(\mu_1 + \frac{\rho}{1-\rho^2}(x_2-\mu_2) - \frac{\rho^2}{1-\rho^2}(x_3-\mu_3), 1 - \frac{\rho^2}{1-\rho^2}\right)$$

If $\rho = 0$, $x_1 \mid x_2, x_3$ is the same as the marginal of x_1 , N($\mu_1, 1$).

$$\lambda = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \\ x_1 - x_2 - x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

 $\lambda_1 = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$ and $\lambda_2 = x_1 - x_2 - x_3$ are independently distributed if $Cov(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) = 0$.

$$Cov(\lambda) = Cov(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{x})$$

= $\boldsymbol{A}Cov(\boldsymbol{x})\boldsymbol{A}^T$
= $\begin{bmatrix} 3+4\rho & -1-2\rho\\ -1-2\rho & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

So $x_1 + x_2 + x_3$ and $x_1 - x_2 - x_3$ are uncorrelated when $\rho = -\frac{1}{2}$.

15.

$$\boldsymbol{x} \sim N_3(\mu, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$$

where

$$\mu = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \ \mathbf{\Sigma} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -2 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 12 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- 16. (a) This is a normal. Using a result in the lecture, we can find $x_1 \mid x_2, x_3 \sim N(\frac{1}{5}(3x_2-x_3), \frac{17}{5})$.
 - (b) Define $A = (4, -6, 1)^T$. Then the shifted linear combination $4x_1 6x_2 + x_3$ is distributed as $N(0, A\Sigma A^T)$, and hence the linear combination we originally wanted is distributed as $N(-18, A\Sigma A^T)$
- 17. (a) See result 5.15 (page 112 in Monahan's book). Observe that \boldsymbol{A} is idempotent with rank 2. Thus, $\boldsymbol{y}^T \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{y} / \sigma^2 \sim \chi^2(2, \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \boldsymbol{m}^T \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{m}).$
 - (b) See result 5.16 (page 113 in Monahan's book). Observe that

$$oldsymbol{BVA} = \sigma^2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}
eq oldsymbol{0}$$

So $\boldsymbol{y}^T \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{y}$ and $\boldsymbol{B} \boldsymbol{y}$ are not independent.

(c) Let

$$y_1 + y_2 + y_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{y} = \boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{y}$$

Find that

$$CVA = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

So $\boldsymbol{y}^T \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{y}$ and $y_1 + y_2 + y_3$ are independent.

18. (a)

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}^{T}\mathbf{X})^{-}\mathbf{X}^{T}\mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}^{T}\mathbf{X})^{-}\mathbf{X}^{T} = \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}^{T}\mathbf{X})^{-}\mathbf{X}^{T} = \mathbf{A}$$

because $(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^- \mathbf{X}^T$ is the generalized inverse of \mathbf{X} , and

$$(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})$$

so A and I - A are idempotent. The ranks of the matrices are:

(b)

$$rank(\mathbf{A}) = trace(\mathbf{A}) = p$$

$$rank(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) = trace(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) = n - p.$$

$$E(\mathbf{y}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{y}) = \|\mathbf{X} \mathbf{b}\|^2 + p\sigma^2$$

$$E[\mathbf{y}^T (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{y}] = (n - p)\sigma^2$$

(c)

$$\boldsymbol{y}^{T} \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{y} / \sigma^{2} \sim \chi^{2} \left(p, \phi = \frac{1}{2\sigma^{2}} (\boldsymbol{X} \boldsymbol{b})^{T} (\boldsymbol{X} \boldsymbol{b}) \right)$$
$$\boldsymbol{y}^{T} (\boldsymbol{I} - \boldsymbol{A}) \boldsymbol{y} / \sigma^{2} \sim \chi^{2} (n - p)$$

(d) $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{y}$ and $(\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{A})\mathbf{y}$ are independent since

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} \\ \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{y} \sim N_2 \left(\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A} \end{bmatrix} \right),$$

which implies $\boldsymbol{y}^T \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{y} = \|\mathbf{A} \mathbf{y}\|^2$ and $\boldsymbol{y}^T (\boldsymbol{I} - \boldsymbol{A}) \boldsymbol{y} = \|(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{y}\|^2$ are independent. (e)

$$\frac{\boldsymbol{y}^T \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{y}/p}{\boldsymbol{y}^T (\boldsymbol{I} - \boldsymbol{A}) \boldsymbol{y}/(n-p)} \sim F\left(p, n-p, \phi = \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (\boldsymbol{X} \boldsymbol{b})^2 (\boldsymbol{X} \boldsymbol{b})\right)$$