

**QUESTIONS BANK OF MULTIVARIATE STATISTICAL ANALYSIS**

**Q1/ Are the following statements TRUE or FALSE? Correct the false statements?**

- 1) In multivariate statistical analysis, the word “multivariate” indicates that in a single analysis two dependent variables are simultaneously used.
- 2)  $X_{jk}$  = The  $j^{\text{th}}$  item for the measurement of the  $k^{\text{th}}$  variable.
- 3) Comparing the means of the weight, length, and blood sugar level variables for people in Iraq, France, Japan, and Iran is an example of analysis of variance (ANOVA).
- 4)  $(ABC)' = A' B' C'$
- 5) When  $A^{-1} = A'$ , A is called Idempotent matrix.
- 6) If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 & 9 \\ 4 & 9 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and let  $C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ , then  $tr(C^{-1}AC) = 5$
- 7) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 9 \\ 0 & 9 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\underline{X} = \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then, quadratic form  $Q(\underline{X}) = x_1^2 + 9x_1x_2 + 5x_2^2 + 2x_3^2$
- 8) If  $\underline{X} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ , then  $Q(\underline{X})$  is p.s.d.
- 9) If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ , then  $Q(\underline{X})$  is p.d.
- 10) If  $\underline{X}^{(1)}, \underline{X}^{(2)}$  are dependent, then  $E \left( \underline{X}^{(1)} - \underline{\mu}^{(1)} \right) \left( \underline{X}^{(2)} - \underline{\mu}^{(2)} \right)' = \mathbf{0}$
- 11) In multivariate statistical analysis, the word “multivariate” indicates that two or more dependent variables are simultaneously used in a single analysis.
- 12) Correlation for multiple regression predictions always infers causation.
- 13) The higher the multicollinearity, the smaller the standard error for the regression coefficients.
- 14) Data errors and observations which represent extreme magnitudes on variables are both causes of outliers.

**Q2/ For the following data that are normally distributed ( $\underline{X} \sim N(\underline{\mu}, \Sigma)$ ), find X matrix, mean vector, var-covar matrix, and prove or disprove that  $\underline{X}^{(1)}$  and  $\underline{X}^{(2)}$  are independent, if:**

$$\underline{X}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}, \underline{X}^{(2)} = [x_3]$$

$x_1$	1	2	3	4	5
$x_2$	5	4	3	2	1
$x_3$	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2

**Q3/ Let  $\underline{X} \sim N(\underline{\mu}, \Sigma)$ , where  $\underline{X} = \begin{bmatrix} \underline{X}^{(1)} \\ \underline{X}^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_{11} & \Sigma_{12} \\ \Sigma_{21} & \Sigma_{22} \end{bmatrix}$**

If  $\underline{X}^{(1)}$  and  $\underline{X}^{(2)}$  are independent. Show that  $\Sigma_{12} = 0$

**Q4/ If the quadratic form  $Q(\underline{X}) = 2x_1^2 + 4x_3^2 + 2x_1x_2 + 6x_2x_3 + 5x_4^2 + 7x_1x_3$**

Find:

1. The matrix A,
2. What is the classification of  $Q(\underline{X})$  and why? (p.d., p.s.d, n.d., n.s.d)

**Q5/ Multiple choices:** Select the best answer for the following statements:

- ❖ \_\_\_ used when a numerical predictor has a curvilinear relationship with the response.
  - a. Simple regression
  - b. Multiple regression
  - c. Quadratic regression
  - d. all of them
  - e. None of them
- ❖ \_\_\_ used to check the assumptions of the regression model.
  - a. Stepwise regression
  - b.  $R^2$  Adjusted
  - c. Correlation
  - d. all of them
  - e. None of them
- ❖ \_\_\_ worst kind of outlier, can totally reverse the direction of association between x and y.
  - a. Residual plots
  - b. independent variable
  - c. dependent variable
  - d. bar chart
  - e. None of them
- ❖ \_\_\_ problem that can occur when the information provided by several predictors overlaps.
  - a. Cause and effect
  - b. Logistic regression
  - c. Factor analysis
  - d. Error
  - e. None of them

**Q6/ Fill the blanks** for the following statements:

- ✓ The most popular rotation strategy in factor analysis is \_\_\_\_\_.
- ✓ \_\_\_\_\_ is a correlational technique that allows you to evaluate the relationship between two variables with the effects of a third removed from both of them.
- ✓ The number of possible discriminant functions in a discriminant analysis is limited to \_\_\_\_\_ or to \_\_\_\_\_, whichever is less.
- ✓ In the formula for the Pearson correlation coefficient, the calculation of variability can be found in \_\_\_\_\_

**Q7/** For every vector  $\underline{\alpha}$  if  $\underline{X}^{(1)}$  and  $\underline{X}^{(2)}$  are independent. Let  $X_i$  be any Component of  $\underline{X}^{(1)}$ , Show That for all linear Combination  $\underline{\alpha} \underline{X}^{(2)}$  Which is Minimize the Variance  $(X_i - \underline{\alpha} \underline{X}^{(2)})$ .

**Q8/** If we have three Variables ( $p=3$ ),  $R_{1.23}^2 = \frac{\rho_{12}^2 + \rho_{13}^2 - 2\rho_{12}\rho_{13}\rho_{23}}{(1 - \rho_{23}^2)}$ , and  $\rho_{13.2}^2 = \left( \frac{\rho_{13} - \rho_{12}\rho_{23}}{\sqrt{1 - \rho_{12}^2}\sqrt{1 - \rho_{23}^2}} \right)^2$ .  
 Prove that  $1 - R_{1.23}^2 = (1 - \rho_{12}^2)(1 - \rho_{13.2}^2)$