

Note: To get a full credit, you must show your work in details. Unless otherwise specified, the significance level is 0.05. In case the df is not available in the prob. table, use the closest one.

1. Consider a bivariate normal random vector with

$$\underline{\mu} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & \sqrt{2} \\ \sqrt{2} & 3 \end{bmatrix},$$

Give the center, lengths, and directions of major and minor axes of 95% contour plot.

2. A sample of $n_1=25$ and $n_2=25$ is selected from two bivariate normal populations. The summary statistics for the sample are

$$\bar{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad S_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad S_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Assume that data are from a bivariate normal population.

- (a) Perform a hypothesis test testing equality of two covariance matrices.

- (b) Based on the result in (a), perform a hypothesis test testing equality of the mean vectors of two populations; that is $H_0 : \underline{\mu}_1 - \underline{\mu}_2 = \underline{0}$

3. A sample of $n_1=20$ $n_2=20$ from two 3-variate normal populations gave the following summary statistics.

$$\bar{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad S_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad S_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Perform a complete profile analysis.