

Robust Probabilistic Projections: Errata Appendix

Equation (47) should read as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{V}_1 \mathbf{\Upsilon}^2 \mathbf{V}_1^T &= (\mathbf{V}_1 \mathbf{\Upsilon} \mathbf{V}_2^T) (\mathbf{V}_1 \mathbf{\Upsilon} \mathbf{V}_2^T)^T \\
&= \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \bar{\Sigma}_{12} \bar{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \bar{\Sigma}_{21} \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_1 \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_2^T (\widehat{\mathbf{W}}_2 \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_2^T + \Psi_2^{-1})^{-1} \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_2 \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_1^T \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_1 (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_2^{-1}) \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_1^T \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= \tilde{\mathbf{V}}_1 (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{1/2} (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_2^{-1}) (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{1/2} \tilde{\mathbf{V}}_1^T \\
&= \tilde{\mathbf{V}}_1 \mathbf{R}_1 \tilde{\mathbf{\Upsilon}}^2 \mathbf{R}_1^T \tilde{\mathbf{V}}_1^T
\end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

where we made use of the Woodbury inversion formula in (1) twice. We also defined $\mathbf{B}_i \equiv \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_i^T \Psi_i \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_i + \mathbf{I}_d$ and $\tilde{\mathbf{V}}_1 \equiv \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_1 (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{-\frac{1}{2}}$. The latter is an orthogonal matrix, since we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{\mathbf{V}}_1^T \tilde{\mathbf{V}}_1 &= (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{-\frac{1}{2}} \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_1^T \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-1} \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_1 (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{-\frac{1}{2}} (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1}) (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= \mathbf{I}_d.
\end{aligned}$$

The matrix \mathbf{R}_1 contains the eigenvectors of $(\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{1/2} (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_2^{-1}) (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{1/2}$ and $\tilde{\mathbf{\Upsilon}}^2$ the corresponding eigenvalues. Similarly, \mathbf{R}_2 contains the eigenvectors of $(\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_2^{-1})^{1/2} (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1}) (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_2^{-1})^{1/2}$ and the same eigenvalues $\tilde{\mathbf{\Upsilon}}^2$.

Identifying the first and the last equalities of (47), we find $\mathbf{V}_1 = \tilde{\mathbf{V}}_1 \mathbf{R}_1$ and $\mathbf{\Upsilon} = \tilde{\mathbf{\Upsilon}}$. Doing the same development for $\mathbf{V}_2 \mathbf{\Upsilon}^2 \mathbf{V}_2^T$, one gets $\mathbf{V}_2 = \tilde{\mathbf{V}}_2 \mathbf{R}_2$. Hence, we find

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{U}_{1d} = \bar{\Sigma}_{11}^{-1} \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_1 (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_1^{-1})^{-\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{R}_1, \\ \mathbf{U}_{2d} = \bar{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \widehat{\mathbf{W}}_2 (\mathbf{I}_d - \mathbf{B}_2^{-1})^{-\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{R}_2. \end{cases}$$