

# Normal Distribution

## Multivariate Complex Normal Distribution

- probability density function:

$$p(\underline{x}) = \frac{1}{\pi^N \det(\underline{C}_{xx})} e^{-\left(\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x\right)^{*T} \cdot \underline{C}_{xx}^{-1} \cdot \left(\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x\right)}$$

-  $\underline{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_N \end{pmatrix}$  : N dimensional random vector

-  $\underline{C}_{xx}$  :  $N \times N$  Hermitian positive definite matrix

eigendecomposition:

$$\underline{C}_{xx} = \underline{U} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ & \ddots \\ 0 & \lambda_N \end{pmatrix} \cdot \underline{U}^{*T}$$

-  $\underline{\mu}_x$  : N dimensional vector



• normalization

$$\int p(\underline{x}) d\underline{x} = \int \frac{1}{\pi^N \det(\underline{C}_{xx})} e^{-\frac{(\underline{x}-\underline{\mu}_{xx})^T \cdot \underline{C}_{xx}^{-1} \cdot (\underline{x}-\underline{\mu}_{xx})}{2}} d\underline{x}$$

substitution  $\underline{x} = \underline{U} \cdot \underline{y} + \underline{\mu}_{xx}$

$$= \int \frac{1}{\pi^N \det(\underline{C}_{xx})} e^{-\frac{\underline{y}^T \cdot \underline{U}^T \cdot \underline{C}_{xx}^{-1} \cdot \underline{U} \cdot \underline{y}}{2}} d\underline{y}$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{\pi^N \det(1)} e^{-\frac{\underline{y}^T \cdot 1^{-1} \cdot \underline{y}}{2}} d\underline{y}$$

$$= \prod_n \frac{1}{\pi \lambda_n} \underbrace{\int e^{-\frac{|\underline{y}_n|^2}{2\lambda_n}} d\underline{y}_n}_{\pi \lambda_n}$$

$$= 1$$

• mean:

$$E\{x\} = \int x p(x) dx$$

$$= \int \frac{x}{\pi^N \det(\underline{C}_{xx})} e^{-(x-\underline{\mu}_x)^T \cdot \underline{C}_{xx}^{-1} \cdot (x-\underline{\mu}_x)} dx$$

| substitution  $x = U \cdot y + \underline{\mu}_x$

$$= \int \frac{U \cdot y + \underline{\mu}_x}{\pi^N \det(\underline{C}_{xx})} e^{-y^T \cdot U^T \cdot \underline{C}_{xx}^{-1} \cdot U \cdot y} dy$$

$$= \int \frac{U \cdot y + \underline{\mu}_x}{\pi^N \det(\Lambda)} e^{-y^T \cdot \Lambda^{-1} \cdot y} dy$$

| symmetry

$$= \int \frac{\underline{\mu}_x}{\pi^N \det(\Lambda)} e^{-y^T \cdot \Lambda^{-1} \cdot y} dy$$

$$= \underline{\mu}_x \prod_n \frac{1}{\pi \lambda_n} \underbrace{\int e^{-\frac{|y_n|^2}{\lambda_n}} dy_n}_{\pi \lambda_n}$$

$$= \underline{\mu}_x$$



• covariance matrix:

$$E\{(\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x) \cdot (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x)^{xT}\} = \int (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x) \cdot (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x)^{xT} p(\underline{x}) d\underline{x}$$

$$= \int \frac{(\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x) \cdot (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x)^{xT}}{\pi^N \det(\underline{C}_{xx})} e^{-\frac{(\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x)^{xT} \cdot \underline{C}_{xx}^{-1} \cdot (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_x)}{2}} d\underline{x}$$

| substitution  $\underline{x} = \underline{U} \cdot \underline{z} + \underline{\mu}_x$

$$= \int \frac{\underline{U} \cdot \underline{z} \cdot \underline{z}^{xT} \cdot \underline{U}^{xT}}{\pi^N \det(\underline{C}_{xx})} e^{-\frac{\underline{z}^{xT} \cdot \underline{U}^{xT} \cdot \underline{C}_{xx}^{-1} \cdot \underline{U} \cdot \underline{z}}{2}} d\underline{z}$$

$$= \underline{U} \cdot \int \frac{\underline{z} \cdot \underline{z}^{xT}}{\det(1)} e^{-\frac{\underline{z}^{xT} \cdot \underline{\Lambda}^{-1} \cdot \underline{z}}{2}} d\underline{z} \cdot \underline{U}^{xT}$$

| symmetry

$$= \underline{U} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \int \frac{|\underline{z}_1|^2}{\pi \lambda_1} e^{-\frac{|\underline{z}_1|^2}{\lambda_1}} d\underline{z}_1 & 0 & & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & & \\ 0 & & \int \frac{|\underline{z}_N|^2}{\pi \lambda_N} e^{-\frac{|\underline{z}_N|^2}{\lambda_N}} d\underline{z}_N & \\ 0 & & & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \underline{U}^{xT}$$

$$= \underline{U} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & \\ 0 & & \lambda_N & \end{pmatrix} \cdot \underline{U}^{xT}$$

$$= \underline{C}_{xx}$$



## White Gaussian Noise

- zero mean:  $\underline{\mu}_n = 0$
- the covariance matrix is equal to the correlation matrix:

$$\underline{C}_{nn} = \underline{R}_{nn} = \sigma^2 \underline{E}$$

- probability density function:

$$\begin{aligned} p(\underline{n}) &= \frac{1}{\pi^N \sigma^{2N}} e^{-\frac{\underline{n}^H \cdot \underline{n}}{\sigma^2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi^N \sigma^{2N}} e^{-\frac{\|\underline{n}\|^2}{\sigma^2}} \end{aligned}$$