

1. Show that if $\Lambda \sim \Lambda(d, f_1, f_2)$ then

$$\Lambda \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \prod_{i=1}^d B_i$$

where B_i are independent and follow Beta distributions with

$$B_i \sim \mathcal{B}\{(f_1 + 1 - i)/2, f_2/2\}.$$

You may without proof use the fact that if $W \sim \mathcal{W}_d(f, \Sigma)$ and if $\Sigma_{12} = 0$, then $W_{1|2}$, $W_{12}W_{22}^{-1}W_{21}$, and W_{22} are independent and Wishart distributed as

$$W_{1|2} \sim \mathcal{W}_r(f - s, \Sigma_{11}), \quad W_{12}W_{22}^{-1}W_{21} \sim \mathcal{W}_r(s, \Sigma_{11}), \quad W_{22} \sim \mathcal{W}_s(f, \Sigma_{22}).$$

Hint: Use induction after d and exploit the identity

$$\det A = \det(A_{11} - A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}) \det(A_{22}).$$

2. Consider U and V independent and Beta distributed with

$$U \sim \mathcal{B}(\gamma, \delta), \quad V \sim \mathcal{B}(\gamma + 1/2, \delta).$$

Show that

$$Z = \sqrt{UV} \sim \mathcal{B}(2\gamma, 2\delta).$$

3. Let $\Lambda \sim \Lambda(d, f_1, f_2)$. Show that

- (a) If $d = 1$:

$$\frac{1 - \Lambda}{\Lambda} \frac{f_1}{f_2} \sim F(f_2, f_1);$$

- (b) If $d = 2$:

$$\frac{1 - \sqrt{\Lambda}}{\sqrt{\Lambda}} \frac{f_1 - 1}{f_2} \sim F\{2f_2, 2(f_1 - 1)\};$$

- (c) If $f_2 = 1$:

$$\frac{1 - \Lambda}{\Lambda} \frac{f_1 + 1 - d}{d} \sim F(d, f_1 + 1 - d),$$

- (d) If $f_2 = 2$:

$$\frac{1 - \sqrt{\Lambda}}{\sqrt{\Lambda}} \frac{f_1 + 1 - d}{d} \sim F\{2d, 2(f_1 + 1 - d)\}.$$