

\* Multi-dimensional Gsn RV.

$(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  are jointly Gsn

Sample space:

Joint pdf:  $f_{X_1, \dots, X_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$

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where  $K$  is the **Covariance Matrix**

$$K = \begin{pmatrix} \text{Var}(X_1) & \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) & \text{Cov}(X_1, X_3) & \dots & \text{Cov}(X_1, X_n) \\ \text{Cov}(X_2, X_1) & \text{Var}(X_2) & \text{Cov}(X_2, X_3) & & \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \\ \text{Cov}(X_n, X_1) & \dots & \dots & \dots & \text{Var}(X_n) \end{pmatrix}$$

$|K|$  is the **determinant** of  $K$ .

$K^{-1}$  is the **inverse matrix** s.t.  $K \cdot K^{-1} = I$   
the identity matrix

$(x_1 - m_1, x_2 - m_2, \dots, x_n - m_n)$  is a **row vector**

$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 - m_1 \\ x_2 - m_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n - m_n \end{pmatrix}$  is a **column vector**

# ★ Properties of joint Gsn:

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① The joint pdf (W.A) is determined by the means  $m_1, \dots, m_n$ , variances  $\sigma_1^2, \dots, \sigma_n^2$ , and all pairs of covariance

$Cov(X_1, X_2), Cov(X_1, X_3) \dots, Cov(X_{n-1}, X_n)$  is the mean vector  $K = \begin{pmatrix} Var & Cov & \dots \\ Cov & Var & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \end{pmatrix}$  the covariance matrix.

\* For general R.V.s. it is possible that  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  have the same means, variances, and covariances as  $Y_1, Y_2, Y_3$  but they have different Weight assignments.

\* But for joint Gsns  $Z_1, Z_2, Z_3$  and  $W_1, W_2, W_3$ . If  $(Z_1, Z_2, Z_3)$  have the same means, variances, and covariances as  $(W_1, W_2, W_3)$ , then they have the same joint pdf.

Example:  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  are joint Gsn with means 0, variances  $\sigma_1^2, \sigma_2^2, \sigma_3^2$

& covariances 0.

(  $X_1, X_2$  are uncorrelated, )  
(  $X_1, X_3$  . . . . . )  
(  $X_2, X_3$  are uncorrelated )

Q: Find the joint pdf.

Ans:

Q: Are  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  independent? 216

Ans:

Property (2)

joint GSNs are

Property (3)

Independent (marginally) GSNs are  
joint GSN

Property (4)

\* If  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_5$  are "joint GSN"  
then marginally  $X_1$  is GSN,  
 $(X_1, X_2)$  is joint GSN

\* Any linear combination of a joint GSN

$W_1 = X_1 + X_2 + X_3 + X_4 + X_5$  are jointly  
 $W_2 = X_1 + 2X_2 + 3X_3 + 4X_4 + 5X_5$  GSN.