

# Summarizing Variation Matrix Algebra & Mx

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# Overview

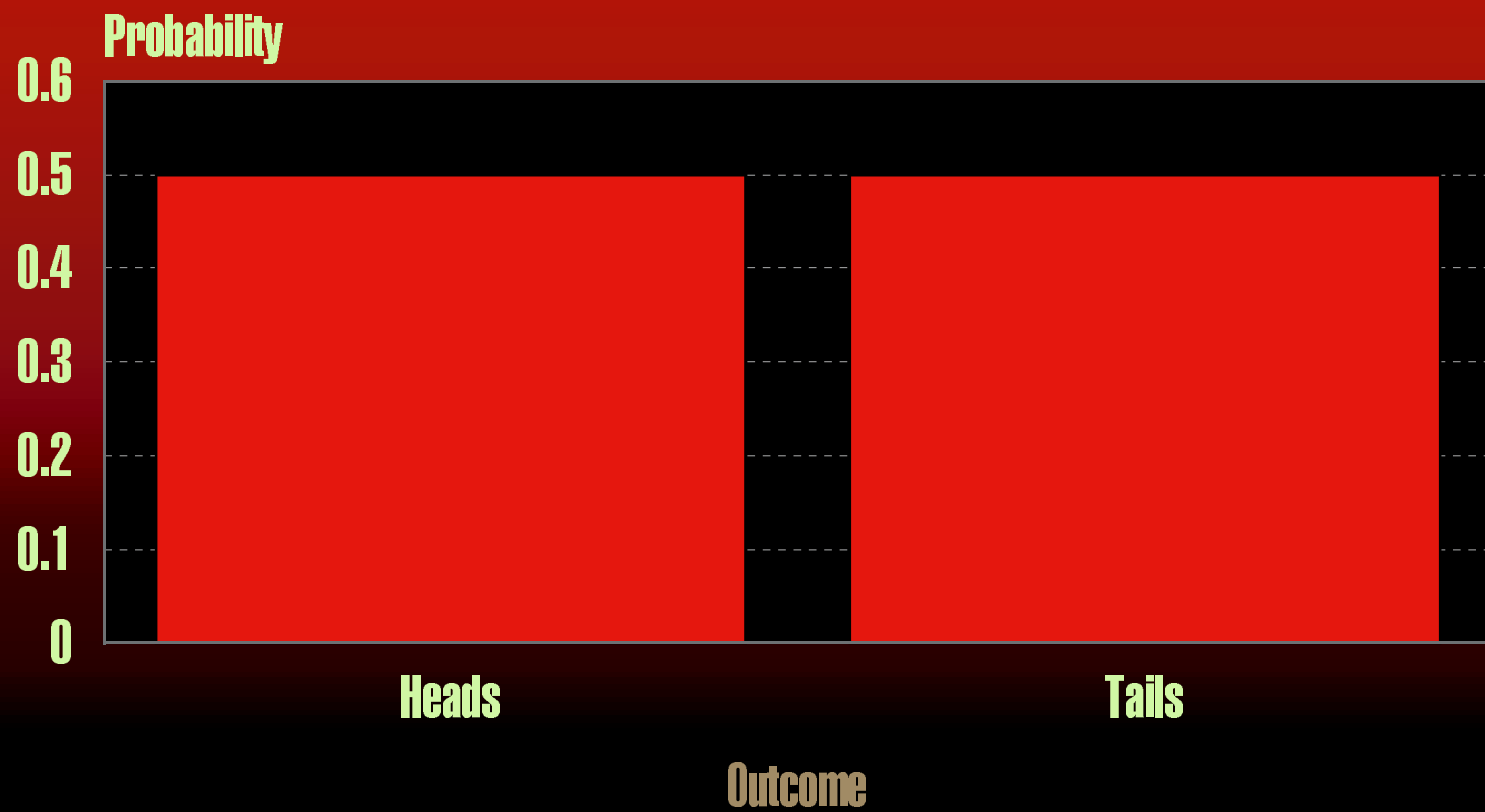
- Mean/Variance/Covariance
  - Calculating
  - Estimating by ML
- Matrix Algebra
- Normal Theory Likelihood
- Mx script language

# Computing Mean

- Formula  $\sum (x_i)/N$
- Can compute with
  - Pencil
  - Calculator
  - SAS
  - SPSS
  - Mx

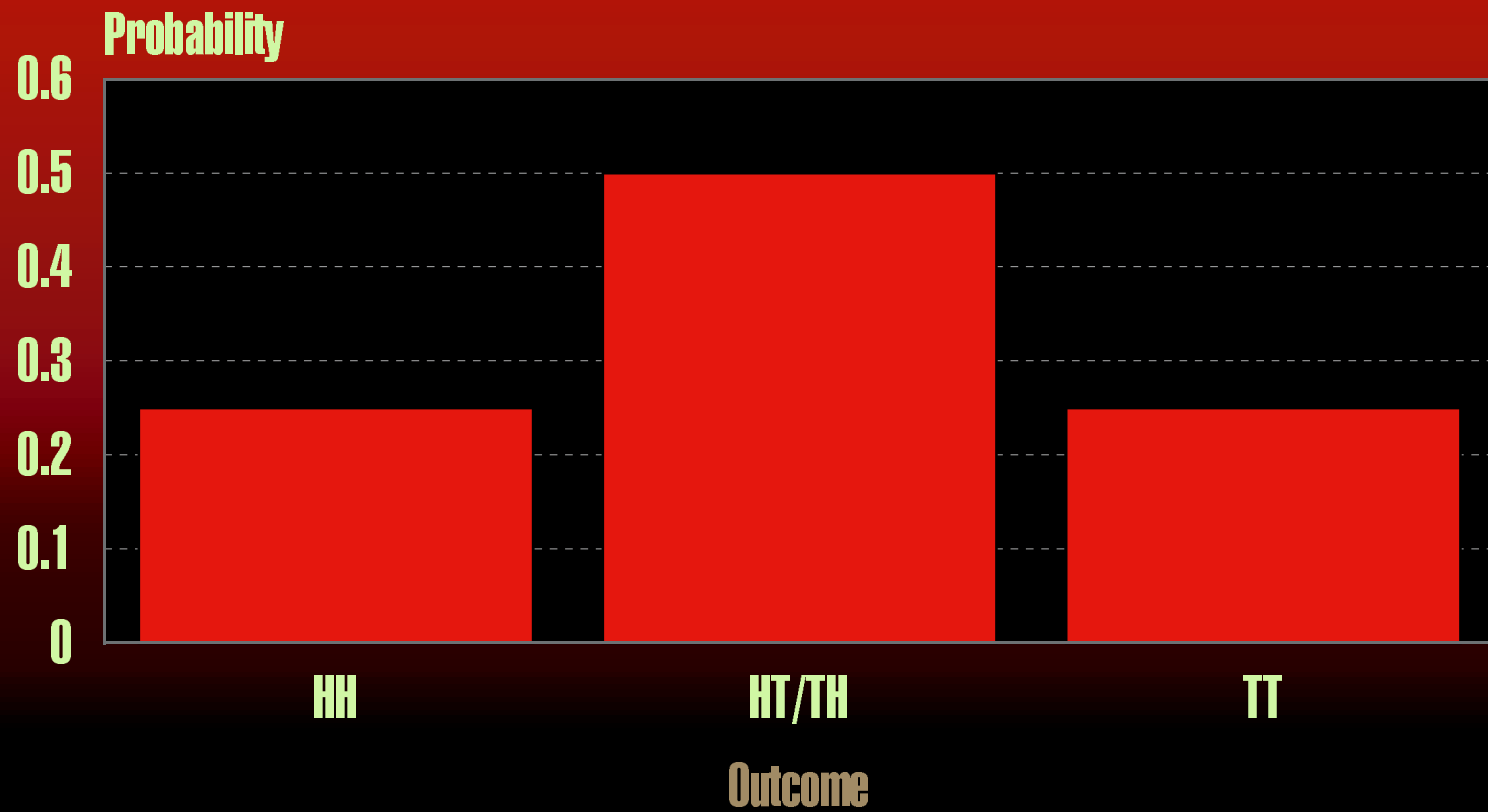
# One Coin toss

2 outcomes



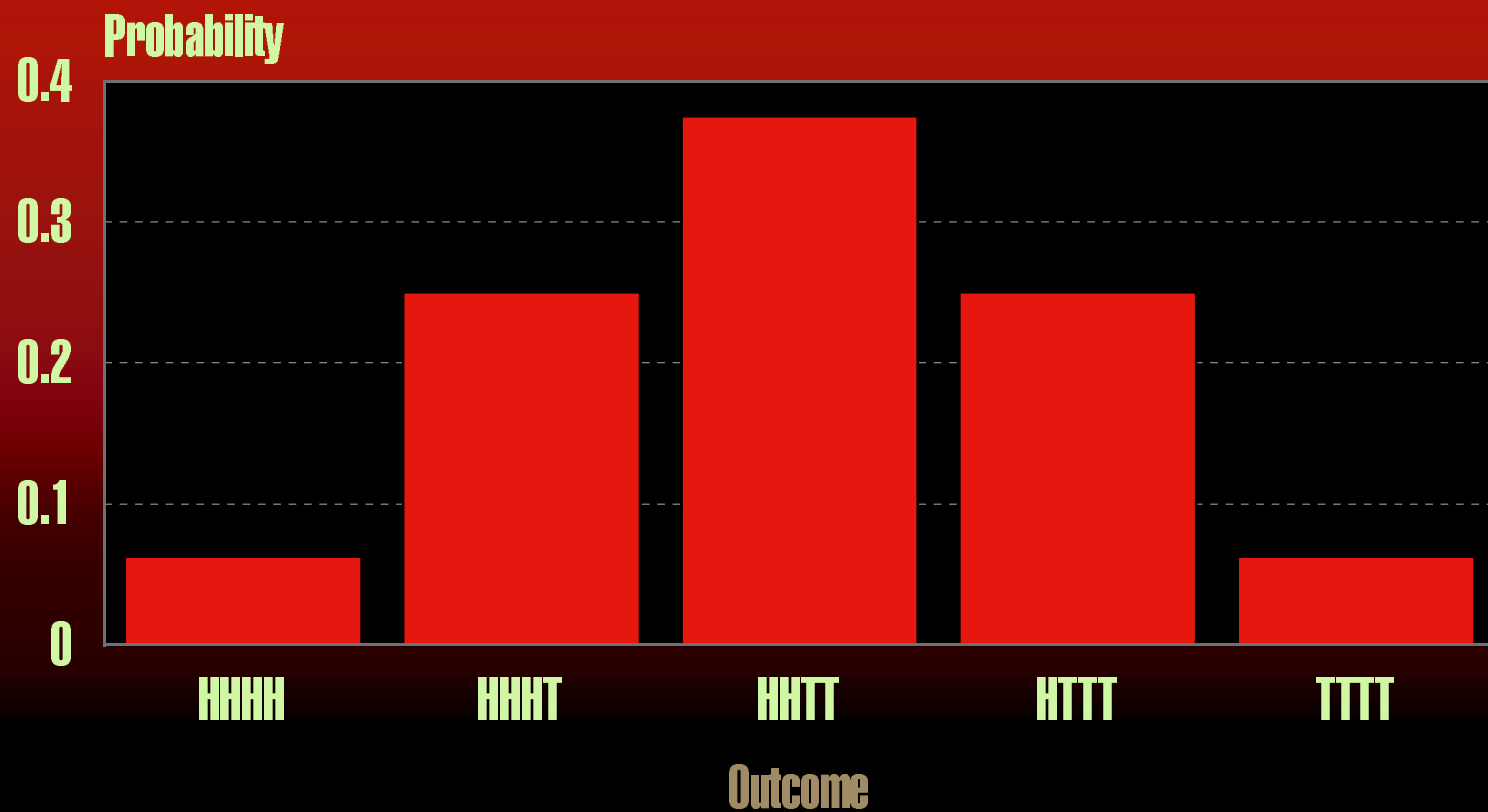
# Two Coin toss

3 outcomes



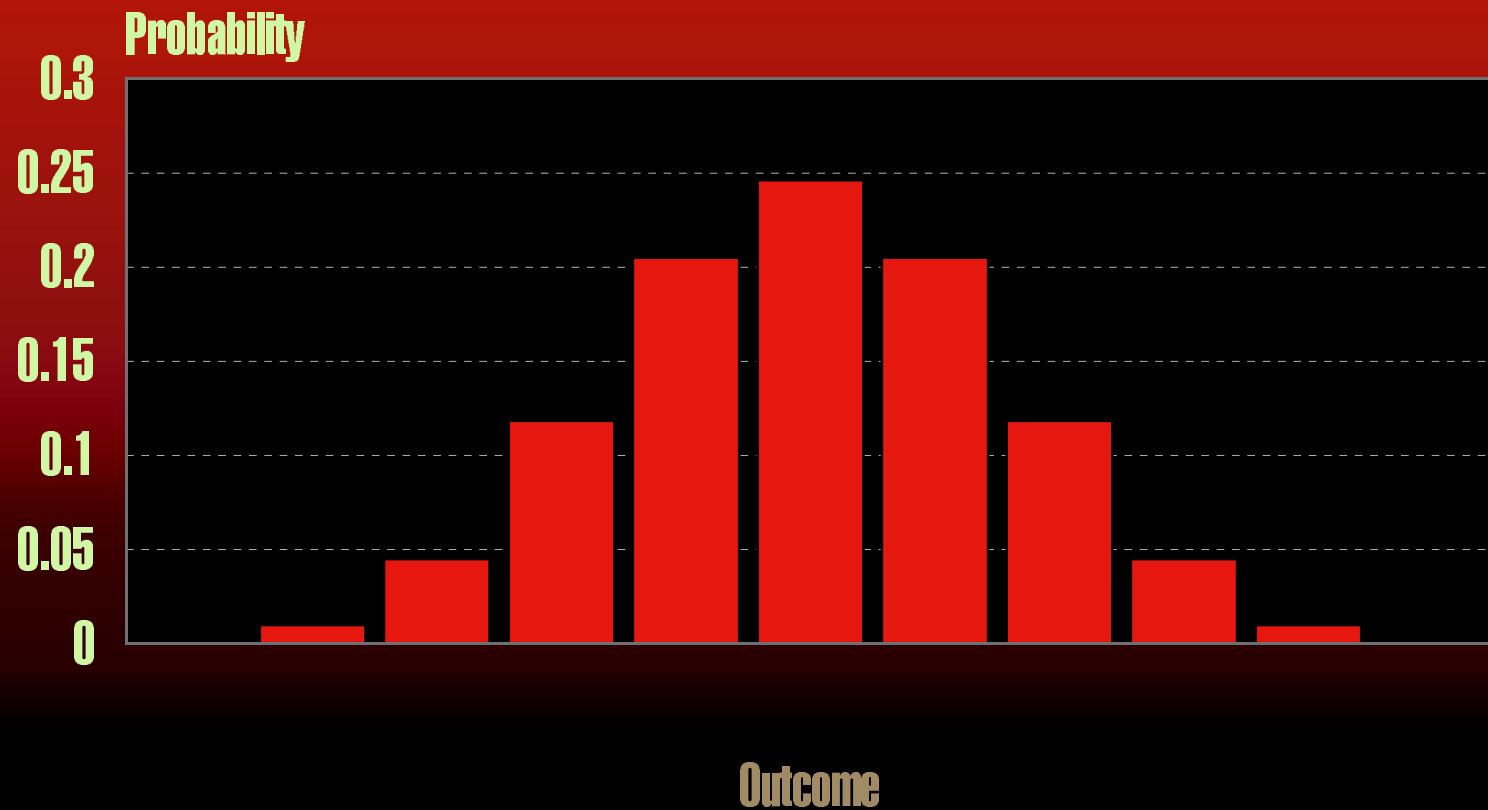
# Four Coin toss

5 outcomes



# Ten Coin toss

9 outcomes



# Monty Python Theory

- Elk: The Theory by A. Elk brackets Miss brackets. My theory is along the following lines.
- Host: Oh God.
- Elk: All brontosaurus are thin at one end, much MUCH thicker in the middle, and then thin again at the far end.
- That is the theory that I have and which is mine, and what it is too.





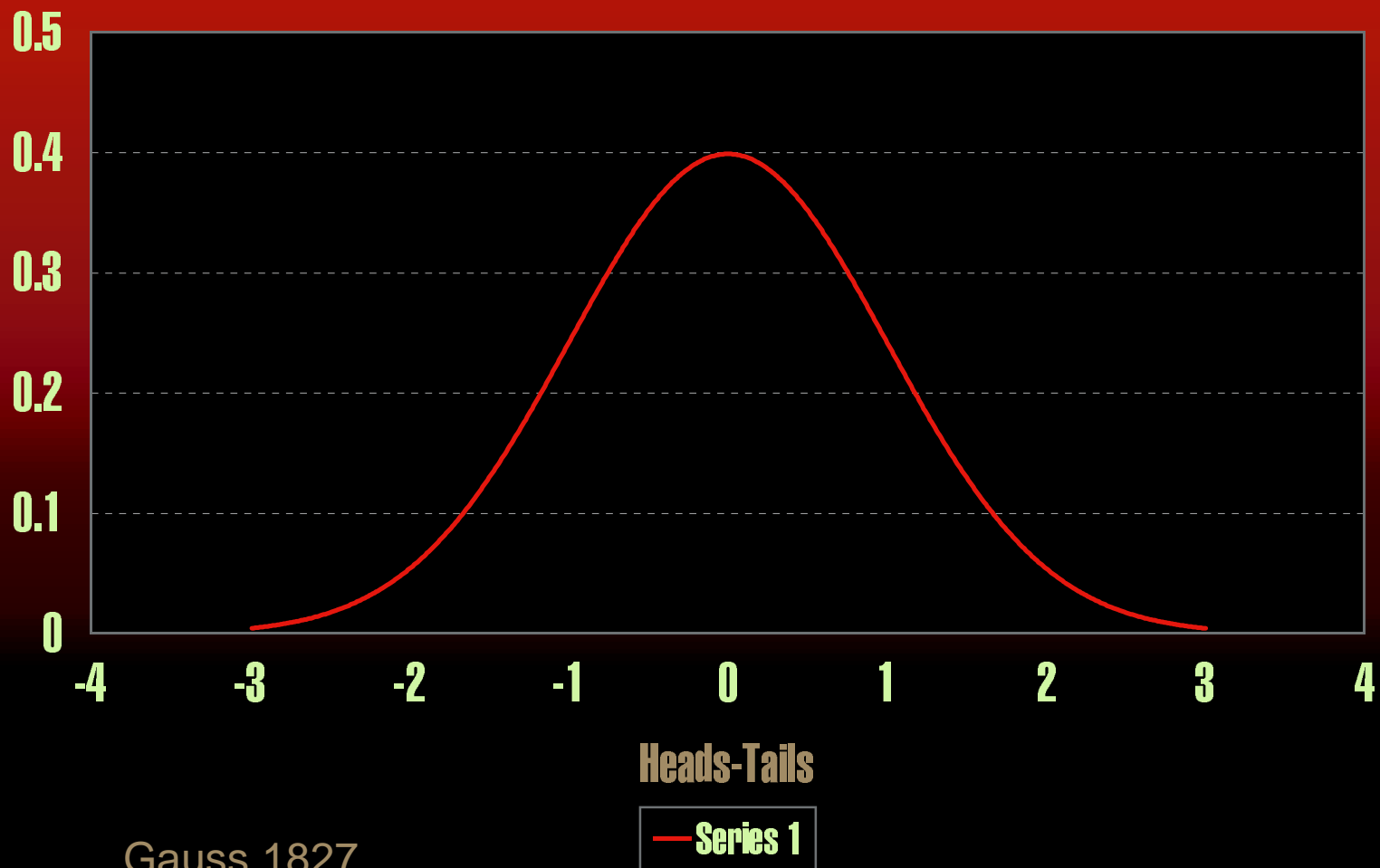
# Pascal's Triangle

Frequency	Probability
1	1/1
1 1	1/2
1 2 1	1/4
1 3 3 1	1/8
1 4 6 4 1	1/16
1 5 10 10 5 1	1/32
1 6 15 20 15 6 1	1/64
1 7 21 35 35 21 7 1	1/128

Pascal's friend Chevalier de Mere 1654; Huygens 1657; Cardan 1501-1576

# Fort Knox Toss

Infinite outcomes



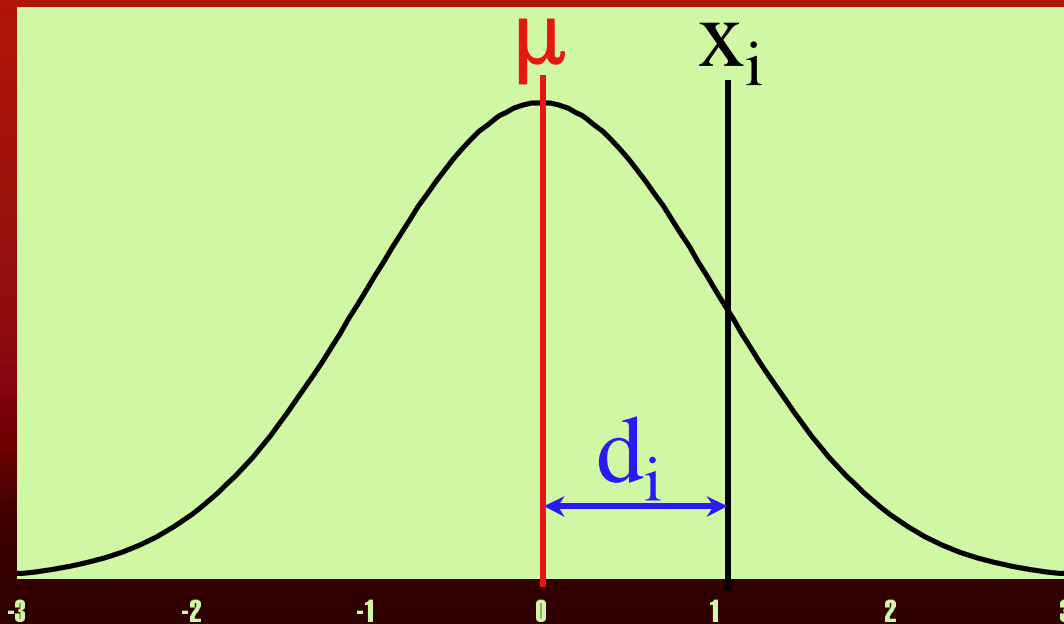
Gauss 1827

# Variance

- Measure of Spread
- Easily calculated
- Individual differences

# Average squared deviation

Normal distribution



$$\text{Variance} = \sum d_i^2 / N$$

# Measuring Variation

Weights & Means

- Absolute differences?
- Squared differences?
- Absolute cubed?
- Squared squared?

# Measuring Variation

Ways & Means

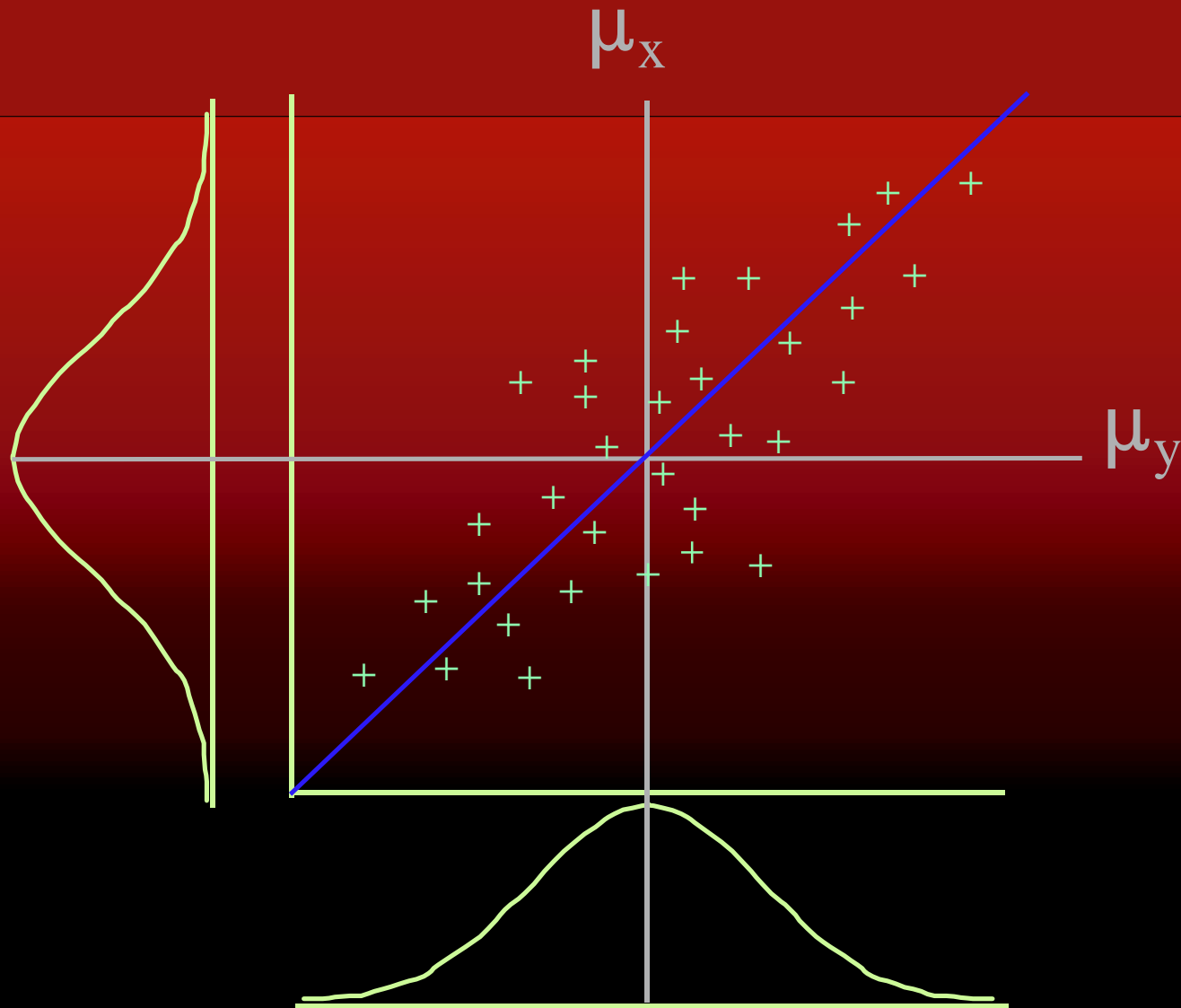
→ • Squared differences

Fisher (1922) Squared has minimum variance under normal distribution

# Covariance

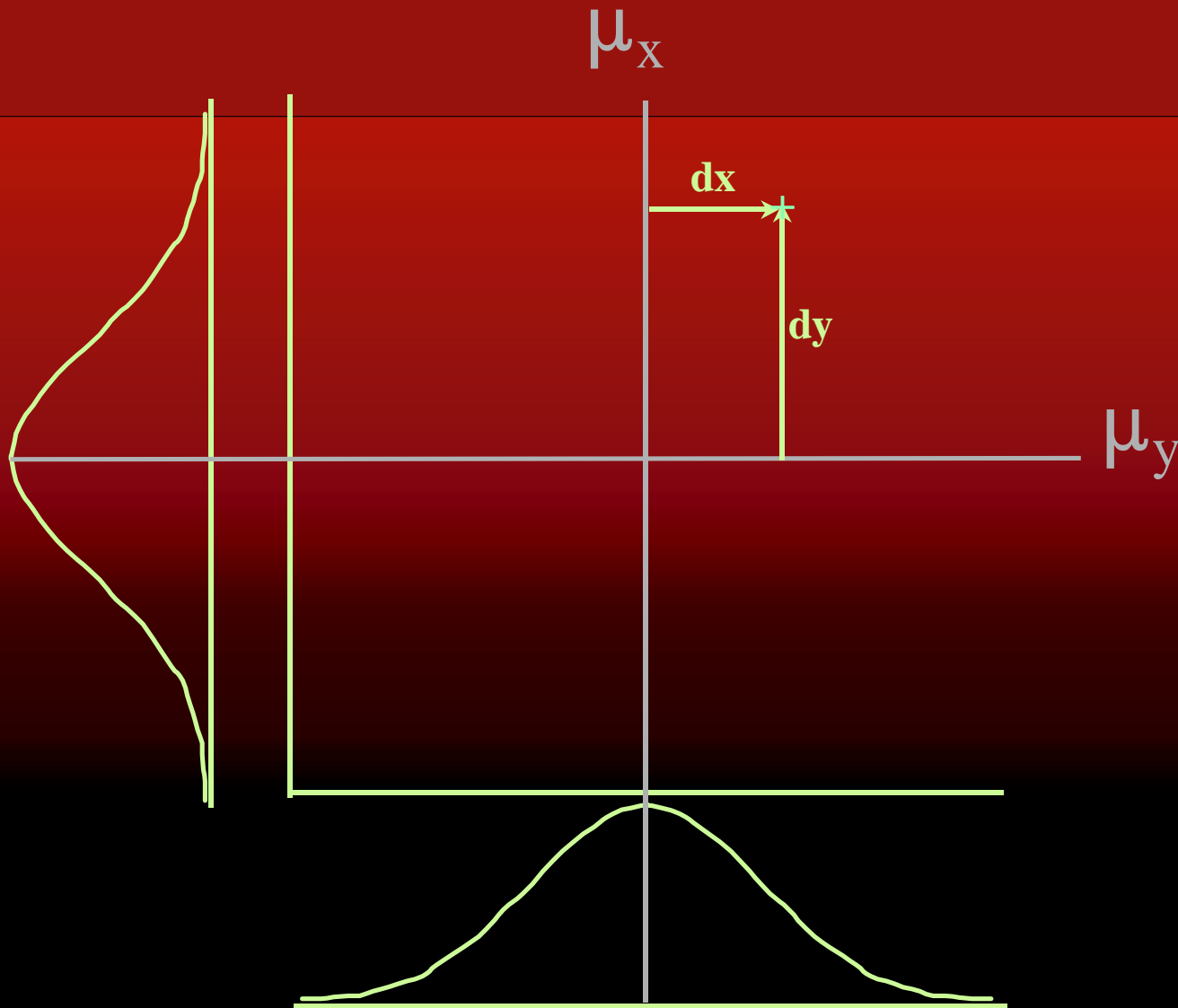
- Measure of association between two variables
- Closely related to variance
- Useful to partition variance

# Deviations in two dimensions





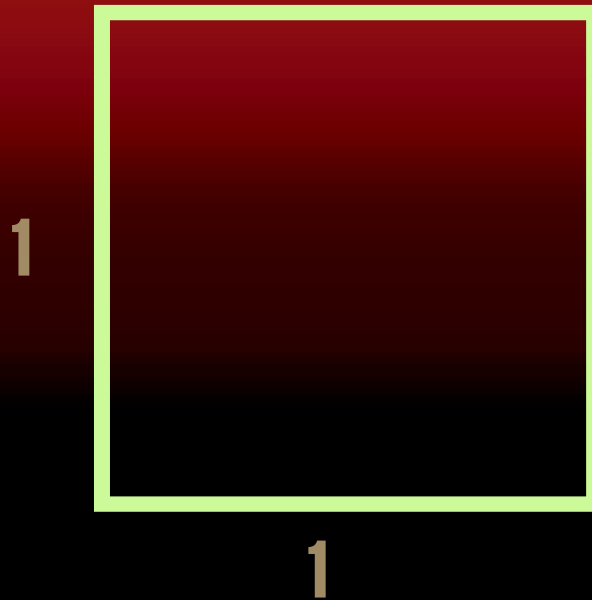
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# Measuring Covariation

Area of a rectangle

- A square, perimeter 4
- Area 1

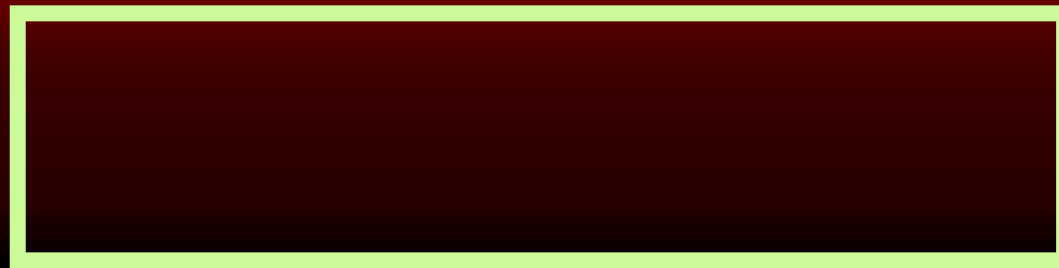


# Measuring Covariation

Area of a rectangle

- A skinny rectangle, perimeter 4
- Area  $.25 * 1.75 = .4385$

**.25**



**1.75**

# Measuring Covariation

Area of a rectangle

- Points can contribute negatively
- Area  $-.25 * 1.75 = -.4385$



# Measuring Covariation

Covariance Formula

$$\sigma_{xy} = \frac{\sum (\mathbf{x}_i - \mu_x) (\mathbf{y}_i - \mu_y)}{(N-1)}$$

# Correlation

- Standardized covariance
- Lies between -1 and 1

$$r_{xy} = \frac{\sigma_{xy}}{\sqrt{\sigma_x^2 * \sigma_y^2}}$$

# Summary

## Formulae

$$\mu = (\sum \mathbf{x}_i) / N$$

$$\sigma_{\mathbf{x}}^2 = \sum (\mathbf{x}_i - \mu)^2 / (N-1)$$

$$\sigma_{\mathbf{xy}} = \sum (\mathbf{x}_i - \mu_{\mathbf{x}}) (\mathbf{y}_i - \mu_{\mathbf{y}}) / (N-1)$$

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# Variance covariance matrix

Several variables

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{Var}(X) & \text{Cov}(X,Y) & \text{Cov}(X,Z) \\ \text{Cov}(X,Y) & \text{Var}(Y) & \text{Cov}(Y,Z) \\ \text{Cov}(X,Z) & \text{Cov}(Y,Z) & \text{Var}(Z) \end{bmatrix}$$



# Variance covariance matrix

Univariate Twin Data

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{Var}(\text{Twin1}) & \text{Cov}(\text{Twin1}, \text{Twin2}) \\ \text{Cov}(\text{Twin2}, \text{Twin1}) & \text{Var}(\text{Twin2}) \end{bmatrix}$$

Only suitable for complete data  
Good conceptual perspective

# Conclusion

- Means and covariances
- Conceptual underpinning
- Easy to compute
- Can use raw data instead

# Model fitting to covariance matrices

- Inherently compares fit to saturated model
- Difference in fit between A C E model and A E model gives *likelihood ratio test*
- Asymptotically distributed as chi-squared with  $df =$  difference in number of parameters ( $df=1$  for ACE vs. AE)

# Estimate saturated model

Raw Data: Estimate means & covariances

- Need:
  - 1 Likelihood theory
  - 2 Data
  - 3 Estimate covariance matrix
  - 4 Estimate mean vector
  - 5 Program

# Likelihood computation

Calculate height of curve

- Univariate - height of normal pdf

- $\phi(\mathbf{x}) =$

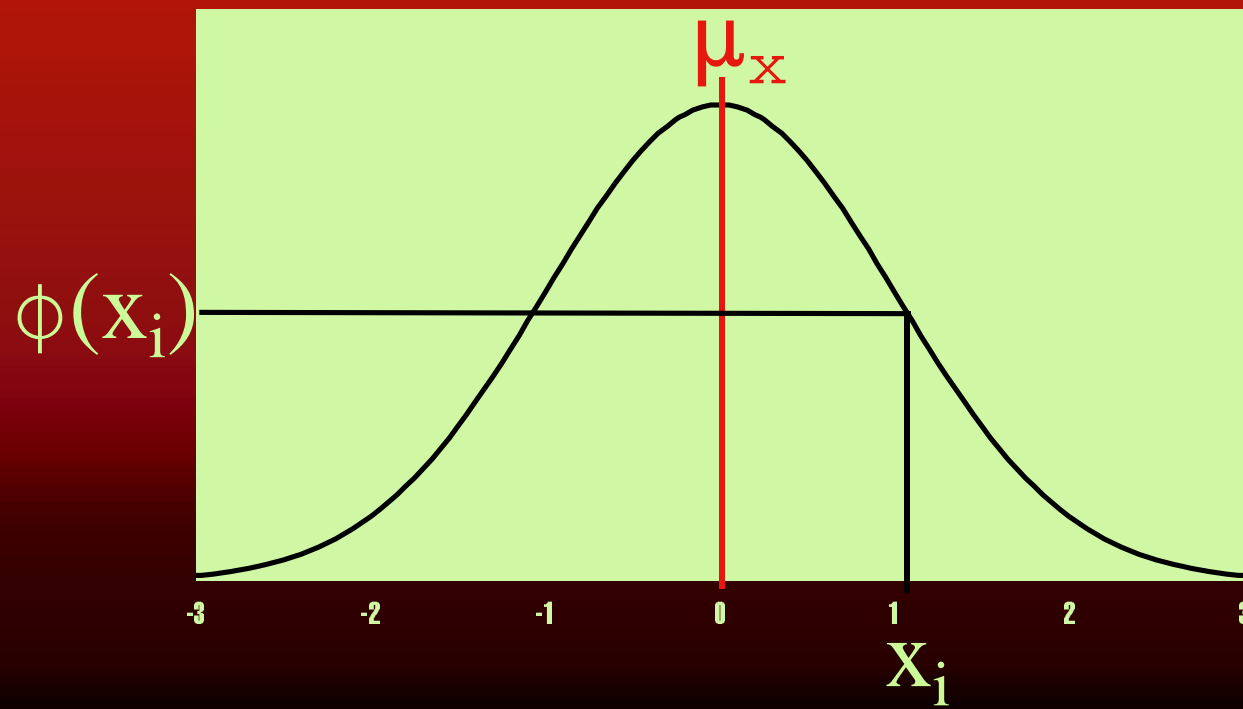
- $(2\pi\sigma^2)^{-0.5} e^{-0.5((\mathbf{x}_i - \mu)^2)/\sigma^2}$

- Multivariate - height of multinormal pdf

- $|2\pi\Sigma|^{-n/2} e^{-0.5((\mathbf{x}_i - \mu)\Sigma^{-1}(\mathbf{x}_i - \mu)')}$

# Height of normal curve

Probability density function



# Mx script to estimate covariances & means

```
#ngroups 1 ! mydatfile.dat e.g.
! Data NI=2
#define nvar=2 ! Labels BP-T1 BP-T2
! Rectangular File=mzbp.rec
G1: Estimate means & Covariances by ML
#include mydatfile.dat

Begin Matrices; ! mzbp.rec e.g.
  C Symm nvar nvar Free ! 120.5 142.3
  M Full 1 nvar Free ! 102.6 110.7
End Matrices; ! 98.3 116.9

Matrix C 1 0 1 ! starting values for C
Covariance C;
Means M;

Option NDecimals=2
End
```

# Matrix Algebra

- **You already know a lot of it**
- **Economical and aesthetic**
- **Great for statistics**



# What you know

All about (1x1) matrices

Operation	Example	Result
Addition	$2 + 2$	
Subtraction	$5 - 1$	
Multiplication	$2 \times 2$	
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3 4

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrix notation

A

# Many numbers

31 23 16 99 08 12 14 73 85 98 33 94 12 75 02 57 92 75 11  
28 39 57 17 38 18 38 65 10 73 16 73 77 63 18 56 18 57 02  
74 82 20 10 75 84 19 47 14 11 84 08 47 57 58 49 48 28 42  
88 84 47 48 43 05 61 75 98 47 32 98 15 49 01 38 65 81 68  
43 17 65 21 79 43 17 59 41 37 59 43 17 97 65 41 35 54 44  
75 49 03 86 93 41 76 73 19 57 75 49 27 59 34 27 59 34 82  
43 19 74 32 17 43 92 65 94 13 75 93 41 65 99 13 47 56 34  
75 83 47 48 73 98 47 39 28 17 49 03 63 91 40 35 42 12 54  
31 87 49 75 48 91 37 59 13 48 75 94 13 75 45 43 54 32 53  
75 48 90 37 59 37 59 43 75 90 33 57 75 89 43 67 74 73 10  
34 92 76 90 34 17 34 82 75 98 34 27 69 31 75 93 45 48 37  
13 59 84 76 59 13 47 69 43 17 91 34 75 93 41 75 90 74 17  
34 15 74 91 35 79 57 42 39 57 49 02 35 74 23 57 75 11 35

# Matrix notation

A

# Useful subnotation

$A_{2,2}$



# Useful subnotation

$8 \quad \underline{A} \quad 40$

# Matrix operations

## Addition

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} =$$

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# Matrix operations

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 10 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{A} + \underline{B} = \underline{C}$$

# Matrix operations

## Conformability

### Addition

To add two matrices A and B:

# of rows in A = # of rows in B

# of columns in A = # of columns in B

# Matrix operations

## Subtraction

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\underline{\mathbf{B}} - \underline{\mathbf{A}} =$$

# Matrix operations

## Subtraction

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{B} - \underline{A} = \underline{C}$$

# Matrix operations

Conformability

## Subtraction

To subtract two matrices A and B:

# of rows in A = # of rows in B

# of columns in A = # of columns in B

# Matrix operations

Multiplication (regular)

Conformability

To multiply two matrices A and B:

# of columns in A = # of rows in B



# Matrix multiplication

Multiply: A (m x n) by B (n by p)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ? & ? \\ ? & ? \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \quad \times \quad B \quad = \quad C$$

General Formula

$$C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik} \times B_{kj}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (5 \times 1) + (6 \times 3) & ? \\ ? & ? \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 23 & 34 \\ 31 & 46 \end{bmatrix}$$

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# Inner product of a vector

(Column) Vector  $c$  ( $n \times 1$ )

eg  $n = 3$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Inner product is  $c'c$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = (2 \times 2) + (4 \times 4) + (1 \times 1)$$
$$= 21$$

(Sum of squares)

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} [2 \ 4 \ 1] = \begin{matrix} 2 \times 2 & 2 \times 4 & 2 \times 1 \\ 4 \times 2 & 4 \times 4 & 4 \times 1 \\ 1 \times 2 & 1 \times 4 & 1 \times 1 \end{matrix}$$
$$= \begin{matrix} 4 & 8 & 2 \\ 8 & 16 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 1 \end{matrix}$$



# Matrix Algebra

**EXERCISES !**

# Unary operations: Inverse

A number can be divided by another number -

How do you divide matrices?

$$\text{Note that } a / b = a \times \frac{1}{b}$$

$$\text{And that } a \times 1 = a$$

$\frac{1}{a}$  is the *inverse* of  $a$

# Unary operations: Inverse

Matrix 'equivalent' of 1 is the identity matrix

$$I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find  $A^{-1}$  such that  $A^{-1} A = I$

# Unary operations: Inverse

Inverse of (2 x 2) matrix

1. Find determinant
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4. Divide each element by determinant
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# Unary operations: Inverse

Inverse of (2 x 2) matrix

1. Find determinant


$$= (a_{11} \times a_{22}) - (a_{21} \times a_{12})$$

e.g.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\det(A) = (2 \times 3) - (1 \times 5) = 1$$

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# Unary operations: Inverse

Inverse of (2 x 2) matrix

2. Swap elements a11 and a22

e.g.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

becomes  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

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3. Change sign of  $a_{12}$  and  $a_{21}$

$$\text{e.g. } A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{becomes } \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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5. Check result with  $A^{-1} A = I$

e.g. 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

equals 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrix Algebra

**EXERCISES !**

# Matrices can have special forms

Scalar (1 x 1)

[9]

Row vector (1 x n)

[2 6 3 8]

Column vector (n x 1)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrix notation

(column) vector

a



# Matrix notation

(row) vector

a'

# More special matrices

Square ( $n \times n$ )

3	12	18
15	8	21
9	17	86

Symmetric ( $n \times n$ )

72	8	10
8	14	7
10	7	44

Diagonal ( $n \times n$ )

19	0	0
0	12	0
0	0	17

# Even more special matrices

Lower Triangular (n x n)

3	0	0
15	8	0
9	17	86

Sub-diagonal (n x n)

0	0	0
8	0	0
10	7	0

Standardized (n x n)

1	.5	.3
.5	1	.2
.3	.2	1

# Yet more special matrices

Identity (nxn)

1	0	0	0
0	1	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	0	0	1

Full (mxn)

23	18	15	8
7	13	80	72

# Matrix names

B

Single letter in Mx