# Constrained linear discriminant rule for classification of two groups via the Studentized classification statistic W for large dimension

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Abstract. This paper is concerned with 2-group linear discriminant analysis for multivariate normal populations with unknown mean vectors and unknown common covariance matrix for the case in which the sample sizes  $N_1$ ,  $N_2$  and the dimension p are large. We give Studentized version of the W statistic under the high-dimensional asymptotic framework A1 that  $N_1$ ,  $N_2$ , and p tend to infinity together under the condition that  $p/(N_1 + N_2 - 2)$  converges to a constant in (0, 1), and  $N_1/N_2$  converges to a constant in  $(0, \infty)$ . Asymptotic expansion of the distribution for the conditional probability of misclassification (CPMC) of the Studentized W is derived under A1. By using this asymptotic expansion, we give the cut-off point such that the one of two CPMCs is less than the presetting value. Such the constrained discriminant rule is studied by Anderson (1973) and McLachlan (1977). Simulation result reveals that the proposed method is more accurate than McLachlan (1977)'s method for the case in which p is relatively large.

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#### §1. Introduction

Let  $\boldsymbol{x}_{ij}$   $(j = 1, \ldots, N_i, i = 1, 2)$  be the *j*th sample observation  $(j = 1, \ldots, N_i)$  from the *i*th population  $\Pi_i$  (i = 1, 2) with mean  $\boldsymbol{\mu}_i$  and common covariance matrix  $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ . We consider the problem to allocate an observation vector  $\boldsymbol{x}$  which is according to either  $\Pi_1$  or  $\Pi_2$ . A commonly used rule is that

$$W = (\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_1 - \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_2)' \boldsymbol{S}^{-1} \left\{ \boldsymbol{x} - \frac{1}{2} (\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_1 + \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_2) \right\} < c \ (>c) \Rightarrow \text{allocate } \boldsymbol{x} \text{ as } \Pi_2(\Pi_1),$$

which is called the linear discriminant rule, where c is a cut-off point,  $\bar{x}_1$ ,  $\bar{x}_2$  and S are the sample mean vectors and the pooled sample covariance matrix defined by

$$\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_{i} = \frac{1}{N_{i}} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{i}} \boldsymbol{x}_{ij}, \quad i = 1, 2, \quad \boldsymbol{S} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{2} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{i}} (\boldsymbol{x}_{ij} - \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_{i}) (\boldsymbol{x}_{ij} - \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_{i})',$$
$$n = N - 2 = N_{1} + N_{2} - 2.$$

There are two types of probabilities of misclassifications. One is the probability of allocating  $\boldsymbol{x}$  into  $\Pi_2$  even though it is actually belonging to  $\Pi_1$ . The other is the probability that  $\boldsymbol{x}$  is classified as  $\Pi_1$  although it is actually belonging to  $\Pi_2$ . These two types of expected probabilities of misclassifications (EPMC) for W-rule are expressed as

$$e_{2|1}(c) = P(W < c | \boldsymbol{x} \in \Pi_1)$$
 and  $e_{1|2}(c) = P(W > c | \boldsymbol{x} \in \Pi_2).$ 

In general, it is hard to evaluate these EPMCs explicitly, but some asymptotic results including asymptotic expansions have been obtained. Anderson [1] derived an asymptotic expansion for Studentized W, and applied it to identify c such that

$$e_{2|1}(c) = 1 - \varepsilon + O(n^{-1}),$$

where  $\varepsilon \in (0, 1)$  is a presetting level which is given by experimenter. This discriminant rule is used to control one of EPMCs for the case in which one type of errors is generally regarded as more serious than the others such as medical applications associated with the diagnosis of diseases. Anderson [1]'s asymptotic expansion is obtained under the asymptotic framework A0:

A0: 
$$N_1 \to \infty$$
,  $N_2 \to \infty$ ,  $N_1/N_2 \to \gamma \in (0,\infty)$ , p is fixed.

McLachlan [10] proposed the cut-off point c such that the confidence of the conditional probability of misclassification (CPMC) is kept asymptotically, i.e.,

$$P(c_{2|1}(c) < \Xi_{\rm L}) = 1 - \varepsilon + O(n^{-1}),$$

where

$$c_{2|1}(c) = P(W < c | \boldsymbol{x} \in \Pi_1; \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_1, \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_2, \boldsymbol{S}),$$

 $\varepsilon \in (0,1)$  and  $\Xi_{\rm L}$  are a presetting level and an upper bound respectively, which are set by experimenter. Shutoh et al. [14] proposed the same result for the case in which the observation has missing value. These and some other asymptotic results were reviewed by Siotani [13], by McLachlan [11] and by Anderson [2]. Generally, the precision of asymptotic approximations under A0 gets worse as the dimension p becomes large. As an alternative approach to overcome this drawback, it has been considered to derive asymptotic distributions of discriminant functions in a high-dimensional situation where n and p tend to infinity together. Yamada et al. [15] derived an asymptotic expansion of Studentized W under the high-dimensional asymptotic framework  $\bar{A}1$  and the assumption C such that

$$\begin{split} \bar{\mathbf{A}}1 &: N_1 \to \infty, \quad N_2 \to \infty, \quad N_1/N_2 \to \gamma \in (0,\infty), \\ p \to \infty, \quad p/n \to \gamma_0 \in [0,1); \\ \mathbf{C} &: \Delta \to \Delta_0 \in (0,\infty), \end{split}$$

where  $\Delta$  is Mahalanobis distance defined as  $\Delta = \sqrt{(\mu_1 - \mu_2)' \Sigma^{-1} (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}$ . Using the asymptotic expansion, they proposed a cut-off point *c* such that

$$e_{2|1}(c) = 1 - \varepsilon + O_{A1,C}(n^{-1}),$$

where the symbol  $O_{A1,C}(n^{-1})$  stands for the term such that  $nO_{A1,C}(n^{-1})$  converges to a constant as  $n \to \infty$  under A1 and C. The usefulness such the high-dimensional asymptotic framework is mentioned in Fujikoshi et al. [6].

We mention that McLachlan [10]'s result cannot work well even for the case in which p = 10 and n = 200, which is summarized in simulation result. It is noted that Yamada et al. [15]'s cut-off point does not guaranteed to maintain the confidence of CPMC since it is performed to keep EPMC. Motivating them, we derive a cut-off point which keeps the confidence of CPMC for the case in which p is relatively large.

In this paper, we derive a cut-off point  $c_h$  which satisfies that

$$P(c_{2|1}(c_h) < \Xi_{\rm H}) = 1 - \varepsilon + O_{\rm A1,C}(n^{-1})$$

for the presetting values  $\varepsilon$  and  $\Xi_{\rm H}$ . Here, the asymptotic framework A1 is given as

A1: 
$$N_1 \to \infty$$
,  $N_2 \to \infty$ ,  $N_1/N_2 \to \gamma \in (0,\infty)$ ,  
 $p \to \infty$ ,  $p/n \to \gamma_0 \in (0,1)$ .

In order to obtain  $c_h$ , we show an asymptotic expansion of the distribution for the statistic  $c_{2|1}(c_h)$  under A1 and C.

This paper is organized as the following: Section 2 presents Studentization for W under A1 as a preliminary. In Section 3, we derive the asymptotic distribution of  $c_{2|1}(c)$  via the Studentized statistic W under A1. Asymptotic expansion of the distribution for the Studentized statistic for  $c_{2|1}(c)$  is derived by making use of a powerful method known as the method by the differential

operator which was used by James [8], Okamoto [12], Yamada et al. [16] etc. In Section 4, we propose constrained linear discriminant rule for CPMC for large dimensional case. Simulation results are written in Section 5. We revealed that the proposed method performs well for the case in which  $\Xi_{\rm H}$  is not so small. In Section 6, concluding remarks are written. Some proofs and technical results are given in Appendix.

#### §2. Studentization for W under A1

For  $\boldsymbol{x} \in \Pi_i$ , it follows from Lachenbruch [9] that

(2.1) 
$$W = (\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_1 - \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_2)' \boldsymbol{S}^{-1} \left\{ \boldsymbol{x} - \frac{1}{2} (\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_1 + \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_2) \right\} = V^{1/2} Z_i - U_i \quad (i = 1, 2),$$

where

$$V = (\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2)' S^{-1} \Sigma S^{-1} (\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2),$$
  

$$Z_i = V^{-1/2} (\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2)' S^{-1} (x - \mu_i),$$
  

$$U_i = (\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2)' S^{-1} (\bar{x}_1 - \mu_i) - \frac{1}{2} D^2,$$

and  $D^2$  is the squared sample Mahalanobis distance defined by  $D^2 = (\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2)' S^{-1}(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2)$ . Then, we find that V is a positive random variable and  $(U_i, V)$  are jointly independent of  $Z_i$ . Further,  $Z_i$  is distributed as N(0, 1). This normality follows by considering the conditional distribution of  $Z_i$  when  $\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2$ , and S are given. In this case, W is called a location and scale mixture of the standard normal distribution. It can be expressed that

$$E[U_i] = \frac{(-1)^i}{2} \frac{n}{m-1} \Delta^2 - \frac{1}{2} \frac{p}{m-1} \left( \frac{n}{N_2} - \frac{n}{N_1} \right),$$
$$E[V] = \frac{n^2(n+1)}{(m-1)^2(m+2)} \left( \Delta^2 + \frac{Np}{N_1N_2} \right),$$

where m = n - p. The analytic expressions for  $\operatorname{Var}(U_i)$  and for  $\operatorname{Var}(V)$ , which are provided by Fujikoshi [3], show that  $\operatorname{Var}(U_i) \to 0$  and  $\operatorname{Var}(V) \to 0$  under A1 and C. They imply that the limiting distribution of W under A1 and C is normal with mean  $-u_{0i} = -\lim_{A1} E[U_i]$  and variance  $v_0 = \lim_{A1} E[V]$ . The natural estimate for  $(E[U_i], E[V])$  is obtained by replacing  $\Delta^2$  with the following unbiased estimator  $\widehat{\Delta^2}$ :

$$\widehat{\Delta^2} = \frac{m-1}{n}D^2 - \frac{Np}{N_1N_2},$$

and we write it as  $(\widehat{E[U_i]}, \widehat{E[V]})$ . The unbiasedness for  $(\widehat{E[U_i]}, \widehat{E[V]})$  also holds. We can show that  $(\widehat{E[U_i]}, \widehat{E[V]})$  has consistency under A1 and C. From Slutsky's theorem,

$$\frac{W + \widehat{E[U_i]}}{\sqrt{\widehat{E[V]}}} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{D}} N(0,1) \quad (\text{for } \boldsymbol{x} \in \Pi_i),$$

where the symbol  $\xrightarrow{\mathcal{D}}$  stands for the convergence in distribution. From the technical reason, instead of using  $(\widehat{E[U_i]}, \widehat{E[V]})$ , we use  $(U_{0i}, V_0)$  for Studentization of W in this paper, which is defined as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} U_{0i} &= \widehat{E[U_i]} + \frac{(-1)^i 2(n-1)}{(m+1)(m-1)} \frac{n}{N_i} \\ &= \frac{(-1)^i}{2} \frac{n}{m-1} \widehat{\Delta^2} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{p}{m-1} \left( \frac{n}{N_2} - \frac{n}{N_1} \right) + \frac{(-1)^i 2(n-1)}{(m+1)(m-1)} \frac{n}{N_i} \\ V_0 &= \frac{m-1}{m+1} \widehat{E[V]} \\ &= \frac{n^2(n+1)}{(m-1)(m+1)(m+2)} \left( \widehat{\Delta^2} + \frac{Np}{N_1 N_2} \right). \end{aligned}$$

It is noted that  $(U_{0i}, V_0)$  is not the unbiased estimator of  $(E[U_i], E[V])$ , but has consistency under A1 and C. We can also show that

$$W_i^* = \frac{W + U_{0i}}{\sqrt{V_0}} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{D}} N(0, 1) \quad \text{(for } \boldsymbol{x} \in \Pi_i\text{)}.$$

## §3. Asymptotic distribution for the Studentized CPMC

Let  $c_j$  be the cut-off point for  $W_j^*$  and let  $C_{i|j}$  denote the conditional probability of misclassification of  $W_j^*$  misallocating an observation from  $\Pi_j$ , where  $i \neq j$ . Then  $C_{i|j}$  is given by

$$\begin{split} C_{i|j} &= c_{i|j} \left( \sqrt{V_0} c_j - U_{0j} \right) \\ &= P \left( (-1)^i W < (-1)^i \left( \sqrt{V_0} c_j - U_{0j} \right) | \mathbf{x} \in \Pi_j, \bar{\mathbf{x}}_1, \bar{\mathbf{x}}_2, \mathbf{S} \right) \\ &= \Phi \left( (-1)^i \frac{\sqrt{V_0} c_j - U_{0j} + U_j}{\sqrt{V}} \right) \\ &= \begin{cases} \Phi \left( \sqrt{\frac{V_0}{V}} (-c_2) - \sqrt{\frac{1}{V}} \left\{ -(U_{02} - U_2) \right\} \right) & (i = 1, j = 2) \\ \Phi \left( \sqrt{\frac{V_0}{V}} c_1 - \sqrt{\frac{1}{V}} \left\{ (U_{01} - U_1) \right\} \right) & (i = 2, j = 1). \end{cases} \end{split}$$

From Lemmas 2 and 3 in Appendix A, the distribution for  $C_{2|1}$  is identical to  $C_{1|2}$  if  $c_1 = -c_2$ . From that reason, we only deal with  $C_{2|1}$ . Asymptotic expansion of the distribution for  $C_{1|2}$  can be obtained by the one for  $C_{2|1}$  by replacing  $(N_1, N_2, c_1)$  with  $(N_2, N_1, -c_2)$ . Hereafter, we set  $U_0 = U_{01}, U = U_1$ and  $c = c_1$ , unless making confusion.

#### 3.1. Stochastic expression for CPMC

Now, we consider to express  $C_{2|1}$  as the function of simple variables. Let

$$u_{1} = \left(\frac{1}{N_{1}} + \frac{1}{N_{2}}\right)^{-1/2} \Sigma^{-1/2} (\bar{x}_{1} - \bar{x}_{2}),$$
  

$$u_{2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \Sigma^{-1/2} (N_{1}\bar{x}_{1} + N_{2}\bar{x}_{2} - N_{1}\mu_{1} - N_{2}\mu_{2}),$$
  

$$B = \Sigma^{-1/2} S \Sigma^{-1/2}.$$

Then  $\boldsymbol{u}_1, \boldsymbol{u}_2$  and  $\boldsymbol{B}$  are independent. In addition,  $\boldsymbol{u}_1 \sim N_p((1/N_1+1/N_2)^{-1/2}\boldsymbol{\delta}, \boldsymbol{I}_p)$  and  $\boldsymbol{u}_2 \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{0}, \boldsymbol{I}_p)$ , where  $\boldsymbol{\delta} = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1/2}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2)$ . It also holds that  $n\boldsymbol{B}$  is distributed as a Wishart distribution with n degrees of freedom and covariance matrix  $\boldsymbol{I}_p$ , which is denoted as  $W_p(n, \boldsymbol{I}_p)$ . Substituting them, we have

$$U = -\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{n}{N_2} - \frac{n}{N_1} \right) \frac{\boldsymbol{u}_1' \boldsymbol{B}^{-1} \boldsymbol{u}_1}{n} + \frac{n}{\sqrt{N_1 N_2}} \frac{\boldsymbol{u}_1' \boldsymbol{B}^{-1} \boldsymbol{u}_2}{n} - \sqrt{\frac{nN_2}{NN_1}} \frac{\boldsymbol{\delta}' \boldsymbol{B}^{-1} \boldsymbol{u}_1}{\sqrt{n}},$$
$$V = \frac{Nn}{N_1 N_2} \frac{\boldsymbol{u}_1' \boldsymbol{B}^{-2} \boldsymbol{u}_1}{n}.$$

It is also described that

$$\widehat{\Delta^2} = \frac{N(m-1)}{N_1 N_2} \frac{\boldsymbol{u}_1' \boldsymbol{B}^{-1} \boldsymbol{u}_1}{n} - \frac{Np}{N_1 N_2}.$$

Using this expression, we have

$$U_{0} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{Nn}{N_{1}N_{2}} \frac{\boldsymbol{u}_{1}'\boldsymbol{B}^{-1}\boldsymbol{u}_{1}}{n} + \frac{p-2}{m+1} \frac{n}{N_{1}},$$
  
$$V_{0} = \frac{n(n+1)}{(m+1)(m+2)} \frac{Nn}{N_{1}N_{2}} \frac{\boldsymbol{u}_{1}'\boldsymbol{B}^{-1}\boldsymbol{u}_{1}}{n}.$$

The following lemma, which is given by Yamada et al. [15], enables to see the functions of the independent standard normal and chi-squared variables for  $U, V, U_0$  and  $V_0$ .

**Lemma 1.** Let  $v_1 \sim N_p(a, I_p)$ ,  $v_2 \sim N_p(0, I_p)$ ,  $W \sim W_p(n, I_p)$ , and  $v_1$ ,  $v_2$ and W are independent. Then

$$\begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{a}' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \boldsymbol{v}_{1} \\ \boldsymbol{v}_{2}' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \boldsymbol{v}_{1} \\ \boldsymbol{v}_{1}' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \boldsymbol{v}_{1} \\ \boldsymbol{v}_{1}' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \boldsymbol{v}_{1} \\ \boldsymbol{v}_{1}' \boldsymbol{W}^{-2} \boldsymbol{v}_{1} \end{pmatrix} \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{a'a}}{\mathcal{X}_{1}} \left( Z_{1} + \sqrt{a'a} - \sqrt{\frac{\mathcal{X}_{2}}{\mathcal{X}_{3}}} Z_{2} \right) \\ \sqrt{\frac{1}{\mathcal{X}_{1}^{2}} \left( 1 + \frac{\mathcal{X}_{2}}{\mathcal{X}_{3}} \right) \left\{ (Z_{1} + \sqrt{a'a})^{2} + Z_{2}^{2} + \mathcal{X}_{4} \right\} Z_{3} \\ \frac{1}{\mathcal{X}_{1}} \left\{ (Z_{1} + \sqrt{a'a})^{2} + Z_{2}^{2} + \mathcal{X}_{4} \right\} \\ \frac{1}{\mathcal{X}_{1}^{2}} \left( 1 + \frac{\mathcal{X}_{2}}{\mathcal{X}_{3}} \right) \left\{ (Z_{1} + \sqrt{a'a})^{2} + Z_{2}^{2} + \mathcal{X}_{4} \right\} \end{pmatrix}$$

,

where  $\mathcal{X}_i \sim \chi_{f_i}^2$ , i = 1, 2, 3, 4;  $Z_i \sim N(0, 1)$ , i = 1, 2, 3; all the seven variables  $\mathcal{X}_1, \mathcal{X}_2, \mathcal{X}_3$ .  $\mathcal{X}_4, Z_1, Z_2, Z_3$  are independent;

$$f_1 = n - p + 1, \ f_2 = p - 1, \ f_3 = n - p + 2, \ f_4 = p - 2.$$

Similar results to Lemma 1 was treated in Fujikoshi and Seo [5], Fujikoshi [4], and Hyodo and Kubokawa [7].

Put

$$b_{1} = b_{1}(w_{1}, w_{2}, w_{3}, z_{1}, z_{2}) = \frac{n}{f_{1}} \frac{\Delta}{1 + w_{1}} \left( z_{1} + \sqrt{\frac{N_{1}N_{2}}{Nn}} \Delta - \sqrt{\frac{f_{2}}{f_{3}}} \sqrt{t} z_{2} \right),$$
  

$$b_{2} = b_{2}(w_{1}, w_{2}, w_{3}, w_{4}, z_{1}, z_{2}, z_{3}) = \frac{n}{f_{1}} \frac{1}{1 + w_{1}} \sqrt{\left(1 + \frac{f_{2}}{f_{3}}t\right)} sz_{3},$$
  

$$q_{1} = q_{1}(w_{1}, w_{4}, z_{1}, z_{2}) = \frac{n}{f_{1}} \frac{1}{1 + w_{1}} s,$$
  

$$q_{2} = q_{2}(w_{1}, w_{2}, w_{3}, w_{4}, z_{1}, z_{2}) = \left(\frac{n}{f_{1}}\right)^{2} \left(\frac{1}{1 + w_{1}}\right)^{2} \left(1 + \frac{f_{2}}{f_{3}}t\right) s,$$

where

$$s = s(w_4, z_1, z_2) = \left(z_1 + \sqrt{\frac{N_1 N_2}{Nn}}\Delta\right)^2 + z_2^2 + \frac{f_4}{n}(1+w_4),$$
  
$$t = t(w_2, w_3) = \frac{1+w_2}{1+w_3}.$$

Then we have

where  $W_i = \sqrt{f_i/2}(\mathcal{X}_i/f_i - 1), i = 1, \dots, 4$ . This implies that

$$\begin{pmatrix} U - U_0 \\ V_0 \\ V \end{pmatrix} \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \begin{pmatrix} -\alpha_4 & \alpha_3 & \alpha_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \beta_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \beta_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} B_1 \\ B_2 \\ Q_1 \\ Q_2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \alpha_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix},$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_1 &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{Nn}{N_1 N_2} - \left( \frac{n}{N_2} - \frac{n}{N_1} \right) \right\} = \frac{n}{N_1}, \alpha_2 = \frac{p-2}{m+1}, \\ \alpha_3 &= \frac{n}{\sqrt{N_1 N_2}}, \alpha_4 = \sqrt{\frac{nN_2}{NN_1}}, \\ \beta_1 &= \frac{n(n+1)}{(m+1)(m+2)} \frac{Nn}{N_1 N_2}, \beta_2 = \frac{Nn}{N_1 N_2}. \end{aligned}$$

Letting

$$\Psi(w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4, z_1, z_2, z_3) = \Phi\left(\frac{\sqrt{\beta_1 q_1}c + \alpha_1(q_1 - \alpha_2) + \alpha_3 b_2 - \alpha_4 b_1}{\sqrt{\beta_2 q_2}}\right),$$

we can express that

(3.2) 
$$C_{2|1} = \Phi\left(\frac{\sqrt{V_0c} - U_0 + U}{\sqrt{V}}\right)$$
$$\stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \Psi\left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{f_1}}W_1, \sqrt{\frac{2}{f_2}}W_2, \sqrt{\frac{2}{f_3}}W_3, \sqrt{\frac{2}{f_4}}W_4, \frac{Z_1}{\sqrt{n}}, \frac{Z_2}{\sqrt{n}}, \frac{Z_3}{\sqrt{n}}\right).$$

Hereafter, we set  $\boldsymbol{v}$  as the variable vector and  $\boldsymbol{y}$  as the random variable vector, which are defined by

$$\boldsymbol{v} = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 & v_2 & v_3 & v_4 & v_5 & v_6 & v_7 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{pmatrix} w_1 & w_2 & w_3 & w_4 & z_1 & z_2 & z_3 \end{pmatrix}', \\ \boldsymbol{y} = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 & Y_2 & Y_3 & Y_4 & Y_5 & Y_6 & Y_7 \end{pmatrix}' = \begin{pmatrix} W_1 & W_2 & W_3 & W_4 & Z_1 & Z_2 & Z_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

and

(3.3) 
$$\Psi(\boldsymbol{v}) = \Psi(w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4, z_1, z_2, z_3),$$

unless making confusion.

## 3.2. Studentization for CPMC under A1

It can be expressed that

$$b_1(0,0,0,0,0) = \frac{n}{f_1} \sqrt{\frac{N_1 N_2}{Nn}} \Delta^2 = b_{1,0},$$
  

$$b_2(0,0,0,0,0,0,0) = 0,$$
  

$$q_1(0,0,0,0) = \frac{n}{f_1} \left(\frac{N_1 N_2}{Nn} \Delta^2 + \frac{f_4}{n}\right) = q_{1,0},$$
  

$$q_2(0,0,0,0,0,0) = \left(\frac{n}{f_1}\right)^2 \left(1 + \frac{f_2}{f_3}\right) \left(\frac{N_1 N_2}{Nn} \Delta^2 + \frac{f_4}{n}\right) = q_{2,0}.$$

So, we have

$$\Psi(\mathbf{0}) = \Phi\left(\frac{\sqrt{\beta_1 q_{1,0}}c + \alpha_1(q_{1,0} - \alpha_2) - \alpha_4 b_{1,0}}{\sqrt{\beta_2 q_{2,0}}}\right) = \Phi(c).$$

It is noted that  $\Psi(\boldsymbol{v})$  is a smooth function on  $(-1,\infty) \times (-1,\infty) \times (-1,\infty) \times (-1,\infty) \times (-1,\infty) \times \mathbb{R}^3$ . We will expand

$$\Psi\left(\sqrt{2/f_1}W_1, \sqrt{2/f_2}W_2, \sqrt{2/f_3}W_3, \sqrt{2/f_4}W_4, Z_1/\sqrt{n}, Z_2/\sqrt{n}, Z_3/\sqrt{n}\right)$$

at  $(\sqrt{2/f_1}W_1, \sqrt{2/f_2}W_2, \sqrt{2/f_3}W_3, \sqrt{2/f_4}W_4, Z_1/\sqrt{n}, Z_2/\sqrt{n}, Z_3/\sqrt{n}) = \mathbf{0}$ . Let  $\psi_1 = \psi_1(c, \Delta^2)$  be the vector valued function defined by

(3.4) 
$$\boldsymbol{\psi}_1 = \boldsymbol{D} \frac{\partial}{\partial \boldsymbol{v}} \Psi(\boldsymbol{v})_{|0},$$

where  $\boldsymbol{D} = \text{diag}(\sqrt{2n/f_1}, \sqrt{2n/f_2}, \sqrt{2n/f_3}, \sqrt{2n/f_4}, 1, 1, 1), \Psi(\boldsymbol{v})$  is defined by (3.3), and the notation " $|_0$ " stands for the value at the point that  $\boldsymbol{v} = \boldsymbol{0}$ . We can express that  $\boldsymbol{\psi}_1 = \phi(c)\boldsymbol{p}_1$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} \boldsymbol{p}_{1} &= \boldsymbol{p}_{1}(c,\delta^{2}) \\ &= \frac{c}{2} \left( \sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_{1}}} - \sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_{2}}} \frac{f_{2}}{f_{2}+f_{3}} \sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_{3}}} \frac{f_{2}}{f_{2}+f_{3}} 0 0 0 0 0 \right)' \\ &+ \sqrt{\frac{\beta_{2}^{-1}}{q_{2,0}}} \left( -\sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_{1}}} \frac{f_{4}}{f_{1}} \alpha_{1} 0 0 \sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_{4}}} \frac{f_{4}}{f_{1}} \alpha_{1} \frac{\alpha_{1}}{\sqrt{\beta_{2}}} \frac{n}{f_{1}} \Delta \sqrt{\frac{f_{2}}{f_{3}}} \frac{n}{f_{1}} \alpha_{4} \Delta \alpha_{3} \sqrt{q_{2,0}} \right)'. \end{aligned}$$

$$(3.5)$$

In addition, let  $\Psi_2 = \Psi_2(c, \Delta^2)$  be  $7 \times 7$  matrix valued function defined by

$$\Psi_2 = \boldsymbol{D} rac{\partial^2}{\partial \boldsymbol{v} \partial \boldsymbol{v}'} \Psi(\boldsymbol{v}) \boldsymbol{D}_{|0}.$$

We can show that

$$\Psi_2 = \phi(c)\boldsymbol{P},$$

where  $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{P}(c, \Delta^2)$  is the 7 × 7 matrix valued function defined as  $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{P}_0 + c\mathbf{P}_1 + c^2\mathbf{P}_2 + c^3\mathbf{P}_3$  with  $\mathbf{P}_i = \mathbf{P}_i(\Delta^2)$  (i = 0, 1, 2, 3) being the 7 × 7 symmetric matrix valued function. The analytic form for  $\mathbf{P}_i$  (i = 0, 1, 2, 3) is given in Appendix C. From these results, we have

$$\begin{split} \Psi\left(\sqrt{2/f_1}W_1, \sqrt{2/f_2}W_2, \sqrt{2/f_3}W_3, \sqrt{2/f_4}W_4, Z_1/\sqrt{n}, Z_2/\sqrt{n}, Z_3/\sqrt{n}\right) \\ (3.6) \\ &= \Phi(c) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\psi_1'\boldsymbol{y} + \frac{1}{n}\boldsymbol{y}'\boldsymbol{\Psi}_2\boldsymbol{y} + \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}R_1, \end{split}$$

where  $R_1$  is a remainder term consisting of a homogeneous polynomial of order 3 in the elements of  $\boldsymbol{y}$  of which the coefficients are  $O_{A1,C}(1)$ , plus  $n^{-1/2}$  times a homogeneous polynomial of order 4, plus a remainder term that is  $O_{A1,C}(n^{-1})$  for fixed  $\boldsymbol{y}$ .

By virtue of (3.6) with combined the use of the formula (3.2), we have

(3.7) 
$$\frac{C_{2|1} - \Phi(c)}{\sqrt{\psi_1'\psi_1/n}} \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\psi_1'\psi_1}} \left(\psi_1'\boldsymbol{y} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\boldsymbol{y}'\boldsymbol{\Psi}_2\boldsymbol{y} + \frac{1}{n}R_1\right).$$

It follows from the definition of  $\boldsymbol{y}$  that

$$\boldsymbol{y} \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{\rightarrow} N_7(\boldsymbol{0}, \boldsymbol{I}_7)$$

under A1 and C, which leads to the following theorem.

**Theorem 1.** Under the high-dimensional asymptotic framework A1 and the assumption C,

$$\frac{C_{2|1} - \Phi(c)}{\phi(c)\sqrt{\rho(c,\Delta^2)/n}} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{D}} N(0,1),$$

where

$$\rho(c, \Delta^{2}) = \psi_{1}'\psi_{1}/\{\phi(c)\}^{2}$$

$$= \frac{c^{2}}{2}\left(\frac{n}{f_{1}} + \frac{f_{2}}{f_{3}}\frac{n}{f_{2} + f_{3}}\right) - 2c\frac{n}{f_{1}}\frac{f_{4}}{f_{1}}\frac{\alpha_{1}}{\sqrt{\beta_{2}}}\frac{1}{\sqrt{q_{2,0}}}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{\beta_{2}q_{2,0}}\left\{2\left(\frac{n}{f_{1}} + \frac{n}{f_{4}}\right)\left(\frac{f_{4}}{f_{1}}\right)^{2}\alpha_{1}^{2} + \left(1 + \frac{f_{2}}{f_{3}}\right)\frac{\alpha_{1}^{2}}{\beta_{2}}\left(\frac{n}{f_{1}}\right)^{2}\Delta^{2} + \alpha_{3}^{2}q_{2,0}\right\}.$$

$$(3.8)$$

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Since  $\rho(c, \Delta^2)$  is unknown parameter, it is needed to estimate for Studentization. The natural estimate  $\rho(c, \widehat{\Delta^2})$  cannot be used. The reason is that  $\{q_{2,0}(\Delta^2)\}^{-1/2}$  which is included in  $\rho(c, \Delta^2)$  cannot by defined for the case in which  $0 < D^2 < \{2/(m-1)\}(Nn)/(N_1N_2)$  since  $q_{2,0}(\widehat{\Delta^2})$  takes negative value. Instead of using the unbiased estimator  $\widehat{\Delta^2}$ , we use

(3.9) 
$$\widehat{\Delta_A^2} = \frac{m+1}{n}D^2 - \frac{N(p-2)}{N_1N_2},$$

which is used in Yamada et al. [16]. It can be expressed that

$$\rho(c,\Delta^2) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{f_3} \frac{n}{f_2 + f_3} \right) \left( c - \frac{2}{\frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{f_3} \frac{n}{f_2 + f_3}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_2 q_{2,0}}} \frac{n}{f_1} \frac{f_4}{f_1} \alpha_1 \right)^2$$

$$(3.10) \qquad + \frac{1}{\beta_2 q_{2,0}} \left( \frac{n}{f_1} \right)^2 \alpha_1^2 \tau(\Delta^2) + \frac{\alpha_3^2}{\beta_2},$$

where

(3)

$$\tau(\Delta^2) = -\frac{2}{\frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{f_3}\frac{n}{f_2 + f_3}} \left(\frac{f_4}{f_1}\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{n}{f_4}\right)\left(\frac{f_4}{n}\right)^2 + \left(1 + \frac{f_2}{f_3}\right)\frac{\Delta^2}{\beta_2}.$$

It is sufficient to show that  $\tau(\widehat{\Delta_A^2}) > 0$  to ensure the positivity of  $\rho(c, \widehat{\Delta_A^2})$ . We can express that

$$\begin{aligned} \tau(\widehat{\Delta_A^2}) &= -\frac{2}{\frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{f_3} \frac{n}{f_2 + f_3}} \left(\frac{f_4}{f_1}\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{n}{f_4}\right) \left(\frac{f_4}{n}\right)^2 \\ &+ \left(1 + \frac{f_2}{f_3}\right) \frac{1}{\beta_2} \left(\frac{f_1}{n} D^2 - \frac{f_4}{n} \beta_2\right) \\ &= \frac{f_1}{n} \left(1 + \frac{f_2}{f_3}\right) \frac{D^2}{\beta_2} + \left[2\left(\frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{n}{f_4}\right) - \frac{2}{\frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{f_3} \frac{n}{f_2 + f_3}} \left(\frac{n}{f_1}\right)^2 \right. \\ &- \left(1 + \frac{f_2}{f_3}\right) \frac{n}{f_4}\right] \frac{f_4^2}{n^2} \\ &= \left(\frac{f_1}{n}\right)^2 q_{2,0}(\widehat{\Delta_A^2}) + \left[2 + \frac{(f_3 - f_2)\{f_3(f_2 + f_3) + f_1f_2\}}{f_2f_3f_4}\right] \\ &\cdot \frac{f_2f_4^2}{f_1f_3(f_2 + f_3)} \frac{1}{\frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{f_3} \frac{n}{f_2 + f_3}}, \end{aligned}$$

where the last equality follows from the fact that

(3.12) 
$$q_{2,0}(\widehat{\Delta_A^2}) = \frac{n}{f_1} \left( 1 + \frac{f_2}{f_3} \right) \frac{D^2}{\beta_2}.$$

The positivity for  $\tau(\widehat{\Delta_A^2})$  follows from that

$$2f_2f_3f_4 + (f_3 - f_2)\{f_3(f_2 + f_3) + f_1f_2\}$$
  
=  $(n - p)^3 + (5 + p)(n - p)^2 + (11 + p)(n - p) + (p - 2)^2 + 7 > 0.$ 

Note that

$$\frac{\widehat{\Delta_A^2}}{\Delta^2} \xrightarrow{p} 1$$

under A1 and C. From this rate consistency, we obtain

$$\frac{\rho(c,\widehat{\Delta_A^2})}{\rho(c,\Delta^2)} \xrightarrow{p} 1.$$

By Theorem 1 and Slutsky's theorem,

(3.13) 
$$\frac{C_{2|1} - \Phi(c)}{\phi(c)\sqrt{\rho(c,\widehat{\Delta_A^2})/n}} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{D}} N(0,1).$$

## 3.3. Asymptotic expansion for the distribution of the proposed Studentized statistic for CPMC under A1

In this section, we derive an asymptotic expansion for the distribution for the Studentized  $C_{2|1}$  to improve the convergence rate in (3.13).

Firstly, we give a general result for the cumulative distribution function of the random variable T which has the form:

(3.14) 
$$T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mathbf{h}'\mathbf{h}}}\mathbf{h}'\mathbf{y} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\frac{1}{\sqrt{\mathbf{h}'\mathbf{h}}}\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{H}\mathbf{y} + \frac{1}{n}R$$

for  $h \in \mathbb{R}^7$  and the symmetric matrix H, where R is the term consisting of a homogeneous polynomial of order 3 in the elements of  $\boldsymbol{y}$  of which the coefficients are O(1) under A1 and C, plus  $n^{-1/2}$  times a homogeneous polynomial of order 4, plus a remainder term that is  $O(n^{-1})$  under A1 and C for fixed  $\boldsymbol{y}$ .

**Theorem 2.** The cumulative distribution function of T which is described as (3.14) can be expressed as

$$P(T \le x) = \Phi(x) - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} (s_1 H_0(x) + s_2 H_2(x))\phi(x) + O(n^{-1}),$$

where  $\Phi(\cdot)$  denotes the cumulative distribution function of the standard normal distribution,  $\phi(\cdot)$  is the derivative of  $\Phi(\cdot)$ , and  $H_k(x)$  denotes the Hermite polynomial of degree k, especially,  $H_0(x) = 1$ ,  $H_2(x) = x^2 - 1$ . Here,

$$s_1 = rac{\operatorname{tr} \boldsymbol{H}}{\sqrt{\boldsymbol{h}'\boldsymbol{h}}}, \quad s_2 = rac{1}{(\boldsymbol{h}'\boldsymbol{h})^{3/2}} \left\{ rac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \sum_{k=1}^4 \sqrt{rac{n}{f_k}} h_k^3 + \boldsymbol{h}' \boldsymbol{H} \boldsymbol{h} 
ight\}$$

for 
$$\begin{pmatrix} h_1 & \cdots & h_7 \end{pmatrix}' = h$$
.

The proof of Theorem 2 is given in Appendix B.

Now, we consider to express the proposed Studentized statistic as the form (3.14). By virtue of (3.12) combined with the use of the formula (3.1) and the fact that  $Q_1 = \{N/(N_1N_2)\}D^2$ , we have

(3.15) 
$$q_{2,0}(\widehat{\Delta^2}) \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \frac{n}{f_1} \left( 1 + \frac{f_2}{f_3} \right) q_1(\sqrt{2/f_1}W_1, \sqrt{2/f_4}W_4, Z_1/\sqrt{n}, Z_2/\sqrt{n}).$$

Put

$$\Omega(w_1, w_4, z_1, z_2) = \left\{ \alpha_5 \left( c - \frac{\alpha_6}{\sqrt{(n/f_1)(1 + f_2/f_3)q_1}} \right)^2 + \alpha_7 + \frac{\alpha_8}{(n/f_1)(1 + f_2/f_3)q_1} \right\}^{-1/2},$$

where  $q_1 = q_1(w_1, w_4, z_1, z_2)$ ,

$$\begin{split} \alpha_5 &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{n}{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{f_3} \frac{n}{f_2 + f_3} \right), \\ \alpha_6 &= \frac{1}{\alpha_5} \frac{n}{f_1} \frac{f_4}{f_1} \frac{\alpha_1}{\sqrt{\beta_2}}, \\ \alpha_7 &= \frac{\alpha_1^2 + \alpha_3^2}{\beta_2}, \\ \alpha_8 &= \left[ 2 + \frac{(f_3 - f_2) \{ f_3(f_2 + f_3) + f_1 f_2 \}}{f_2 f_3 f_4} \right] \frac{n^2 f_2 f_4^2}{f_1^3 f_3 (f_2 + f_3)} \frac{\alpha_1^2}{2\alpha_5 \beta_2}. \end{split}$$

Without making confusion, we express

$$\Omega(\boldsymbol{v}_1) = \Omega(w_1, w_4, z_1, z_2)$$

for  $v_1 = (w_1 \ w_4 \ z_1 \ z_2)$ . From the expressions (3.10), (3.11) and (3.15), we have

$$\Omega(\sqrt{2/f_1}W_1, \sqrt{2/f_4}W_4, Z_1/\sqrt{n}, Z_2/\sqrt{n}) \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho(c, \widehat{\Delta_A^2})}}.$$

By taking into consideration that  $q_{2,0} = (n/f_1)(1 + f_2/f_3)q_1(0,0,0,0)$ , it is easy to see that

$$\Omega(\mathbf{0}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho(c,\Delta^2)}}.$$

Since  $\Omega(\boldsymbol{v}_1)$  is the smooth function on  $(-1, \infty) \times (-1, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^2$ , Taylor series expansion at  $(\sqrt{2/f_1} W_1, \sqrt{2/f_4} W_4, Z_1/\sqrt{n}, Z_2/\sqrt{n}) = (0, 0, 0, 0)$  gives

$$\Omega(\sqrt{2/f_1}W_1, \sqrt{2/f_4}W_4, Z_1/\sqrt{n}, Z_2/\sqrt{n}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho(c, \Delta^2)}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\tilde{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_1'\boldsymbol{y}_1 + \frac{1}{n}R_2,$$

where  $\boldsymbol{y}_1 = (W_1, W_4, Z_1, Z_2), \ \tilde{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_1 = \tilde{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_1(c, \Delta^2)$  is the vector valued function defined by

(3.16) 
$$\tilde{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_1 = \boldsymbol{D}_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial \boldsymbol{v}_1} \Omega(\boldsymbol{v}_1)_{|0|}$$

with being that  $D_1 = \text{diag}(\sqrt{2n/f_1}, \sqrt{2n/f_4}, 1, 1)$ , and  $R_2$  is the residue term of which the property is similar to  $R_1$ . We can express that

$$\tilde{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_1 = rac{1}{2} rac{1}{\{
ho(c,\Delta^2)\}^{3/2}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{p}}_2.$$

where

$$\tilde{\boldsymbol{p}}_{2} = \tilde{\boldsymbol{p}}_{2}(c, \Delta^{2}) \\ = \left(\frac{\alpha_{5}\alpha_{6}}{\sqrt{q_{1,0}}}c - \frac{\alpha_{8} + \alpha_{5}\alpha_{6}^{2}}{q_{1,0}}\right) \cdot \left(\sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_{1}}} - \frac{f_{4}}{f_{1}}\sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_{4}}}\frac{1}{q_{1,0}} - 2\frac{n}{f_{1}}\sqrt{\frac{N_{1}N_{2}}{Nn}}\frac{\Delta}{q_{1,0}} - 0\right)'.$$

$$(3.17)$$

Let  $\omega_1$  be the extension for  $\tilde{\omega}_1$  defined as

 $\boldsymbol{\omega}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{\omega}_{11} & 0 & 0 & \tilde{\omega}_{12} & \tilde{\omega}_{13} & \tilde{\omega}_{14} & 0 \end{pmatrix}'$ 

for  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{\omega}_{11} & \tilde{\omega}_{12} & \tilde{\omega}_{13} & \tilde{\omega}_{14} \end{pmatrix}'$ . Then we have

(3.18) 
$$\sqrt{\frac{\rho(c,\Delta^2)}{\rho(c,\widehat{\Delta_A^2})}} \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} 1 + \sqrt{\frac{\rho(c,\Delta^2)}{n}} \boldsymbol{\omega}_1' \boldsymbol{y} + \frac{1}{n} R_3$$

where  $R_3$  is the residue term of which the property is similar to  $R_1$ . Combining (3.7) and (3.18), we have

$$\frac{C_{2|1} - \Phi(c)}{\phi(c)\sqrt{\rho(c, \overline{\Delta_A^2})/n}} \\
\stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \frac{1}{\sqrt{p_1'p_1}} p_1' \boldsymbol{y} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{p_1'p_1}} \boldsymbol{y}' \left\{ \boldsymbol{P} + \frac{1}{2\rho(c, \Delta^2)} \left( \boldsymbol{p}_1 \boldsymbol{p}_2' + \boldsymbol{p}_2 \boldsymbol{p}_1' \right) \right\} \boldsymbol{y} + \frac{1}{n} R_4,$$

where  $p_2$  is the extension for  $\tilde{p}_2$  of which the definition is the same as  $\omega_1$ , and  $R_4$  is the residue term of which the property is similar to  $R_1$ .

Summarizing the above results, we have the following theorem.

Theorem 3.

$$P\left(\frac{c_{2|1}\left(\sqrt{V_0c} - U_0\right) - \Phi(c)}{\phi(c)\sqrt{\rho(c,\widehat{\Delta_A^2})/n}} \le x\right)$$
  
=  $\Phi(x) - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}\left(s_1H_0(x) + s_2H_2(x)\right)\phi(x) + O_{A,C}(n^{-1}),$ 

where

$$s_{1} = s_{1}(c, \Delta^{2}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho(c, \Delta^{2})}} \operatorname{tr} \left\{ \boldsymbol{P} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{\rho(c, \Delta^{2})} (\boldsymbol{p}_{1} \boldsymbol{p}_{2}' + \boldsymbol{p}_{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{1}') \right\},$$
  

$$s_{2} = s_{2}(c, \Delta^{2}) = \frac{1}{\{\rho(c, \Delta^{2})\}^{3/2}} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \sum_{k=1}^{4} \sqrt{\frac{n}{f_{k}}} p_{1,k}^{3} + \boldsymbol{p}_{1}' \boldsymbol{P} \boldsymbol{p}_{1} + \boldsymbol{p}_{1}' \boldsymbol{p}_{2} \right\}.$$

Analytic forms for  $s_1$  and  $s_2$  are complicated, and so are omitted to write in this paper. We notice that  $s_1$  and  $s_2$  contain only the term in which the power of  $\Delta$  is the even number.

## §4. Constrained linear discriminant rule for CPMC

In this section, we give a constrained linear discriminant rule for classification of two groups of which one of the two conditional misclassification probabilities does not exceed the presetting value  $\Xi_{\rm H}$  with the confidence level  $\alpha$ .

Suppose that

(4.1) 
$$c_{\mathrm{H}_{1}} = \xi_{\mathrm{H}_{1}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sqrt{\rho(\xi_{\mathrm{H}_{1}}, \widehat{\Delta_{A}^{2}})} z_{1-\varepsilon},$$

where  $\xi_{H_1} = \Phi^{-1}(\Xi_{H_1})$  for  $\Xi_{H_1} \in (0,1)$ . By virtue of (3.13) combined with Slutsky's theorem, we have

$$\lim_{A1} P\left(c_{2|1}\left(\sqrt{V_0}c_{H_1} - U_0\right) < \Xi_{H_1}\right) = 1 - \varepsilon$$

under the assumption C.

As an extension of (4.1), we obtain the following result.

Theorem 4. Let

$$c_{\mathrm{H}_2} = \xi_{\mathrm{H}_2} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}h_1 - \frac{1}{n}h_2,$$

where

$$\begin{split} h_1 &= \sqrt{\rho(\xi_{\mathrm{H}_2}, \widehat{\Delta_A^2}) z_{1-\varepsilon}}, \\ h_2 &= \left(\frac{\xi_{\mathrm{H}_2}}{2} \rho(\xi_{\mathrm{H}_2}, \widehat{\Delta_A^2}) + \frac{nf_4}{f_1^2} \frac{\alpha_1}{\sqrt{\beta_2}} \sqrt{\frac{1}{q_{2,0}(\widehat{\Delta_A^2})}}\right) z_{1-\varepsilon}^2 \\ &+ \sqrt{\rho(\xi_{\mathrm{H}_2}, \widehat{\Delta_A^2})} \left( b_1(\xi_{\mathrm{H}_2}, \widehat{\Delta_A^2}) H_0(z_{1-\varepsilon}) + b_2(\xi_{\mathrm{H}_2}, \widehat{\Delta_A^2}) H_2(z_{1-\varepsilon}) \right) \end{split}$$

with being that  $\xi_{H_2} = \Phi^{-1}(\Xi_{H_2})$  for  $\Xi_{H_2} \in (0, 1)$ . Then

$$P\left(c_{2|1}\left(\sqrt{V_0}c_{\mathrm{H}_2} - U_0\right) < \Xi_{\mathrm{H}_2}\right) = 1 - \varepsilon + O_{\mathrm{A1,C}}(n^{-1}).$$

The proof of Theorem 4 is similar to the one of Theorem 2 in McLachran [10], and so we omit to describe it.

#### §5. Simulation result

Simulation experiments were performed to confirm the asymptotic result of Theorem 4. We also compared the accuracies with the asymptotic result of Theorem 2 in McLachlan [10] for the case in which  $N_1 = N_2 = 50, 100, 250,$  $p = 10, 30, 50, 70, \Delta = 1, 2, 3, \varepsilon = 0.05, \Xi = \Phi(-\Delta/2)$ , where the settings of  $\Delta$  and  $\Xi$  are followed to McLachlan [10]. When we treat the distributions of W-rule, without loss of generality from invariant property of the distribution for the orthogonal transformation of observation vector, we may assume that two given normal populations with the same covariance matrix are

$$\Pi_1: N_p((\Delta/2)\boldsymbol{e}_1, \boldsymbol{I}_p), \quad \Pi_2: N_p(-(\Delta/2)\boldsymbol{e}_1, \boldsymbol{I}_p),$$

where  $\mathbf{e}_1 = (1, 0, \dots, 0)'$ . To compute misclassification probability, generate  $10^4$  training samples. For each training samples, we generate  $10^4$  test samples in which observation vectors are i.i.d. as  $N_p((\Delta/2)\mathbf{e}_1, \mathbf{I}_p)$ . The value of the conditional misclassification probability was calculated by

$$sim_k = \frac{\text{number of misclassifications}}{10^4} \quad (k = 1, \dots, 10^4)$$

in each training samples. We took the average of  $I(\sin_1 < \Xi), \ldots, I(\sin_{10^4} < \Xi)$ , where I(.) denotes the indicator function, and wrote it as the value for the actual level in row "Y" in Tables 1-3. The same value for McLachlan [10]'s approximation was written in row "Mc".

From Tables 1-3, we can see that our proposed asymptotic approximation has good accuracy when  $N_1 = N_2 = 100,250$  and  $\Delta = 1,2$ . The actual level

		p = 10	p = 30	p = 50	p = 70
$\Delta = 1$	Υ	0.96	0.96	0.97	0.98
	Mc	0.89	0.58	0.12	0.00
$\Delta = 2$	Υ	0.95	0.94	0.93	0.92
	Mc	0.87	0.50	0.05	0.01
$\Delta = 3$	Y	0.92	0.89	0.83	0.67
	Mc	0.82	0.33	0.02	0.00

Table 1: Actual levels of confidences that the conditional error probabilities are less than  $\Xi$  when  $N_1 = N_2 = 50$  and the nominal level is  $1 - \varepsilon = 0.95$ .

Table 2: Actual levels of confidences that the conditional error probabilities are less than  $\Xi$  when  $N_1 = N_2 = 100$  and the nominal level is  $1 - \varepsilon = 0.95$ .  $\mid p = 10 \quad p = 30 \quad p = 50 \quad p = 70$ 

		p = 10	p = 30	p = 50	p = 10
$\Delta = 1$	Y	0.96	0.96	0.96	0.96
	Mc	0.92	0.81	0.59	0.29
$\Delta = 2$	Y	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.94
	Mc	0.91	0.79	0.52	0.20
$\Delta = 3$	Y	0.94	0.93	0.92	0.90
	Mc	0.89	0.71	0.39	0.10

Table 3: Actual levels of confidences that the conditional error probabilities are less than  $\Xi$  when  $N_1 = N_2 = 250$  and the nominal level is  $1 - \varepsilon = 0.95$ .

		p = 10	p = 30	p = 50	p = 70
$\Delta = 1$	Υ	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.95
	Mc	0.93	0.91	0.85	0.78
$\Delta = 2$	Y	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95
	Mc	0.93	0.90	0.84	0.75
$\Delta = 3$	Y	0.94	0.94	0.93	0.93
	Mc	0.92	0.87	0.79	0.67

of confidence becomes small as the dimension gets large. We can check that McLachlan [10]'s result does not work well for our settings. Simulation results reveal that the actual confidence level gets small from the nominal level as the dimension becomes close to sample size for the case in which  $\Xi$  is small.

#### §6. Concluding remarks

In this paper, we derived Studentized statistic for the conditional probability of misclassification for the Studentized W, and derived its asymptotic expansion of the distribution up to the term of  $O_{A1,C}(n^{-1/2})$ . It may be noted that the order of its error is  $O_{A1,C}(n^{-1})$ . Based on the derived asymptotic expansion, we gave the cut-off point for the linear discriminant rule that the one of two conditional error probabilities is less than the presetting value. Simulation results revealed that our proposed rule is superior than McLachlan [10]'s result.

Unfortunately, our proposed rule did not work well for the case in which  $\Xi$  is small. The modification should be considered and is being a future problem.

#### §A. Equality in distributions for proposed statistics

In this section, firstly, we mention the equality in distributions for  $U_{01} - U_1$ and  $-(U_{02} - U_2)$ , which is given as the following lemma,

**Lemma 2.** The distribution for  $U_{01}-U_1$  is the same as the one for  $-(U_{02}-U_2)$  with exchanging  $N_1$  for  $N_2$ .

*Proof.* Set  $S_1(N_1, N_2) = U_{01} - U_1$ , and set  $S_2(N_1, N_2) = -(U_{02} - U_2)$ . In addition, put

$$\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}_i \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \boldsymbol{\mu}_i + \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_i}} \boldsymbol{z}_i \quad (i = 1, 2), \quad \boldsymbol{S} \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{=} \frac{1}{n} W, \quad \boldsymbol{\delta} = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1/2} (\boldsymbol{\mu}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_2),$$

where  $\boldsymbol{z}_1, \boldsymbol{z}_2, \boldsymbol{W}$  are independent;  $\boldsymbol{z}_1$  and  $\boldsymbol{z}_2$  are distributed as  $N_p(\boldsymbol{0}, \boldsymbol{I}_p)$ ;  $\boldsymbol{W}$ 

is distributed as  $W_p(n, \boldsymbol{I}_p)$ . Then, we have

$$\begin{split} & \mathcal{I}_{1}(N_{1},N_{2}) \\ & \mathcal{I}_{2}^{\mathbb{D}} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{n}{m-1} \left\{ n \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right)' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right) \\ & - \frac{Np}{N_{1}N_{2}} \right\} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{p}{m-1} \left( \frac{n}{N_{2}} - \frac{n}{N_{1}} \right) - \frac{2(n-1)}{(m-1)(m+1)} \frac{n}{N_{1}} \\ & - \frac{n}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right)' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right), \\ S_{2}(N_{1},N_{2}) \\ & \mathcal{I}_{2}^{\mathbb{D}} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{n}{m-1} \left\{ n \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right)' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right) \\ & - \frac{Np}{N_{1}N_{2}} \right\} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{p}{m-1} \left( \frac{n}{N_{2}} - \frac{n}{N_{1}} \right) - \frac{2(n-1)}{(m-1)(m+1)} \frac{n}{N_{2}} \\ & + \frac{n}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right)' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} + \boldsymbol{\delta} \right). \end{split}$$

By interchanging  $N_1$  and  $N_2$ ,

$$\begin{split} & \mathcal{P}_{2}(N_{2},N_{1}) \\ & \mathcal{P}_{2} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{n}{m-1} \left\{ n \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right)' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right) \\ & - \frac{Np}{N_{2}N_{1}} \right\} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{p}{m-1} \left( \frac{n}{N_{1}} - \frac{n}{N_{2}} \right) - \frac{2(n-1)}{(m-1)(m+1)} \frac{n}{N_{1}} \\ & + \frac{n}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right)' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{1} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \boldsymbol{z}_{2} + \boldsymbol{\delta} \right) \\ & = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{n}{m-1} \left\{ n \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right)' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right) \\ & - \frac{Np}{N_{1}N_{2}} \right\} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{p}{m-1} \left( \frac{n}{N_{2}} - \frac{n}{N_{1}} \right) - \frac{2(n-1)}{(m-1)(m+1)} \frac{n}{N_{1}} \\ & - \frac{n}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right)' \boldsymbol{W}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{1}}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_{1} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{2}}} \tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_{2} - \boldsymbol{\delta} \right) \\ \frac{\mathcal{P}}{=} S_{1}(N_{1}, N_{2}), \end{split}$$

where  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_1 = -\boldsymbol{z}_2$  and  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{z}}_2 = -\boldsymbol{z}_1$ .

Next, we treat the equality in distribution for  $V_0$  and for V, which is given as the following lemma.

**Lemma 3.** Each of the distributions for  $V_0$  and for V is the same as the one with exchanging  $N_1$  for  $N_2$ .

We omit to write the proof of Lemma 3 since it is similar to Lemma 2.

#### §B. Proof of Theorem 2

In this section, we give a proof of Theorem 2. Firstly, we give the following lemma.

**Lemma 4.** Suppose that  $a \in \mathbb{R}$  and g(.) is a polynomial function. Let Z and Y are random variables; Z is distributed as the standard normal distribution; Y is distributed as the chi-square distribution with f degrees of freedom. Then,

$$E\left[g(Z)e^{itaZ}\right] = \exp\left(\frac{a^2}{2}(it)^2\right) E[g(Z+ita)],$$

$$E\left[g(W)e^{itaW}\right] = \left(1 - ita\sqrt{\frac{2}{f}}\right)^{-f/2} \exp\left(-ita\sqrt{\frac{f}{2}}\right) E\left[g\left(\frac{W+ita}{1 - ita\sqrt{2/a}}\right)\right],$$
where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$  and  $W = \sqrt{f/2}(V/f - 1)$ 

where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , and  $W = \sqrt{f/2}(Y/f - 1)$ .

It is easy to prove Lemma 4, so we omit to write the proof.

*Proof of Theorem 2.* From the assumption for T given in (3.14), the characteristic function can be expanded as

$$E[\exp(itT)] = E\left[T_0 + \frac{it}{\sqrt{n}}\frac{1}{\sqrt{h'h}}T_1\right] + O(n^{-1}),$$

where

$$T_0 = \exp\left(it\frac{1}{\sqrt{h'h}}h'y\right), \quad T_1 = y'Hy \exp\left(it\frac{1}{\sqrt{h'h}}h'y\right).$$

From Lemma 4, we have

$$E[T_0] = \prod_{k=1}^{4} \left( 1 - it \frac{h_k}{\sqrt{h'h}} \sqrt{\frac{2}{f_k}} \right)^{-f_k/2} \exp\left( -it \frac{h_k}{\sqrt{h'h}} \sqrt{\frac{f_k}{2}} \right)$$
$$\cdot \prod_{k=5}^{7} \exp\left( \frac{1}{2} (it)^2 \frac{h_k^2}{h'h} \right)$$
$$= \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} (it)^3 \sum_{k=1}^{4} \sqrt{\frac{n}{f_k}} \frac{h_k^3}{(h'h)^{3/2}} \right\} \right] e^{(it)^2/2} + O(n^{-1})$$

under A1. It can be expressed that

$$E[T_1] = \sum_{k=1}^7 h_{kk} E\left[Y_k^2 \exp\left(it\frac{h_k}{\sqrt{h'h}}Y_k\right)\right] E\left[\exp\left(it\sum_{\substack{\ell=1\\\ell\neq k}}^7 \frac{h_k}{\sqrt{h'h}}Y_k\right)\right]$$
$$+ \sum_{k=1}^7 \sum_{\substack{\ell=1\\\ell\neq k}}^7 \left(h_{k\ell} E\left[Y_k Y_\ell \exp\left(it\frac{h_k}{\sqrt{h'h}}Y_k\right) \exp\left(it\frac{h_\ell}{\sqrt{h'h}}Y_\ell\right)\right]$$
$$\cdot E\left[\exp\left(it\sum_{\substack{\alpha=1\\\alpha\neq k,\alpha\neq\ell}}^7 \frac{h_\alpha}{\sqrt{h'h}}Y_\alpha\right)\right]\right)$$

for  $(h_{k\ell}) = \boldsymbol{H}$ . From Lemma 2 again, we have

$$\begin{split} E[T_1] &= E[T_0] \left[ \sum_{k=1}^4 h_{kk} \frac{1 + (it)^2 h_k^2 / \mathbf{h'h}}{\{1 - it(h_k / \sqrt{\mathbf{h'h}}) \sqrt{2/f_k}\}^2} \\ &+ \sum_{k=5}^7 h_{kk} \{1 + (it)^2 h_k^2 / \mathbf{h'h}\} \right] \\ &+ E[T_0] \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^4 \sum_{\ell=1}^4 h_{k\ell} \frac{ith_k / \sqrt{\mathbf{h'h}}}{1 - it(h_k / \sqrt{\mathbf{h'h}}) \sqrt{2/f_k}} \frac{ith_\ell / \sqrt{\mathbf{h'h}}}{1 - it(h_\ell / \sqrt{\mathbf{h'h}}) \sqrt{2/f_k}} \\ &+ 2 \sum_{k=1}^4 \sum_{\ell=5}^7 h_{k\ell} \frac{ith_k / \sqrt{\mathbf{h'h}}}{1 - it(h_k / \sqrt{\mathbf{h'h}}) \sqrt{2/f_k}} it \frac{h_\ell}{\sqrt{\mathbf{h'h}}} + \sum_{k=5}^7 \sum_{\substack{\ell=5\\\ell \neq k}}^7 h_{k\ell} (it)^2 \frac{h_k h_\ell}{\mathbf{h'h}} \right\} \\ &= E[T_0] \left\{ \operatorname{tr} \mathbf{H} + (it)^2 \frac{\mathbf{h'Hh}}{\mathbf{h'h}} + O(n^{-1/2}) \right\} \end{split}$$

under A1. The desired result now follows by formally inverting the expansion for the characteristic function.  $\hfill \Box$ 

## §C. Analytic forms for $P_0$ , $P_1$ , $P_2$ and $P_3$

In this section, we give the analytic form for  $P_i$  (i = 0, 1, 2, 3). The derivation is straightforward, and so is omitted.

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 $\sqrt{2} \frac{f_4}{f_1} \left( \frac{n}{f_1} \right)^{3/2} \frac{\alpha_1^2}{\beta_2^{3/2}} \frac{\Delta}{q_{2,0}}$ 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  $-\frac{n}{f_1} \frac{\sqrt{2nf_4}}{\int_1^{1} \frac{\alpha_1^2}{f_1} \frac{\alpha_2^2}{\alpha_1^2} \frac{\Delta}{q_{2,0}}} -\left(\frac{n}{f_1}\right)^2 \frac{\alpha_1^2}{\beta_2^2} \frac{\Delta^2}{q_{2,0}}$  $\sqrt{2nf_2} \alpha_4 \Delta$  $\frac{\delta f_2}{f_4} \alpha_4 \frac{\Delta}{q_{1,0}}$  $\frac{f_2}{f_3} \frac{\alpha_4}{\sqrt{\beta_2}} \frac{\Delta^2}{q_{1,0}}$  $\left\langle \frac{2n}{f_3} \alpha_4 \Delta \right\rangle$ 0 0  $2\frac{n}{t}\alpha_1$  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{n}{f_1} \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3} \sqrt{}$ 0  $-\frac{1}{2}\frac{n}{f_1}\frac{f_2}{f_2+f_3}$  $-\frac{1}{2}\frac{n}{f_1}\frac{f_2}{f_1}\sqrt{\frac{1}{f_1}}$  $-\left(\frac{n}{f_1}\right)^2\sqrt{\frac{1}{f_1}}$  $\left(\frac{f_4}{f_1}\right)^2 \, \frac{2n}{\sqrt{f_1 f_4}} \, \frac{\alpha_1^2}{\beta_2} \, \frac{1}{q_{2,0}}$  $\begin{array}{c} \sqrt{2} \frac{f_4}{f_1} \left( \frac{n}{f_1} \right)^{3/2} \frac{\alpha_1}{\sqrt{\beta_2}} \frac{\Delta}{q_{1,0}} \\ -\frac{1}{2} \frac{n}{f_1} \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3} \sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_2}} \frac{\alpha_1}{\sqrt{\beta_2}} \Delta \\ \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{f_1} \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3} \sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_3}} \frac{\alpha_1}{\sqrt{f_3}} \frac{\Delta}{\gamma_{1,0}} \Delta \\ -\frac{3}{2} \frac{n}{f_1} \frac{f_4}{f_1} \sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_3}} \frac{\alpha_1}{\sqrt{\beta_2}} \frac{\alpha_1}{q_{1,0}} \end{array}$  $-\frac{2nf_4}{f_1^2}\,\frac{\alpha_1^2}{\beta_2}\,\frac{1}{q_{2,0}}$ 0 0 \* ×  $2 \frac{n}{f_1} \frac{f_4}{f_1} \frac{\alpha_1}{q_{1,0}}$  $\frac{n}{\sqrt{f_2 f_3}}$  $\frac{2n}{f_3}$  $\frac{J2}{f_2 + f_3}$  $+ \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3}$  $rac{n}{\sqrt{f_1f_4}} rac{lpha_1}{q_{1,0}}$  $\frac{f_4}{f_1} \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3} \frac{n}{\sqrt{f_2 f_4}} \alpha_1$  $\frac{f_4}{f_1} \frac{f_2}{f_2+f_3} \frac{n}{\sqrt{f_3 f_4}} \alpha_1$  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3} \frac{n}{\sqrt{f_1 f_3}}$  $-\frac{2nf_4}{f_1^2}\frac{\alpha_1}{q_{1,0}}$  $\left(\frac{f_4}{f_1}
ight)^2$  $\left\{\frac{3}{4}\left(\frac{f_2}{f_2+f_3}\right)\right\}$  $\left(\frac{f_2}{f_2+f_3}\right)$ -513 - $\int_{0}^{1} \frac{f_4}{f_1} \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3} \frac{n}{\sqrt{f_1 f_2}} \alpha_1 - \frac{f_4}{f_1} \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3} \frac{n}{\sqrt{f_1 f_3}} \alpha_1$  $-\frac{1}{2}\frac{f_2}{f_2+f_3}\frac{n}{\sqrt{f_1f_2}}$ 2  $-\frac{n}{f_1}\sqrt{\frac{f_2}{f_3}}\frac{\alpha_3\alpha_4}{\beta_2}\frac{\Delta}{\sqrt{q_2,0}}\\-\frac{\alpha_3}{\beta_2}$  $\frac{f_4}{f_1}\sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_1}}\frac{\alpha_1\alpha_3}{\alpha_2}\frac{1}{\sqrt{q_2,0}}}{0}$ 0 0  $\frac{3}{2} \frac{n}{f_2} \left( \frac{f_2}{f_2 + f_3} \right)$  $\frac{f_4}{f_1}\sqrt{\frac{2n}{f_4}}\,\frac{\alpha_1\,\alpha_3}{\beta_2}\,\frac{1}{\sqrt{q_2,0}}$  $- \frac{n}{f_1} \frac{\alpha_1 \alpha_3}{\beta_2^{3/2}} \frac{\Delta}{\sqrt{q_{2,0}}}$  $-\frac{2n}{f_1} \left\{ \left( \frac{f_4}{f_1} \right)^2 \frac{\alpha_1^2}{\beta_2} \frac{1}{q_{2,0}} + \frac{1}{4} \right\}$ 0  $\frac{n}{f_1} \frac{f_4}{f_1} \sqrt{\frac{2nf_2}{0}} \frac{\alpha_1 \alpha_4}{\beta_2} \frac{\Delta}{q_{2,0}} \frac{\Delta}{q_{2,0}}$  $\binom{f}{f_3} \frac{\sigma_1 \sigma_4}{\sigma_3^2} \frac{\sigma_1 \sigma_4}{\sigma_2^2} \frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_2^2} \frac{\sigma_3 \sigma_3}{\sigma_2^2} \frac{\sigma_2 \sigma_3}{\sigma_2^2} \frac{\sigma_2 \sigma_3}{\sigma_2^2}$  $\frac{2nf_2}{f_3f_4} \frac{\alpha_1\alpha_4}{\beta_2} \frac{\Delta}{q_2,0}$ \* ×  $\boldsymbol{P}_0 = \frac{}{\sqrt{q_{2,0}\beta_2}}$  $-\left(\frac{n}{f_1}\right)$  $-\frac{n}{f_1}\frac{f_4}{f_1}$ --- $\frac{f_1}{f_1}$ ī  $\boldsymbol{P}_1 =$ 



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