

## THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE CHARACTERISTIC ROOTS OF $S_1 S_2^{-1}$ UNDER VIOLATIONS<sup>1</sup>

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The paper deals with the density of the characteristic roots of  $S_1 S_2^{-1}$  where  $S_1$  has a noncentral Wishart distribution,  $W(p, n_1, \Sigma_1, \Omega)$ , and  $S_2$  has an independently distributed central Wishart distribution  $W(p, n_2, \Sigma_2, \mathbf{0})$ , under a condition. This density is basic for an exact study of robustness of tests of at least two multivariate hypotheses.

**1. Introduction.** Consider the test of the following two hypotheses: 1) equality of covariance matrices in two  $p$ -variate normal populations and 2) equality of  $p$ -dimensional mean vectors in  $l$   $p$ -variate normal populations having a common covariance matrix. In order to carry out some exact investigations of robustness of tests of 1) when the assumption of normality is violated and of 2) when that of a common covariance matrix is disturbed, the density of the characteristic roots of  $S_1 S_2^{-1}$  is studied, where  $S_1$  has a noncentral Wishart distribution  $W(p, n_1, \Sigma_1, \Omega)$ ,  $S_2$  has an independently distributed central Wishart distribution  $W(p, n_2, \Sigma_2, \mathbf{0})$ , and an assumption is made on  $\Omega$  or  $\Sigma_1 \Sigma_2^{-1}$  (see Section 3 for definitions). The results of the robustness studies will be reported in a second report. The distribution is also considered when  $\Omega$  is a random matrix.

**2. Motivation.** The distribution of the latent roots of  $S_1 S_2^{-1}$  is derived when  $S_1(p \times p)$  has a noncentral Wishart distribution with  $n_1$  d.f. and noncentrality parameter matrix  $\Omega$  and covariance matrix  $\Sigma_1$ ,  $W(p, n_1, \Sigma_1, \Omega)$ , and  $S_2(p \times p)$  has an independently distributed central Wishart distribution with  $n_2$  d.f. and covariance matrix  $\Sigma_2$ ,  $W(p, n_2, \Sigma_2, \mathbf{0})$ , where  $n_1, n_2 \geq p$ . Let  $R = \text{diag}(r_1, \dots, r_p)$ , where  $0 < r_1 \leq \dots \leq r_p < \infty$  are the latent roots of  $S_1 S_2^{-1}$ . Then the distribution of  $\mathbf{R}$  is obtained in two forms: the first when  $\Omega$  is partially random (denoted "random" hereafter) and the second when  $\Lambda = \Sigma_1 \Sigma_2^{-1}$  is "random". Here "random" implies diagonalization by an orthogonal transformation  $\mathbf{H}$  and integration over  $\mathbf{H}$ ; in other words putting a Haar prior on  $\mathbf{H}$  leaving the latent roots non-random. The method not only serves to separate variables but also, as for example in Theorem 1, leads to non-normality in the distribution, because with  $\Omega$  "random" the Wishart distribution is no longer Wishart. Hence  $W(p, n_1, \Sigma_1, \Omega)$  with  $\Omega$  "random" is more analogical to the Edgeworth series type

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expansions in the univariate case. In Theorem 2,  $\Lambda$  is “random” and not  $\Omega$ , as is appropriate for MANOVA. For canonical correlation  $\Omega$  can be made totally random. It is also appropriate for non-normality in the sense that the noncentral Wishart distribution itself is analogical to Edgeworth series expansions for tests of  $\Sigma_1 = \Sigma_2$ , although the approach of Theorem 1 is more interesting in this case. However, from the discussion in the next section, convergence questions favor the results of Theorem 2 for both studies.

**3. The distribution of the latent roots of  $S_1 S_2^{-1}$ .** The joint distribution of  $r_1, \dots, r_p$  is derived in this section, (a) when  $\Omega$  is “random”, (b) when  $\Lambda$  is “random”, and (c) when  $\Omega$  is completely random under (a) or (b).

**THEOREM 1.** *Under the assumption that  $\Omega$  is “random”,*

(i) *the density function of  $\mathbf{R}$  is given by*

$$(3.1) \quad C_0(p, n_1, n_2) e^{-tr\Omega} |\Lambda|^{\frac{1}{2}n_2} |\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} |\Lambda + \mathbf{R}|^{-\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2)} \\ \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \frac{(\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2))_{\kappa}}{(\frac{1}{2}n_1)_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I}) k!} C_{\kappa}((\Lambda + \mathbf{R})^{-1}\mathbf{R}) C_{\kappa}(\Omega),$$

and

(ii) *the joint density function of  $r_1, \dots, r_p$  is given by*

$$(3.2) \quad C(p, n_1, n_2) e^{-tr\Omega} |\Lambda|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1} |\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \\ \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \frac{C_{\kappa}(\Omega)}{(\frac{1}{2}n_1)_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I}_p) k!} \\ \times \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\nu, \delta} \frac{(-1)^n g_{\kappa, \nu}^{\delta} (\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2))_{\delta} C_{\delta}(\Lambda^{-1}) C_{\delta}(\mathbf{R})}{C_{\delta}(\mathbf{I}_p) n!},$$

where

$$(3.3) \quad C_0(p, n_1, n_2) = \Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2)) / [\Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}n_1) \Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}n_2)], \\ C(p, n_1, n_2) = \pi^{\frac{1}{2}p^2} C_0(p, n_1, n_2) / \Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}P), \quad \Lambda = \Sigma_1^{\frac{1}{2}} \Sigma_2^{-1} \Sigma_1^{\frac{1}{2}},$$

and  $g_{\kappa, \nu}^{\delta}$  are constants (see Equation (27) of [2], Lemma 2 of [8] and tabulations in [6]) with  $\delta = (d_1 \geq d_2 \geq \dots \geq d_p \geq 0)$  such that  $\sum_{i=0}^p d_i = k + n$ .

**PROOF.** The joint density of  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  is given in [1], [4],

$$[\Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}n_1) \Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}n_2)] 2^{\frac{1}{2}n_1} |2\Sigma_1|^{\frac{1}{2}n_1} |2\Sigma_2|^{\frac{1}{2}n_2} e^{-tr\Omega} \exp[-\frac{1}{2}tr\Sigma_1^{-1}S_1] |S_1|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \\ \times \exp[-\frac{1}{2}tr\Sigma_2^{-1}S_2] |S_2|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_2-p-1)} {}_0F_1(\frac{1}{2}n_1; \frac{1}{2}\Sigma_1^{-1}\Omega S_1).$$

Let us transform  $A_1 = \frac{1}{2}\Sigma_1^{-\frac{1}{2}}S_1\Sigma_1^{-\frac{1}{2}}$  and  $A_2 = \frac{1}{2}\Sigma_2^{-\frac{1}{2}}S_2\Sigma_2^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ , since the characteristic roots are invariant under the simultaneous transformations. ( $\Sigma_1^{-\frac{1}{2}}(p \times p)$  is symmetric positive definite like other matrices of the form  $A^{\frac{1}{2}}$  defined later.) We now have the joint density of  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  in the form

$$(3.4) \quad C_1(p, n_1, n_2) e^{-tr\Omega} |\Lambda|^{\frac{1}{2}n_2} e^{-trA_1} |A_1|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \\ \times e^{-tr\Lambda A_2} |A_2|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_2-p-1)} {}_0F_1(\frac{1}{2}n_1; \Omega A_1),$$

where

$$C_1(p, n_1, n_2) = [\Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}n_1)\Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}n_2)]^{-1}.$$

Now transform  $A_1 = A_2^{\frac{1}{2}}RA_2^{\frac{1}{2}}$  and  $A_2 = A_2$ . (The same notation is used to denote the matrix  $R$  both before and after diagonalization.) The Jacobian is  $|A_2|^{\frac{1}{2}(p+1)}$ , and hence the joint density of  $R$  and  $A_2$  is given by

$$C_1(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr\Omega}|\Lambda|^{\frac{1}{2}n_2}e^{-tr\Lambda A_2}|R|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)}e^{-tr\Lambda A_2}|A_2|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2-p-1)}{}_0F_1(\frac{1}{2}n_1; \Omega A_2^{\frac{1}{2}}RA_2^{\frac{1}{2}}).$$

If we transform  $\Omega \rightarrow H\Omega H'$  where  $H \in O(p)$ , and integrate over  $O(p)$  (see [1]), all the factors in the above expression remain the same except the hypergeometric function which becomes  ${}_0F_1(\frac{1}{2}n_1; \Omega, RA_2)$ . Now expand the latter hypergeometric function in terms of zonal polynomials (see [4]), integrate out  $A_2$  using Eq. (1) of [1] and obtain (i) of Theorem 1. (The integration above and subsequently is with respect to Lebesgue measure on the sets of variables involved.)

Further, in the expression before integrating out  $A_2$ , expand  $\exp(-tr\Lambda A_2) = {}_0F_0(-RA_2)$  in zonal polynomials (see [4]) and apply Equation (27) of [2] (see also [8]). The joint density of  $R$  and  $A_2$  becomes

$$C_1(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr\Omega}|\Lambda|^{\frac{1}{2}n_2}|R|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)}e^{-tr\Lambda A_2}|A_2|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2-p-1)} \\ \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \frac{C_{\kappa}(\Omega)}{(\frac{1}{2}n_1)_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I}_p)k!} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\nu, \delta} \frac{(-1)^n g_{\kappa, \nu}^{\delta} C_{\delta}(RA_2)}{n!}.$$

Now integrate out  $A_2$  using (1) of [1] as before and obtain the density of  $R$  in the alternate form

$$C_1(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr\Omega}|\Lambda|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|R|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \\ \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \frac{C_{\kappa}(\Omega)}{(\frac{1}{2}n_1)_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I}_p)k!} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\nu, \delta} \frac{(-1)^n g_{\kappa, \nu}^{\delta} \Gamma_p\left(\frac{n_1+n_2}{2}, \delta\right) C_{\delta}(RA^{-1})}{n!}.$$

$R$  can be diagonalized by an orthogonal transformation  $H$  such that  $HRH' = \text{diag}(r_1, \dots, r_p)$  where  $r_1, \dots, r_p$  are the characteristic roots of  $R$ . For uniqueness, we assume that the elements in the first row of  $H$  are positive and the roots are arranged in the order  $0 < r_1 \leq r_2 < \dots \leq r_p < \infty$ . The volume element  $dR$  becomes (see [1], [4])

$$(3.5) \quad dR = \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \prod_{i=1}^p dr_i(dH).$$

Substituting  $R$  in the above expression and integrating out  $H$  (where  $dH$  is not normalized), we have the joint density of  $r_1, \dots, r_p$  in the form

$$C_1(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr\Omega}|\Lambda|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|R|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \\ \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \frac{C_{\kappa}(\Omega)}{(\frac{1}{2}n_1)_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I}_p)k!} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\nu, \delta} \frac{(-1)^n g_{\kappa, \nu}^{\delta} \Gamma_p\left(\frac{n_1+n_2}{2}, \delta\right)}{n!} \\ \times 2^{-p} \int_{O(p)} C_{\delta}(HRH'\Lambda^{-1})(dH).$$

The factor  $2^{-p}$  multiplying the integral arises from the restriction that the

elements in the first row of  $\mathbf{H}$  are positive. Finally, by using the property of the zonal polynomials given by James [4] for normalized measure,

$$(3.6) \quad \int_{O(p)} C_\kappa(\mathbf{HSH}'\mathbf{T})(d\mathbf{H}) = [C_\kappa(\mathbf{S})C_\kappa(\mathbf{T})]/C_\kappa(\mathbf{I}_p),$$

and (15) and (44) of [1], we have the result as stated in (ii) of Theorem 1.

For  $\mathbf{\Omega} = \mathbf{0}$ , since  $g_{\delta,\nu}^\delta = 1$  and  $\delta = \nu$ , the expression (3.2) gives the result stated in (65) of [4].

The expression (3.2) may not converge for all values of  $\mathbf{R}$ ,  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$ , and  $\mathbf{\Omega}$  since the remarks on page 480 of [4] concerning (65) also apply here. Hence we prove the following theorem.

**THEOREM 2.** *Let  $\mathbf{S}_1, \mathbf{S}_2, \mathbf{R}$  and  $r_i$ 's be as stated in Theorem 1. Then the joint density function of  $r_1, \dots, r_p$  is given by*

$$(3.7) \quad \begin{aligned} & C(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr\mathbf{\Omega}}|\mathbf{\Lambda}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)}|\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R}|^{-\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2)} \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \\ & \times \sum_{k=0}^\infty \sum_{\kappa} \binom{n_1 + n_2}{2}_{\kappa} \frac{C_{\kappa}(\lambda\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R})^{-1})}{k!} \\ & \times \sum_{\delta=0}^k \sum_{\delta} \frac{a_{\kappa,\delta} C_{\delta}(-\lambda^{-1}\mathbf{\Lambda}^{-1})L_{\delta}^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)}(\mathbf{\Omega})}{\left(\frac{n_1}{2}\right)_{\delta} C_{\delta}(\mathbf{I})C_{\delta}(\mathbf{I})}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$  is "random",  $\lambda$  is a positive real number, and  $C(p, n_1, n_2)$  is as defined in (3.3). The generalized Laguerre polynomial  $L_{\delta}^{\gamma}(S)$  is defined in Equation (14) of [2] and  $a_{\kappa,\delta}$  are constants (see Equation (20) of [2], tabulations in [7]).

**PROOF.** We start from the expression (3.4). Now apply (29) of [4] to  ${}_0F_1(\frac{1}{2}n_1; \mathbf{\Omega}^{\frac{1}{2}}\mathbf{A}_1\mathbf{\Omega}^{\frac{1}{2}})$  to get the joint density of  $\mathbf{A}_1$  and  $\mathbf{A}_2$  as

$$\begin{aligned} & C_2(p, n_2)e^{-tr\mathbf{\Omega}}|\mathbf{\Lambda}|^{\frac{1}{2}n_2}e^{-tr\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{A}_2}|\mathbf{A}_2|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_2-p-1)}|\mathbf{A}_1|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \\ & \times \int_{\text{Re}(\mathbf{T})=\mathbf{X}_0>\mathbf{0}} e^{tr\mathbf{T}}|\mathbf{T}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}e^{-tr(\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{W})\mathbf{A}_1}(d\mathbf{T}), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$C_2(p, n_2) = 2^{\frac{1}{2}p(p-1)} \left/ \left[ (2\pi i)^{\frac{1}{2}p(p+1)} \Gamma_p\left(\frac{n_2}{2}\right) \right] \right., \quad \mathbf{W} = \mathbf{\Omega}^{\frac{1}{2}}\mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{\Omega}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

and  $\mathbf{T} = \mathbf{X}_0 + i\mathbf{Y}$  with  $\mathbf{X}_0$  a positive definite symmetric matrix and  $\mathbf{Y}$ , real symmetric. The characteristic roots are invariant under simultaneous transformations

$$\mathbf{B}_1 = \mathbf{\Lambda}^{\frac{1}{2}}\mathbf{A}_1\mathbf{\Lambda}^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{B}_2 = \mathbf{\Lambda}^{\frac{1}{2}}\mathbf{A}_2\mathbf{\Lambda}^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

Apply the transformation  $\mathbf{B}_2 = \mathbf{B}_1^{\frac{1}{2}}\mathbf{R}_1\mathbf{B}_1^{\frac{1}{2}}$  and  $\mathbf{B}_1 = \mathbf{B}_1$  and integrate out  $\mathbf{B}_1$  using (1) of [1] with  $\kappa = (\mathbf{0})$ , and also (15) of [1]. Then we have the density of  $\mathbf{R}_1$  in the form

$$(3.8) \quad \begin{aligned} & C_3(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr\mathbf{\Omega}}|\mathbf{\Lambda}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{R}_1|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_2-p-1)} \\ & \times \int_{\text{Re}(\mathbf{T})=\mathbf{X}_0>\mathbf{0}} e^{tr\mathbf{T}}|\mathbf{T}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{R}_1 + \mathbf{\Lambda}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{W})\mathbf{\Lambda}^{-\frac{1}{2}}|^{-\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2)}(d\mathbf{T}), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$C_3(p, n_1, n_2) = C_2(p, n_2)\Gamma_p\left(\frac{n_1 + n_2}{2}\right).$$

Upon transforming  $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{R}_1^{-1}$ , (the Jacobian of this transformation is  $|\mathbf{R}|^{-(p+1)}$ ), (3.8) becomes

$$(3.9) \quad C_3(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr^a}|\mathbf{A}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \\ \times \int_{\text{Re}(\mathbf{T})=\mathbf{x}_0>0} e^{tr\mathbf{T}}|\mathbf{T}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{R}\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{W})\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}|^{-\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2)}(d\mathbf{T}).$$

Since  $\mathbf{R}$  is symmetric we can diagonalize by an orthogonal transformation  $\mathbf{H}$  and use the same technique as before. After making necessary substitutions and integrating out  $\mathbf{H}$  using (3.5), we get the joint density of  $r_1, \dots, r_p$  in the form

$$(3.10) \quad C_3(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr^a}|\mathbf{A}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \\ \times \int_{\text{Re}(\mathbf{T})=\mathbf{x}_0>0} e^{tr\mathbf{T}}|\mathbf{T}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1} \\ \times \int_{O(p)} 2^{-p}|\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{H}\mathbf{R}\mathbf{H}'\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{W})\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}|^{-\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2)}(d\mathbf{H})(d\mathbf{T}).$$

Now we can write

$$|\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{H}\mathbf{R}\mathbf{H}'\mathbf{A}| = |\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R}||\mathbf{I} - (\mathbf{I} - \lambda^{-1}\mathbf{A})\mathbf{H}(\lambda\mathbf{R})(\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R})^{-1}\mathbf{H}'|$$

where  $\lambda$  is a positive real number and in our case  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{W})\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ . After making use of (James [4])

$$\int_{O(p)} |\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{H}\mathbf{R}\mathbf{H}'\mathbf{A}|^{-a}(d\mathbf{H}) = {}_1F_0(a; \mathbf{A}, \mathbf{R}),$$

and (44) of [1], the expression (3.10) becomes

$$(3.11) \quad C_4(p, n_1, n_2)e^{-tr^a}|\mathbf{A}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)}|\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R}|^{-\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2)} \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \\ \times \int_{\text{Re}(\mathbf{T})=\mathbf{x}_0>0} e^{tr\mathbf{T}}|\mathbf{T}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1} \\ \times {}_1F_0\left(\frac{n_1+n_2}{2}; \mathbf{I} - \lambda^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{W})\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}, \lambda\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R})^{-1}\right) d\mathbf{T},$$

where

$$C_4(p, n_1, n_2) = [C_3(p, n_1, n_2)\pi^{\frac{1}{2}p^2}]/\Gamma_p(\frac{1}{2}p).$$

Now expand  ${}_1F_0$  and integrate term by term. The expression (3.11) involves the integral of the form

$$(3.12) \quad \int_{\text{Re}(\mathbf{T})=\mathbf{x}_0>0} e^{tr\mathbf{T}}|\mathbf{T}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1} \frac{C_\kappa(\mathbf{I} - \lambda^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{W})\mathbf{A}^{-\frac{1}{2}})}{C_\kappa(\mathbf{I})} d\mathbf{T}.$$

Let us use the relation (Constantine [2])

$$(3.13) \quad \frac{C_\kappa(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{S})}{C_\kappa(\mathbf{I})} = \sum_{n=0}^k \sum_\nu (-1)^n a_{\kappa,\nu} \frac{C_\nu(\mathbf{S})}{C_\nu(\mathbf{I})},$$

where  $a_{\kappa,\nu}$  are constants discussed earlier. Then (3.12) becomes

$$(3.14) \quad \sum_{n=0}^k \sum_\nu \frac{(-\lambda^{-1})^n a_{\kappa,\nu}}{C_\nu(\mathbf{I})} \int_{\text{Re}(\mathbf{T})=\mathbf{x}_0>0} e^{tr\mathbf{T}}|\mathbf{T}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1} C_\nu(\mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{W})) d\mathbf{T}.$$

Now assume  $\mathbf{A}$  "random" and transform  $\mathbf{A} \rightarrow \mathbf{H}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{H}'$  by an orthogonal transformation  $\mathbf{H}$  and integrate over  $\mathbf{H}$  using (3.6). Then (3.14) becomes

$$(3.15) \quad \sum_{n=0}^k \sum_\nu \frac{(-\lambda^{-1})^n a_{\kappa,\nu}}{C_\nu(\mathbf{I})C_\nu(\mathbf{I})} \int_{\text{Re}(\mathbf{T})=\mathbf{x}_0>0} e^{tr\mathbf{T}}|\mathbf{T}|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1} C_\nu(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{\Omega}) d\mathbf{T}.$$

Applying (17) of [2] to (3.15) gives

$$(3.16) \quad \frac{(2\pi i)^{\frac{1}{2}p(p+1)}}{2^{\frac{1}{2}p(p-1)}} \sum_{n=0}^k \sum_{\nu} \frac{a_{\kappa,\nu} C_{\nu}(-\lambda^{-1}\Lambda^{-1})L_{\nu}^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)}(\Omega)}{\Gamma_p\left(\frac{n_1}{2}, \nu\right) C_{\nu}(\mathbf{I})C_{\nu}(\mathbf{I})}.$$

Combining (3.11)—(3.16) and making use of (15) of [1] we have the result as stated in the theorem.  $\square$

Formula (3.7) yields the following special cases:

(a) For  $\Omega = \mathbf{0}$ , it is seen from (21) of [2] (see also Herz [3], page 487),  $L_{\kappa}^{\gamma}(\mathbf{0}) = (\gamma + \frac{1}{2}(p + 1))_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I})$ . Substituting  $L_{\delta}^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)}(\mathbf{0})$  into (3.7) and making use of (3.13), we have the result of Khatri [5].

(b) By letting  $\Lambda = \mathbf{I}$  and  $\lambda = 1$  and by using the relation (Constantine [2])

$$(3.17) \quad \frac{L_{\delta}^{\gamma}(\mathbf{S})}{(\gamma + m)_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I})} = \sum_{n=0}^k \sum_{\nu} \frac{(-1)^n a_{\kappa,\nu} C_{\nu}(\mathbf{S})}{(\gamma + m)_{\nu} C_{\nu}(\mathbf{I})},$$

where  $m = \frac{1}{2}(p + 1)$ , whenever  $\mathbf{S}$  is a  $(p \times p)$  matrix and  $\nu = \delta = \kappa$  we have the result of Constantine [1], James [4].

In order to discuss the convergence of the series (3.7) let us note that series (3.7) (excluding the factors outside the summation) is dominated termwise by the series

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \frac{(\frac{1}{2}(n_1 + n_2))_{\kappa}}{k!} \frac{C_{\kappa}(\lambda\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R})^{-1})}{C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I})} \sum_{d=0}^k \sum_{\delta} a_{\kappa,\delta} C_{\delta}(-\lambda^{-1}\Lambda^{-1}) \frac{e^{i\mathbf{r}\Omega}}{C_{\delta}(\mathbf{I})}$$

in view of Theorem 3 of [2]. Further

$$\sum_{d=0}^k \sum_{\delta} a_{\kappa,\delta} C_{\delta}(-\lambda^{-1}\Lambda^{-1})/C_{\delta}(\mathbf{I}) = C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I} - \lambda^{-1}\Lambda^{-1})/C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I})$$

by (19) of [2]. Hence (3.7) is dominated termwise by

$$C(p, n_1, n_2)|\Lambda|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)}|\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R}|^{-\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n_2)} \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \\ \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \frac{(\frac{1}{2}(n_1 + n_2))_{\kappa}}{k!} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I} - \lambda^{-1}\Lambda^{-1})C_{\kappa}(\lambda\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{I} + \lambda\mathbf{R})^{-1}),$$

which is independent of  $\Omega$  and  $a_{\kappa,\delta}$  coefficients, and is in fact the joint density function of the characteristic roots of  $\mathbf{S}_1\mathbf{S}_2^{-1}$  given by Khatri [5].

Let us now consider  $\Omega$  as a random matrix  $\frac{1}{2}\Sigma_1^{-\frac{1}{2}}\mathbf{M}\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{Y}'\mathbf{M}'\Sigma_1^{-\frac{1}{2}}$  where  $\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{Y}'$  has a central Wishart distribution  $W(q, n_3, \Sigma_3, \mathbf{0})$ , i.e.,

$$(3.18) \quad [\Gamma_q(\frac{1}{2}n_3)|2\Sigma_3|^{\frac{1}{2}n_3}]^{-1}|\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{Y}'|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_3-q-1)} \exp[\text{tr}(-\frac{1}{2}\Sigma_3^{-1}\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{Y}')] .$$

Multiplying (3.2) by (3.18), integrating term by term with respect to  $\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{Y}'$ , and using (1) of [1], we get the joint density of  $r_1, \dots, r_p$  in the form:

$$(3.19) \quad C(p, n_1, n_2)|\Lambda|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1}|\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{M}'\Sigma_1^{-1}\mathbf{M}\Sigma_3|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_3}|\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1-p-1)} \\ \times \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \frac{(\frac{1}{2}n_3)_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}[(\mathbf{I} + \Omega_1)^{-1}\Omega_1]}{(\frac{1}{2}n_1)_{\kappa} C_{\kappa}(\mathbf{I})k!} \\ \times \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\nu,\delta} \frac{(-1)^n g_{\kappa,\nu}^{\delta} (\frac{1}{2}(n_1 + n_2))_{\delta} C_{\delta}(\Lambda^{-1})C_{\delta}(\mathbf{R})}{C_{\delta}(\mathbf{I})n!},$$

where  $\Omega_1 = \Sigma_3^{\frac{1}{2}} M' \Sigma_1^{-1} M \Sigma_3^{\frac{1}{2}}$ . Now, alternately, consider (3.7). Expand the generalized Laguerre polynomial in (3.7) using the expansion in (3.17). After multiplying this new form of (3.7) by (3.18), integrating  $YY'$  and using (1) of [1], we have the joint density of  $r_1, \dots, r_p$  in the form

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.20) \quad & C(p, n_1, n_2) |\Lambda|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_1} |\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{M}' \Sigma_1^{-1} \mathbf{M} \Sigma_3|^{-\frac{1}{2}n_3} \\
 & \times |\mathbf{R}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1 - p - 1)} |\mathbf{I} + \lambda \mathbf{R}|^{-\frac{1}{2}(n_1 + n_2)} \prod_{i>j} (r_i - r_j) \\
 & \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa} \left(\frac{1}{2}(n_1 + n_2)\right)_{\kappa} \frac{C_{\kappa}(\lambda \mathbf{R}(\mathbf{I} + \lambda \mathbf{R})^{-1})}{k!} \\
 & \times \sum_{d=0}^k \sum_{\delta} a_{\kappa, \delta} \frac{C_{\delta}(-\lambda^{-1} \Lambda^{-1})}{C_{\delta}(\mathbf{I})} \\
 & \times \sum_{n=0}^d \sum_{\nu} \frac{(-1)^n a_{\delta, \nu} \left(\frac{1}{2}n_3\right)_{\nu} C_{\nu}[(\mathbf{I} + \Omega_1)^{-1} \Omega_1]}{\left(\frac{1}{2}n_1\right)_{\nu} C_{\nu}(\mathbf{I})}.
 \end{aligned}$$

It is easy to see that the distribution of the characteristic roots for the canonical correlation problem is a special case of (3.20).

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