

Exercise 1

① Let us show that

$$P((x, y), dx dy) = \mathbb{1}_{B=0} P_1((x, y), dx) + \mathbb{1}_{B=1} P_2((x, y), dy)$$

with $B \sim \text{Ber}(\frac{1}{2})$. Let $X_1 \sim \mathbb{1}_{B=0} P_1((x, y), dx) + \mathbb{1}_{B=1} P_2((x, y), dy)$ and h a

continuous bounded function. Then, we have :

$$\begin{aligned} E[h(X_1) | X_0] &= E[h(X_1) (\mathbb{1}_{B=0} + \mathbb{1}_{B=1}) | X_0] \\ &= E[h(X_1) | X_0, B=0] P(B=0) + E[h(X_1) | X_0, B=1] P(B=1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} P_1(X_0, (X_1)) + \frac{1}{2} P_2(X_0, (X_1)) \\ &= P(X_0, h(X_1)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E[h(X_1)] \\ &= E[h(X_1) P(X_0)] / P(X_0) \end{aligned}$$

This concludes the proof.

Exercise 3

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} p(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2 | Y) &= \frac{p(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2, Y)}{p(Y)} \\ &= p(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) p(Y | X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) \times C \quad \text{constant independent of } (X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) \\ &= \pi_{\text{prior}}(\mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) p(X | \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) p(Y | X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) \times C \end{aligned}$$

Having, for all $i \in \{1, N\}$, $j \in \{1, K_i\}$:

$$\begin{aligned} p(X | \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) &= \prod_{i=1}^N \mathcal{N}(X_i | \mu, \sigma^2) = \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{(X_i - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \\ &\propto \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{\sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{(X_i - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \\ p(Y | X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) &= \prod_{i=1}^N \prod_{j=1}^{K_i} \mathcal{N}(Y_{ij} | X_i, \tau^2) \propto \prod_{i=1}^N \prod_{j=1}^{K_i} \frac{1}{\tau} \exp\left(-\frac{(Y_{ij} - X_i)^2}{2\tau^2}\right) \\ \pi_{\text{prior}}(\mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2) &\propto \frac{1}{\sigma^{2(1+\alpha)}} \exp\left(-\frac{\beta}{\sigma^2}\right) \frac{1}{\tau^{2(1+\gamma)}} \exp\left(-\frac{\beta}{\tau^2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

So :

$$\begin{aligned} p(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2 | Y) &\propto \tau^{-K-2(1+\gamma)} \sigma^{-N-2(1+\alpha)} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\tau^2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{K_i} (Y_{ij} - X_i)^2\right) \\ &\quad \times \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^N (X_i - \mu)^2\right) \\ &\quad \times \exp\left(-\beta\left(\frac{1}{\tau^2} + \frac{1}{\sigma^2}\right)\right) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the log posterior is given by:

$$\log p(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2 | Y) = -[K+2(1+\gamma)] \log(\tau) - [N+2(1+\alpha)] \log(\sigma) \\ - \frac{1}{2\tau^2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{K_i} (y_{ij} - x_i)^2 - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^N (X_i - \mu)^2 - \beta \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\tau^2} \right) + C$$

with C independent of $(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2)$.

$$\textcircled{2} \quad p(X | \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2, Y) = \frac{p(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2, Y)}{p(\mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2, Y)} = \frac{p(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2 | Y) p(Y)}{p(\mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2, Y)} \\ \propto p(X, \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2 | Y)$$

up to a constant independent of X . Thus:

$$\bullet \log p(X_i | \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2, \{y_{ij}\}_{j \in \{1, \dots, K_i\}}) = -\frac{1}{2\tau^2} \sum_{j=1}^{K_i} (X_i^2 - 2y_{ij}X_i) \\ - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (X_i^2 + 2X_i\mu) + C \text{ independent of } X \\ = -\frac{1}{2} \left[X_i^2 \left(\frac{K_i}{\tau^2} + \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right) - 2X_i \left(\frac{\sum_{j=1}^{K_i} y_{ij}}{\tau^2} + \frac{\mu}{\sigma^2} \right) \right] + C \text{ independent of } X \\ = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma^2 \tau^2}{K_i \sigma^2 + \tau^2} \left[X_i^2 - 2X_i \frac{\frac{\sum_{j=1}^{K_i} y_{ij}}{\tau^2} + \frac{\mu}{\sigma^2}}{\frac{K_i \sigma^2 + \tau^2}{\sigma^2 \tau^2}} \right] + Cst$$

We hereby identify the above expression to the general expression of the log density of a $\mathcal{N}(\mu', \sigma'^2)$ distribution, up to an additive constant independent of x , which is $\log p(x | \mu', \sigma'^2) = -\frac{1}{2\sigma'^2} (x^2 - 2\mu'x)$.

Therefore: $(X_i | \mu, \sigma^2, \tau^2, \{y_{ij}\}_{j \in \{1, \dots, K_i\}}) \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu', \sigma'^2)$

$$\text{with } \sigma' = \frac{\sigma \tau}{\sqrt{K_i \sigma^2 + \tau^2}}, \quad \mu' = \frac{\sigma^2 \sum_{j=1}^{K_i} y_{ij} + \tau^2 \mu}{K_i \sigma^2 + \tau^2}$$

Similarly, we have:

$$p(\mu | X, \sigma^2, \tau^2, Y) = -\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^N (\mu^2 - 2X_i \mu) = -\frac{N}{2\sigma^2} \left(\mu^2 - 2\mu \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N X_i}{N} \right) + Cst \\ \text{and therefore } (\mu | X, \sigma^2, \tau^2, Y) \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N X_i}{N}, \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{N}}\right)$$

- Similarly we have:

$$\log p(\tau^2 | X, \mu, \sigma^2, Y) = -[K + 2(1 + \gamma)] \log(\tau) \\ - \frac{1}{\tau^2} \left[\sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{K_i} \frac{(y_{ij} - X_i)^2}{2} + \beta \right] + \text{cst} \quad \text{independent of } \tau^2$$

And by identification we have

$$(\tau^2 | X, \mu, \sigma^2, Y) \sim \text{IG} \left(\frac{K}{2} + \gamma; \beta + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{K_i} \frac{(y_{ij} - X_i)^2}{2} \right)$$

- Eventually, we also have:

$$\log p(\sigma^2 | X, \mu, \tau^2, Y) = -\left[\frac{N}{2} + 1 + \gamma\right] \log(\sigma^2) \\ - \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \left[\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N (X_i - \mu)^2 + \beta \right] + \text{cst} \quad \text{independent of } \sigma^2$$

Thus, by identification:

$$(\sigma^2 | X, \mu, \tau^2, Y) \sim \text{IG} \left(\frac{N}{2} + \alpha; \beta + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N (X_i - \mu)^2 \right)$$

Thus, we do not need to use Hastings-Metropolis to sample from the marginal posteriors since we now they follow usual distributions (normal and inverse gamma), we use a pure Gibbs-sampler.

- ③ Now, let us look at the posterior of (X, μ) :

$$\log p(X, \mu | Y, \sigma^2, \tau^2) = -\frac{1}{2\tau^2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{K_i} (X_i^2 - 2X_i y_{ij}) - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^N (X_i - \mu)^2 + \text{cst} \quad \text{indep of } (X, \mu) \\ = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \left[X_i^2 \left(\frac{K_i}{\tau^2} + \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right) - 2 \frac{X_i \mu}{\tau^2} \right] + X_i \sum_{j=1}^{K_i} \frac{y_{ij}}{\tau^2} \\ - \frac{1}{2} \frac{N \mu^2}{\sigma^2} + \text{cst} \quad (E)$$

Denote $Z = (X, \mu) \in \mathbb{R}^{N+1}$. Let us identify the parameters of $p(Z | Y, \sigma^2, \tau^2)$, which, we know, follows $\mathcal{N}(\lambda, \Sigma)$ with $\Sigma \in S_{N+1}^{++}$ and $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^{N+1}$.

of a multivariate normal distribution

We have the general formula of the log posterior:

$$\begin{aligned}\log \pi(Z|\lambda, \Sigma) &= -\frac{1}{2} \log \det(\Sigma) - \frac{1}{2} (Z - \lambda)^T \Sigma^{-1} (Z - \lambda) + \text{const} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \log \det(\Sigma) - \frac{1}{2} Z^T \Sigma^{-1} Z + Z^T \Sigma^{-1} \lambda - \frac{1}{2} \lambda^T \Sigma^{-1} \lambda\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{We have: } \int Z^T \Sigma^{-1} Z &= \sum_{i=1}^{N+1} Z_i^2 \Sigma_{ii}^{-1} + 2 \sum_{i < j} Z_i Z_j \Sigma_{ij}^{-1} \\ (Z^T \Sigma^{-1} \lambda) &= \sum_{i=1}^{N+1} Z_i (\Sigma^{-1} \lambda)_i\end{aligned}$$

Thus, by identification with (E):

$$\begin{aligned}Z^T \Sigma^{-1} Z &= \sum_{i=1}^N Z_i^2 \left(\frac{\sigma^2 k_i + c^2}{\sigma^2 c^2} \right) + Z_{N+1}^2 \frac{N}{\sigma^2} \\ &\quad + 2 \sum_{i=1}^N Z_i Z_{N+1} \left(-\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right)\end{aligned}$$

Hence: $(Z|Y, \sigma^2, c^2) \sim \mathcal{N}(\lambda, \Sigma)$ with:

$$\Sigma^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sigma^2 k_1 + c^2}{\sigma^2 c^2} & 0 & \dots & 0 & -\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \\ 0 & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \ddots & \frac{\sigma^2 k_N + c^2}{\sigma^2 c^2} & 0 & -\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \\ -\frac{1}{\sigma^2} & \dots & -\frac{1}{\sigma^2} & -\frac{1}{\sigma^2} & \frac{N}{\sigma^2} \end{pmatrix}$$

Likewise, by identification with (E) we get:

$$Z^T \Sigma^{-1} \lambda = \sum_{i=1}^N Z_i \left(\frac{1}{c^2} \sum_{j=1}^{k_i} y_{ij} \right)$$

$$\text{Hence: } \Sigma^{-1} \lambda = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{c^2} \sum_{j=1}^{k_1} y_{1j} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{c^2} \sum_{j=1}^{k_N} y_{Nj} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore: } \lambda = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{c^2} \sum_{j=1}^{k_1} y_{1j} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{c^2} \sum_{j=1}^{k_N} y_{Nj} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$