Exercise 5.1

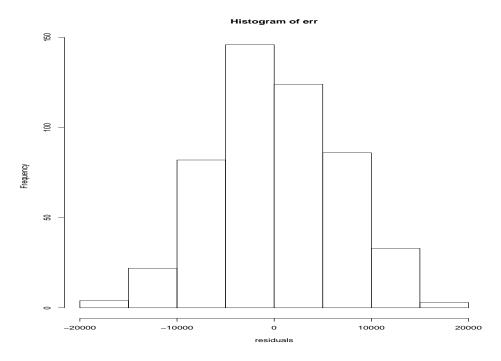


Figure 1: plot of residuals

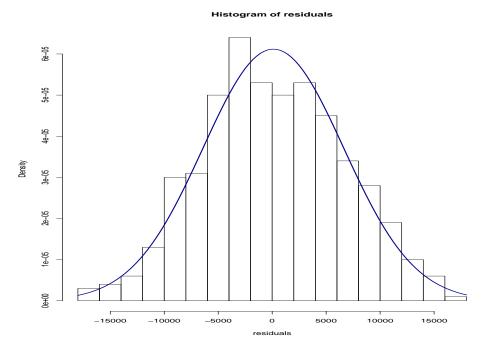


Figure 2: plot of residuals with Normal density curve

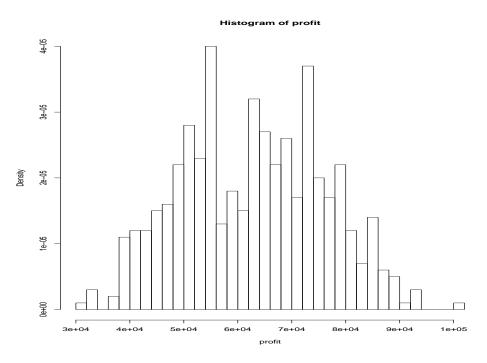


Figure 3: plot of raw data

It seems from Figure 1 and Figure 2 plots that the residuals resemble the nature of a Normal distribution. Figure 3 plot represents the distribution of raw profit data. It seems that the plot does not exactly resemble the nature of a Normal distribution but it is close enough.

Exercise 5.2

Model: $g(x|\theta) = \pi N(x|\mu_1, \sigma^2) + (1-\pi)N(x|\mu_2, \sigma^2)$ with priors on $\lambda = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \sim \text{Gamma}(1, 1), f(\mu_1) = N(0, 100)$ and $f(\mu_2) = N(0, 100)$ and $\pi = 0.5$. The latent variable here is the d which determines which group each observation came from. So d = 0 indicates sample from $N(x|\mu_1, \sigma^2)$ and d = 1 indicates sample from $N(x|\mu_2, \sigma^2)$. $g(x, 0|\theta) = \pi N(x|\mu_1, \sigma^2), g(x, 1|\theta) = (1 - \pi)N(x|\mu_2, \sigma^2)$

We derive all the posterior distributions for d, μ_1, μ_2, λ .

Computation of posteriors:

$$d_i|\mu_1, \mu_2, \lambda, x_1, ..., x_n \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p) \text{ where } p = \frac{\pi N(x_i|\mu_1, \sigma^2)}{\pi N(x_i|\mu_1, \sigma^2) + (1-\pi)N(x_i|\mu_2, \sigma^2)}.$$

$$f(\mu_{1}|...) \propto \exp\{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^{2}} \sum_{d_{i}=0} (x_{i} - \mu_{1})^{2}\} f(\mu_{1})$$

$$\mu_{1}|... \sim N(\frac{\lambda \sum_{i} x_{i}}{n_{1}\lambda + 0.01}, (n_{1}\lambda + 0.01)^{-1}), \sum_{i} x_{i} \text{ over } d_{i} = 0.$$
Similarly, in this case, $\mu_{2}|... \sim N(\frac{\lambda \sum_{i} x_{i}}{n_{2}\lambda + 0.01}, (n_{2}\lambda + 0.01)^{-1}), \sum_{i} x_{i} \text{ over } d_{i} = 1.$

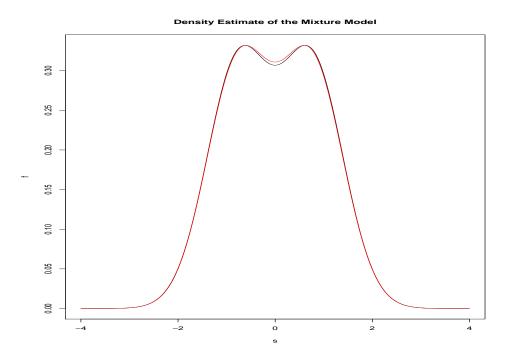


Figure 4: plot of estimated density assuming λ is same for μ_1 and μ_2

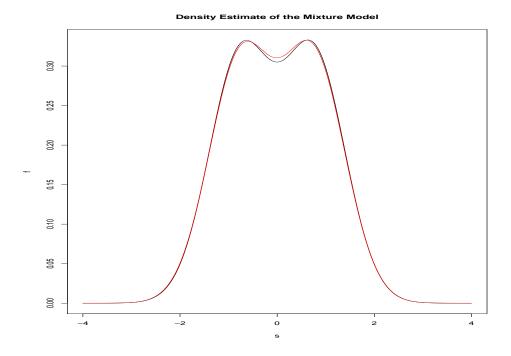


Figure 5: plot of estimated density assuming λ is not same for μ_1 and μ_2

$$f(\lambda|...) \propto f(\lambda) \prod N(x_i|\mu_{d_i}, 1/\lambda)$$

 $\lambda|... \sim \text{Gamma}(\frac{n}{2} + 1, 1 + \frac{1}{2}\sum (x_i - \mu_{d_i})^2)$

where
$$\sum (x_i - \mu_{d_i})^2 = \sum x_i^2 - 2(\mu_1 \sum x_i + \mu_2 \sum x_i) + n_1 \mu_1^2 + n_2 \mu_2^2$$

After getting all the full conditionals, I run Gibbs sampling with 5000 simulations. Next, I run the sampler using the given dataset. The two plots show the estimated densities.

Exercise 5.3

$$p(Z_{i}|Z_{-i}, X_{i}, \theta, \alpha, \beta) = \int p(Z_{i}|X_{i}, \pi, \theta)p(\pi|Z_{-i}, \alpha, \beta)d\pi$$

$$= \int \pi^{Z_{i}}(1-\pi)^{1-Z_{i}}N(X_{i}|\mu(Z_{i}), \sigma^{2}(Z_{i}))\operatorname{Beta}(\alpha + \sum_{j\neq i} Z_{j}, \beta + n - \sum_{j\neq i} Z_{j})d\pi$$
Let $\alpha + \sum_{j\neq i} Z_{j} = \alpha^{*}$ and $\beta + n - \sum_{j\neq i} Z_{j} = \beta^{*}$.
$$= N(X_{i}|\mu(Z_{i}), \sigma^{2}(Z_{i})) \int \frac{\pi^{\alpha^{*}+Z_{i}-1}(1-\pi)^{\beta^{*}+1-Z_{i}-1}}{\operatorname{Beta}(\alpha^{*}, \beta^{*})}d\pi$$

$$= N(X_{i}|\mu(Z_{i}), \sigma^{2}(Z_{i})) \frac{\Gamma(\alpha^{*}+Z_{i})\Gamma(\beta^{*}+1-Z_{i})}{(\alpha^{*}+\beta^{*})\Gamma(\alpha^{*})\Gamma(\beta^{*})}$$
Let $p = \frac{\alpha^{*}}{\alpha^{*}+\beta^{*}}$

$$= N(X_{i}|\mu(Z_{i}), \sigma^{2}(Z_{i}))p^{Z_{i}}(1-p)^{1-Z_{i}}$$

Exercise 5.6

Let
$$p_1, ..., p_k \sim \text{Dir}(\alpha_1, ..., \alpha_k)$$

 $y_1, ..., y_k \sim \text{Mult}(p_1, ..., p_k)$

$$f(p_1, ..., p_k|...) \propto f(y_1, ..., y_k|p_1, ..., p_k) f(p_1, ..., p_k|\alpha_1, ..., \alpha_k)$$

 $\propto \prod p_j^{\alpha_j - 1 + \sum_i I(y_i = j)}$

Thus, we see that the above density is exactly a Dirichlet distribution with $\alpha_j^* = \alpha_j + \sum_i I(y_i = j)$