

Assignment - 10

a)

We know,

$$f(y|p) \cdot g(p)$$

$$\Rightarrow \binom{n}{y} p^y (1-p)^{n-y} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \cdot p^{\alpha-1} (1-p)^{\beta-1}$$
$$= \binom{n}{y} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \cdot p^{y+\alpha-1} (1-p)^{n-y+\beta-1}$$

Now, $m(y)$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^1 \binom{n}{y} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \cdot p^{y+\alpha-1} (1-p)^{n-y+\beta-1} dp$$

$$= \binom{n}{y} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \int_0^1 \frac{\Gamma(y+\alpha+n-y+\beta)}{\Gamma(y+\alpha)\Gamma(n-y+\beta)} p^{y+\alpha-1} (1-p)^{n-y+\beta-1} dp$$

$$= \binom{n}{y} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(y+\alpha)\Gamma(n-y+\beta)}{\Gamma(n+\alpha+\beta)} \int_0^1 \frac{\Gamma(n+\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(y+\alpha)\Gamma(n-y+\beta)} p^{y+\alpha-1} (1-p)^{n-y+\beta-1} dp$$

$$= \binom{n}{y} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(y+\alpha)\Gamma(n-y+\beta)}{\Gamma(n+\alpha+\beta)}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \theta^*(p|y) &= \frac{f(y|p) \cdot \theta(p)}{\int_0^1 f(y|p) \cdot \theta(p)} \\
 &= \frac{\binom{n}{y} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \cdot p^{y+\alpha-1} (1-p)^{n-y+\beta-1}}{\binom{n}{y} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(y+\alpha) \Gamma(n-y+\beta)}{\Gamma(n+\alpha+\beta)}} \\
 &= \frac{\Gamma(n+\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(y+\alpha) \Gamma(n-y+\beta)} \cdot p^{y+\alpha-1} (1-p)^{n-y+\beta-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\theta^*(p|y) \sim \text{Beta}(y+\alpha, n+\beta-y) \quad \underline{\text{Proved}}$$

$$b) E[\theta(p|y)] = \frac{y+\alpha}{y+\alpha+n+\beta-y} = \boxed{\frac{y+\alpha}{n+\alpha+\beta}}$$