

# Assignment 8

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## Load packages and import data

```
library(aaltobda)
library(cmdstanr)
library(loo)
library(bayesplot)
library(ggplot2)
library(posterior)

data("factory")
```

## 1. Fitting of the models

- Separate model

```
separate_m <- cmdstan_model(stan_file="separate_model.stan")
separate_m
```

```
data {
  int<lower=0> N; // number of observations
  int<lower=0> K; // number of groups
  array[N] int<lower=1, upper=K> g; // discrete group indicators
  vector<lower=0>[N] y; // observations
}

parameters {
  vector[K] mu; // group means
  vector<lower=0>[K] sigma; // group standard deviations
}

model {
  mu ~ normal(0, 10);
  sigma ~ gamma(1,1);
  y ~ normal(mu[g], sigma[g]);
}

generated quantities {
  real ypred;
  vector[N] log_lik;
  for (i in 1:N)
    log_lik[i] = normal_lpdf(y[i] | mu[g[i]], sigma[g[i]]); // predictive distribution for the sixth machine

  ypred = normal_rng(mu[6], sigma[6]);
}

separate_data <- list(
  N = 6 * nrow(factory),
  K = ncol(factory),
  g = rep(1:6, nrow(factory)),
  y = c(t(factory[,1:6]))
)
```

```
fit_separate <- separate_m$sample(data=separate_data, refresh=1000, seed=42)
```

Running MCMC with 4 sequential chains...

```
Chain 1 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%] (Warmup)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 finished in 0.5 seconds.
Chain 2 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 finished in 0.4 seconds.
Chain 3 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 finished in 0.4 seconds.
Chain 4 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%] (Warmup)
Chain 4 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 4 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 4 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 4 finished in 0.4 seconds.
```

All 4 chains finished successfully.

Mean chain execution time: 0.4 seconds.

Total execution time: 2.1 seconds.

- Pooled model

```
pooled_m <- cmdstan_model(stan_file="pooled_model.stan")
pooled_m
```

```
data {
  int<lower=0> N; // number of observations
  vector<lower=0>[N] y; // observations
}
```

```
parameters {
  real mu;
  real<lower=0> sigma;
}
```

```
model {
  mu ~ normal(0, 10);
  sigma ~ gamma(1,1);
  y ~ normal(mu, sigma);
}
```

```
generated quantities {
  real ypred;
```

```

vector[N] log_lik;
for (i in 1:N)
  log_lik[i] = normal_lpdf(y[i] | mu, sigma); // predictive distribution for the sixth machine

ypred = normal_rng(mu, sigma);
}

```

```

pooled_data <- list(
  N = 6 * nrow(factory),
  y = c(t(factory[,1:6]))
)

fit_pooled <- pooled_m$sample(data=pooled_data, refresh=1000, seed=42)

```

Running MCMC with 4 sequential chains...

```

Chain 1 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%] (Warmup)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 finished in 0.1 seconds.
Chain 2 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 finished in 0.1 seconds.
Chain 3 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 finished in 0.1 seconds.
Chain 4 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%] (Warmup)
Chain 4 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 4 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 4 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 4 finished in 0.1 seconds.

```

All 4 chains finished successfully.  
Mean chain execution time: 0.1 seconds.  
Total execution time: 0.7 seconds.

- Hierarchical model

```

hierarchical_m <- cmdstan_model(stan_file="hierarchical_model.stan")
hierarchical_m

```

```

data {
  int<lower=0> N; // number of observations
  int<lower=0> K; // number of groups
  array[N] int<lower=1, upper=K> g; // discrete group indicators
  vector<lower=0>[N] y; // observations
}

```

```

parameters {
  real mu0;
  vector[K] mu;
  real<lower=0> sigma;
}

model {
  mu0 ~ normal(0, 10);
  sigma ~ gamma(1,1);
  mu ~ normal(mu0, sigma);
  y ~ normal(mu[g], sigma);
}

generated quantities {
  real ypred;
  vector[N] log_lik;
  for (i in 1:N)
    log_lik[i] = normal_lpdf(y[i] | mu[g[i]], sigma); // predictive distribution for the sixth machine

  ypred = normal_rng(mu[6], sigma);
}

hierarchical_data <- list(
  N = 6 * nrow(factory),
  K = ncol(factory),
  g = rep(1:6, nrow(factory)),
  y = c(t(factory[,1:6]))
)

fit_hierarchical <- hierarchical_m$sample(data=hierarchical_data, refresh=1000, seed=42)

```

Running MCMC with 4 sequential chains...

```

Chain 1 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [ 0%] (Warmup)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 finished in 0.2 seconds.
Chain 2 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [ 0%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 finished in 0.2 seconds.
Chain 3 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [ 0%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 finished in 0.2 seconds.
Chain 4 Iteration:    1 / 2000 [ 0%] (Warmup)
Chain 4 Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%] (Warmup)
Chain 4 Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%] (Sampling)
Chain 4 Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 4 finished in 0.3 seconds.

```

All 4 chains finished successfully.  
Mean chain execution time: 0.2 seconds.  
Total execution time: 1.2 seconds.

## 2. Computation of the PSIS-LOO elpd values and the $\hat{k}$ -values

- Separate model

```
separate_loo <- fit_separate$loo()
```

Warning: Some Pareto k diagnostic values are slightly high. See `help('pareto-k-diagnostic')` for details

```
separate_loo
```

Computed from 4000 by 30 log-likelihood matrix

	Estimate	SE
elpd_loo	-196.8	8.0
p_loo	19.8	1.5
looic	393.6	15.9

-----

Monte Carlo SE of elpd\_loo is 0.1.

Pareto k diagnostic values:

		Count	Pct.	Min. n_eff
(-Inf, 0.5]	(good)	26	86.7%	538
(0.5, 0.7]	(ok)	4	13.3%	461
(0.7, 1]	(bad)	0	0.0%	<NA>
(1, Inf)	(very bad)	0	0.0%	<NA>

All Pareto k estimates are ok ( $k < 0.7$ ).

See `help('pareto-k-diagnostic')` for details.

PSIS-LOO elpd is -197.

4  $\hat{k}$ -values are between 0.5 and 0.7 and 26 values are lower than 0.5.

- Pooled model

```
pooled_loo <- fit_pooled$loo()
pooled_loo
```

Computed from 4000 by 30 log-likelihood matrix

	Estimate	SE
elpd_loo	-134.5	4.9
p_loo	2.5	0.8
looic	269.0	9.9

-----

Monte Carlo SE of elpd\_loo is 0.1.

All Pareto k estimates are good (k < 0.5).  
See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for details.

PSIS-LOO elpd is -135

All  $\hat{k}$ -values are lower than 0.5.

- Hierarchical model

```
hierarchical_loo <- fit_hierarchical$loo()  
hierarchical_loo
```

Computed from 4000 by 30 log-likelihood matrix

	Estimate	SE
elpd_loo	-127.9	3.0
p_loo	5.5	1.0
looic	255.8	5.9

-----

Monte Carlo SE of elpd\_loo is 0.1.

All Pareto k estimates are good (k < 0.5).  
See help('pareto-k-diagnostic') for details.

PSIS-LOO elpd is -128

All  $\hat{k}$ -values are lower than 0.5.

### 3. Computation of the effective number of parameters $p_{eff}$

- Separate model

```
separate_loo$estimates
```

	Estimate	SE
elpd_loo	-196.78922	7.953282
p_loo	19.82498	1.466361
looic	393.57843	15.906563

$p_{eff}$  for separate model is 19.8.

- Pooled model

```
pooled_loo$estimates
```

	Estimate	SE
elpd_loo	-134.522760	4.9254797
p_loo	2.527918	0.8485453
looic	269.045520	9.8509593

$p_{eff}$  for pooled model is 2.5.

- Hierarchical model

```
hierarchical_loo$estimates
```

	Estimate	SE
elpd_loo	-127.904448	2.957054
p_loo	5.549513	1.026310
looic	255.808896	5.914107

$p_{eff}$  for hierarchical model is 5.5.

#### 4. Assessment of how reliable the PSIS-LOO estimates are for the three models based on the $\hat{k}$ -values

All the PSIS-LOO estimates are reliable because all the  $\hat{k}$ -values are lower or equal than 0.7 in the presented models.

#### 5. Model selection according to PSIS-LOO

The separate model has the worst  $elpd_{loo_{cv}}$  equal to  $-197$ .

Pooled and hierarchical models has almost equal estimations: 269 and 256  $elpd_{loo_{cv}}$ .

Let's compare these two models:

```
loo_compare(pooled_loo, hierarchical_loo)
```

	elpd_diff	se_diff
model2	0.0	0.0
model1	-6.6	3.9

We got that the hierarchical model gave the better result, thus, it should be selected.