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There are places in this assignment where R code will be required. Therefore set the random seed so assignment is reproducible.

```
set.seed(695281) #Please change random seed to your student id number.
library(dplyr)
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##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##   filter, lag

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##   intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

library(mvtnorm)
library(coda)
library(ggplot2)
library(tidyr)
```

PART B

For This Question we define proper priors for β, τ using the results from part a. That is using the following formula.

$$p(\theta|\mathbf{y}) = \frac{p(\mathbf{y}_2|\theta)p(\theta|\mathbf{y}_1)}{p(\mathbf{y}_2|\mathbf{y}_1)}$$

Using the posterior from the previous part we let the prior for this part be

$$p(\beta|\tau) = \mathcal{N}(\hat{\beta}_1, (\mathbf{X}_1\mathbf{X}_1)^{-1}/\tau)$$
$$p(\beta|\tau) = \text{Ga}\left(\frac{n_1 - p}{2}, \frac{(n_1 - p)s^2}{2}\right)$$

where the subscript 1 indicates the results are from group 1 (analysed in 2a) alone. Using the results from lecture 13, we drop the prior for τ_β , and in all other places in the joint distribution, replace τ_β and τ_e with τ .

- $\mathbf{K} = (\mathbf{X}_1\mathbf{X}_1)^{-1}$
- $\beta_0 = \hat{\beta}_1$
- $\alpha = \frac{n_1 - p}{2}$
- $\gamma = \frac{(n_1 - p)s^2}{2}$

Thus we get the following conditional posteriors

$$p(\tau|\mathbf{y}, \beta, \beta_0, \mathbf{K}) = \text{Ga}\left(\alpha + \frac{n + p}{2}, \gamma + \frac{(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\beta)'(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\beta) + (\beta - \beta_0)' \mathbf{K}^{-1} (\beta - \beta_0)}{2}\right)$$

$$p(\boldsymbol{\beta}|\mathbf{y}, \beta_0, \mathbf{K}, \tau) == \mathcal{N}\left((\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X} + \mathbf{K}^{-1})^{-1}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{K}^{-1}\beta_0), (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X} + \mathbf{K}^{-1})^{-1}/\tau\right)$$