Question lab4

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Question 2

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The boundaries of X with density $f(x_1, x_2) \propto \mathbf{1}\{x_1^2 + wx_1x_2 + x_2^2 < 1\}$ when W = 1.999 are shown as follows:

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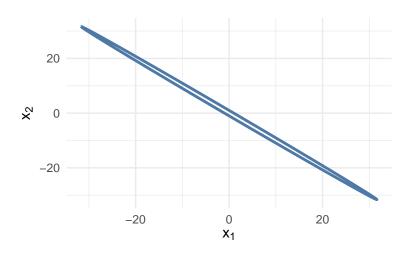


Figure 1: Boundaries of X

The conditional distribution of X1 given X2 is a uniform distribution on the interval:

$$\frac{-1.999X_2 - \sqrt{1.999^2X_2^2 + 4(1 - X_2^2)}}{2} < X_1 < \frac{-1.999X_2 + \sqrt{1.999^2X_2^2 + 4(1 - X_2^2)}}{2}$$

Since X has a uniform distribution, the density of

$$f(x_1|x_2) = \frac{1}{\text{interval length}}$$

where the interval length is given by:

Interval Length =
$$\sqrt{1.999^2x_2^2 + 4(1-x_2^2)}$$

Thus:

$$f(x_1 \mid x_2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1.999^2 x_2^2 + 4(1 - x_2^2)}}$$

The conditional distribution of X1 given X2 has a similar distribution :

$$f(x_2 \mid x_1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1.999^2 x_1^2 + 4(1 - x_1^2)}}$$

We are going to generate 1000 random vectors with Gibbs sampling method, the resulting plot is shown as follows:

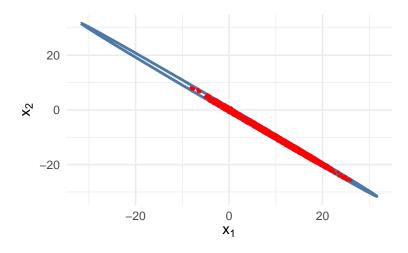


Figure 2: Gibbs Sampling Distribution

Then we repeat the algorithm 10 times and use the samples to calculate $P(X_1 > 0)$, the results are shown in the following table.

Table 1: Probability of X1>0

X
0.864
0.417
0.220
0.151
0.653
0.398
0.433
0.493
0.411
0.769

From the table we can observe that the probability of $X_1 > 0$ varies across different generations. However, the true probability should be **0.5**, as the boundaries of the density distribution are symmetric about the y-axis.

The reason why Gibbs sampling is less successful for W=1.999 compared to W=1.8 is that the distribution's boundaries become much narrower when w=1.999. This leads to slower convergence in Gibbs sampling. Since Gibbs sampling updates one variable at a time while keeping the other variable fixed in this case. The narrow shape restricts the movement of X1 and X2. The sample values change less in each iteration, causing samples to get stuck in a limited region, which makes it difficult to cover the entire distribution efficiently.

Then, we transform the variable X and generate $U = (U_1, U_2) = (X_1 - X_2, X_1 + X_2)$ instead.By calculating $U_1 = X_1 - X_2$, $U_2 = X_1 + X_2$, we could determine the boundaries of the transformed region. The plot is shown as follows:

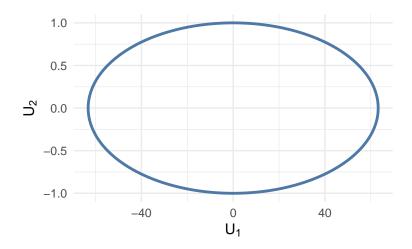


Figure 3: Boundaries of U

Then we use Gibbs sampling method to generate 1000 random variables and plot them.

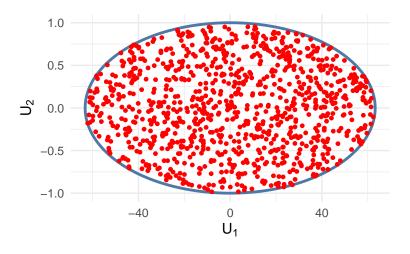


Figure 4: Gibbs Sampling Distribution of U

From the plot, we observe that the samples are approximately uniformly distributed within the boundaries. To verify this, we compute $P(X_1 > 0) = P((U_2 + U_1)/2 > 0)$ using the generated samples.

The probability of X1 > 0: 0.519

Then we repeat the algorithm 10 times and the results are shown in the following table.

Table 2: Probability of X1>0

X
0.519
0.491
0.490
0.491
0.516
0.494
0.493
0.501
0.494
0.507

Compared to the result from part c, we observe that the probabilities approach 0.5 after the transformation, indicating improved generation ability.

Appendix

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library(ggplot2)
#a draw the boundary
w <- 1.999
x_max \leftarrow sqrt(4 / (4 - w^2))  # maximum of x1
xv \leftarrow seq(-x_max, x_max, by=0.01) # x1
x2_{pos} \leftarrow -(w/2)*xv + sqrt(1 - (1 - w^2/4) * xv^2)
x2_{neg} \leftarrow -(w/2)*xv - sqrt(1 - (1 - w^2/4) * xv^2)
ellipse_df <- data.frame(</pre>
  x1=c(xv,rev(xv)),
  x2=c(x2_pos,rev(x2_neg))
ggplot(ellipse_df,aes(x=x1,y=x2))+
  geom_path(color="#4E79A7",size=1)+
  labs(x=expression(x[1]),y=expression(x[2]))+
  theme_minimal()
#b
#c Gibbs sampling
gibbsSampling <- function(n,W){</pre>
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#initialize x1 and x2
  X1 <- numeric(n)</pre>
  X2 <- numeric(n)</pre>
  #initialize the first iteration
  X1[1] \leftarrow runif(1,-1,1)
  X2[1] \leftarrow runif(1,-1,1)
  for(i in 2:n){
   #generating x1 given x2
   X1_{\text{range}} \leftarrow c(-0.5*W*X2[i-1]-\text{sqrt}(1-(1-1/4*W^2)*X2[i-1]^2), -0.5*W*X2[i-1]+\text{sqrt}(1-(1-1/4*W^2)*X2[i-1]
   X1[i] <- runif(1,min = X1_range[1],max = X1_range[2])</pre>
   #generating x2 given x1
   X2_{\text{range}} \leftarrow c(-0.5*W*X1[i]-sqrt(1-(1-1/4*W^2)*X1[i]^2), -0.5*W*X1[i]+sqrt(1-(1-1/4*W^2)*X1[i]^2))
   X2[i] <- runif(1,min = X2_range[1],max = X2_range[2])</pre>
   result <- data.frame(X1,X2)</pre>
   return(result)
}
set.seed(12345)
samples <- gibbsSampling(1000,1.999)</pre>
ggplot(ellipse_df,aes(x=x1,y=x2))+
  geom_path(color="#4E79A7",size=1)+
  labs(x=expression(x[1]),y=expression(x[2]))+
  geom_point(data=samples,aes(x = X1, y = X2), color = "red", size = 0.5) +
  theme_minimal()
#repeat the sampling
prob_x1 <- function(sample,n){</pre>
  prob <- sum(sample$X1>0)/n
  return(prob)
}
probs <- numeric(10)</pre>
sample_result <- list()</pre>
for (i in 1:10) {
  sample_result[[i]] <- gibbsSampling(1000,1.999)</pre>
  probs[i] <- prob_x1(sample_result[[i]],1000)</pre>
cat("The probabilities of X1 >0 in 10 times :",probs,"\n")
\#d
#e generate U
\#calculate\ U1\ =\ X1\ -\ X2,\ U2\ =\ X1\ +\ X2
U1 \leftarrow c(xv - x2pos, rev(xv - x2neg))
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U2 \leftarrow c(xv + x2_pos, rev(xv + x2_neg))
#plot the boundaries of U
ellipse_U_df <- data.frame(U1 = U1, U2 = U2)
ggplot(ellipse_U_df, aes(x = U1, y = U2)) +
  geom_path(color = "#4E79A7", size = 1) +
  labs(x = expression(U[1]), y = expression(U[2])) +
  theme minimal()
#generate 1000 random variables using Gibbs Sampling
gibbsSampling_U <- function(n, W) {</pre>
  # initialize U1 and U2
  U1 <- numeric(n)
  U2 <- numeric(n)
  # initialize the first iteration
  U1[1] <- 0
  U2[1] <- 0
  for (i in 2:n) {
    # given U2[i-1] generate U1[i]
    numerator_U1 \leftarrow 4 - (2 + W) * U2[i-1]^2
    U1_max <- sqrt(numerator_U1 / (2 - W))</pre>
    U1_range <- c(-U1_max, U1_max)</pre>
    U1[i] <- runif(1, min = U1_range[1], max = U1_range[2])</pre>
    # given U1[i] generate U2[i]
    numerator_U2 \leftarrow 4 - (2 - W) * U1[i]^2
    U2_max <- sqrt(numerator_U2 / (2 + W))</pre>
    U2_range <- c(-U2_max, U2_max)</pre>
    U2[i] <- runif(1, min = U2_range[1], max = U2_range[2])</pre>
  data.frame(U1, U2)
}
set.seed(12345)
sample_U <- gibbsSampling_U(1000,1.999)</pre>
#plot the samples of U
ggplot(ellipse_U_df, aes(x = U1, y = U2)) +
  geom_path(color = "#4E79A7", size = 1) +
  labs(x = expression(U[1]), y = expression(U[2])) +
  geom_point(data=sample_U,aes(x = U1, y = U2), color = "red", size = 1) +
  theme minimal()
\#calculate\ P(x1>0)
samples_U_transformed_df <- data.frame(</pre>
  X1=(sample_U$U1+sample_U$U2)/2,
  X2=(sample_U$U2-sample_U$U1)/2
prob_X1_gibbs <- sum(samples_U_transformed_df$X1 > 0) /1000
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#repeat the sampling
prob_U <- function(sample,n){
    prob <- sum((sample$U2 + sample$U1) / 2 > 0) / 1000
    return(prob)
}
set.seed(12345)
probs_u <- numeric(10)
sample_U_result <- list()
for (i in 1:10) {
    sample_U_result[[i]] <- gibbsSampling_U(1000,1.999)
    probs_u[i] <- prob_U (sample_U_result[[i]],1000)
}
kable(probs_u,caption = "Probability of X1>0")
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