

# Bayesian Computation with R Scripts

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# Chapter 1

## Preface

This book contains all of the R scripts and associated output for Chapters 2 through 10 of *Bayesian Computation with R* second edition.

In these scripts, I have avoided the use of the `attach()` function and spaces have been added to increase readability.



## Chapter 2

# Introduction to Bayesian Thinking

### 2.1 Learning About the Proportion of Heavy Sleepers

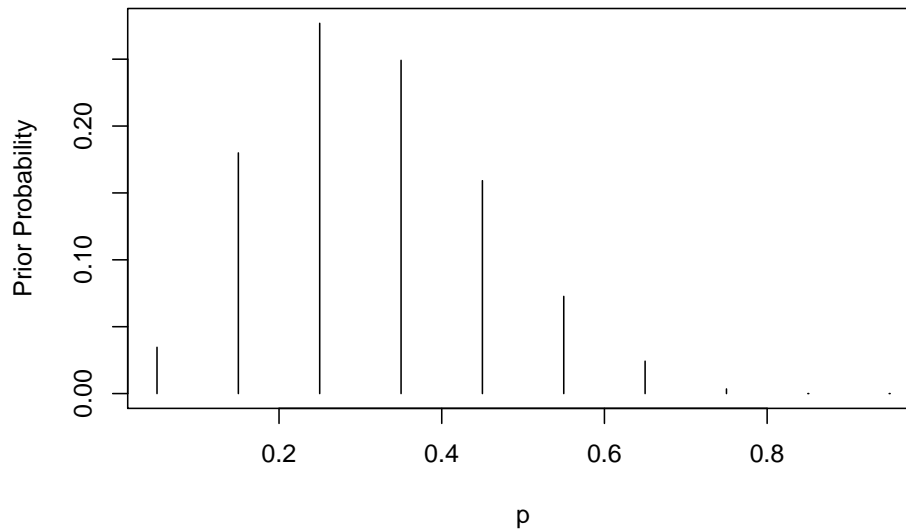
Want to learn about  $p$ , the proportion of heavy sleepers. Take a sample of 27 students and 11 are heavy sleepers.

### 2.2 Using a Discrete Prior

```
library(LearnBayes)
```

The prior for  $p$ :

```
p <- seq(0.05, 0.95, by = 0.1)
prior <- c(1, 5.2, 8, 7.2, 4.6, 2.1,
          0.7, 0.1, 0, 0)
prior <- prior / sum(prior)
plot(p, prior, type = "h",
     ylab="Prior Probability")
```



The posterior for  $p$ :

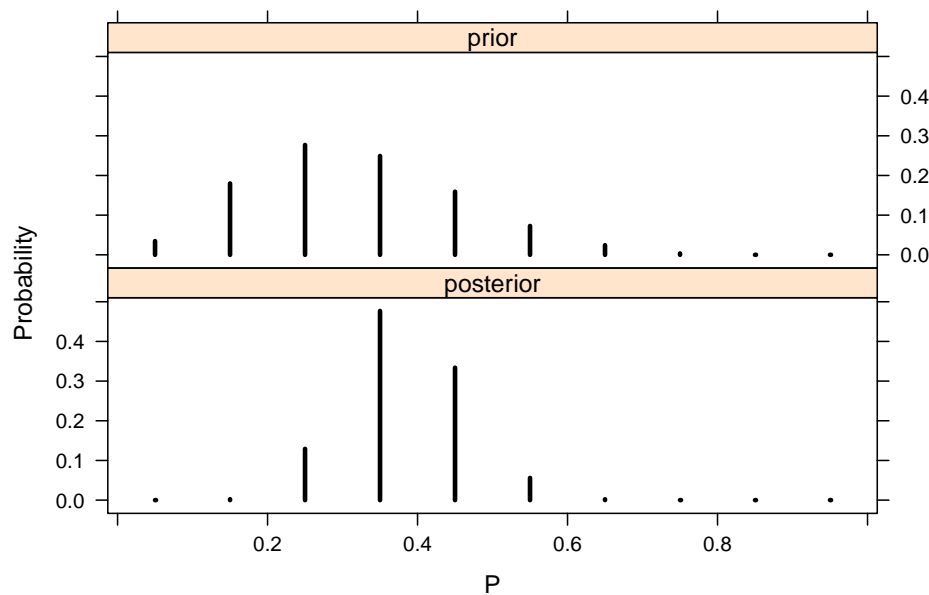
```
data <- c(11, 16)
post <- pdisc(p, prior, data)
round(cbind(p, prior, post), 2)
```

```
##           p prior post
## [1,] 0.05  0.03 0.00
## [2,] 0.15  0.18 0.00
## [3,] 0.25  0.28 0.13
## [4,] 0.35  0.25 0.48
## [5,] 0.45  0.16 0.33
## [6,] 0.55  0.07 0.06
## [7,] 0.65  0.02 0.00
## [8,] 0.75  0.00 0.00
## [9,] 0.85  0.00 0.00
## [10,] 0.95  0.00 0.00
```

```
library(lattice)
PRIOR <- data.frame("prior", p, prior)
POST <- data.frame("posterior", p, post)
names(PRIOR) <- c("Type", "P", "Probability")
names(POST) <- c("Type", "P", "Probability")
data <- rbind(PRIOR, POST)
```

```
xyplot(Probability ~ P | Type, data=data,
       layout=c(1,2), type="h", lwd=3, col="black")
```





## 2.3 Using a Beta Prior

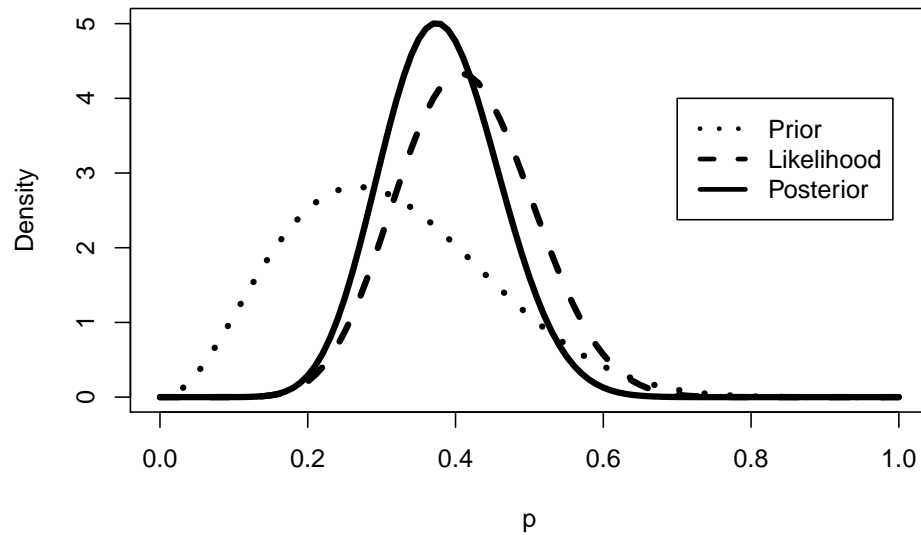
Construct a beta prior for  $p$  by inputting two percentiles:

```
quantile2 <- list(p=.9, x=.5)
quantile1 <- list(p=.5, x=.3)
(ab <- beta.select(quantile1,quantile2))
```

```
## [1] 3.26 7.19
```

Bayesian triplot:

```
a <- ab[1]
b <- ab[2]
s <- 11
f <- 16
curve/dbeta(x, a + s, b + f), from=0, to=1,
      xlab="p", ylab="Density", lty=1, lwd=4)
curve/dbeta(x, s + 1, f + 1), add=TRUE,
      lty=2, lwd=4)
curve/dbeta(x, a, b), add=TRUE, lty=3, lwd=4)
legend(.7, 4, c("Prior", "Likelihood",
               "Posterior"),
      lty=c(3, 2, 1), lwd=c(3, 3, 3))
```



Posterior summaries:

```
1 - pbeta(0.5, a + s, b + f)
```

```
## [1] 0.0690226
```

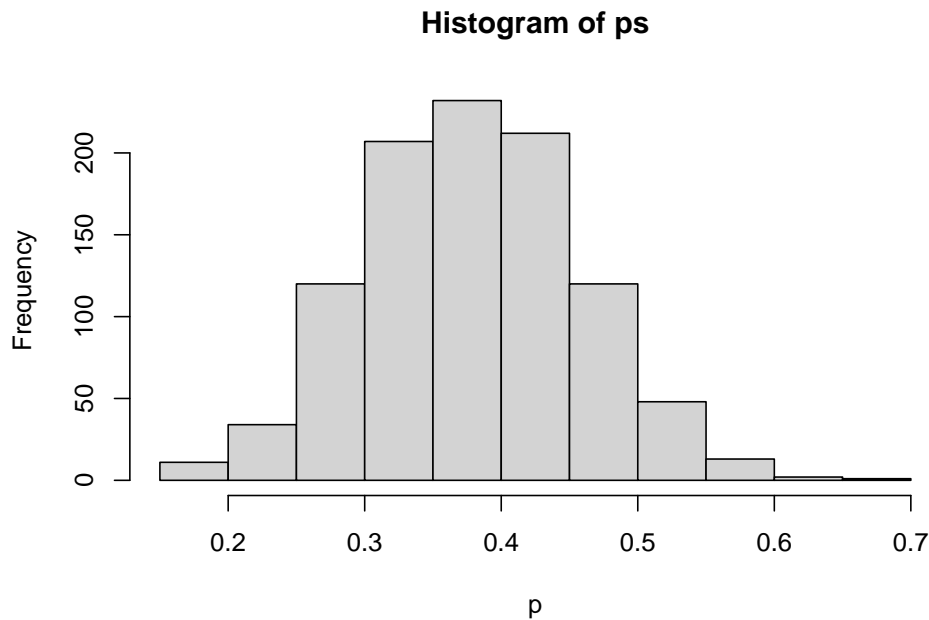
```
qbeta(c(0.05, 0.95), a + s, b + f)
```

```
## [1] 0.2555267 0.5133608
```

Simulating from posterior:

```
ps <- rbeta(1000, a + s, b + f)
```

```
hist(ps, xlab="p")
```



```
sum(ps >= 0.5) / 1000
```

```
## [1] 0.064
```

```
quantile(ps, c(0.05, 0.95))
```

```
##          5%          95%
```

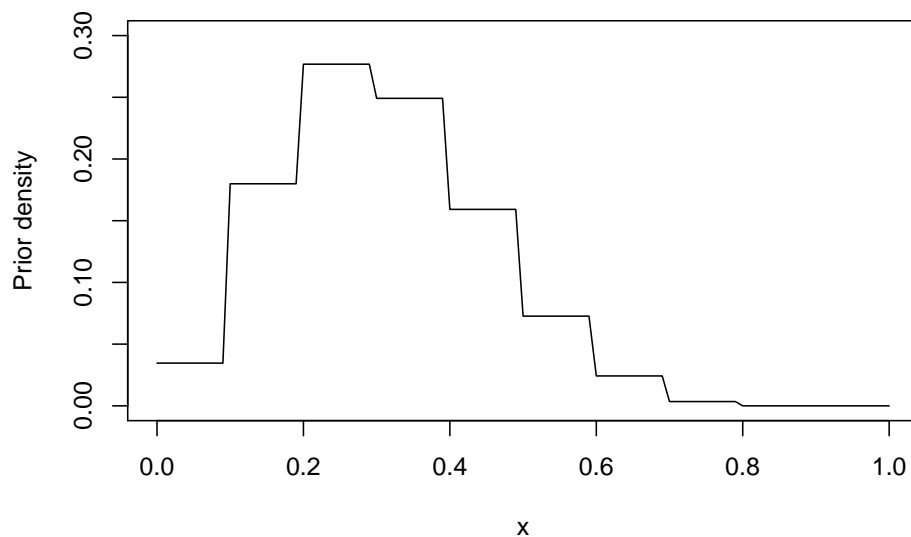
```
## 0.2530540 0.5124985
```

## 2.4 Using a Histogram Prior

Beliefs about  $p$  are expressed by a histogram prior. Illustrate brute force method of computing the posterior.

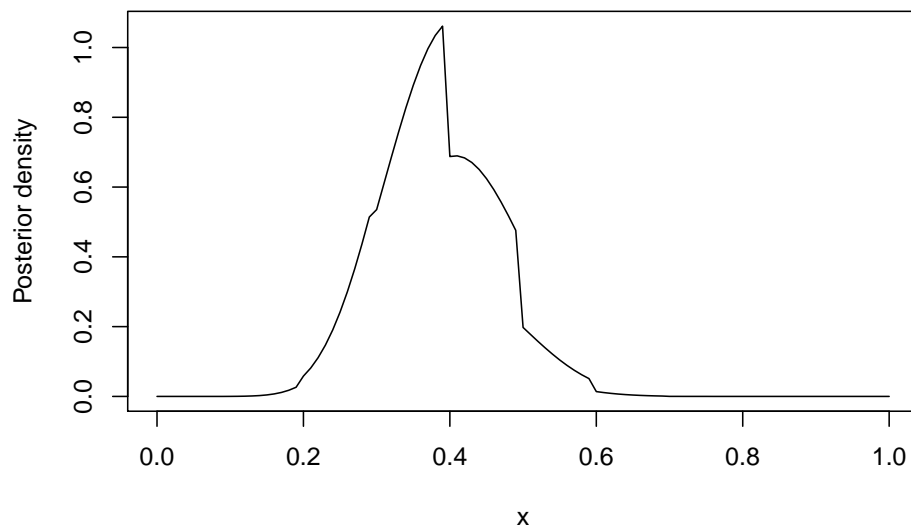
```
midpt <- seq(0.05, 0.95, by = 0.1)
prior <- c(1, 5.2, 8, 7.2, 4.6, 2.1, 0.7,
           0.1, 0, 0)
prior <- prior / sum(prior)
```

```
curve(histprior(x, midpt, prior), from=0, to=1,
      ylab="Prior density", ylim=c(0, .3))
```



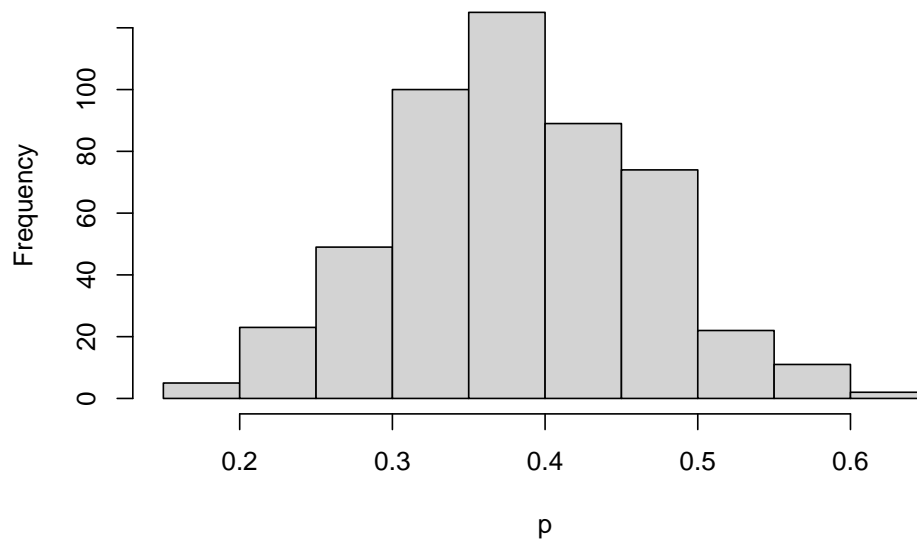
```
s <- 11
f <- 16
```

```
curve(histprior(x,midpt,prior) *
      dbeta(x, s + 1, f + 1),
      from=0, to=1, ylab="Posterior density")
```



```
p <- seq(0, 1, length=500)
post <- histprior(p, midpt, prior) *
      dbeta(p, s + 1, f + 1)
post <- post / sum(post)
ps <- sample(p, replace = TRUE, prob = post)
```

```
hist(ps, xlab="p", main="")
```



## 2.5 Prediction

Want to predict the number of heavy sleepers in a future sample of 20.

Discrete prior approach:

```
p <- seq(0.05, 0.95, by=.1)
prior <- c(1, 5.2, 8, 7.2, 4.6,
           2.1, 0.7, 0.1, 0, 0)
prior <- prior / sum(prior)
m <- 20
ys <- 0:20
pred <- pdiscp(p, prior, m, ys)
cbind(0:20, pred)
```

```
##           pred
## [1,] 0 2.030242e-02
## [2,] 1 4.402694e-02
## [3,] 2 6.894572e-02
## [4,] 3 9.151046e-02
## [5,] 4 1.064393e-01
## [6,] 5 1.124487e-01
## [7,] 6 1.104993e-01
## [8,] 7 1.021397e-01
## [9,] 8 8.932837e-02
## [10,] 9 7.416372e-02
```

```
## [11,] 10 5.851740e-02
## [12,] 11 4.383668e-02
## [13,] 12 3.107700e-02
## [14,] 13 2.071698e-02
## [15,] 14 1.284467e-02
## [16,] 15 7.277453e-03
## [17,] 16 3.667160e-03
## [18,] 17 1.575535e-03
## [19,] 18 5.381536e-04
## [20,] 19 1.285179e-04
## [21,] 20 1.584793e-05
```

Continuous prior approach:

```
ab <- c(3.26, 7.19)
m <- 20
ys <- 0:20
pred <- pbetap(ab, m, ys)
```

Simulating predictive distribution:

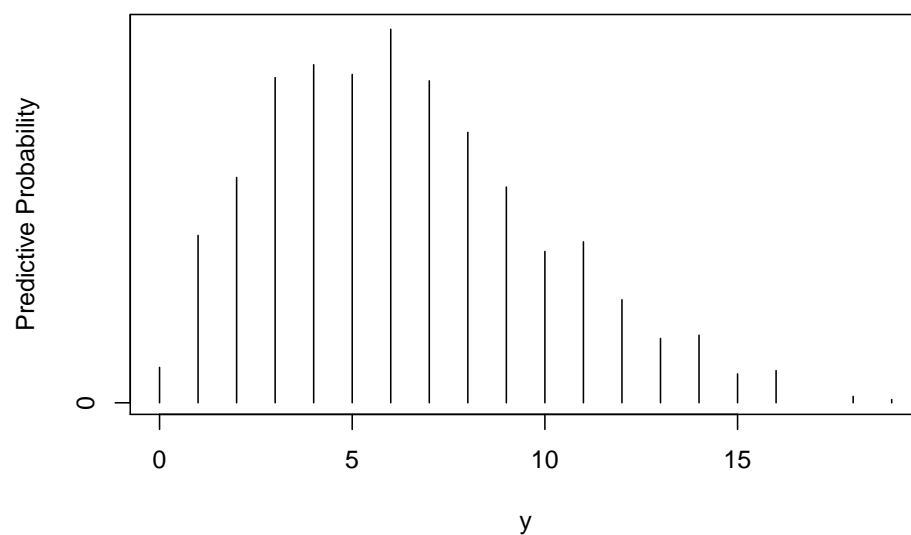
```
p <- rbeta(1000, 3.26, 7.19)
```

```
y <- rbinom(1000, 20, p)
```

```
table(y)
```

```
## y
##  0  1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 18 19
## 11 52 70 101 105 102 116 100 84 67 47 50 32 20 21 9 10 2 1

freq <- table(y)
ys <- as.integer(names(freq))
predprob <- freq / sum(freq)
plot(ys, predprob, type="h", xlab="y",
     ylab="Predictive Probability")
```



```
dist <- cbind(ys, predprob)
```

Construction of a prediction interval:

```
covprob <- .9
discint(dist, covprob)
```

```
## $prob
##      12
## 0.926
##
## $set
##   1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9 10 11 12
##   1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9 10 11 12
```





## Chapter 3

# Single-Parameter Models

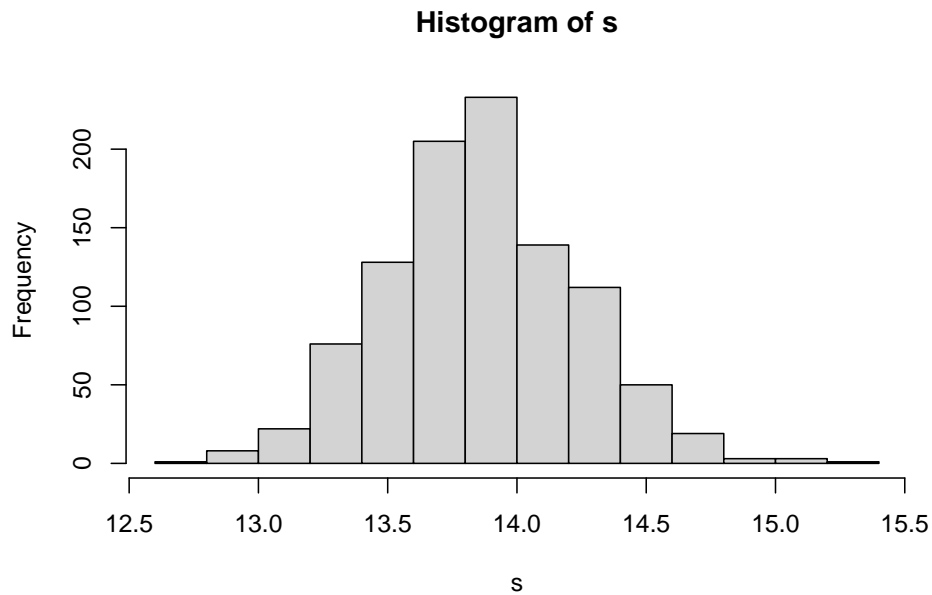
### 3.1 Normal Distribution with Known Mean but Unknown Variance

Assuming we have a sample  $\{y_j\}$  from a normal distribution with mean 0 and variance  $\sigma^2$ . Assuming the prior  $g(\sigma^2) \propto 1/\sigma^2$ , simulating from the posterior.

```
library(LearnBayes)

d <- with(footballscores,
          favorite - underdog - spread)
n <- length(d)
v <- sum(d ^ 2)

P <- rchisq(1000, n) / v
s <- sqrt(1 / P)
hist(s)
```



```
quantile(s, probs = c(0.025, 0.5, 0.975))
```

```
##      2.5%      50%     97.5%
## 13.16744 13.85293 14.60743
```

## 3.2 Estimating a Heart Transplant Mortality Rate

Have a sample  $\{y_j\}$  from a  $\text{Poisson}(e\lambda)$  distribution where the exposure  $e$  is known. Assigning  $\lambda$  a  $\text{gamma}(\alpha, \beta)$  prior.

Predictive density:

```
alpha <- 16; beta <- 15174
yobs <- 1; ex <- 66
y <- 0:10
lam <- alpha / beta
py <- dpois(y, lam * ex) *
  dgamma(lam, shape = alpha, rate = beta) /
  dgamma(lam, shape = alpha + y, rate = beta + ex)
cbind(y, round(py, 3))
```

```
##      y
## [1,] 0 0.933
## [2,] 1 0.065
## [3,] 2 0.002
## [4,] 3 0.000
```

```
## [5,] 4 0.000
## [6,] 5 0.000
## [7,] 6 0.000
## [8,] 7 0.000
## [9,] 8 0.000
## [10,] 9 0.000
## [11,] 10 0.000
```

Posterior density:

```
lambdaA <- rgamma(1000, shape = alpha + yobs,
                  rate = beta + ex)
```

Data from a different hospital:

```
ex <- 1767; yobs <-4
y <- 0:10
py <- dpois(y, lam * ex) *
  dgamma(lam, shape = alpha, rate = beta) /
  dgamma(lam, shape = alpha + y, rate = beta + ex)
cbind(y, round(py, 3))
```

```
##      y
## [1,] 0 0.172
## [2,] 1 0.286
## [3,] 2 0.254
## [4,] 3 0.159
## [5,] 4 0.079
## [6,] 5 0.033
## [7,] 6 0.012
## [8,] 7 0.004
## [9,] 8 0.001
## [10,] 9 0.000
## [11,] 10 0.000
```

```
lambdaB <- rgamma(1000, shape = alpha + yobs,
                  rate = beta + ex)
```

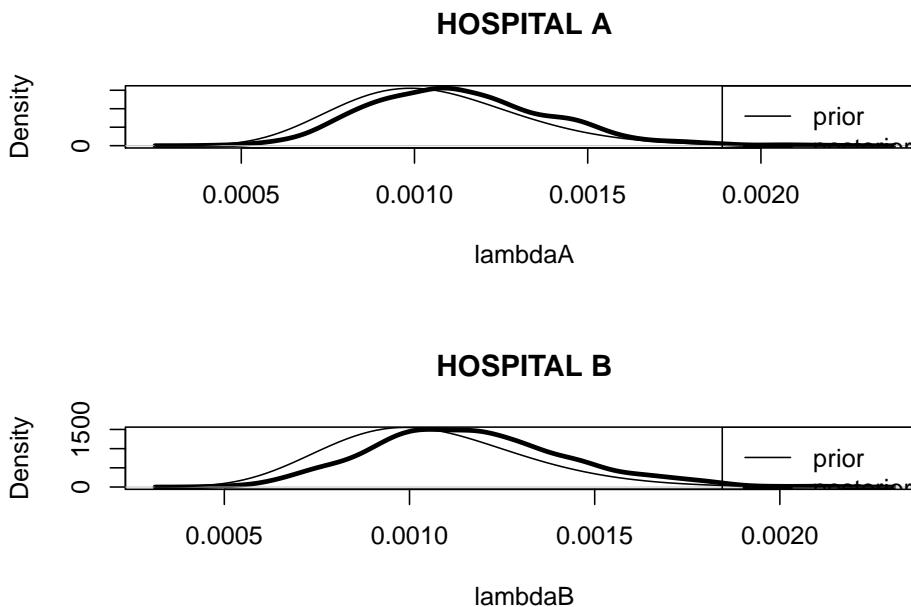
Prior and posteriors for two hospitals:

```
par(mfrow = c(2, 1))
plot(density(lambdaA), main="HOSPITAL A",
     xlab="lambdaA", lwd=3)
curve(dgamma(x, shape = alpha, rate = beta),
      add=TRUE)
legend("topright", legend=c("prior", "posterior"),
      lwd=c(1, 3))
plot(density(lambdaB), main="HOSPITAL B",
     xlab="lambdaB", lwd=3)
```

```

curve(dgamma(x, shape = alpha, rate = beta),
      add=TRUE)
legend("topright", legend=c("prior", "posterior"),
      lwd=c(1,3))

```



### 3.3 An Illustration of Bayesian Robustness

Assuming normal sampling (known standard deviation), compare the use of two priors on the mean  $\mu$ .

```

quantile1 <- list(p=.5, x=100)
quantile2 <- list(p=.95, x=120)
normal.select(quantile1, quantile2)

```

```

## $mu
## [1] 100
##
## $sigma
## [1] 12.15914

```

```

mu <- 100
tau <- 12.16
sigma <- 15
n <- 4
se <- sigma / sqrt(4)
ybar <- c(110, 125, 140)

```

```
tau1 <- 1 / sqrt(1 / se ^ 2 + 1 / tau ^ 2)
mu1 <- (ybar / se ^ 2 + mu / tau ^ 2) * tau1 ^ 2
summ1 <- cbind(ybar, mu1, tau1)
summ1
```

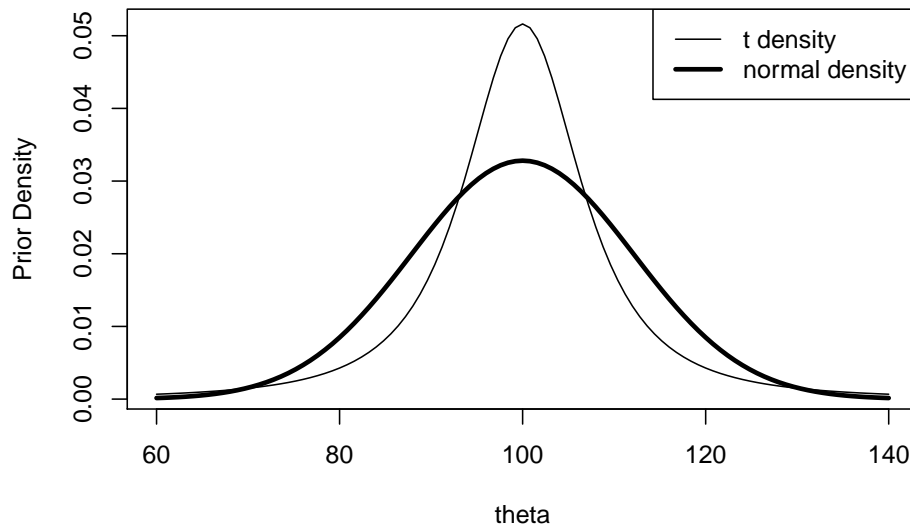
```
##      ybar      mu1      tau1
## [1,]  110 107.2442 6.383469
## [2,]  125 118.1105 6.383469
## [3,]  140 128.9768 6.383469
```

Compare two possible priors for  $\mu$ :

```
tscale <- 20 / qt(0.95, 2)
tscale
```

```
## [1] 6.849349
```

```
par(mfrow=c(1, 1))
curve(1 / tscale * dt((x - mu) / tscale, 2),
      from=60, to=140, xlab="theta",
      ylab="Prior Density")
curve(dnorm(x, mean=mu, sd=tau), add=TRUE, lwd=3)
legend("topright", legend=c("t density",
                           "normal density"),
      lwd=c(1,3))
```

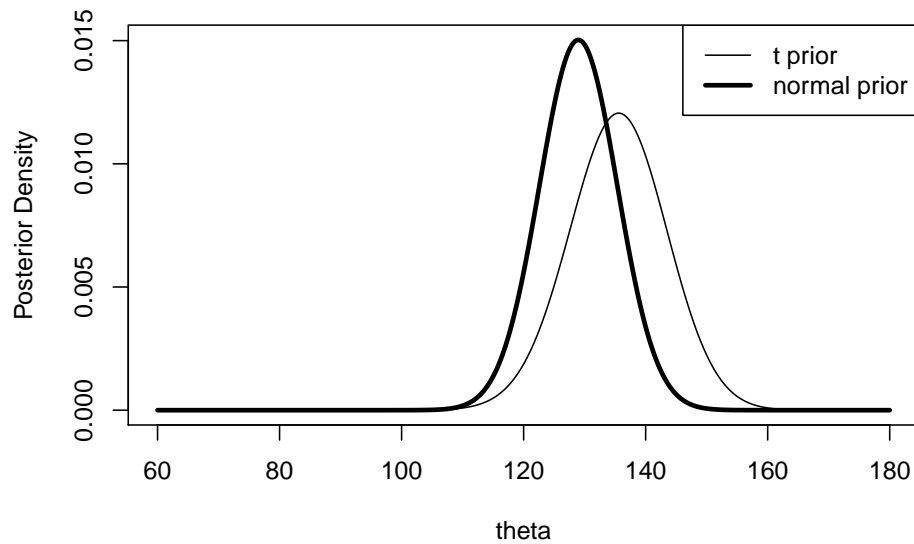


```
norm.t.compute <- function(ybar){
  theta <- seq(60, 180, length = 500)
  like <- dnorm(theta, mean=ybar,
                sd=sigma/sqrt(n))
  prior <- dt((theta - mu) / tscale, 2)
```

```
summ2 <- t(sapply(c(110, 125, 140),
  norm.t.compute))
dimnames(summ2)[[2]] <- c("ybar", "mu1 t",
  "tau1 t")
summ2
```

| ##      | ybar | mul      | tau1     | ybar | mul t    | tau1 t   |
|---------|------|----------|----------|------|----------|----------|
| ## [1,] | 110  | 107.2442 | 6.383469 | 110  | 105.2921 | 5.841676 |
| ## [2,] | 125  | 118.1105 | 6.383469 | 125  | 118.0841 | 7.885174 |
| ## [3,] | 140  | 128.9768 | 6.383469 | 140  | 135.4134 | 7.973498 |

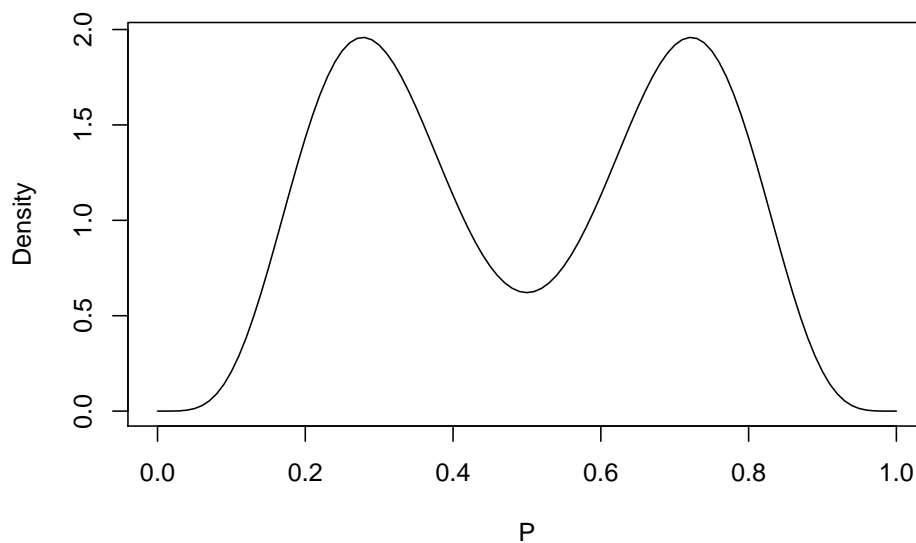
[illegible]



### 3.4 Mixtures of Conjugate Priors

Use a mixture of beta curves to reflect beliefs that a particular coin is biased.

```
curve(.5 * dbeta(x, 6, 14) + .5 * dbeta(x, 14, 6),
      from=0, to=1, xlab="P", ylab="Density")
```



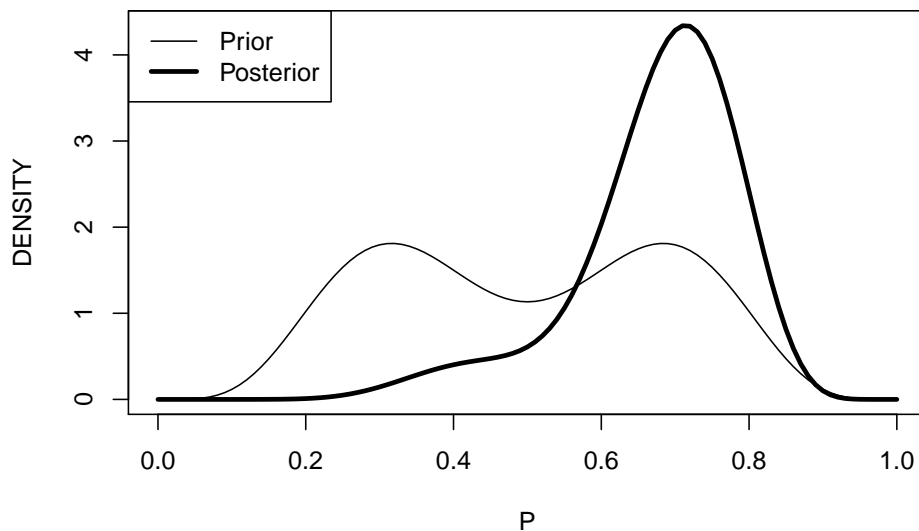
```
probs <- c(.5, .5)
beta.par1 <- c(6, 14)
beta.par2 <- c(14, 6)
betapar <- rbind(beta.par1, beta.par2)
```

```
data <- c(7, 3)
post <- binomial.beta.mix(probs, betapar, data)
post
```

```
## $probs
## beta.par1 beta.par2
## 0.09269663 0.90730337
##
## $betapar
##          [,1] [,2]
## beta.par1   13   17
## beta.par2   21    9
```

Compare prior and posterior densities for the probability coin lands heads.

```
curve(post$probs[1] * dbeta(x,13,17) +
      post$probs[2] * dbeta(x,21,9),
      from=0, to=1, lwd=3,
      xlab="P", ylab="DENSITY")
curve(.5 * dbeta(x, 6, 12) +
      .5 * dbeta(x, 12, 6), 0, 1, add=TRUE)
legend("topleft", legend=c("Prior", "Posterior"),
      lwd=c(1, 3))
```



### 3.5 A Bayesian Test of the Fairness of a Coin

Testing if a coin is fair. Observe 5 heads in 20 flips.

P-value calculation:



```
pbinom(5, 20, 0.5)
```

```
## [1] 0.02069473
```

Bayesian test of fairness using a mixture prior.

```
n <- 20
y <- 5
a <- 10
p <- 0.5
m1 <- dbinom(y, n, p) * dbeta(p, a, a) /
  dbeta(p, a + y, a + n - y)
lambda <- dbinom(y, n, p) / (dbinom(y, n, p) + m1)
lambda
```

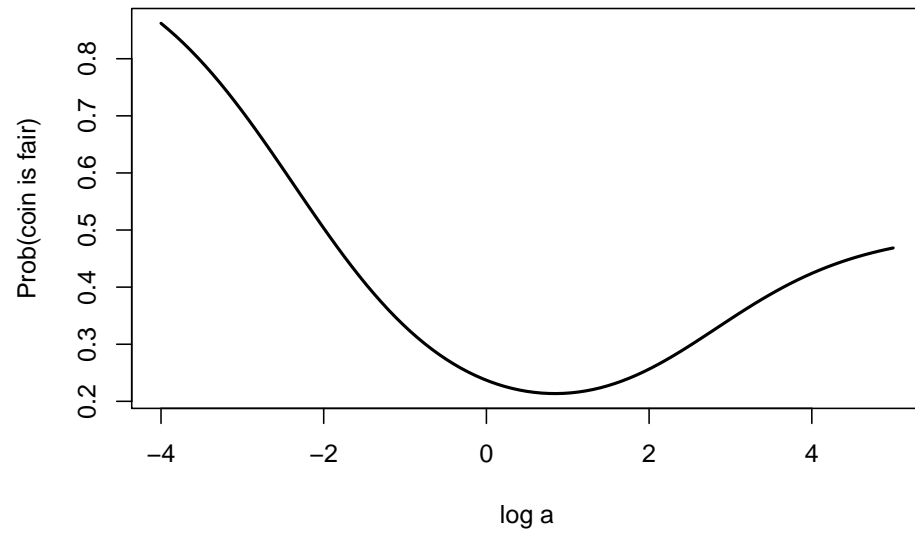
```
## [1] 0.2802215
```

```
pbetat(p, .5, c(a, a), c(y, n - y))
```

```
## $bf
## [1] 0.3893163
##
## $post
## [1] 0.2802215
```

```
prob.fair <- function(log.a){
  a <- exp(log.a)
  m2 <- dbinom(y, n, p) * dbeta(p, a, a) /
    dbeta(p, a + y, a + n - y)
  dbinom(y, n, p) / (dbinom(y, n, p) + m2)
}
```

```
n <- 20; y <- 5; p <- 0.5
curve(prob.fair(x), from = -4, to = 5,
      xlab="log a",
      ylab="Prob(coin is fair)", lwd=2)
```



```
n <- 20; y <- 5
a <- 10; p <- .5
m2 <- 0
for (k in 0:y){
  m2 <- m2 + dbinom(k, n, p) * dbeta(p, a, a) /
    dbeta(p, a + k, a + n - k)
}
lambda <- pbinom(y, n, p) / (pbinom(y, n, p) + m2)
lambda
```

```
## [1] 0.2184649
```

## Chapter 4

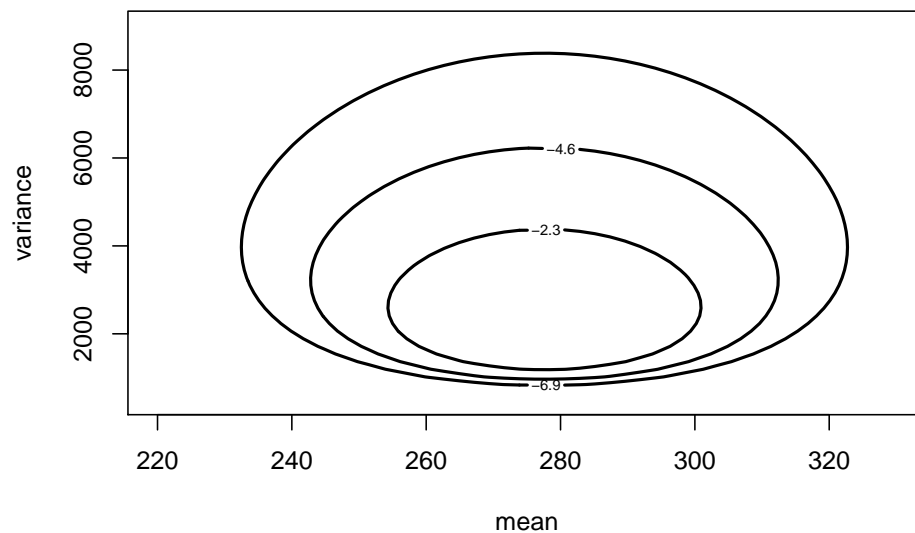
# Multiparameter Models

### 4.1 Normal Data with Both Parameters Unknown

Illustrates exact posterior sampling of  $(\mu, \sigma^2)$  for normal sampling with a non-informative prior.

```
library(LearnBayes)
```

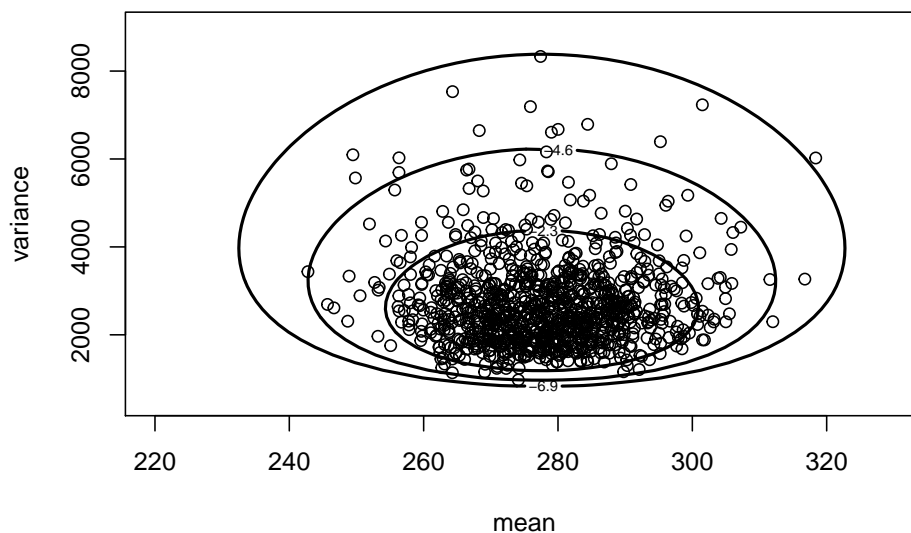
```
mycontour(normchi2post,  
           c(220, 330, 500, 9000),  
           marathontimes$time,  
           xlab="mean", ylab="variance")
```



```

S <- with(marathontimes,
          sum((time - mean(time))^2))
n <- length(marathontimes$time)
sigma2 <- S / rchisq(1000, n - 1)
mu <- rnorm(1000, mean = mean(marathontimes$time),
           sd = sqrt(sigma2) / sqrt(n))
mycontour(normchi2post,
          c(220, 330, 500, 9000),
          marathontimes$time,
          xlab="mean", ylab="variance")
points(mu, sigma2)

```



```
quantile(mu, c(0.025, 0.975))
```

```
##      2.5%    97.5%
## 256.7045 301.1136
```

```
quantile(sqrt(sigma2), c(0.025, 0.975))
```

```
##      2.5%    97.5%
## 37.85306 73.41654
```

## 4.2 A Multinomial Model

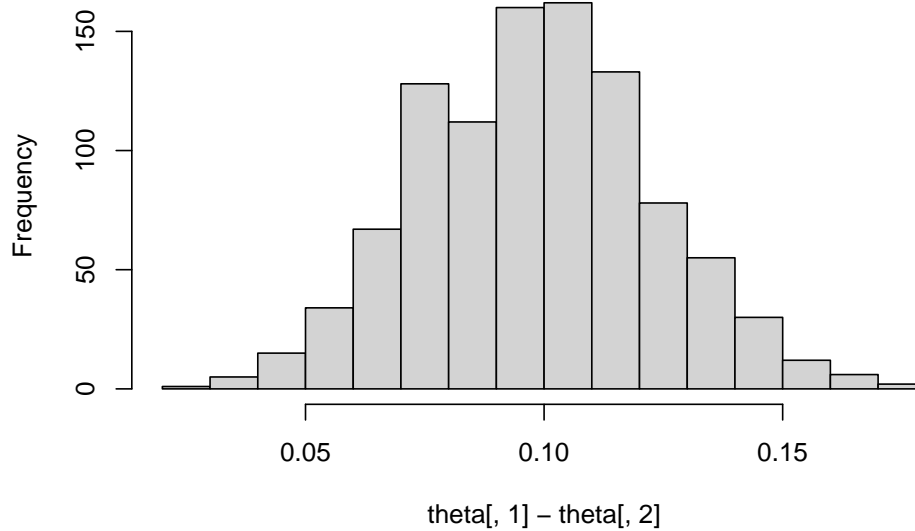
Multinomial data and a uniform prior placed on the proportions. Sampling from the Dirichlet posterior distribution.

```

alpha <- c(728, 584, 138)
theta <- rdirichlet(1000, alpha)

```

```
hist(theta[, 1] - theta[, 2], main="")
```



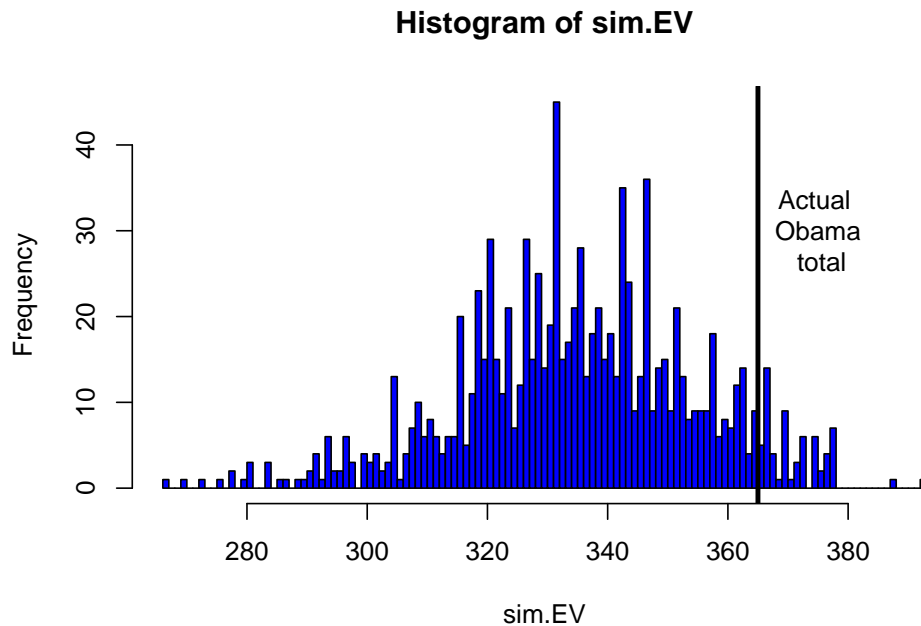
Considers posterior distribution of Obama electoral votes for the 2008 presidential election.

```
prob.Obama <- function(j){
  p <- with(election.2008,
    rdirichlet(5000,
      500 * c(M.pct[j], O.pct[j],
        100 - M.pct[j] - O.pct[j]) / 100 + 1))
  mean(p[, 2] > p[, 1])
}
Obama.win.probs <- sapply(1 : 51, prob.Obama)
```

```
sim.election <- function(){
  winner <- rbinom(51, 1,
    Obama.win.probs)
  sum(election.2008$EV * winner)
}
```

```
sim.EV <- replicate(1000, sim.election())
```

```
hist(sim.EV, min(sim.EV) : max(sim.EV), col="blue")
abline(v=365, lwd=3) # Obama received 365 votes
text(375, 30, "Actual \n Obama \n total")
```



### 4.3 A Bioassay Experiment

Bayesian fitting of a logistic model using data from a dose-response experiment.

```
x <- c(-0.86, -0.3, -0.05, 0.73)
n <- c(5, 5, 5, 5)
y <- c(0, 1, 3, 5)
data <- cbind(x, n, y)
```

Traditional logistic model fit.

```
glmdata <- cbind(y, n - y)
results <- glm(glmdata ~ x, family = binomial)
summary(results)
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = glmdata ~ x, family = binomial)
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      1      2      3      4
## -0.17236  0.08133 -0.05869  0.12237
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)   0.8466     1.0191   0.831   0.406
```

```
## x          7.7488    4.8728    1.590    0.112
##
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
## Null deviance: 15.791412 on 3 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 0.054742 on 2 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 7.9648
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 7
```

Illustration of a conditional means prior. When  $x = -.7$ , median and 90th percentile of  $p$  are  $(.2, .4)$ . When  $x = +.6$ , median and 90th percentile of  $p$  are  $(.8, .95)$

```
a1.b1 <- beta.select(list(p=.5, x=.2),
                        list(p=.9, x=.5))
a2.b2 <- beta.select(list(p=.5, x=.8),
                        list(p=.9, x=.98))
```

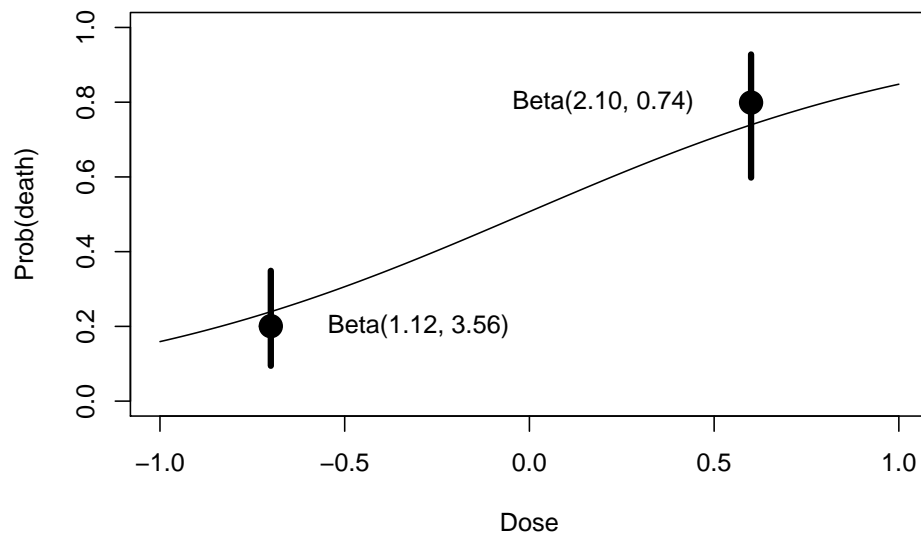
```
prior <- rbind(c(-0.7, 4.68, 1.12),
               c(0.6, 2.10, 0.74))
data.new <- rbind(data, prior)
```

Plot prior.

```
plot(c(-1,1), c(0, 1), type="n",
      xlab="Dose", ylab="Prob(death)")
lines(-0.7 * c(1, 1), qbeta(c(.25, .75),
                             a1.b1[1], a1.b1[2]), lwd=4)
lines(0.6 * c(1, 1), qbeta(c(.25, .75),
                             a2.b2[1], a2.b2[2]), lwd=4)
points(c(-0.7, 0.6), qbeta(.5, c(a1.b1[1],
                                a2.b2[1]), c(a1.b1[2],
                                a2.b2[2])),
       pch=19, cex=2)
text(-0.3, .2, "Beta(1.12, 3.56)")
text(.2, .8, "Beta(2.10, 0.74)")
response <- rbind(a1.b1, a2.b2)
x <- c(-0.7, 0.6)
fit <- glm(response ~ x, family = binomial)
```

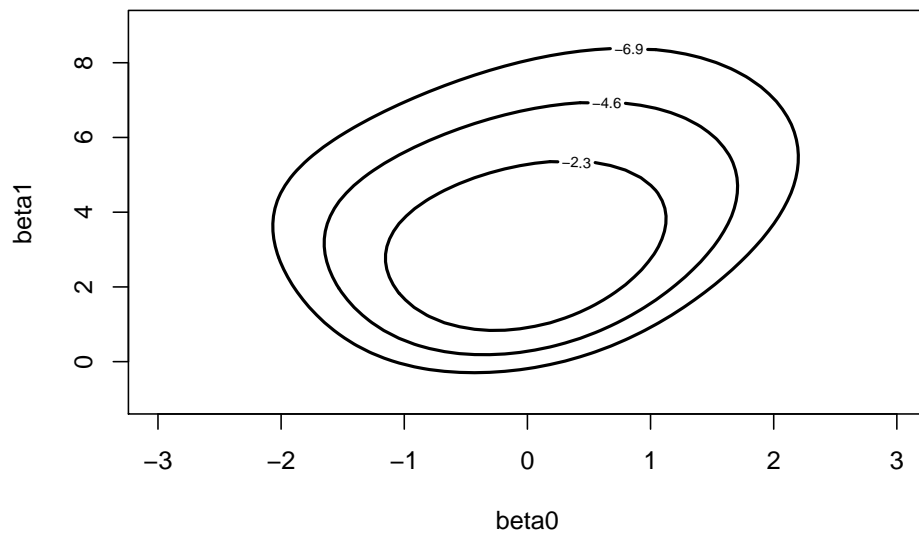
```
## Warning in eval(family$initialize): non-integer counts in a binomial glm!
```

```
curve(exp(fit$coef[1] + fit$coef[2] * x) /
      (1 + exp(fit$coef[1] + fit$coef[2] * x)),
      add=T)
```



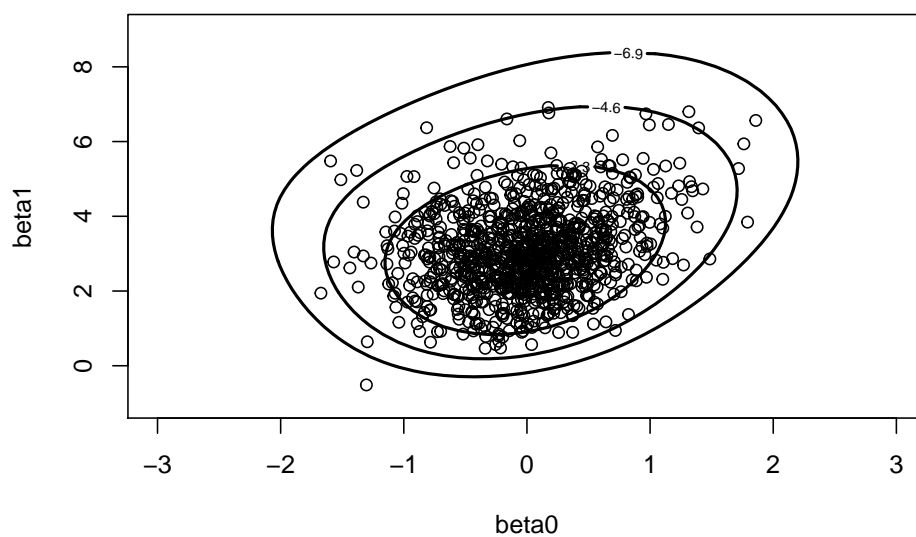
Posterior of regression coefficients.

```
mycontour(logisticpost, c(-3, 3, -1, 9), data.new,
  xlab="beta0", ylab="beta1")
```

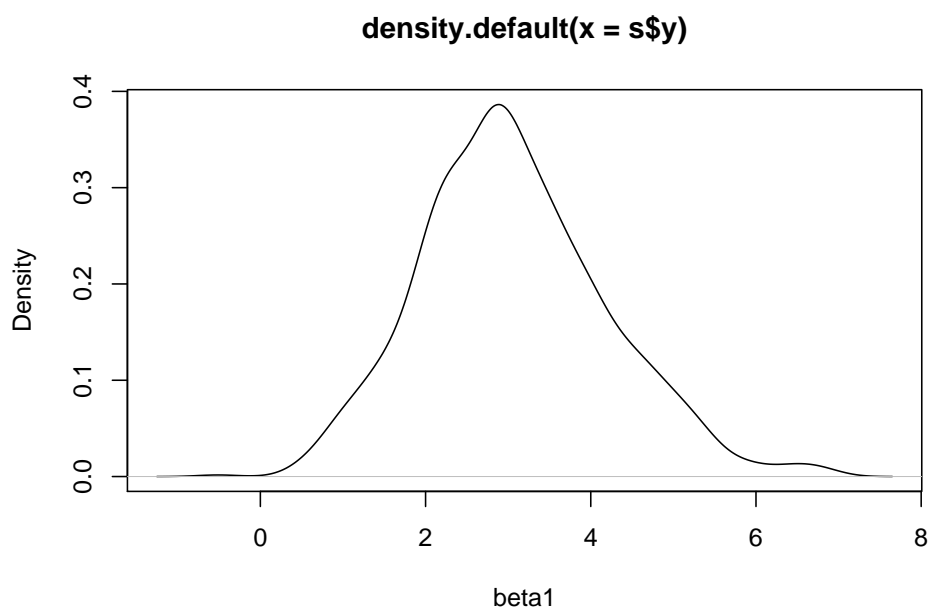


```
mycontour(logisticpost, c(-3, 3, -1, 9), data.new,
  xlab="beta0", ylab="beta1")
s <- simcontour(logisticpost, c(-2, 3, -1, 11),
  data.new, 1000)
points(s)
```



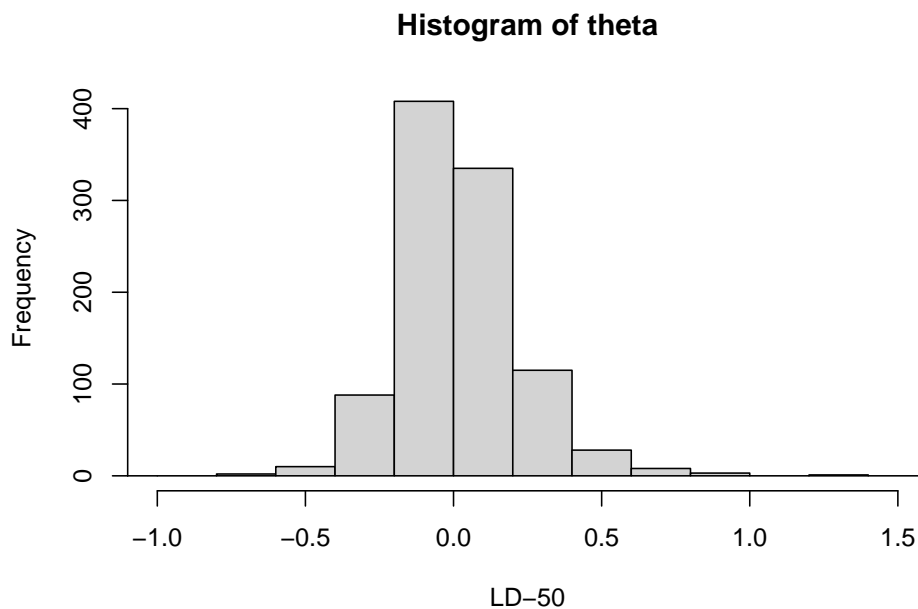


```
plot(density(s$y), xlab="beta1")
```



Estimation of LD50 parameter.

```
theta <- -s$x / s$y
hist(theta, xlab="LD-50", breaks=20,
      xlim = c(-1, 1.5))
```



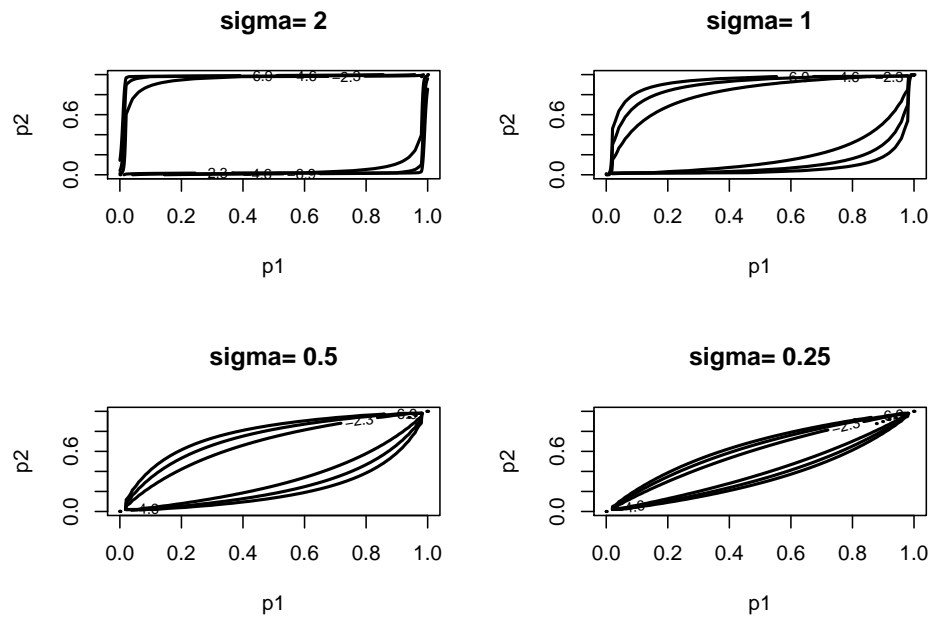
```
quantile(theta, c(.025, .975))
```

```
##          2.5%          97.5%
## -0.3194579  0.5101581
```

## 4.4 Comparing Two Proportions

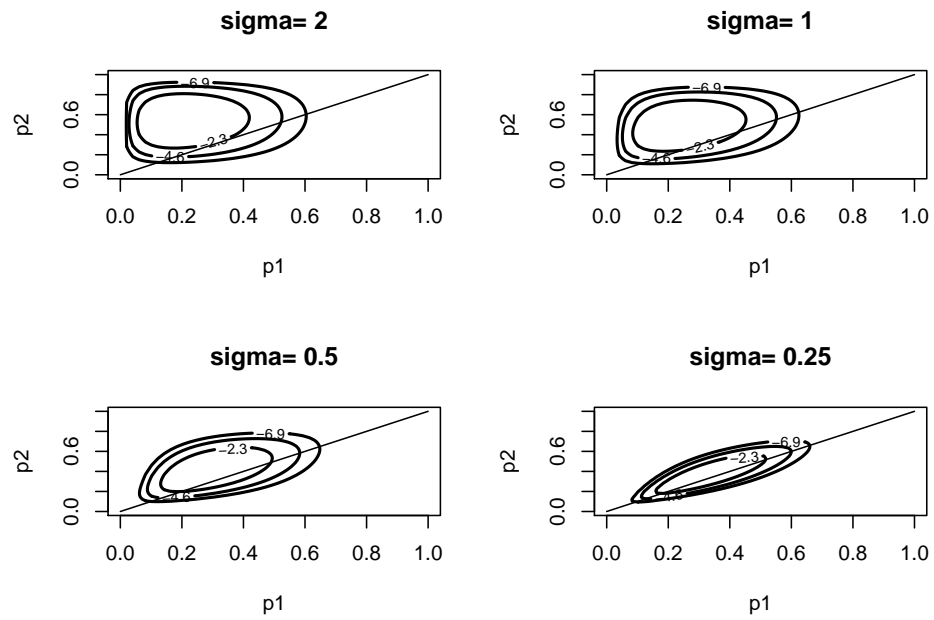
Using Howard's dependent prior for two proportions. Graph of the prior.

```
sigma <- c(2, 1, .5, .25)
plo <- .0001; phi <- .9999
par(mfrow=c(2, 2))
for (i in 1:4){
  mycontour(howardprior,
            c(plo, phi, plo, phi),
            c(1, 1, 1, 1, sigma[i]),
            main=paste("sigma=", as.character(sigma[i])),
            xlab="p1", ylab="p2")
}
```



Graphs of the posterior.

```
sigma <- c(2, 1, .5, .25)
par(mfrow=c(2, 2))
for (i in 1:4){
  mycontour(howardprior,
            c(plo, phi, plo, phi),
            c(1 + 3, 1 + 15, 1 + 7, 1 + 5, sigma[i]),
            main=paste("sigma=", as.character(sigma[i])),
            xlab="p1", ylab="p2")
  lines(c(0, 1), c(0, 1))
}
```



```
s <- simcontour(howardprior, c(plo, phi, plo, phi),
  c(1 + 3, 1 + 15, 1 + 7, 1 + 5, 2), 1000)
sum(s$x > s$y) / 1000
```

```
## [1] 0.012
```

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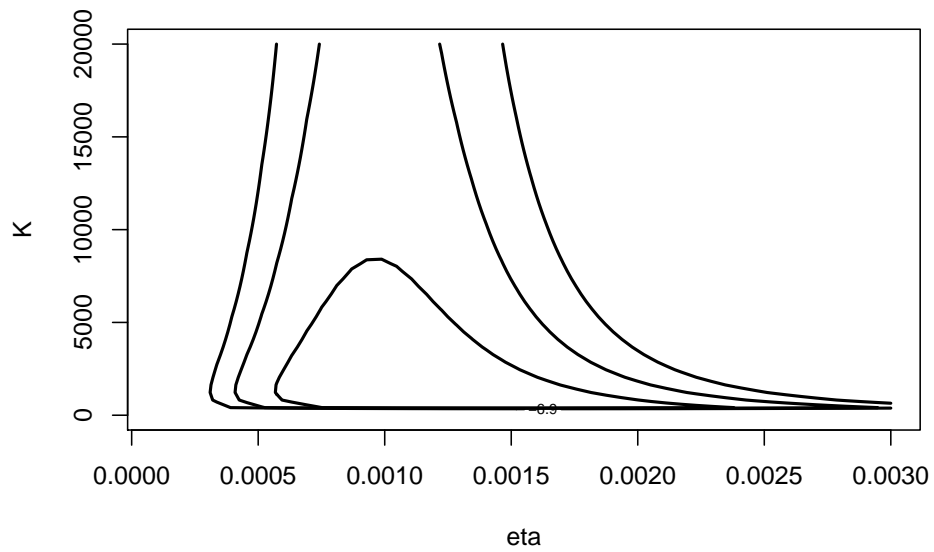
# Introduction to Bayesian Computation

```
library(LearnBayes)
```

### 5.1 A Beta-Binomial Model for Overdispersion

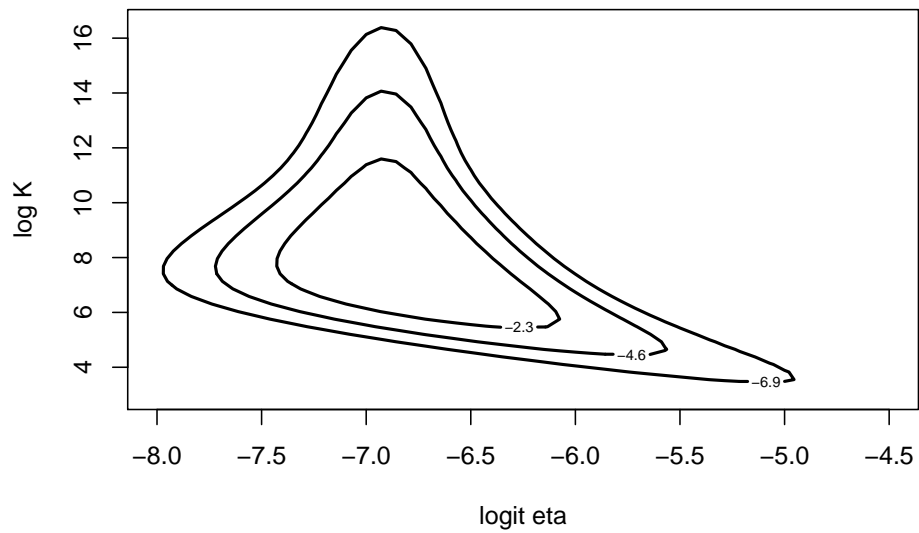
First consider posterior of  $(\eta, K)$ .

```
mycontour(betabinexch0,  
          c(.0001, .003, 1, 20000),  
          cancermortality,  
          xlab="eta", ylab="K")
```



Instead look at posterior of  $(\log \frac{\eta}{1-\eta}, \log I)$ .

```
mycontour(betabinexch,
  c(-8, -4.5, 3, 16.5),
  cancertmortality,
  xlab="logit eta", ylab="log K")
```

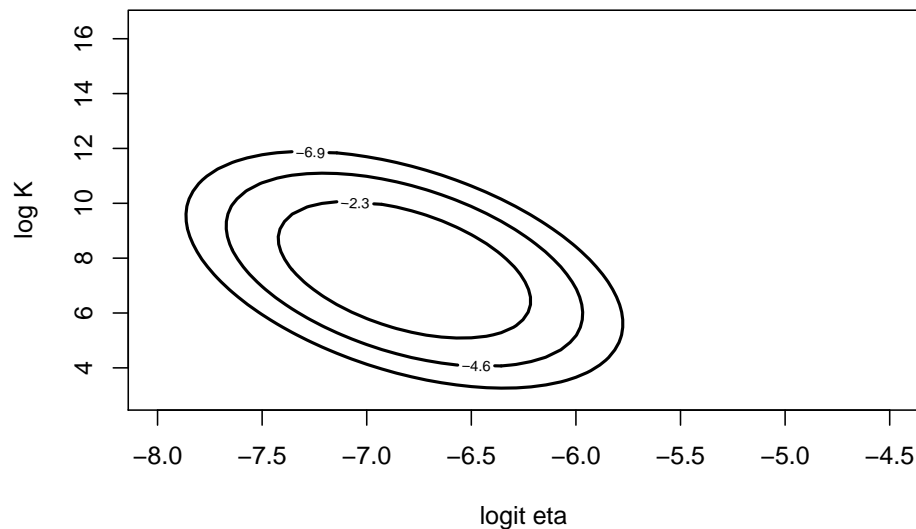


## 5.2 Approximations Based on Posterior Modes

```
fit <- laplace(betabinexch,
              c(-7, 6),
              cancermortality)
fit

## $mode
## [1] -6.819793  7.576111
##
## $var
##           [,1]      [,2]
## [1,]  0.07896568 -0.1485087
## [2,] -0.14850874  1.3483208
##
## $int
## [1] -570.7743
##
## $converge
## [1] TRUE

npar <- list(m=fit$mode, v=fit$var)
mycontour(lbinorm,
          c(-8, -4.5, 3, 16.5),
          npar,
          xlab="logit eta", ylab="log K")
```



```
se <- sqrt(diag(fit$var))
fit$mode - 1.645 * se
```

```
## [1] -7.282052  5.665982
```

```
fit$mode + 1.645 * se
```

```
## [1] -6.357535  9.486239
```

### 5.3 Monte Carlo Method for Computing Integrals

Illustration of a simple estimate of an integral by Monte Carlo.

```
p <- rbeta(1000, 14.26, 23.19)
est <- mean(p ^ 2)
se <- sd(p ^ 2) / sqrt(1000)
c(est, se)
```

```
## [1] 0.151521812 0.001944763
```

### 5.4 Rejection Sampling

Using rejection sampling for the overdispersion posterior with a multivariate  $t$  proposal density.

```
fit <- laplace(betabinexch,
              c(-7, 6),
              cancertmortality)
```

```
betabinT <- function(theta, datapar){
  data <- datapar$data
  tpar <- datapar$par
  d <- betabinexch(theta, data) -
    dmt(theta, mean=c(tpar$m),
        S=tpar$var, df=tpar$df, log=TRUE)
  d
}
```

```
tpar <- list(m=fit$mode, var=2 * fit$var, df=4)
datapar <- list(data=cancertmortality, par=tpar)
```

```
start <- c(-6.9, 12.4)
fit1 <- laplace(betabinT, start, datapar)
fit1$mode
```

```
## [1] -6.888963 12.421993
```

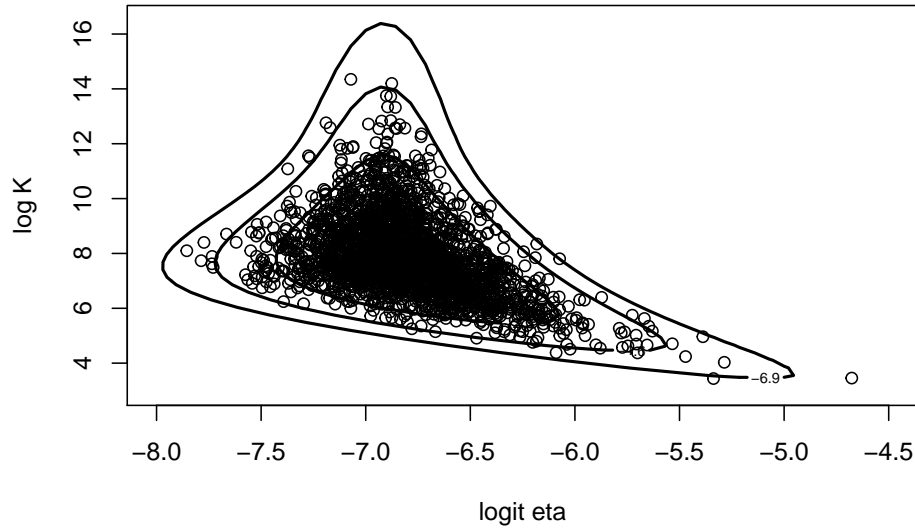
```
betabinT(fit1$mode, datapar)
```

```
## [1] -569.2829
```



```
theta <- rejectsampling(betabinexch,
  tpar,
  -569.2813,
  10000,
  cancermortality)
dim(theta)
```

```
## [1] 2389    2
mycontour(betabinexch,
  c(-8, -4.5, 3, 16.5),
  cancermortality,
  xlab="logit eta", ylab="log K")
points(theta[,1], theta[,2])
```



## 5.5 Importance Sampling

```
fit <- laplace(betabinexch,
  c(-7, 6),
  cancermortality)
```

Posterior density of  $\log K$  conditional on a value of  $\eta$ .

```
betabinexch.cond <- function (log.K, data){
  eta <- exp(-6.818793) / (1 + exp(-6.818793))
  K <- exp(log.K)
  y <- data[, 1]
  n <- data[, 2]
```

```

N <- length(y)
logf <- 0 * log.K
for (j in 1:length(y)){
  logf = logf + lbeta(K * eta + y[j],
                    K * (1 - eta) + n[j] - y[j]) -
          lbeta(K * eta, K * (1 - eta))
}
val <- logf + log.K - 2 * log(1 + K)
exp(val-max(val))
}

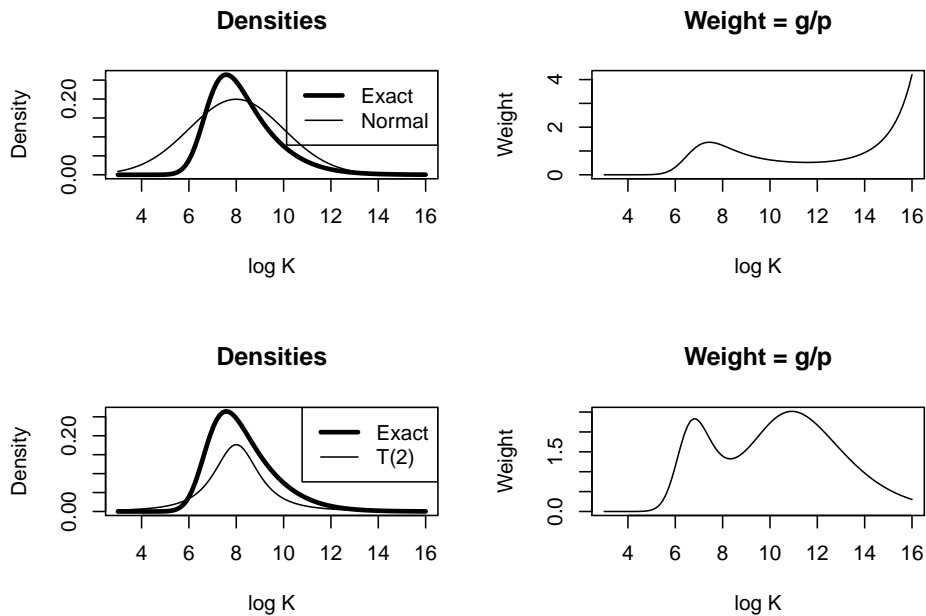
```

Illustrate different choices of importance sampler.

```

I <- integrate(betabinexch.cond, 2, 16,
               cancermortality)
par(mfrow=c(2, 2))
curve(betabinexch.cond(x,
                      cancermortality) / I$value,
      from=3, to=16,
      ylab="Density", xlab="log K", lwd=3,
      main="Densities")
curve(dnorm(x, 8, 2), add=TRUE)
legend("topright",
      legend=c("Exact", "Normal"),
      lwd=c(3, 1))
curve(betabinexch.cond(x,
                      cancermortality) / I$value /
      dnorm(x, 8, 2), from=3, to=16,
      main="Weight = g/p",
      ylab="Weight", xlab="log K",
      lwd=3, main="Densities")
curve(1 / 2 * dt(x - 8, df=2), add=TRUE)
legend("topright", legend=c("Exact", "T(2)"), lwd=c(3, 1))
curve(betabinexch.cond(x,
                      cancermortality) / I$value /
      (1 / 2 * dt(x - 8, df=2)),
      from=3, to=16,
      ylab="Weight", xlab="log K",
      main="Weight = g/p")

```



```

tpar <- list(m=fit$mode,
             var=2 * fit$var,
             df=4)
myfunc <- function(theta){
  return(theta[2])
}
s <- impsampling(betabinexch,
                tpar,
                myfunc,
                10000,
                cancermortality)
cbind(s$est, s$se)

```

```

##           [,1]      [,2]
## [1,] 7.965118 0.01952959

```

## 5.6 Sampling Importance Resampling

Illustrate using the SIR algorithm for the beta-binomial density with a multivariate  $t$  proposal density.

```

fit <- laplace(betabinexch,
              c(-7, 6),
              cancermortality)

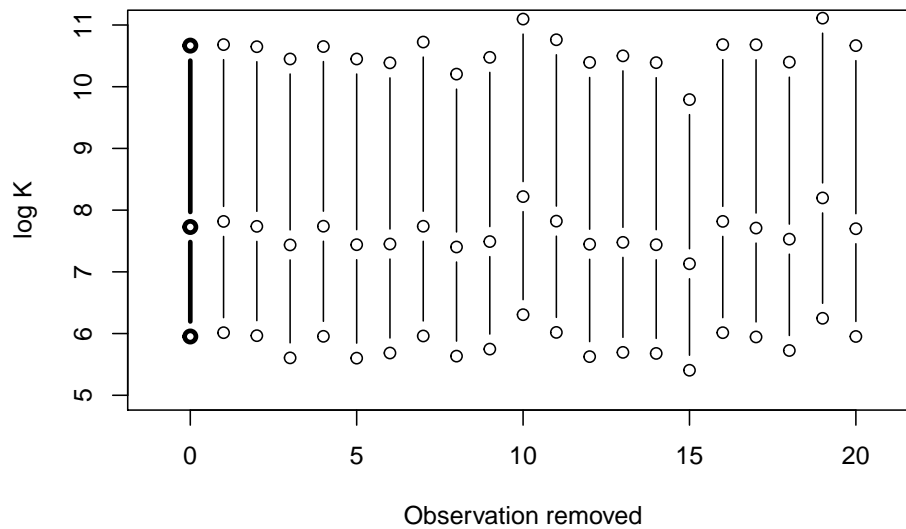
```

```
tpar <- list(m=fit$mode,
            var=2 * fit$var, df=4)
```

```
theta.s <- sir(betabinexch,
              tpar, 10000,
              cancermortality)
```

Use SIR to examine the sensitivity of the posterior inference to removal of individual observations.

```
S <- bayes.influence(theta.s, cancermortality)
plot(c(0, 0, 0), S$summary,
     type="b", lwd=3, xlim=c(-1, 21),
     ylim=c(5, 11),
     xlab="Observation removed", ylab="log K")
for (i in 1:20){
  lines(c(i, i, i), S$summary.obs[i, ], type="b")
}
```



## Chapter 6

# Markov Chain Monte Carlo Methods

### 6.1 Introduction to Discrete Markov Chains

Illustration of sampling from a random walk distribution.

```
P <- matrix(c(.5, .5, 0, 0, 0, 0,
              .25, .5, .25, 0, 0, 0,
              0, .25, .5, .25, 0, 0,
              0, 0, .25, .5, .25, 0,
              0, 0, 0, .25, .5, .25,
              0, 0, 0, 0, .5, .5),
            nrow=6, ncol=6, byrow=TRUE)

P

##      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5] [,6]
## [1,] 0.50 0.50 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
## [2,] 0.25 0.50 0.25 0.00 0.00 0.00
## [3,] 0.00 0.25 0.50 0.25 0.00 0.00
## [4,] 0.00 0.00 0.25 0.50 0.25 0.00
## [5,] 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.25 0.50 0.25
## [6,] 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.50 0.50

s <- array(0, c(50000, 1))
s[1] <- 3
for (j in 2:50000){
  s[j] <- sample(1:6, size=1, prob=P[s[j - 1],])
}
```

```

m <- c(500, 2000, 8000, 50000)
for (i in 1:4){
  print(table(s[1:m[i]]) / m[i])
}

##
##      1      2      3      4      5      6
## 0.138 0.158 0.142 0.194 0.236 0.132
##
##      1      2      3      4      5      6
## 0.1010 0.1895 0.1810 0.1905 0.2080 0.1300
##
##      1      2      3      4      5      6
## 0.111250 0.209375 0.195000 0.190625 0.186625 0.107125
##
##      1      2      3      4      5      6
## 0.10062 0.19684 0.20054 0.20030 0.19934 0.10236
w <- matrix(c(.1, .2, .2, .2, .2, .1),
             nrow=1, ncol=6)
w %*% P

##      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5] [,6]
## [1,]  0.1  0.2  0.2  0.2  0.2  0.1

```

## 6.2 Learning about a Normal Population from Grouped Data

Have normally distributed data where the data is observed in grouped form. Consider the posterior of  $(\mu, \log \sigma)$ .

```

d <- list(int.lo=c(-Inf, seq(66, 74, by=2)),
          int.hi=c(seq(66, 74, by=2), Inf),
          f=c(14, 30, 49, 70, 33, 15))

y <- c(rep(65,14), rep(67,30), rep(69,49),
       rep(71,70), rep(73,33), rep(75,15))
mean(y)

## [1] 70.16588
log(sd(y))

## [1] 0.9504117

```

First obtain normal approximation to posterior.

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```
start <- c(70, 1)
fit <- laplace(groupeddatapost, start, d)
fit
```

```
## $mode
## [1] 70.169880 0.973644
##
## $var
##           [,1]      [,2]
## [1,] 3.534713e-02 3.520776e-05
## [2,] 3.520776e-05 3.146470e-03
##
## $int
## [1] -350.6305
##
## $converge
## [1] TRUE
```

Now use a Metropolis (random walk) MCMC algorithm.

```
modal.sds <- sqrt(diag(fit$var))
proposal <- list(var=fit$var, scale=2)
fit2 <- rwmetrop(groupeddatapost,
                 proposal,
                 start,
                 10000, d)
```

```
fit2$accept
```

```
## [1] 0.3011
```

```
post.means <- apply(fit2$par, 2, mean)
post.sds <- apply(fit2$par, 2, sd)
cbind(c(fit$mode), modal.sds)
```

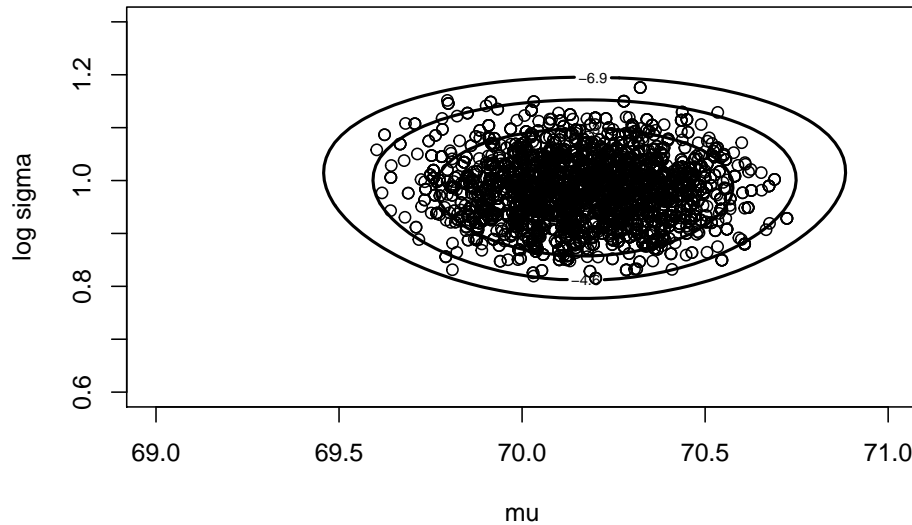
```
##           modal.sds
## [1,] 70.169880 0.18800834
## [2,] 0.973644 0.05609341
```

```
cbind(post.means, post.sds)
```

```
##           post.means  post.sds
## [1,] 70.1683845 0.18297635
## [2,] 0.9803531 0.05545176
```

```
mycontour(groupeddatapost,
           c(69, 71, .6, 1.3), d,
           xlab="mu", ylab="log sigma")
points(fit2$par[5001:10000, 1],
```

```
fit2$par[5001:10000, 2])
```



### 6.3 Example of Output Analysis

Illustrate MCMC diagnostics for different Metropolis chains with different proposal widths.

```
d <- list(int.lo=c(-Inf, seq(66, 74, by=2)),
          int.hi=c(seq(66, 74, by=2), Inf),
          f=c(14, 30, 49, 70, 33, 15))
```

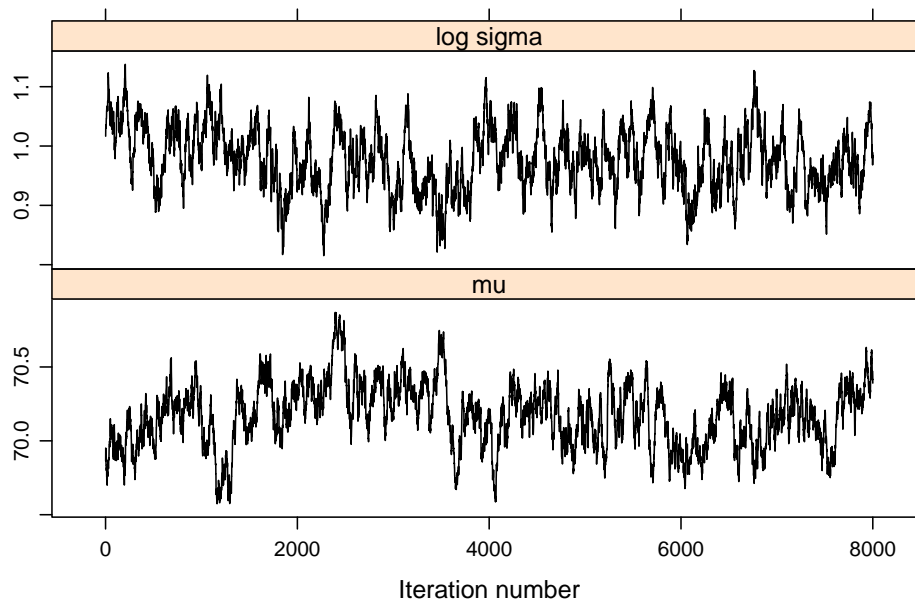
```
library(coda)
library(lattice)
```

```
start <- c(70,1)
fit <- laplace(grouppeddatapost, start, d)
```

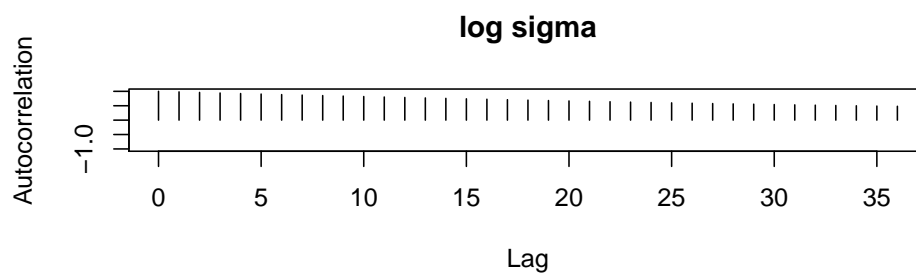
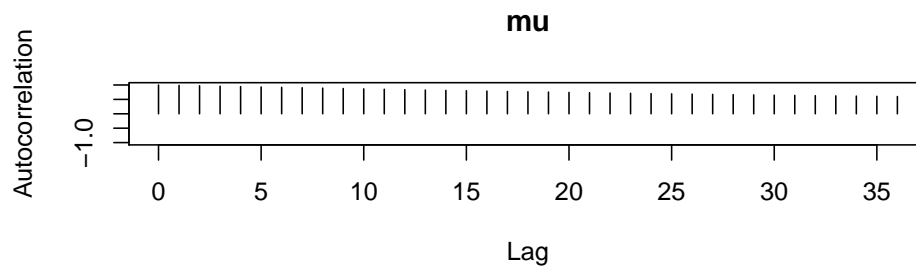
```
start <- c(65,1)
proposal <- list(var=fit$var, scale=0.2)
bayesfit <- rwmotrop(grouppeddatapost,
                    proposal,
                    start,
                    10000, d)
```

```
dimnames(bayesfit$par)[[2]] <- c("mu", "log sigma")
xyplot(mcmc(bayesfit$par[-c(1:2000), ]),
       col="black")
```





```
par(mfrow=c(2, 1))
autocorr.plot(mcmc(bayesfit$par[-c(1:2000), ]),
              auto.layout=FALSE)
```



```
summary(mcmc(bayesfit$par[-c(1:2000), ]))
```

```
##
```

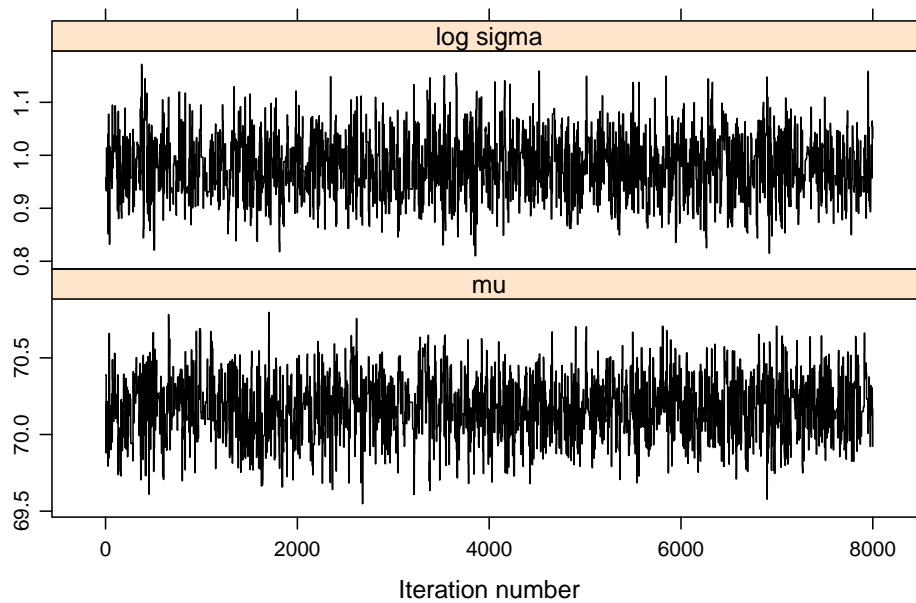
```
## Iterations = 1:8000
## Thinning interval = 1
## Number of chains = 1
## Sample size per chain = 8000
##
## 1. Empirical mean and standard deviation for each variable,
##    plus standard error of the mean:
##
##              Mean      SD Naive SE Time-series SE
## mu          70.1703 0.21342 0.0023861      0.028804
## log sigma   0.9774 0.05308 0.0005934      0.005875
##
## 2. Quantiles for each variable:
##
##              2.5%      25%      50%      75%  97.5%
## mu          69.7478 70.0242 70.1792 70.316 70.589
## log sigma   0.8756 0.9395 0.9761 1.017 1.076
```

```
batchSE(mcmc(bayesfit$par[-c(1:2000), ]),
        batchSize=50)
```

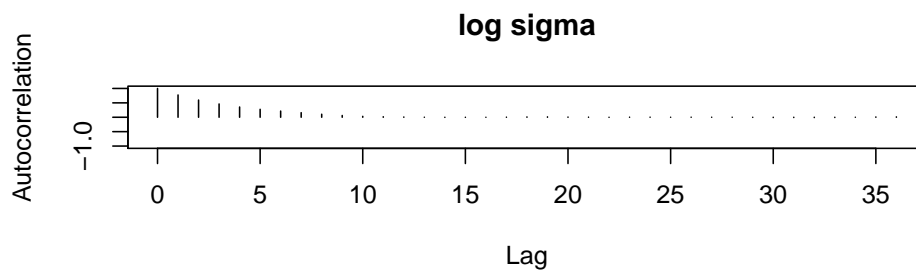
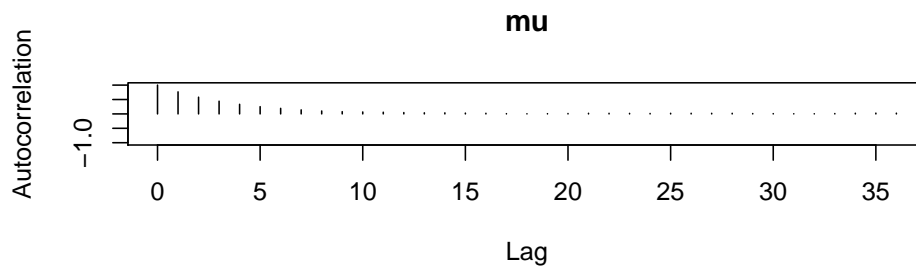
```
##              mu      log sigma
## 0.015097003 0.003629486
```

```
start <- c(70,1)
proposal <- list(var=fit$var, scale=2.0)
bayesfit <- rwmotrop(groupeddatapost,
                    proposal,
                    start,
                    10000, d)
```

```
dimnames(bayesfit$par)[[2]] <- c("mu", "log sigma")
sim.parameters <- mcmc(bayesfit$par[-c(1:2000), ])
xyplot(mcmc(bayesfit$par[-c(1:2000), ]),
       col="black")
```



```
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
autocorr.plot(sim.parameters,auto.layout=FALSE)
```



```
summary(sim.parameters)
```

```
##
## Iterations = 1:8000
```

```
## Thinning interval = 1
## Number of chains = 1
## Sample size per chain = 8000
##
## 1. Empirical mean and standard deviation for each variable,
##    plus standard error of the mean:
##
##              Mean      SD Naive SE Time-series SE
## mu          70.1768 0.19412 0.0021703      0.005967
## log sigma   0.9795 0.05732 0.0006409      0.001795
##
## 2. Quantiles for each variable:
##
##              2.5%      25%      50%      75%  97.5%
## mu          69.7923 70.0437 70.1745 70.309 70.556
## log sigma   0.8677  0.9398  0.9804  1.019  1.088
batchSE(sim.parameters, batchSize=50)

##              mu      log sigma
## 0.006082428 0.001632771
```

## 6.4 Modeling Data with Cauchy Errors

Assuming data that is sampled from a Cauchy density with a noninformative prior placed on the location and scale parameters.

```
mean(darwin$difference)
```

```
## [1] 21.66667
```

```
log(sd(darwin$difference))
```

```
## [1] 3.65253
```

First illustrate normal approximation.

```
laplace(cauchyerrorpost,
        c(21.6, 3.6),
        darwin$difference)
```

```
## $mode
```

```
## [1] 24.701745  2.772619
```

```
##
```

```
## $var
```

```
##              [,1]      [,2]
```

```
## [1,] 34.9600525 0.3672899
```

```
## [2,]  0.3672899 0.1378279
```

```
##
```

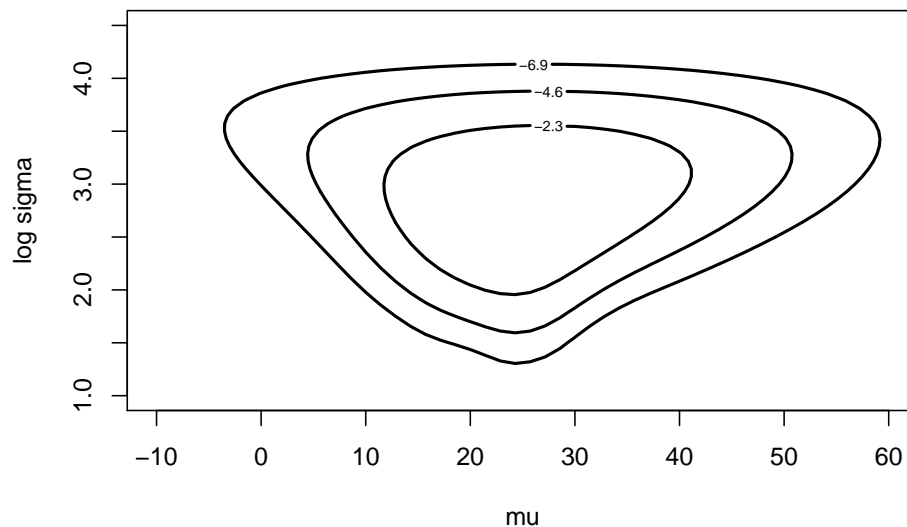
```
## $int
## [1] -73.2404
##
## $converge
## [1] TRUE

laplace(cauchyerrorpost,
        .1 * c(21.6, 3.6),
        darwin$difference)$mode

## [1] 24.698151  2.772345
c(24.7 - 4 * sqrt(34.96), 24.7 + 4 * sqrt(34.96))

## [1] 1.049207 48.350793
c(2.77 - 4 * sqrt(.138), 2.77 + 4 * sqrt(.138))

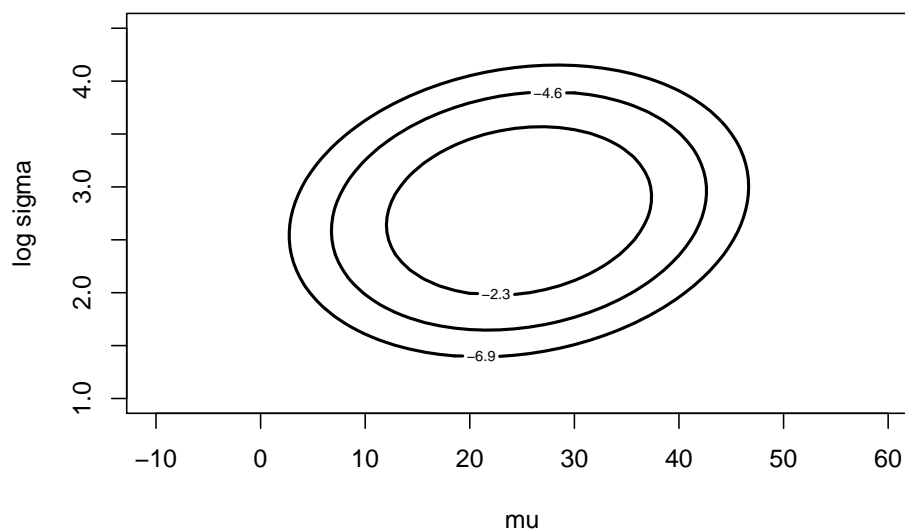
## [1] 1.284066 4.255934
mycontour(cauchyerrorpost,
          c(-10, 60, 1, 4.5),
          darwin$difference,
          xlab="mu", ylab="log sigma")
```



```
fitlaplace <- laplace(cauchyerrorpost,
                      c(21.6, 3.6),
                      darwin$difference)

mycontour(lbinorm,
          c(-10, 60, 1, 4.5),
          list(m=fitlaplace$mode,
```

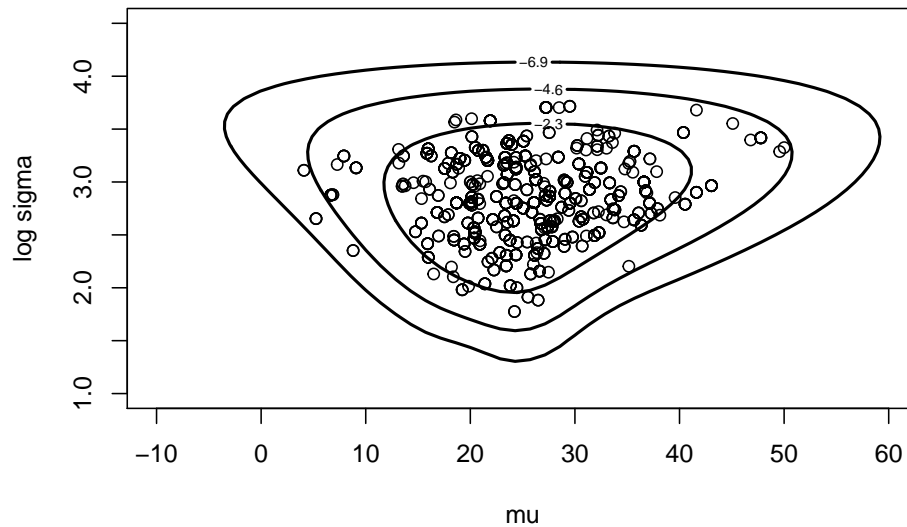
```
v=fitlaplace$var),
xlab="mu",ylab="log sigma")
```



Next illustrate random walk Metropolis.

```
proposal <- list(var=fitlaplace$var, scale=2.5)
start <- c(20, 3)
m <- 1000
s <- rwmotrop(cauchyerrorpost, proposal,
              start, m, darwin$difference)
```

```
mycontour(cauchyerrorpost,
           c(-10, 60, 1, 4.5),
           darwin$difference,
           xlab="mu", ylab="log sigma")
points(s$par[,1], s$par[,2])
```



```
fitgrid <- simcontour(cauchyerrorpost,
  c(-10,60,1,4.5),
  darwin$difference,
  50000)
```

```
proposal <- list(var=fitlaplace$var,
  scale=2.5)
start=c(20, 3)
fitrw=rwmetrop(cauchyerrorpost,
  proposal,
  start,
  50000,
  darwin$difference)
```

Illustrate metropolis-hastings independence chain.

```
proposal2 <- list(var=fitlaplace$var,
  mu=t(fitlaplace$mode))
fitindep <- indepmetrop(cauchyerrorpost,
  proposal2,
  start,
  50000,
  darwin$difference)
```

Illustrate metropolis-within-Gibbs.

```
fitgibbs <- gibbs(cauchyerrorpost,
  start,
  50000,
  c(12,.75),
  darwin$difference)
```

```

apply(fitrw$par,2,mean)

## [1] 25.461642  2.838586
apply(fitrw$par,2,sd)

## [1] 6.9419258 0.3693491

```

## 6.5 Analysis of the Stanford Heart Transplant Data

Using a Pareto model to analyze heart transplant data.

Laplace fit.

```

start <- c(0, 3, -1)
laplacefit <- laplace(transplantpost,
                      start, stanfordheart)
laplacefit

## $mode
## [1] -0.09210954  3.38385249 -0.72334008
##
## $var
##           [,1]      [,2]      [,3]
## [1,]  0.172788525 -0.009282308 -0.04995160
## [2,] -0.009282308  0.214737054  0.09301323
## [3,] -0.049951602  0.093013230  0.06891796
##
## $int
## [1] -376.2504
##
## $converge
## [1] TRUE

```

Random walk metropolis.

```

proposal <- list(var=laplacefit$var, scale=2)
s <- rwmotrop(transplantpost,
              proposal,
              start, 10000, stanfordheart)
s$accept

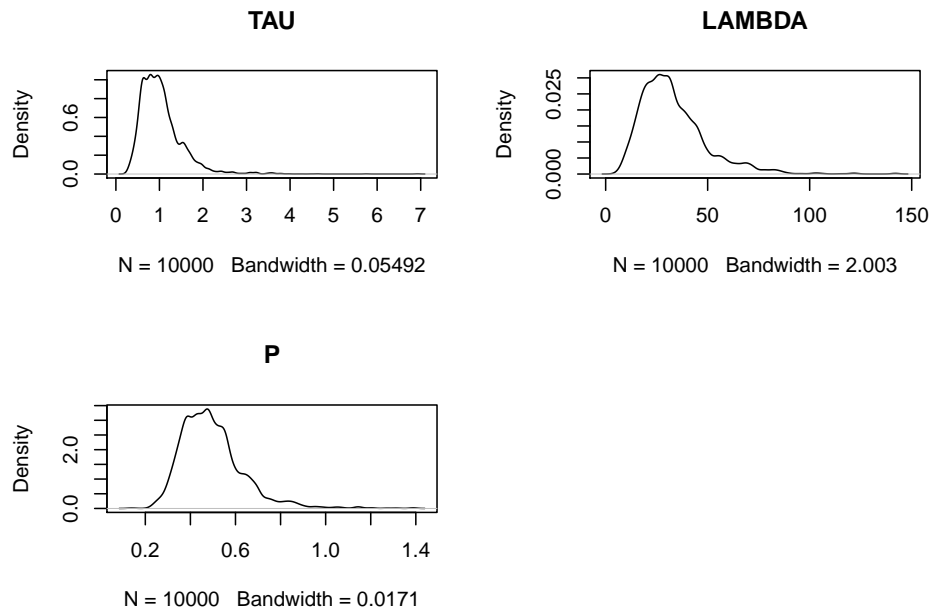
## [1] 0.1878

par(mfrow=c(2,2))
tau <- exp(s$par[,1])
plot(density(tau), main="TAU")

```



```
lambda <- exp(s$par[,2])
plot(density(lambda), main="LAMBDA")
p <- exp(s$par[,3])
plot(density(p), main="P")
```



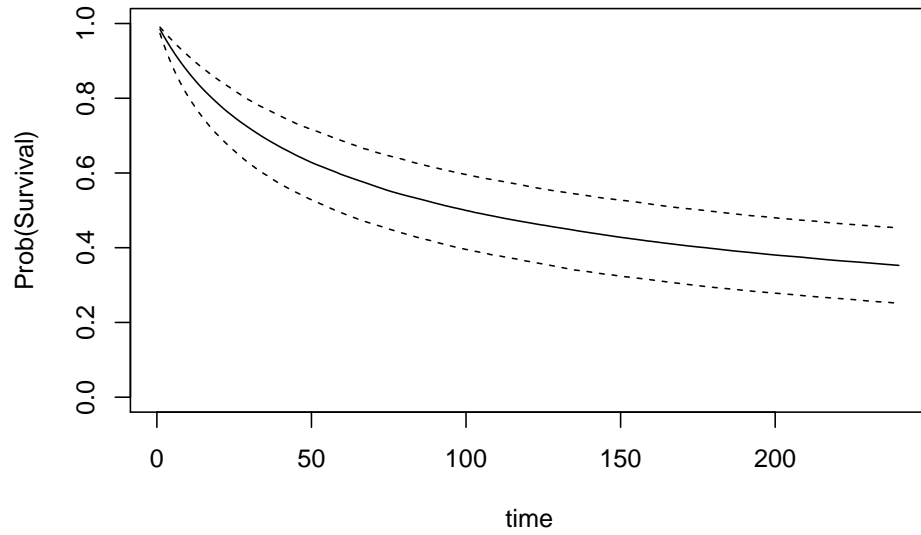
```
apply(exp(s$par), 2, quantile, c(.05, .5, .95))
```

```
##           [,1]      [,2]      [,3]
## 5%  0.4816982 13.52028 0.3185855
## 50% 0.9500635 30.09466 0.4760481
## 95% 1.8746643 65.04539 0.7455402

par(mfrow=c(1, 1))
t <- seq(1, 240)
p5 <- 0*t
p50 <- 0 * t
p95 <- 0 * t
for (j in 1:240){
  S <- (lambda / (lambda + t[j])) ^ p
  q <- quantile(S, c(.05, .5, .95))
  p5[j] <- q[1]
  p50[j] <- q[2]
  p95[j] <- q[3]
}
```

Estimating a patient's survival curve.

```
plot(t, p50, type="l",  
     ylim=c(0,1),  
     ylab="Prob(Survival)",  
     xlab="time")  
lines(t, p5, lty=2)  
lines(t, p95, lty=2)
```



## Chapter 7

# Hierarchical Modeling

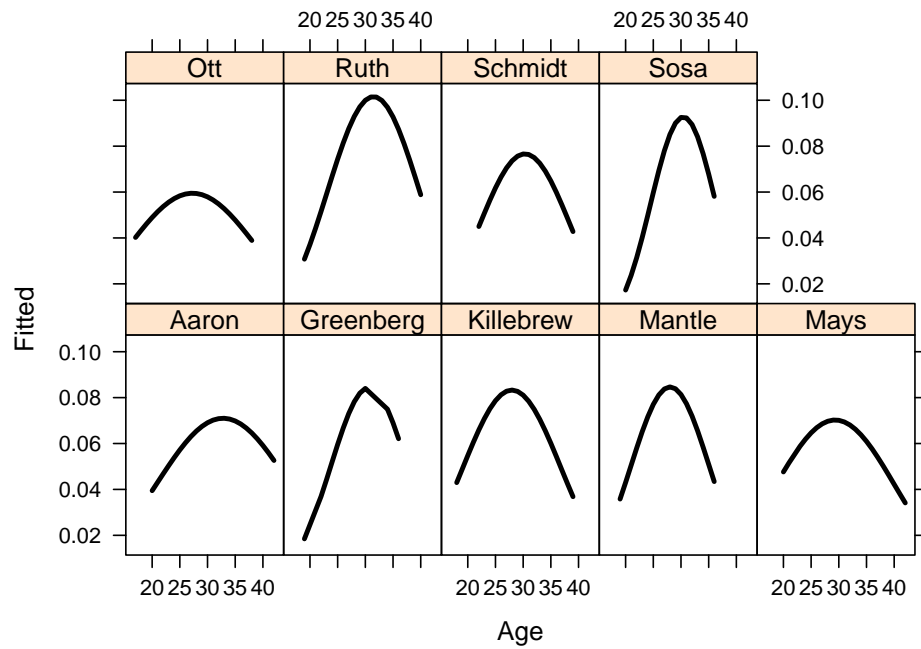
### 7.1 Introduction to Hierarchical Modeling

```
library(LearnBayes)
library(lattice)
```

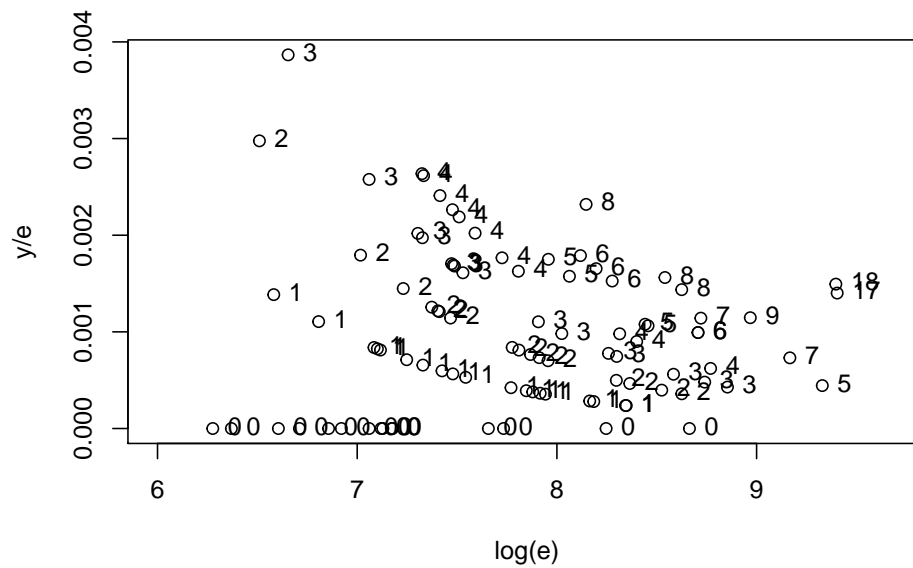
Fit logistic model for home run data for a particular player

```
logistic.fit <- function(player){
  d <- subset(sluggerdata, Player==player)
  x <- d$Age
  x2 <- d$Age^2
  response <- cbind(d$HR, d$AB - d$HR)
  list(Age=x,
       p=glm(response ~ x + x2,
             family=binomial)$fitted)
}

names <- unique(sluggerdata$Player)
newdata <- NULL
for (j in 1:9){
  fit <- logistic.fit(as.character(names[j]))
  newdata <- rbind(newdata,
                   data.frame(as.character(names[j]),
                              fit$Age, fit$p))
}
names(newdata) <- c("Player", "Age", "Fitted")
xyplot(Fitted ~ Age | Player,
       data=newdata,
       type="l", lwd=3, col="black")
```



```
with(hearttransplants,
  plot(log(e), y / e, xlim=c(6, 9.7),
    xlab="log(e)", ylab="y/e"))
with(hearttransplants,
  text(log(e), y / e,
    labels=as.character(y), pos=4))
```



## 7.3 Equal Mortality Rates?

Using posterior predictive checks to see if equal mortality rate model is appropriate.

```
with(hearttransplants, sum(y))
```

```
## [1] 277
```

```
with(hearttransplants, sum(e))
```

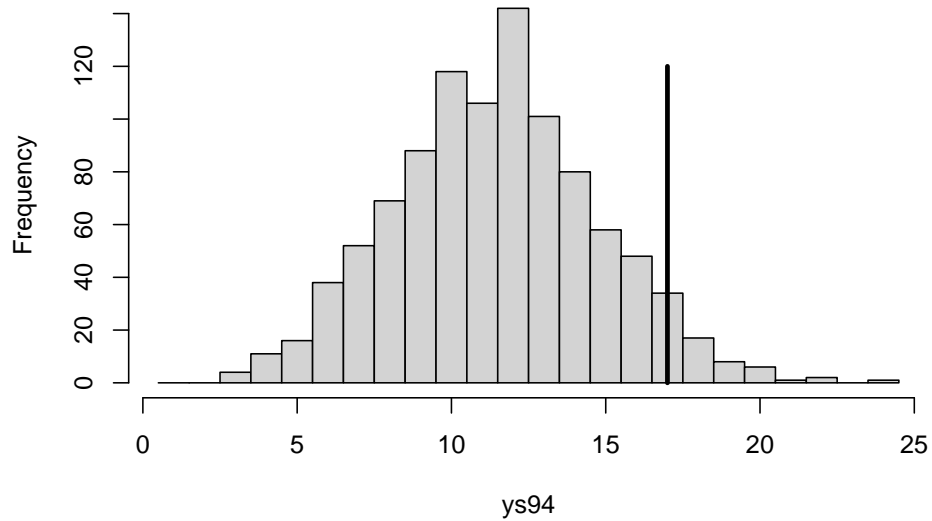
```
## [1] 294681
```

```
lambda <- rgamma(1000, shape=277, rate=294681)
```

```
ys94 <- with(hearttransplants,
  rpois(1000, e[94] * lambda))
```

```
hist(ys94, breaks=seq(0.5, max(ys94) + 0.5))
```

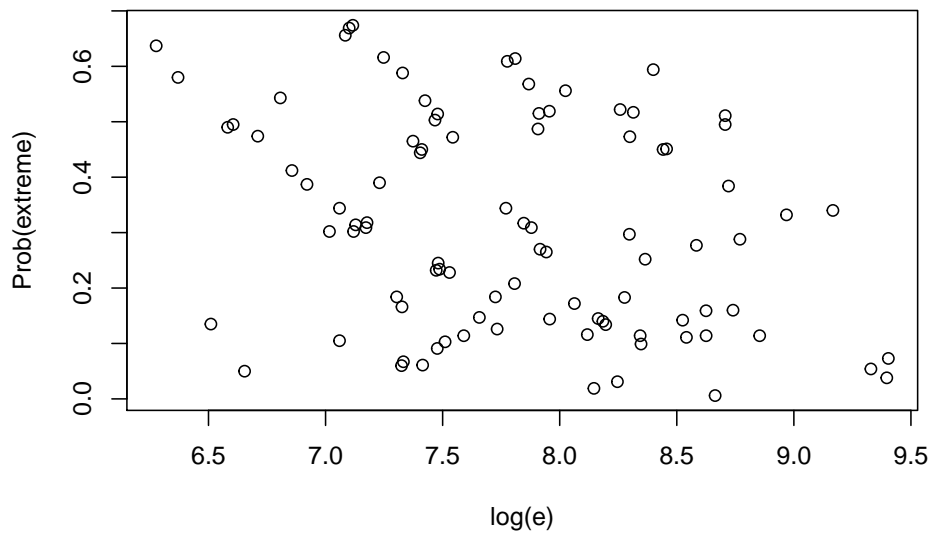
```
with(hearttransplants,
  lines(c(y[94], y[94]), c(0, 120), lwd=3))
```

**Histogram of ys94**

Find posterior predictive distribution of each observation with its posterior predictive distribution.

```
lambda <- rgamma(1000, shape=277, rate=294681)
prob.out <- function(i){
  ysi <- with(hearttransplants,
    rpois(1000, e[i] * lambda))
  pleft <- with(hearttransplants,
    sum(ysi <= y[i]) / 1000)
  pright <- with(hearttransplants,
    sum(ysi >= y[i]) / 1000)
  min(pleft, pright)
}
pout <- sapply(1:94, prob.out)
```

```
with(hearttransplants,
  plot(log(e), pout, ylab="Prob(extreme)"))
```

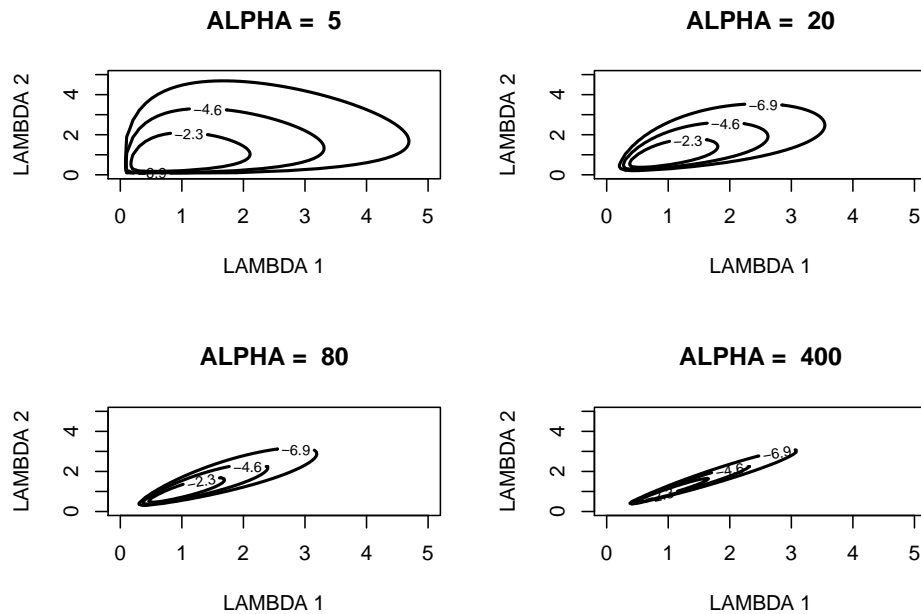


## 7.4 Modeling a Prior Belief of Exchangeability

Graph of two-stage prior to model a belief in exchangeability of the Poisson rates.

```
pgexchprior <- function(lambda, pars){
  alpha <- pars[1]
  a <- pars[2]
  b <- pars[3]
  (alpha - 1) * log(prod(lambda)) -
    (2 * alpha + a) * log(alpha * sum(lambda) + b)
}
```

```
alpha <- c(5, 20, 80, 400)
par(mfrow=c(2, 2))
for (j in 1:4){
  mycontour(pgexchprior,
    c(.001, 5, .001, 5),
    c(alpha[j], 10, 10),
    main=paste("ALPHA = ", alpha[j]),
    xlab="LAMBDA 1", ylab="LAMBDA 2")
}
```



## 7.5 Simulating from the Posterior

Representing posterior as  $[\mu, \alpha] \{ \{\lambda_j\} | \mu, \alpha \}$ .

Focus on posterior of  $[\mu, \alpha]$ :

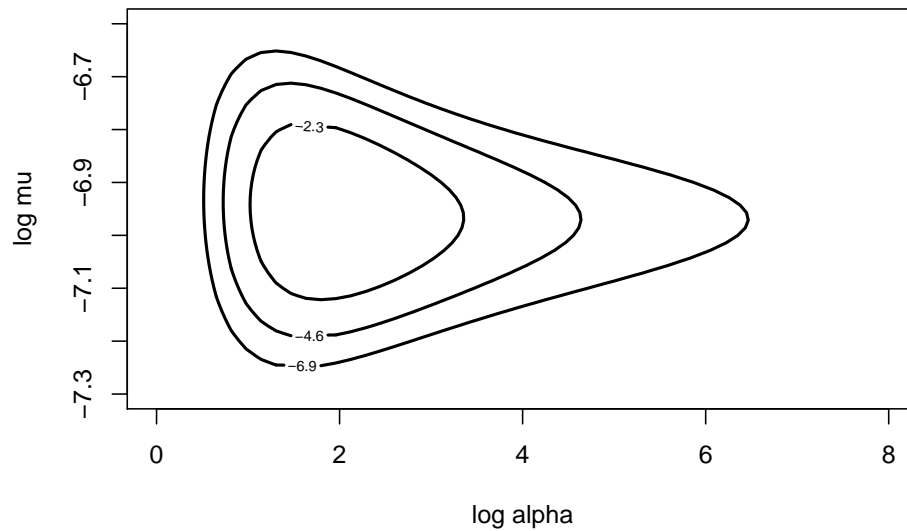
```
datapar <- list(data = hearttransplants, z0 = 0.53)
start <- c(2, -7)
fit <- laplace(poissgamexch, start, datapar)
fit
```

```
## $mode
## [1] 1.883954 -6.955446
##
## $var
##           [,1]      [,2]
## [1,] 0.233694921 -0.003086655
## [2,] -0.003086655 0.005866020
##
## $int
## [1] -2208.503
##
## $converge
## [1] TRUE
```

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
mycontour(poissgamexch, c(0, 8, -7.3, -6.6),
```

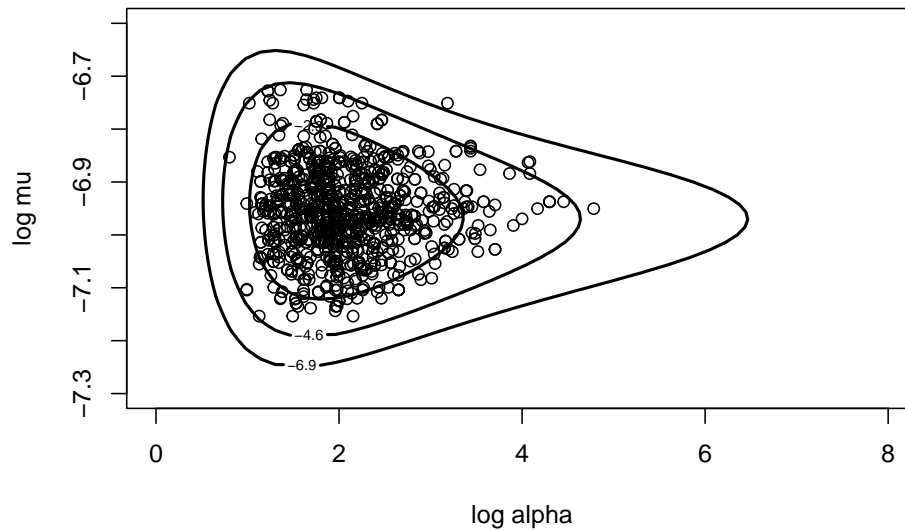


```
datapar,
xlab="log alpha", ylab="log mu")
```



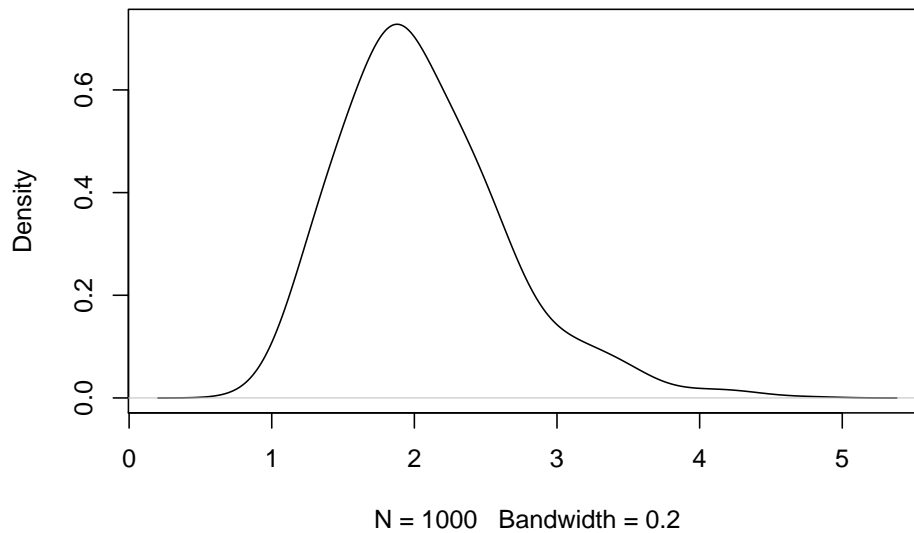
```
start <- c(4, -7)
fitgibbs <- gibbs(poissgamexch,
                 start, 1000,
                 c(1, .15), datapar)
fitgibbs$accept
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]
## [1,] 0.502 0.476
mycontour(poissgamexch,
          c(0, 8, -7.3, -6.6),
          datapar,
          xlab="log alpha", ylab="log mu")
points(fitgibbs$par[, 1], fitgibbs$par[, 2])
```



```
plot(density(fitgibbs$par[, 1], bw = 0.2))
```

**density.default(x = fitgibbs\$par[, 1], bw = 0.2)**



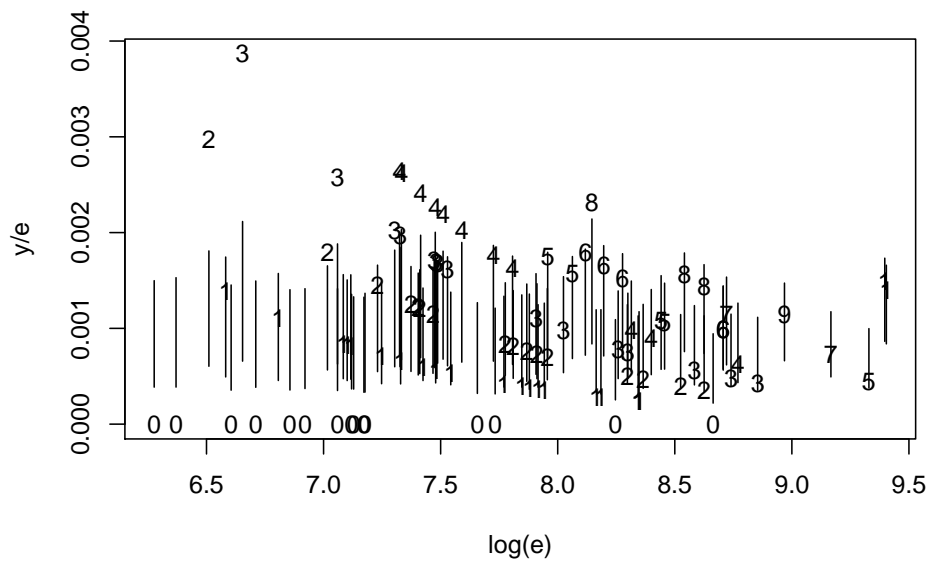
Posterior of rates:

```
alpha <- exp(fitgibbs$par[, 1])
mu <- exp(fitgibbs$par[, 2])
lam1 <- rgamma(1000, y[1] + alpha,
               hearttransplants$e[1] + alpha / mu)
alpha <- exp(fitgibbs$par[, 1])
mu <- exp(fitgibbs$par[, 2])
```

```

with(hearttransplants,
  plot(log(e), y/e, pch = as.character(y)))
for (i in 1:94) {
  lami <- with(hearttransplants,
    rgamma(1000, y[i] + alpha,
      e[i] + alpha/mu))
  probint <- quantile(lami, c(0.05, 0.95))
  with(hearttransplants,
    lines(log(e[i]) * c(1, 1), probint))
}

```



## 7.6 Posterior Inferences

```

datapar <- list(data = hearttransplants, z0 = 0.53)
start <- c(2, -7)
fit <- laplace(poissgamexch, start, datapar)
fit

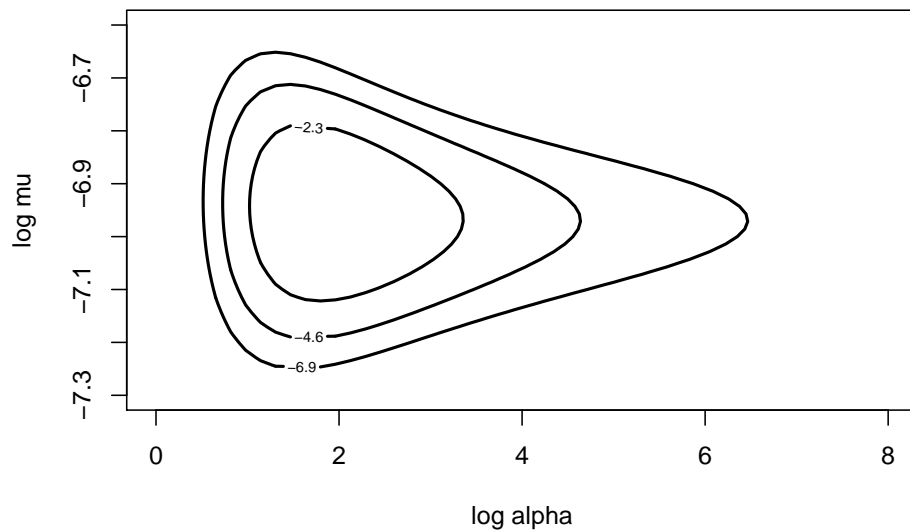
```

```

## $mode
## [1] 1.883954 -6.955446
##
## $var
##           [,1]      [,2]
## [1,] 0.233694921 -0.003086655
## [2,] -0.003086655 0.005866020

```

```
##
## $int
## [1] -2208.503
##
## $converge
## [1] TRUE
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
mycontour(poissgamexch,
          c(0, 8, -7.3, -6.6), datapar,
          xlab="log alpha", ylab="log mu")
```



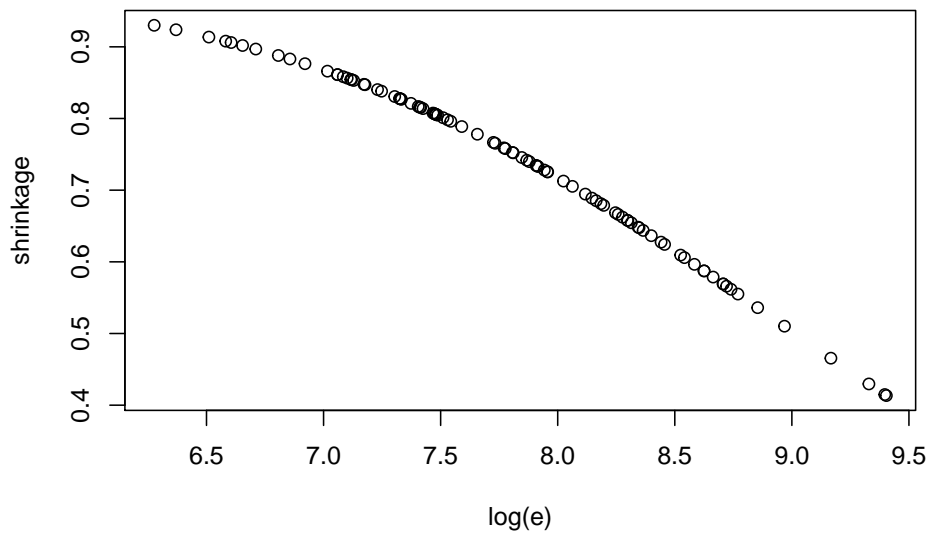
```
start <- c(4, -7)
fitgibbs <- gibbs(poissgamexch,
                  start, 1000,
                  c(1,.15), datapar)
```

```
alpha <- exp(fitgibbs$par[, 1])
mu <- exp(fitgibbs$par[, 2])
```

Look at posteriors of shrinkages.

```
shrink <-function(i)
with(hearttransplants,
     mean(alpha / (alpha + e[i] * mu)))
shrinkage=sapply(1:94, shrink)
```

```
with(hearttransplants,
     plot(log(e), shrinkage))
```



Comparing hospitals.

```
mrate <- function(i){
  with(hearttransplants,
    mean(rgamma(1000, y[i] + alpha,
                  e[i] + alpha/mu)))
}
hospital <- 1:94
meanrate <- sapply(hospital,mrate)
hospital[meanrate == min(meanrate)]

## [1] 85

sim.lambda <- function(i) {
  with(hearttransplants,
    rgamma(1000, y[i] + alpha,
            e[i] + alpha / mu))
}
LAM <- sapply(1:94, sim.lambda)

compare.rates <- function(x) {
  nc <- NCOL(x)
  ij <- as.matrix(expand.grid(1:nc, 1:nc))
  m <- as.matrix(x[,ij[,1]] > x[,ij[,2]])
  matrix(colMeans(m), nc, nc, byrow = TRUE)
}

better <- compare.rates(LAM)

better[1:24, 85]
```

```
## [1] 0.195 0.197 0.095 0.124 0.141 0.231 0.214 0.168 0.079 0.198 0.197 0.162
## [13] 0.198 0.098 0.069 0.209 0.231 0.095 0.265 0.153 0.140 0.154 0.051 0.067
```

## 7.7 Bayesian Sensitivity Analysis

Explore sensitivity of inference with respect to the choice of  $z_0$  in prior.

```
datapar <- list(data = hearttransplants,
               z0 = 0.53)

start <- c(4, -7)
fitgibbs <- gibbs(poissgamexch,
                 start, 1000,
                 c(1,.15), datapar)

sir.old.new <- function(theta, prior, prior.new){
  log.g <- log(prior(theta))
  log.g.new <- log(prior.new(theta))
  wt <- exp(log.g.new - log.g -
            max(log.g.new - log.g))
  probs <- wt / sum(wt)
  n <- length(probs)
  indices <- sample(1:n, size=n,
                   prob=probs, replace=TRUE)
  theta[indices]
}

prior <- function(theta){
  0.53 * exp(theta) / (exp(theta) + 0.53) ^ 2
}
prior.new <- function(theta){
  5 * exp(theta) / (exp(theta) + 5) ^ 2
}

log.alpha <- fitgibbs$par[, 1]
log.alpha.new <- sir.old.new(log.alpha,
                             prior, prior.new)

library(lattice)

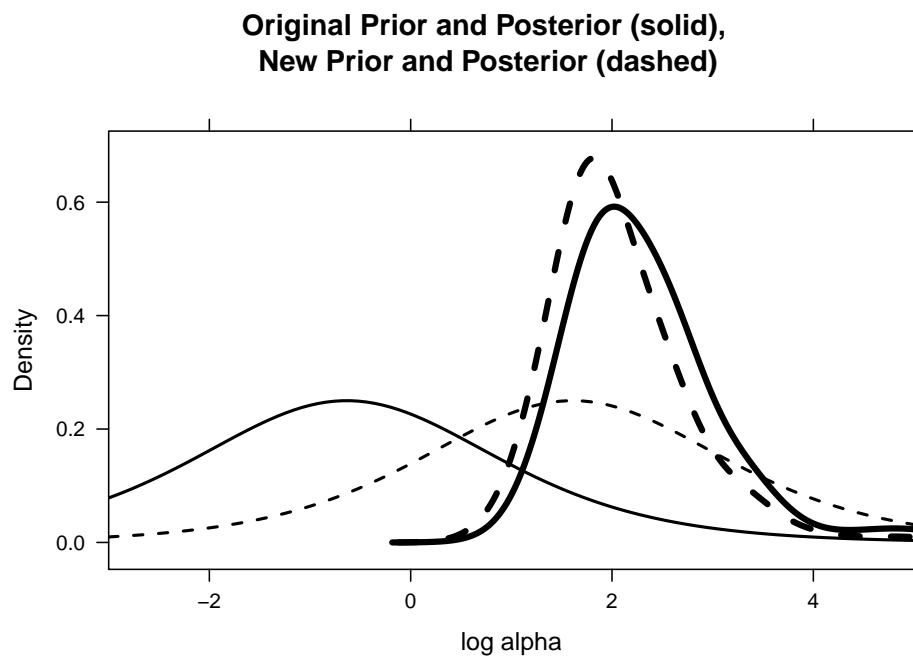
draw.graph <- function(){
  LOG.ALPHA <- data.frame("prior", log.alpha)
  names(LOG.ALPHA) <- c("Prior", "log.alpha")
  LOG.ALPHA.NEW <- data.frame("new.prior",
                             log.alpha.new)
  names(LOG.ALPHA.NEW) <- c("Prior", "log.alpha")
  D <- densityplot(~ log.alpha,
```

```

      group=Prior,
      data = rbind(LOG.ALPHA, LOG.ALPHA.NEW),
      plot.points=FALSE,
      main="Original Prior and Posterior (solid), \nNew Prior and Posterior (dashed)",
      lwd=4, adjust=2, lty=c(1,2),
      xlab="log alpha",xlim=c(-3,5),col="black")
update(D, panel=function(...){
  panel.curve(prior(x), lty=1, lwd=2,
              col="black")
  panel.curve(prior.new(x), lty=2, lwd=2,
              col="black")
  panel.densityplot(...)
})}

draw.graph()

```



## 7.8 Posterior Predictive Model Checking

Study predictive distributions of observations.

```
datapar <- list(data = hearttransplants, z0 = 0.53)
```

```
start <- c(4, -7)
fitgibbs <- gibbs(poissgamexch,
```

```

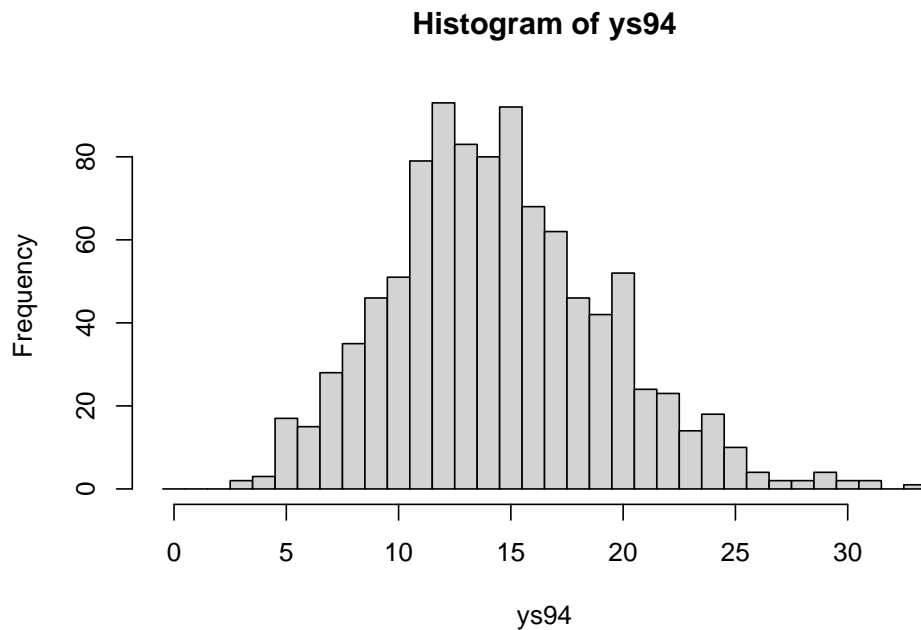
      start, 1000, c(1,.15),
      datapar)

lam94 <- with(hearttransplants,
  rgamma(1000, y[94] + alpha,
    e[94] + alpha / mu))

ys94 <- with(hearttransplants,
  rpois(1000, e[94] * lam94))

hist(ys94, breaks=seq(-0.5, max(ys94) + 0.5))
lines(y[94] * c(1, 1), c(0, 100), lwd=3)

```



Explore the probabilities that the predictive distribution of each observation is at least as large as observed  $y_i$ .

```

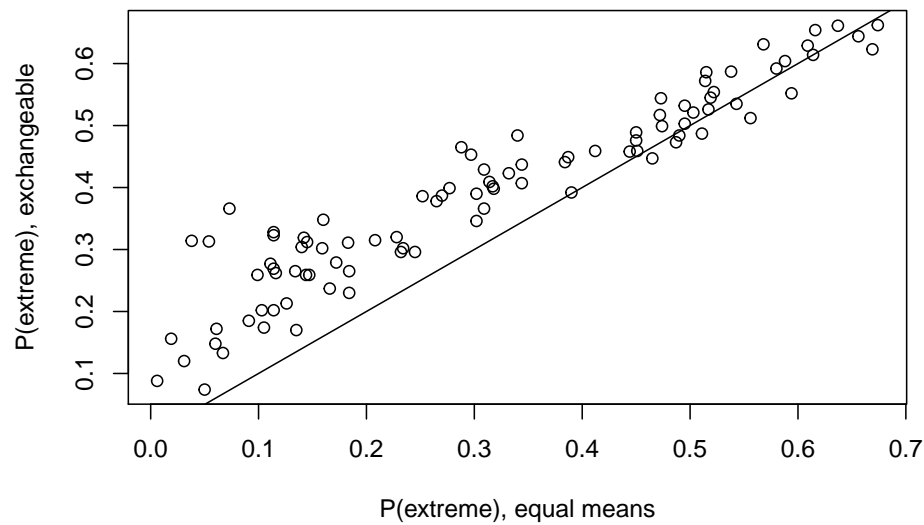
prob.out <- function(i){
  lami <- with(hearttransplants,
    rgamma(1000, y[i] + alpha,
      e[i] + alpha / mu))
  ysi <- with(hearttransplants,
    rpois(1000, e[i] * lami))
  pleft <- with(hearttransplants,
    sum(ysi <= y[i]) / 1000)
  pright <- with(hearttransplants,
    sum(ysi >= y[i]) / 1000)
}

```



```
    min(pleft, pright)
  }
pout.exchange <- sapply(1:94, prob.out)

plot(pout, pout.exchange,
     xlab="P(extreme), equal means",
     ylab="P(extreme), exchangeable")
abline(0,1)
```





## Chapter 8

# Model Comparison

### 8.1 A One-Sided Test of a Normal Mean

Bayesian testing of  $\mu \leq \mu_0$  against  $\mu > \mu_0$ .

```
library(LearnBayes)

pmean <- 170
pvar <- 25
probH <- pnorm(175, pmean, sqrt(pvar))
probA <- 1 - probH
prior.odds <- probH / probA
prior.odds

## [1] 5.302974

weights <- c(182, 172, 173, 176, 176, 180,
             173, 174, 179, 175)
xbar <- mean(weights)
sigma2 <- 3 ^ 2 / length(weights)

post.precision <- 1 / sigma2 + 1 / pvar
post.var <- 1 / post.precision

post.mean <- (xbar / sigma2 + pmean / pvar) /
             post.precision
c(post.mean, sqrt(post.var))

## [1] 175.7915058 0.9320546

post.odds <- pnorm(175, post.mean,
                  sqrt(post.var)) /
            (1 - pnorm(175, post.mean,
```

```

                                sqrt(post.var)))
post.odds

## [1] 0.2467017
BF <- post.odds / prior.odds
BF

## [1] 0.04652139
postH <- probH * BF / (probH * BF + probA)
postH

## [1] 0.1978835

Contrast with a frequentist p-value calculation.

z <- sqrt(length(weights)) *
  (mean(weights) - 175) / 3
1 - pnorm(z)

## [1] 0.1459203
weights <- c(182, 172, 173, 176, 176, 180,
             173, 174, 179, 175)
data <- c(mean(weights), length(weights), 3)
prior.par <- c(170, 1000)
mnormt.onesided(175, prior.par, data)

## $BF
## [1] 0.1694947
##
## $prior.odds
## [1] 1.008011
##
## $post.odds
## [1] 0.1708525
##
## $postH
## [1] 0.1459215

```

## 8.2 A Two-Sided Test of a Normal Mean

Bayesian testing of  $\mu = \mu_0$  against  $\mu \neq \mu_0$ .

```

weights <- c(182, 172, 173, 176, 176, 180,
             173, 174, 179, 175)

```

```

data <- c(mean(weights), length(weights), 3)
t <- c(.5, 1, 2, 4, 8)
mnormt.twosided(170, .5, t, data)

## $bf
## [1] 1.462146e-02 3.897038e-05 1.894326e-07 2.591162e-08 2.309739e-08
##
## $post
## [1] 1.441076e-02 3.896887e-05 1.894325e-07 2.591162e-08 2.309739e-08

```

### 8.3 Models for Soccer Goals

Illustrates the use of the marginal likelihood to compare several Bayesian models for soccer goals.

```

datapar <- list(data=soccergoals$goals,
                par=c(4.57, 1.43))
fit1 <- laplace(logpoissgamma, .5, datapar)
datapar <- list(data=soccergoals$goals,
                par=c(1, .5))
fit2 <- laplace(logpoissnormal, .5, datapar)
datapar <- list(data=soccergoals$goals,
                par=c(2, .5))
fit3 <- laplace(logpoissnormal, .5, datapar)
datapar <- list(data=soccergoals$goals,
                par=c(1, 2))
fit4 <- laplace(logpoissnormal, .5, datapar)

postmode <- c(fit1$mode, fit2$mode, fit3$mode,
              fit4$mode)
postsd <- sqrt(c(fit1$var, fit2$var, fit3$var,
                fit4$var))
logmarg <- c(fit1$int, fit2$int, fit3$int,
            fit4$int)
cbind(postmode, postsd, logmarg)

##      postmode  postsd  logmarg
## [1,] 0.5248047 0.1274414 -1.502977
## [2,] 0.5207825 0.1260712 -1.255171
## [3,] 0.5825195 0.1224723 -5.076316
## [4,] 0.4899414 0.1320165 -2.137216

```

## 8.4 Is a Baseball Hitter Really Streaky?

Defines a family of streaky models to measure the level of support for streakiness by a Bayes factor.

```
data <- cbind(jeter2004$H, jeter2004$AB)
data1 <- regroup(data, 5)
```

```
log.marg <- function(logK){
  laplace(bfexch, 0,
    list(data=data1, K=exp(logK)))$int
}
```

```
log.K <- seq(2, 6)
K <- exp(log.K)
log.BF <- sapply(log.K, log.marg)
BF <- exp(log.BF)
round(data.frame(log.K, K, log.BF, BF), 2)
```

```
##   log.K      K log.BF   BF
## 1     2   7.39 -4.04 0.02
## 2     3  20.09  0.17 1.19
## 3     4  54.60  0.92 2.51
## 4     5 148.41  0.57 1.78
## 5     6 403.43  0.26 1.29
```

## 8.5 A Test of Independence in a Two-Way Contingency Table

Constructs several Bayes factor statistics for two-way contingency tables.

```
data <- matrix(c(11, 9, 68, 23, 3, 5),
               c(2, 3))
data
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]  11  68   3
## [2,]   9  23   5
```

Traditional chi-square test of independence.

```
chisq.test(data)
```

```
## Warning in chisq.test(data): Chi-squared approximation may be incorrect
##
## Pearson's Chi-squared test
##
## data:  data
```

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```
## X-squared = 6.9264, df = 2, p-value = 0.03133
```

Bayes factor against independence using uniform priors.

```
a=matrix(rep(1, 6), c(2, 3))
a
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
## [1,]    1    1    1
## [2,]    1    1    1
```

```
ctable(data, a)
```

```
## [1] 1.662173
```

Consider Bayes factors against independence for alternatives close to independence.

```
log.K <- seq(2,7)
compute.log.BF <- function(log.K){
  log(bfindp(data, exp(log.K), 100000)$bf)
}
log.BF <- sapply(log.K, compute.log.BF)
BF <- exp(log.BF)
```

```
round(data.frame(log.K, log.BF, BF), 2)
```

```
##   log.K log.BF  BF
## 1     2 -0.59 0.55
## 2     3  0.26 1.30
## 3     4  0.77 2.16
## 4     5  0.73 2.08
## 5     6  0.43 1.54
## 6     7  0.20 1.22
```





## Chapter 9

# Regression Models

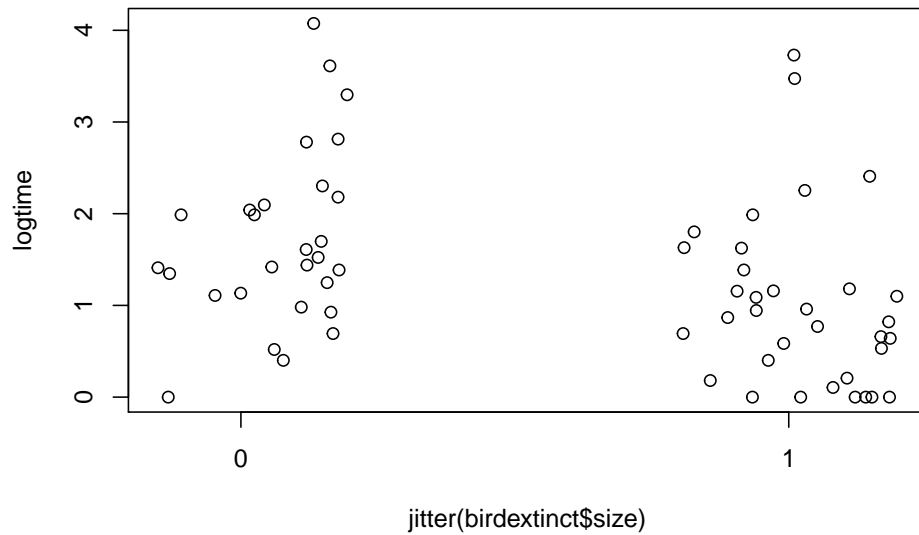
### 9.1 An Example of Bayesian Regression

```
library(LearnBayes)
```

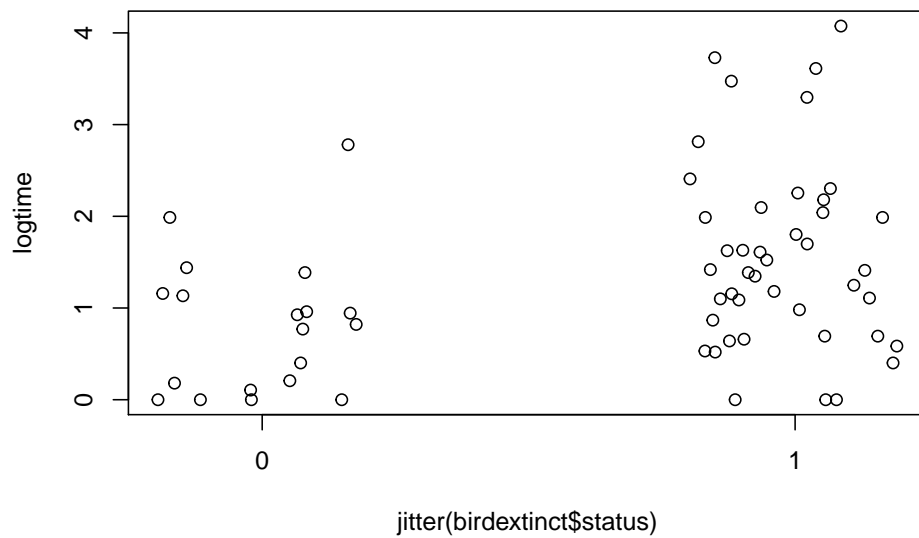
```
logtime <- log(birdextinct$time)
plot(birdextinct$nesting, logtime)
out <- (logtime > 3)
text(birdextinct$nesting[out], logtime[out],
     label=birdextinct$species[out], pos = 2)
```



```
plot(jitter(birdextinct$size), logtime,
     xaxp=c(0, 1, 1))
```



```
plot(jitter(birdextinct$status), logtime,
     xaxp=c(0, 1, 1))
```



Least-squares fit:

```
fit <- lm(logtime ~ nesting + size + status,
          data=birdextinct, x=TRUE, y=TRUE)
summary(fit)
```

```
##
```

```
## Call:
```

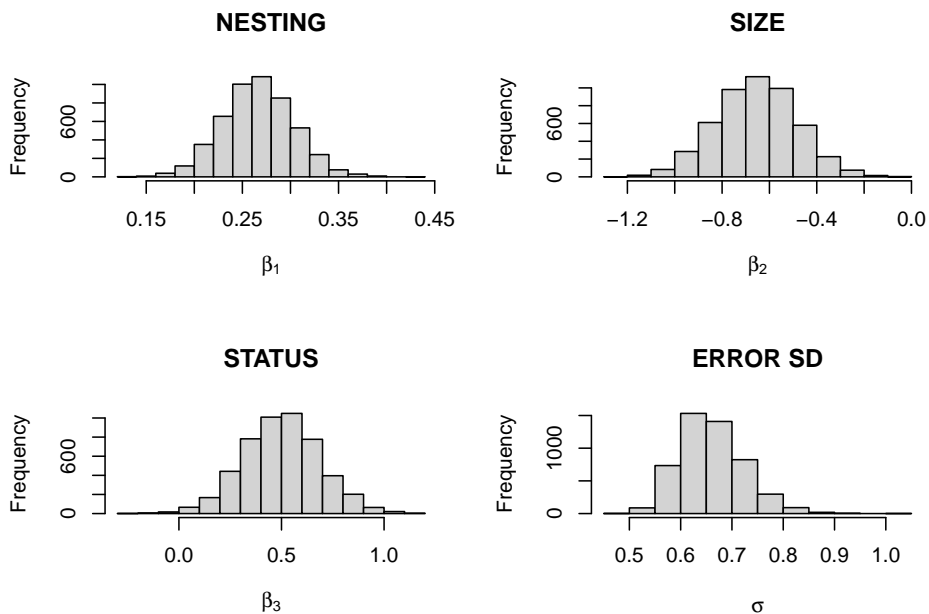
```
## lm(formula = logtime ~ nesting + size + status, data = birdextinct,
```

```
##      x = TRUE, y = TRUE)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min        1Q    Median        3Q        Max
## -1.8410 -0.2932 -0.0709   0.2165   2.5167
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   0.43087    0.20706   2.081 0.041870 *
## nesting       0.26501    0.03679   7.203 1.33e-09 ***
## size          -0.65220    0.16667  -3.913 0.000242 ***
## status        0.50417    0.18263   2.761 0.007712 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.6524 on 58 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.5982, Adjusted R-squared:  0.5775
## F-statistic: 28.79 on 3 and 58 DF,  p-value: 1.577e-11
```

Sampling from posterior using vague priors for parameters.

```
theta.sample <- blinreg(fit$y, fit$x, 5000)
```

```
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
hist(theta.sample$beta[,2], main="NESTING",
     xlab=expression(beta[1]))
hist(theta.sample$beta[,3], main="SIZE",
     xlab=expression(beta[2]))
hist(theta.sample$beta[,4], main="STATUS",
     xlab=expression(beta[3]))
hist(theta.sample$sigma, main="ERROR SD",
     xlab=expression(sigma))
```



```
apply(theta.sample$beta, 2, quantile,
      c(.05, .5, .95))
```

```
##      X(Intercept)  Xnesting      Xsize  Xstatus
## 5%      0.09782926 0.2060394 -0.9349520 0.1973827
## 50%     0.42879649 0.2654044 -0.6539278 0.5011496
## 95%     0.78922321 0.3268835 -0.3771980 0.8145627
```

```
quantile(theta.sample$sigma, c(.05, .5, .95))
```

```
##          5%          50%          95%
## 0.5691949 0.6548724 0.7692441
```

Estimating mean extinction times:

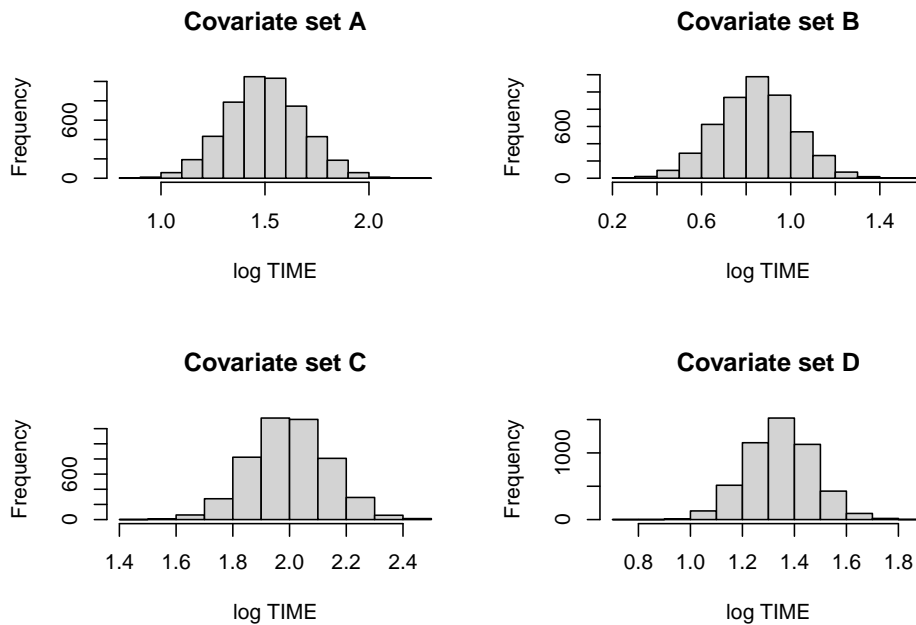
```
cov1 <- c(1, 4, 0, 0)
cov2 <- c(1, 4, 1, 0)
cov3 <- c(1, 4, 0, 1)
cov4 <- c(1, 4, 1, 1)
X1 <- rbind(cov1, cov2, cov3, cov4)
mean.draws <- blinregexpected(X1, theta.sample)
```

```
c.labels <- c("A", "B", "C", "D")
par(mfrow=c(2, 2))
for (j in 1:4){
  hist(mean.draws[, j],
       main=paste("Covariate set",
                  c.labels[j]),
```

```

    xlab="log TIME")
}

```



Predicting future extinction times:

```

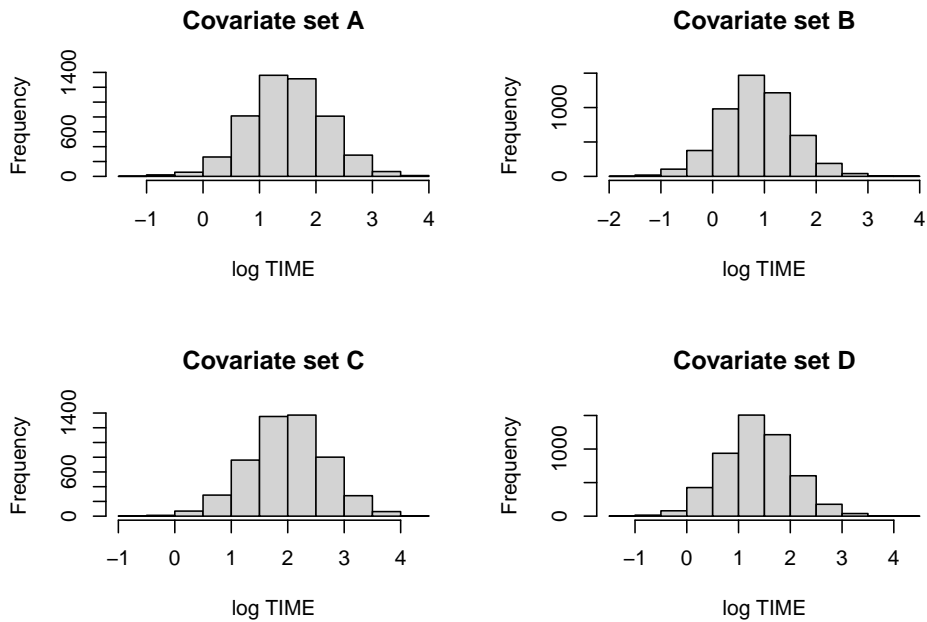
cov1 <- c(1, 4, 0, 0)
cov2 <- c(1, 4, 1, 0)
cov3 <- c(1, 4, 0, 1)
cov4 <- c(1, 4, 1, 1)
X1 <- rbind(cov1, cov2, cov3, cov4)
pred.draws <- blinregpred(X1, theta.sample)

```

```

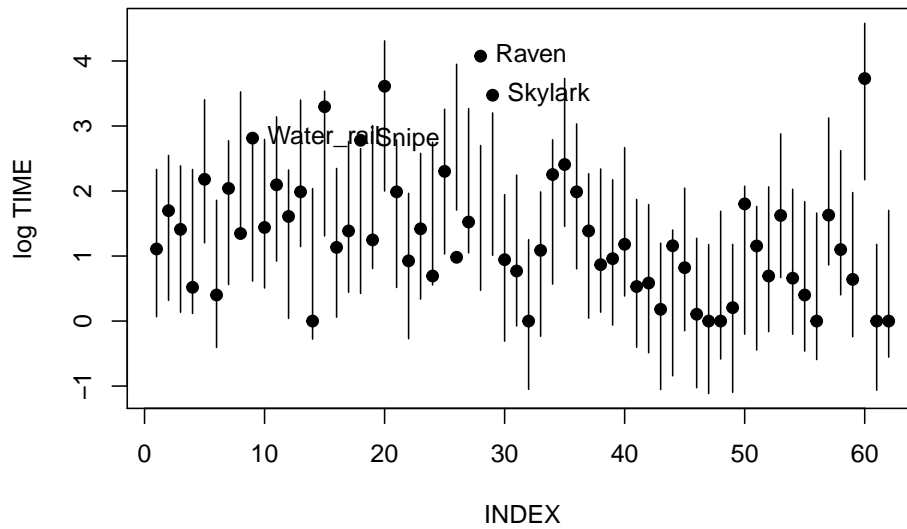
c.labels <- c("A", "B", "C", "D")
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
for (j in 1:4){
  hist(pred.draws[, j],
       main=paste("Covariate set",
                  c.labels[j]),
       xlab="log TIME")
}

```



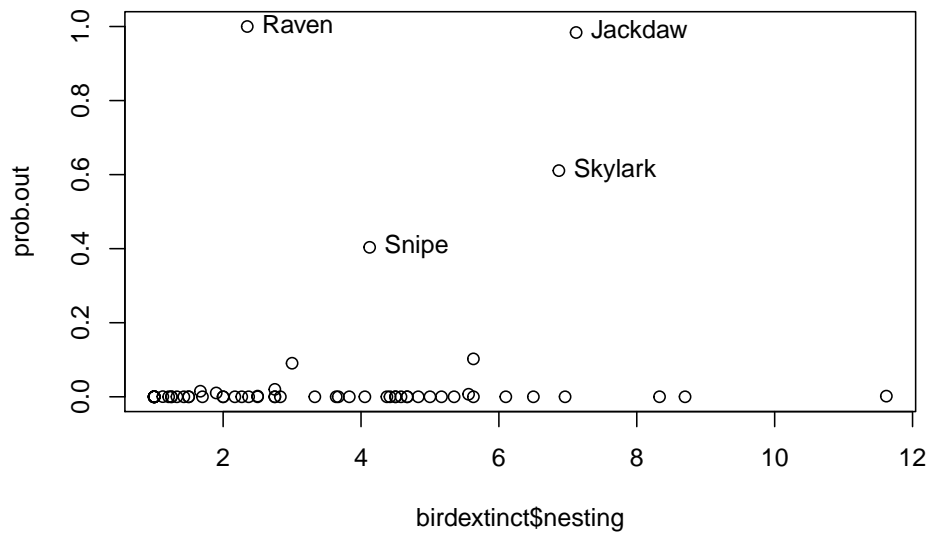
Model checking: posterior predictive distribution distributions of each future observation, showing actual observation as solid dot.

```
pred.draws <- blinregpred(fit$x, theta.sample)
pred.sum <- apply(pred.draws, 2,
                  quantile, c(.05,.95))
par(mfrow=c(1, 1))
ind <- 1:length(logtime)
matplot(rbind(ind, ind), pred.sum,
        type="l", lty=1, col=1,
        xlab="INDEX", ylab="log TIME")
points(ind, logtime, pch=19)
out <- (logtime > pred.sum[2, ])
text(ind[out], logtime[out],
     label=birdextinct$species[out], pos = 4)
```



Model checking via bayes residuals  $y_i - x_i\beta$ . Graph of absolute values of residuals that exceeds a particular constant.

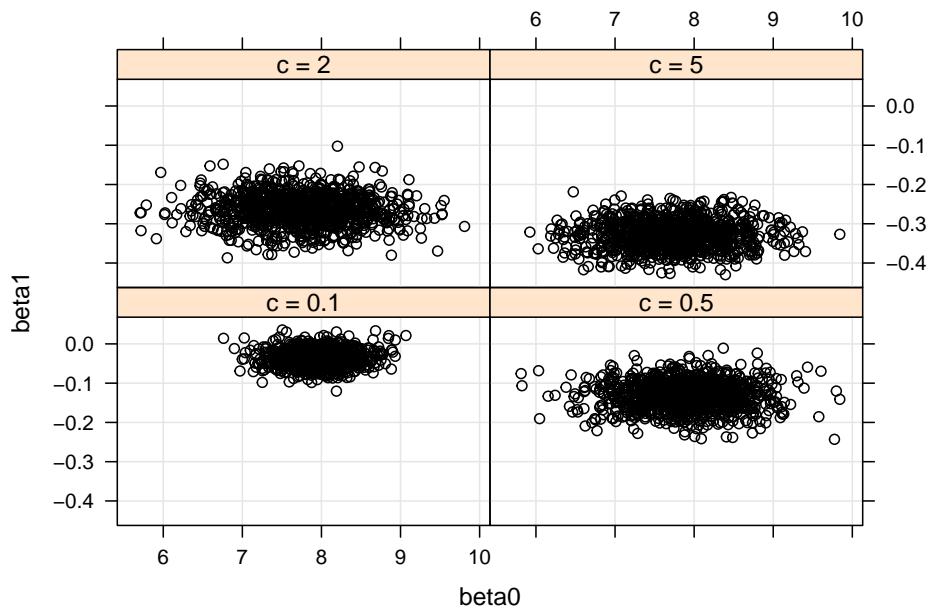
```
prob.out <- bayesresiduals(fit, theta.sample, 2)
par(mfrow=c(1, 1))
plot(birdextinct$nesting, prob.out)
out = (prob.out > 0.35)
text(birdextinct$nesting[out], prob.out[out],
     label=birdextinct$species[out], pos = 4)
```



## 9.2 Modeling Using Zellner's g Prior

Illustrating the role of the parameter  $c$ :

```
X <- cbind(1, puffin$Distance -
           mean(puffin$Distance))
c.prior <- c(0.1, 0.5, 5, 2)
fit <- vector("list", 4)
for (j in 1:4){
  prior <- list(b0=c(8, 0), c0=c.prior[j])
  fit[[j]] <- blinreg(puffin$Nest, X, 1000, prior)
}
BETA <- NULL
for (j in 1:4){
  s=data.frame(Prior=paste("c =",
                           as.character(c.prior[j])),
              beta0=fit[[j]]$beta[, 1],
              beta1=fit[[j]]$beta[, 2])
  BETA <- rbind(BETA, s)
}
library(lattice)
with(BETA,
     xyplot(beta1 ~ beta0 | Prior,
            type=c("p", "g"),
            col="black"))
```



Model selection of all regression models using g priors:



```
data <- list(y=puffin$Nest,
            X=cbind(1, puffin$Grass, puffin$Soil))
prior <- list(b0=c(0, 0, 0), c0=100)
beta.start <- with(puffin,
                  lm(Nest ~ Grass + Soil)$coef)
laplace(reg.gprior.post,
        c(beta.start, 0),
        list(data=data, prior=prior))$int
```

```
## [1] -136.3957
```

```
X <- puffin[, -1]
y <- puffin$Nest
c <- 100
bayes.model.selection(y, X, c, constant=FALSE)
```

```
## $mod.prob
##   Grass Soil Angle Distance   log.m   Prob
## 1 FALSE FALSE FALSE    FALSE -132.18 0.00000
## 2  TRUE FALSE FALSE    FALSE -134.05 0.00000
## 3 FALSE  TRUE FALSE    FALSE -134.51 0.00000
## 4  TRUE  TRUE FALSE    FALSE -136.40 0.00000
## 5 FALSE FALSE  TRUE    FALSE -112.67 0.00000
## 6  TRUE FALSE  TRUE    FALSE -113.18 0.00000
## 7 FALSE  TRUE  TRUE    FALSE -114.96 0.00000
## 8  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE    FALSE -115.40 0.00000
## 9 FALSE FALSE FALSE     TRUE -103.30 0.03500
## 10 TRUE FALSE FALSE     TRUE -105.57 0.00360
## 11 FALSE  TRUE FALSE     TRUE -100.37 0.65065
## 12 TRUE  TRUE FALSE     TRUE -102.35 0.08992
## 13 FALSE FALSE  TRUE     TRUE -102.81 0.05682
## 14 TRUE FALSE  TRUE     TRUE -105.09 0.00581
## 15 FALSE  TRUE  TRUE     TRUE -101.88 0.14386
## 16 TRUE  TRUE  TRUE     TRUE -104.19 0.01434
##
## $converge
## [1] TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## [16] TRUE
```

## 9.3 Survival Modeling

Traditional fit using a Weibull model:

```
library(survival)
survreg(Surv(time, status) ~ factor(treat) + age,
        dist="weibull",
```

```
data = chemotherapy)
```

```
## Call:
## survreg(formula = Surv(time, status) ~ factor(treat) + age, data = chemotherapy,
##       dist = "weibull")
##
## Coefficients:
##      (Intercept) factor(treat)2          age
##    10.98683919      0.56145663     -0.07897718
##
## Scale= 0.5489202
##
## Loglik(model)= -88.7   Loglik(intercept only)= -98
##   Chisq= 18.41 on 2 degrees of freedom, p= 0.000101
## n= 26
```

Bayesian fit:

```
start <- c(-.5, 9, .5, -.05)
d <- with(chemotherapy,
          cbind(time, status, treat - 1, age))
fit <- laplace(weibullregpost, start, d)
fit

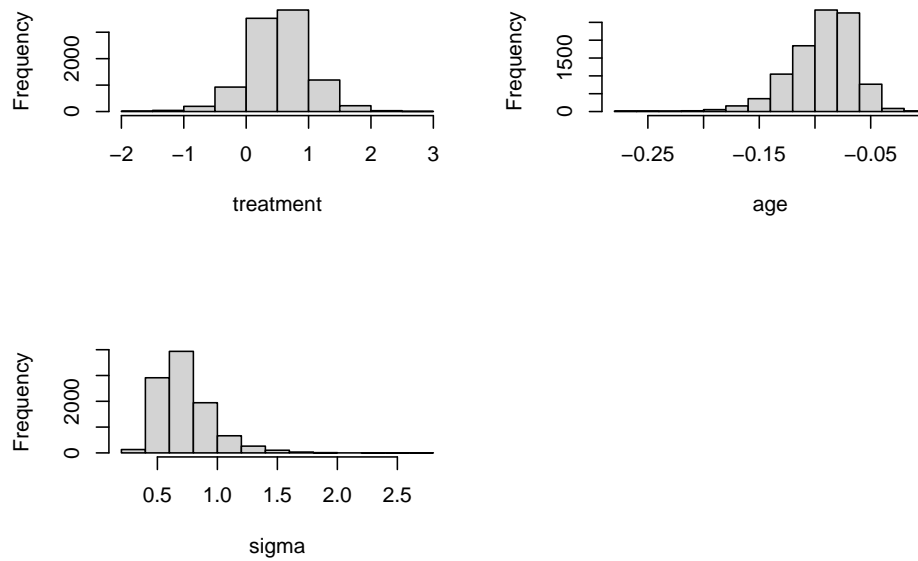
## $mode
## [1] -0.59986796 10.98663371  0.56151088 -0.07897316
##
## $var
##           [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]
## [1,]  0.057298875  0.13530436  0.004541435 -0.0020828431
## [2,]  0.135304360  1.67428176 -0.156631948 -0.0255278352
## [3,]  0.004541435 -0.15663195  0.115450201  0.0017880712
## [4,] -0.002082843 -0.02552784  0.001788071  0.0003995202
##
## $int
## [1] -25.31207
##
## $converge
## [1] TRUE

proposal <- list(var=fit$var, scale=1.5)
bayesfit <- rwmetrop(weibullregpost,
                    proposal,
                    fit$mode,
                    10000, d)

bayesfit$accept
```

```
## [1] 0.271
```

```
par(mfrow=c(2, 2))
sigma <- exp(bayesfit$par[, 1])
mu <- bayesfit$par[, 2]
beta1 <- bayesfit$par[, 3]
beta2 <- bayesfit$par[, 4]
hist(beta1, xlab="treatment", main="")
hist(beta2, xlab="age", main="")
hist(sigma, xlab="sigma", main="")
```





## Chapter 10

# Gibbs Sampling

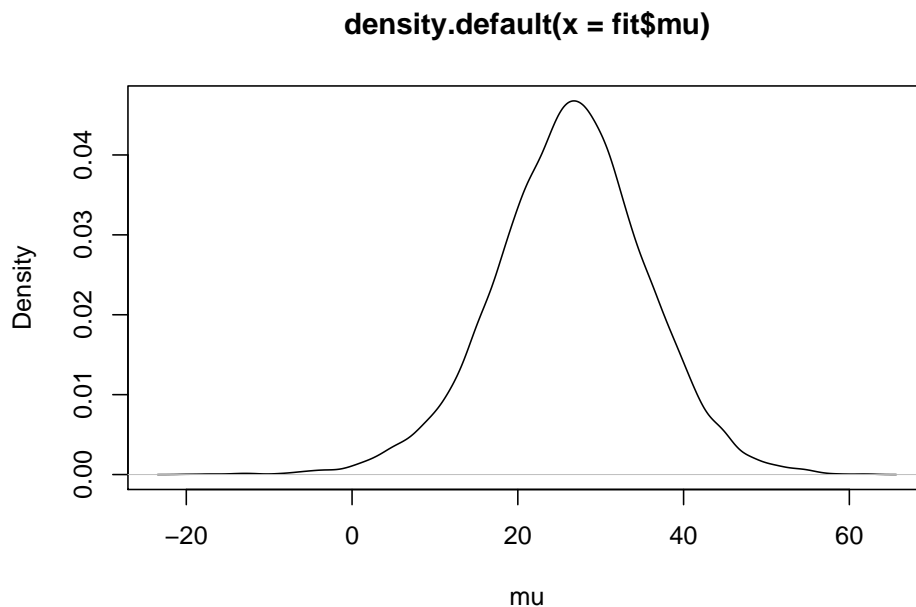
### 10.1 Robust Modeling

Illustrating Gibbs sampling using a t sampling model.

```
library(LearnBayes)
```

```
fit <- robustt(darwin$difference, 4, 10000)
```

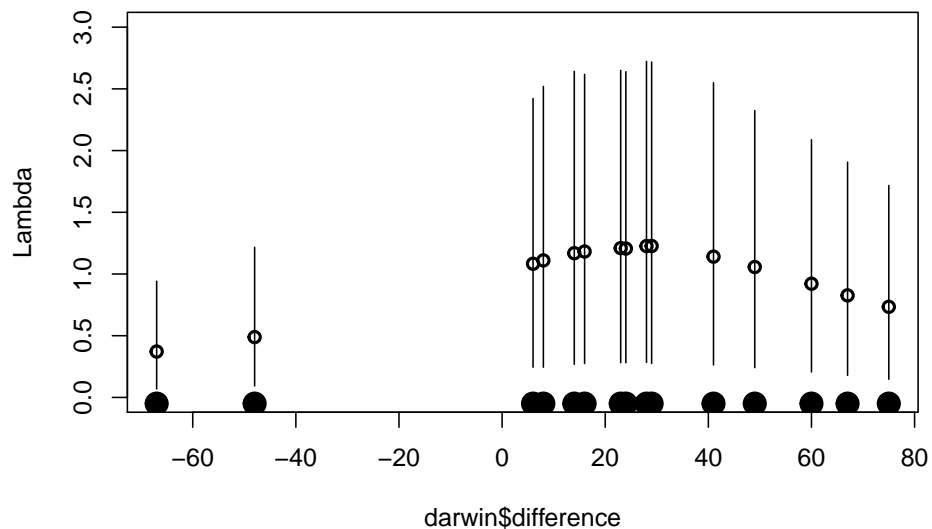
```
plot(density(fit$mu), xlab="mu")
```



The  $\lambda_j$  parameters indicate the outlying observations.

```
mean.lambda <- apply(fit$lam, 2, mean)
lam5 <- apply(fit$lam, 2, quantile, .05)
lam95 <- apply(fit$lam, 2, quantile, .95)
```

```
plot(darwin$difference, mean.lambda,
     lwd=2, ylim=c(0,3), ylab="Lambda")
for (i in 1:length(darwin$difference)){
  lines(c(1, 1) * darwin$difference[i],
        c(lam5[i], lam95[i]))
}
points(darwin$difference,
       0 * darwin$difference-.05,
       pch=19, cex=2)
```



## 10.2 Binary Response Regression with a Probit Link

Missing data and Gibbs sampling

```
X <- with(donner,
          cbind(1, age, male))
```

Traditional probit fit:

```
fit <- glm(survival ~ X - 1,
           family=binomial(link=probit),
           data = donner)
summary(fit)
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = survival ~ X - 1, family = binomial(link = probit),
##      data = donner)
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -1.7420  -1.0555  -0.2756   0.8861   2.0339
##
## Coefficients:
##      Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## X          1.91730    0.76438   2.508  0.0121 *
## Xage     -0.04571    0.02076  -2.202  0.0277 *
## Xmale    -0.95828    0.43983  -2.179  0.0293 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 62.383  on 45  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 51.283  on 42  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 57.283
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 5

Bayesian fit of the probit model using data augmentation.
m <- 10000
fit <- bayes.probit(donner$survival, X, m)

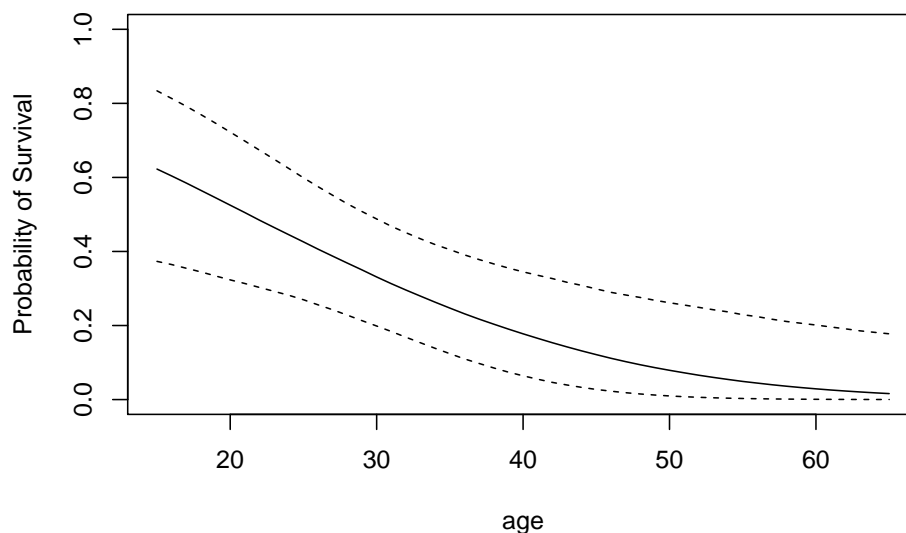
apply(fit$beta, 2, mean)

## [1]  2.08778647 -0.05013532 -1.02079631
apply(fit$beta, 2, sd)

## [1] 0.81408634 0.02171058 0.45311813

Posterior distributions of specific probabilities.
a <- seq(15, 65)
X1 <- cbind(1, a, 1)
p.male <- bprobit.probs(X1, fit$beta)

plot(a, apply(p.male, 2, quantile, .5),
     type="l", ylim=c(0,1),
     xlab="age", ylab="Probability of Survival")
lines(a, apply(p.male, 2, quantile, .05), lty=2)
lines(a, apply(p.male, 2, quantile, .95), lty=2)
```



Proper priors and model selection of probit models.

```
y <- donner$survival
X <- cbind(1, donner$age, donner$male)
```

```
beta0 <- c(0,0,0)
c0 <- 100
P0 <- t(X) %*% X / c0
```

```
bayes.probit(y, X, 1000,
             list(beta=beta0, P=P0))$log.marg
```

```
## [1] -31.5737
```

```
bayes.probit(y, X[, -2], 1000,
             list(beta=beta0[-2], P=P0[-2, -2]))$log.marg
```

```
## [1] -32.77612
```

```
bayes.probit(y, X[, -3], 1000,
             list(beta=beta0[-3], P=P0[-3, -3]))$log.marg
```

```
## [1] -32.06246
```

```
bayes.probit(y, X[, -c(2, 3)], 1000,
             list(beta=beta0[- c(2, 3)],
                  P=P0[-c(2, 3), -c(2, 3)]))$log.marg
```

```
## [1] -32.98507
```



## 10.3 Estimating a Table of Means

```

rlabels <- c("91-99", "81-90", "71-80",
             "61-70", "51-60", "41-50",
             "31-40", "21-30")
clabels <- c("16-18", "19-21", "22-24",
             "25-27", "28-30")
gpa <- matrix(iowagpa[, 1],
              nrow = 8, ncol = 5, byrow = T)
dimnames(gpa) <- list(HSR = rlabels,
                     ACTC = clabels)
gpa

```

```

##          ACTC
## HSR      16-18 19-21 22-24 25-27 28-30
## 91-99    2.64  3.10  3.01  3.07  3.34
## 81-90    2.24  2.63  2.74  2.76  2.91
## 71-80    2.43  2.47  2.64  2.73  2.47
## 61-70    2.31  2.37  2.32  2.24  2.31
## 51-60    2.04  2.20  2.01  2.43  2.38
## 41-50    1.88  1.82  1.84  2.12  2.05
## 31-40    1.86  2.28  1.67  1.89  1.79
## 21-30    1.70  1.65  1.51  1.67  2.33

```

```

samplesizes <- matrix(iowagpa[, 2],
                      nrow = 8, ncol = 5, byrow = T)
dimnames(samplesizes) <- list(HSR = rlabels,
                             ACTC = clabels)
samplesizes

```

```

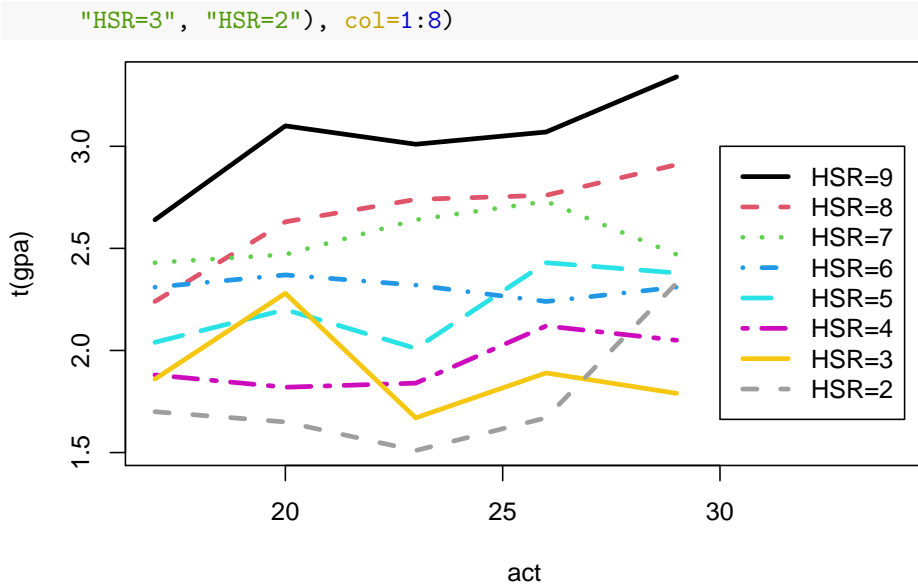
##          ACTC
## HSR      16-18 19-21 22-24 25-27 28-30
## 91-99      8    15    78    182   166
## 81-90     20    71   168   178    91
## 71-80     40   116   180   133    46
## 61-70     34    93   124   101    19
## 51-60     41    73    62    58     9
## 41-50     19    25    36    49    16
## 31-40      8     9    15    29     9
## 21-30      4     5     9    11     1

```

```

act <- seq(17, 29, by = 3)
matplot(act, t(gpa), type = "l", lwd = 3,
        xlim = c(17, 34), col=1:8, lty=1:8)
legend(30, 3, lty = 1:8, lwd = 3,
      legend = c("HSR=9", "HSR=8",
                 "HSR=7", "HSR=6", "HSR=5", "HSR=4",

```



Fitting a Bayesian model with a flat prior over the restricted space.

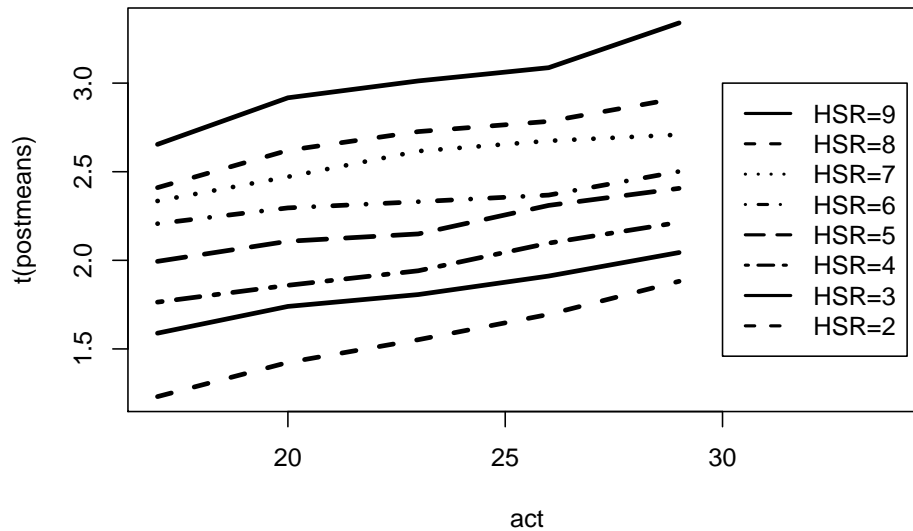
```
MU <- ordergibbs(iowagpa, 5000)
```

```
postmeans <- apply(MU, 2, mean)
postmeans <- matrix(postmeans, nrow = 8, ncol = 5)
postmeans <- postmeans[seq(8, 1, -1), ]
dimnames(postmeans) <-
  list(HSR=rlabels, ACTC=clabels)
round(postmeans, 2)
```

```
##          ACTC
## HSR      16-18 19-21 22-24 25-27 28-30
## 91-99  2.65  2.92  3.01  3.09  3.34
## 81-90  2.41  2.62  2.73  2.78  2.92
## 71-80  2.33  2.47  2.62  2.67  2.71
## 61-70  2.21  2.30  2.33  2.37  2.50
## 51-60  1.99  2.11  2.15  2.31  2.41
## 41-50  1.76  1.86  1.94  2.10  2.21
## 31-40  1.59  1.74  1.81  1.91  2.04
## 21-30  1.23  1.42  1.55  1.69  1.88
```

```
matplot(act, t(postmeans), type = "l",
        lty=1:8, lwd = 3, col = 1,
        xlim = c(17, 34))
legend(30, 3, lty = 1:8, lwd = 2,
      legend = c("HSR=9", "HSR=8",
        "HSR=7", "HSR=6", "HSR=5", "HSR=4",
```

```
"HSR=3", "HSR=2"))
```



```
postsds <- apply(MU, 2, sd)
postsds <- matrix(postsds, nrow = 8, ncol = 5)
postsds <- postsds[seq(8, 1, -1), ]
dimnames(postsds) <- list(HSR=rlabels,
                          ACTC=clabels)
round(postsds, 3)
```

```
##          ACTC
## HSR      16-18 19-21 22-24 25-27 28-30
## 91-99 0.141 0.085 0.054 0.043 0.051
## 81-90 0.075 0.059 0.038 0.038 0.063
## 71-80 0.064 0.051 0.038 0.039 0.047
## 61-70 0.066 0.039 0.036 0.038 0.080
## 51-60 0.076 0.053 0.055 0.049 0.075
## 41-50 0.082 0.067 0.067 0.071 0.086
## 31-40 0.115 0.078 0.072 0.075 0.099
## 21-30 0.183 0.139 0.118 0.113 0.131
```

```
s <- .65
se <- s / sqrt(samplesizes)
round(postsds / se, 2)
```

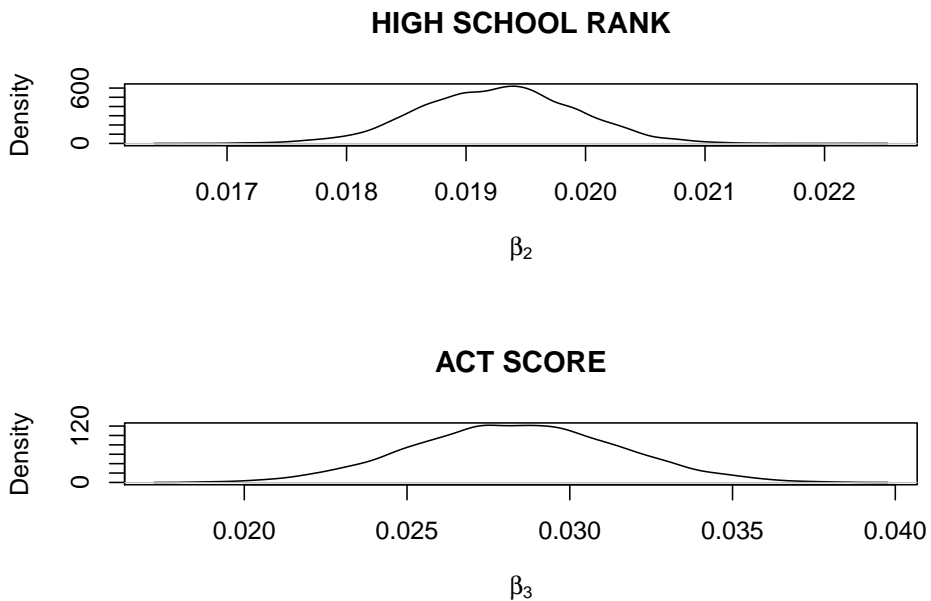
```
##          ACTC
## HSR      16-18 19-21 22-24 25-27 28-30
## 91-99 0.61 0.51 0.74 0.90 1.00
## 81-90 0.52 0.76 0.75 0.79 0.92
## 71-80 0.62 0.85 0.78 0.69 0.49
```

```
## 61-70 0.59 0.59 0.62 0.59 0.53
## 51-60 0.75 0.70 0.66 0.57 0.34
## 41-50 0.55 0.52 0.62 0.76 0.53
## 31-40 0.50 0.36 0.43 0.62 0.46
## 21-30 0.56 0.48 0.54 0.58 0.20
```

Fit of a hierarchical regression prior:

```
FIT <- hiergibbs(iowagpa, 5000)
```

```
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(density(FIT$beta[, 2]),
     xlab=expression(beta[2]),
     main="HIGH SCHOOL RANK")
plot(density(FIT$beta[, 3]),
     xlab=expression(beta[3]),
     main="ACT SCORE")
```



```
quantile(FIT$beta[, 2],
        c(.025, .25, .5, .75, .975))
```

```
##      2.5%      25%      50%      75%      97.5%
## 0.01798691 0.01882042 0.01927662 0.01968910 0.02051474
```

```
quantile(FIT$beta[, 3],
        c(.025, .25, .5, .75, .975))
```

```
##      2.5%      25%      50%      75%      97.5%
## 0.02224535 0.02619811 0.02835767 0.03049379 0.03455889
```

```

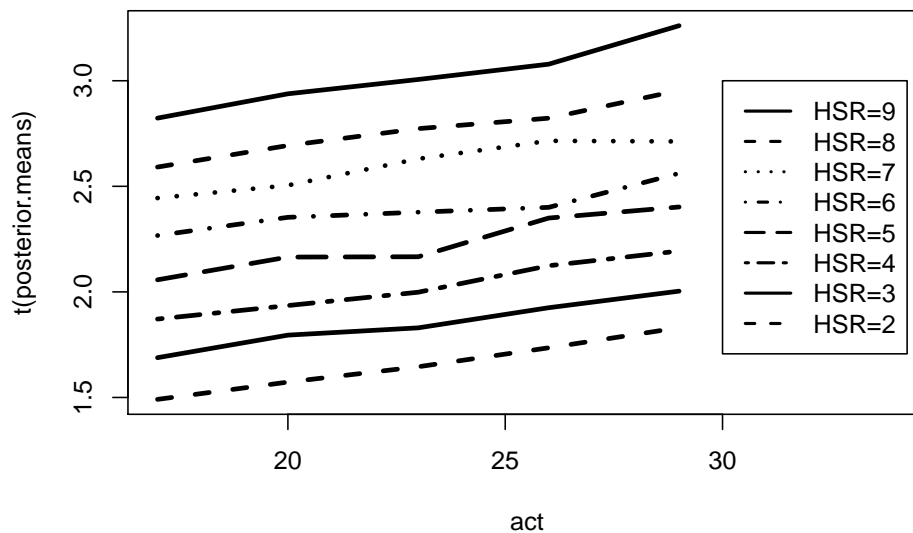
quantile(FIT$var,
         c(.025, .25, .5, .75, .975))

##          2.5%          25%          50%          75%          97.5%
## 0.001099840 0.001967612 0.002783425 0.003925143 0.007472338

posterior.means <- apply(FIT$mu, 2, mean)
posterior.means <- matrix(posterior.means,
                          nrow = 8, ncol = 5,
                          byrow = T)

par(mfrow=c(1, 1))
matplot(act, t(posterior.means),
        type = "l", lwd = 3, lty=1:8, col=1,
        xlim = c(17, 34))
legend(30, 3, lty = 1:8, lwd = 2,
      legend = c("HSR=9", "HSR=8", "HSR=7",
                 "HSR=6", "HSR=5", "HSR=4",
                 "HSR=3", "HSR=2"))

```



```

p <- 1 - pnorm((2.5 - FIT$mu) / .65)
prob.success <- apply(p, 2, mean)

prob.success <- matrix(prob.success,
                      nrow=8, ncol=5, byrow=T)
dimnames(prob.success) <- list(HSR=rlabels,
                              ACTC=clabels)
round(prob.success, 3)

##          ACTC

```

|    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| ## | HSR   | 16-18 | 19-21 | 22-24 | 25-27 | 28-30 |
| ## | 91-99 | 0.690 | 0.749 | 0.781 | 0.813 | 0.879 |
| ## | 81-90 | 0.556 | 0.617 | 0.663 | 0.690 | 0.757 |
| ## | 71-80 | 0.466 | 0.503 | 0.579 | 0.630 | 0.628 |
| ## | 61-70 | 0.360 | 0.411 | 0.425 | 0.439 | 0.538 |
| ## | 51-60 | 0.249 | 0.304 | 0.304 | 0.409 | 0.440 |
| ## | 41-50 | 0.168 | 0.193 | 0.221 | 0.282 | 0.319 |
| ## | 31-40 | 0.107 | 0.140 | 0.152 | 0.189 | 0.224 |
| ## | 21-30 | 0.061 | 0.078 | 0.095 | 0.121 | 0.153 |