

lecture 3.1 example 1

preliminaries

```
#clear work space  
rm(list=ls())  
#set random seed  
set.seed(123)
```

simulation parameters

```
# define grid size  
nGridPoints = 50  
pGrid = seq(from = 0, to = 1,length.out = nGridPoints)  
gridSize = 1 / nGridPoints  
  
# define model priors  
aPrior = 5  
bPrior = 5  
  
# data  
nHeads = 60  
nData = 100
```

define functions

```
# compute data likelihood  
computeLike = function(nHeads, nData, pErr) {  
  likeGrid = rep(-1, nGridPoints)  
  for (i in 1:nGridPoints) {  
    p = pGrid[i]  
    fHeads = ((1 - pErr) * p + pErr * (1 - p)) ^ nHeads  
    fTails = ((1 - pErr) * (1 - p) + pErr * p) ^ (nData - nHeads)  
    likeGrid[i] = fHeads * fTails  
  }  
  return(likeGrid)  
}  
  
# compute posterior  
computePost = function(nHeads, nData, prior, pErr) {  
  likelihood = computeLike(nHeads, nData, pErr)  
  post = likelihood * prior  
  post = post / ( sum(post) * gridSize )  
  return(post)  
}
```

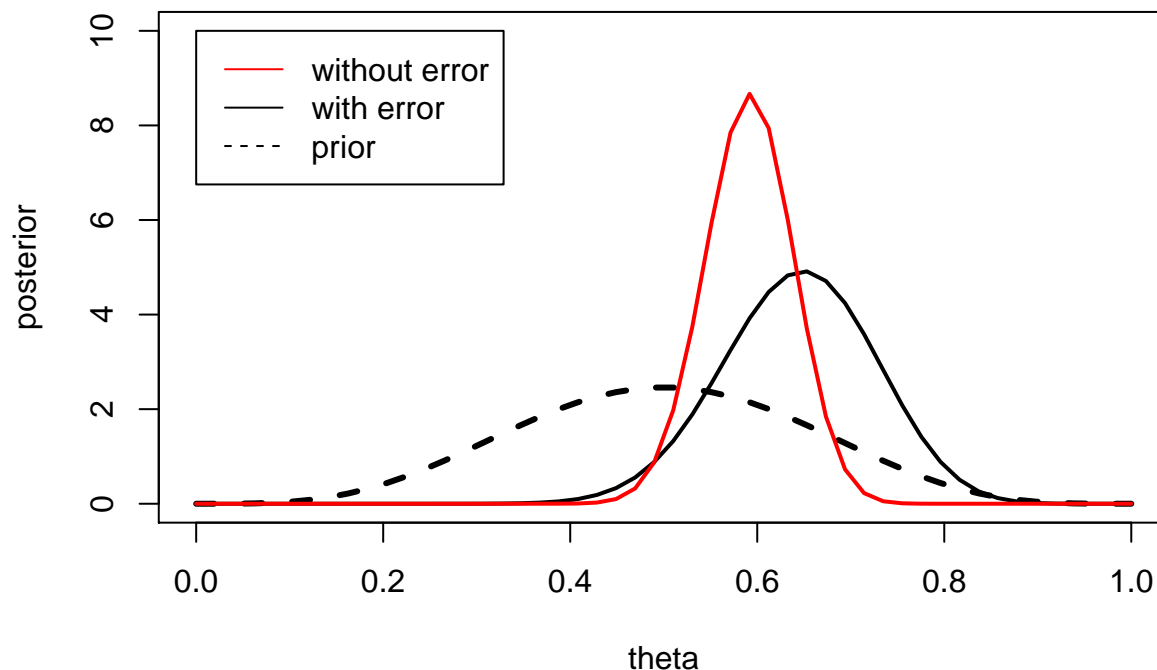
compute posteriors for $pError = 25\%$

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prior = dbeta(x = pGrid, shape1 = aPrior, shape2 = bPrior)

pErr = 0.25
# compute posterior with measurement error modelled
postError = computePost(nHeads, nData, prior, pErr)
# compute posterior with measurement error ignored
postNoError = computePost(nHeads, nData, prior, 0)

# plot posteriors
plot(pGrid, prior, type="l", lwd = 3, col = "black", lty = 2,
     xlab = "theta", ylab = "posterior", ylim = c(0,10),
     main = paste("pError = ", pErr))
points(pGrid, postError, lwd = 2, type = "l", col = 'black')
points(pGrid, postNoError, lwd = 2, type = "l", col = 'red')
legend(0,10, legend = c("without error", "with error", "prior"), lty = c(1,1,2),
      col = c("red","black","black"))
```

pError = 0.25



```
# plot likelihoods
plot(pGrid, computeLike(nHeads, nData, 0), col = "red", lty=1,
     lwd = 2, type = "l", xlab = "theta", ylab = "likelihood",
     main = paste("pError = ", pErr))
points(pGrid, computeLike(nHeads, nData, pErr), col = "black", lty=1,
      lwd = 2, type = "l")
legend(0,10, legend = c("without error", "with error"), lty = c(1,1),
      col = c("red","black"))
```

