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Part 1
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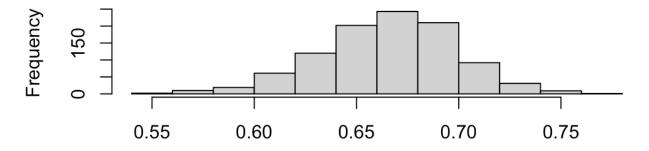
1.1)

library(ggplot2)

#1.1

analytical_posterior <- rbeta(1000, 135, 67)
hist(analytical_posterior)</pre>

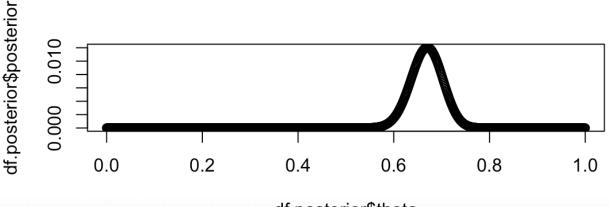
Histogram of analytical_posterior



analytical_posterior

1.2)

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y <- c(10, 15, 15, 14, 14, 14, 13, 11, 12, 16)
theta_grid <- seq(from=0, to=1, length=1000)
df.posterior <- data.frame(matrix(ncol=3, nrow=length(theta_grid)))
colnames(df.posterior) <- c('theta', 'lkl', 'prior')
for (i in 1:length(theta_grid)){
    lkl <- prod(dbinom(y, 20, theta_grid[i]))
    prior <- dbeta(theta_grid[i],1,1)
    df.posterior[i,] <- c(theta_grid[i], lkl, prior)
}
df.posterior$ML <- rep(sum(df.posterior$lkl*df.posterior$prior), 1000)
df.posterior <- df.posterior %>%
    mutate(posterior = lkl*prior/ML)
plot(df.posterior$theta, df.posterior$posterior)
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df.posterior\$theta

1.3)

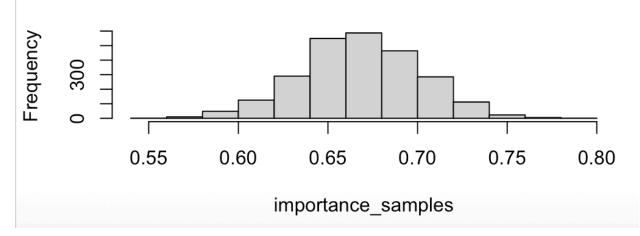
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df.mc <- data.frame(matrix(ncol=2, nrow=1000))
colnames(df.mc) <- c('theta_mc', 'lkl')
for (i in 1:1000){
   theta_i <- rbeta(1, 1, 1)
   lkl <- prod(dbinom(y, 20, theta_i))
   df.mc[i,] <- c(theta_i, lkl)
}
ML <- mean(df.mc$lkl)
ML</pre>
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1.335742e-10

1.4

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#1.4
proposed <- rbeta(10000, 5, 3)</pre>
df.importance <- data.frame(proposed=proposed)</pre>
df.importance$lkl <- NA
for (i in 1:10000){
  df.importance$lkl[i] <- prod(dbinom(y, 20, proposed[i]))</pre>
}
df.importance$prior <- dbeta(df.importance$proposed,1,1)</pre>
df.importance$proposal <- dbeta(df.importance$proposed, 5, 3)</pre>
df.importance$weights <- (df.importance$lkl)*</pre>
                           (df.importance$prior)/
                           (df.importance$proposal)
df.importance$weights <- df.importance$weights/sum(df.importance$weights)</pre>
importance_samples <- sample(proposed, size=2500, replace=TRUE,
                              prob=df.importance$weights)
hist(importance_samples)
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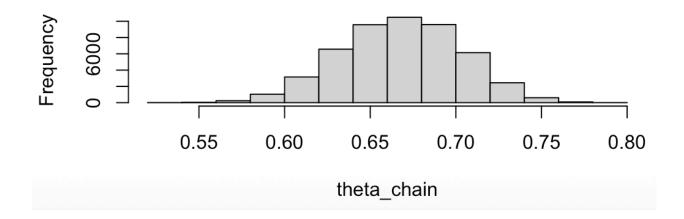
Histogram of importance_samples



1.5)

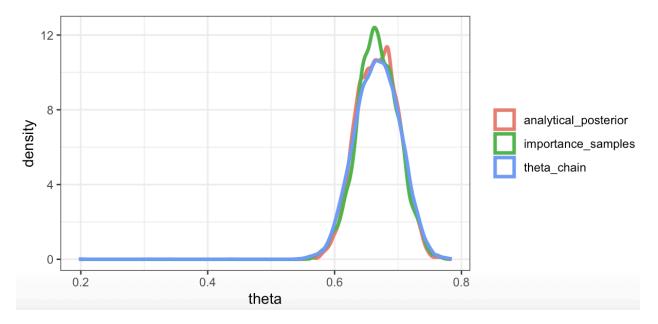
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#1.5
nsamp <- 50000
theta_chain <- rep(NA, nsamp)
theta_chain[1] <- rbeta(1, 1, 1)
i <- 1
step <- 0.08
while (i < nsamp){</pre>
  proposal_theta <- rnorm(1, theta_chain[i], step)</pre>
  if (proposal_theta>0 & proposal_theta<1){</pre>
    post_new <- prod(dbinom(y, 20, proposal_theta))*</pre>
                 dbeta(proposal_theta, 1, 1)
    post_prev <- prod(dbinom(y, 20, theta_chain[i]))*</pre>
                  dbeta(theta_chain[i], 1, 1)
    hastings_ratio <- (post_new*dnorm(theta_chain[i], proposal_theta, step))/</pre>
                        (post_prev*dnorm(proposal_theta, theta_chain[i], step))
    p_str <- min(hastings_ratio, 1)</pre>
    if (p_str > runif(1,0,1)){
      theta_chain[i+1] <- proposal_theta
      i <- i+1
  }
hist(theta_chain)
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Histogram of theta_chain



1.6)

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#1.6
posteriors <- data.frame(analytical_posterior, importance_samples, theta_chain)</pre>
ggplot(melt(posteriors), aes(x=value,colour=variable))+
  geom_density(linewidth=1.2) + theme_bw() + xlab("theta") +
  theme(legend.title=element_blank(), legend.position = "right")
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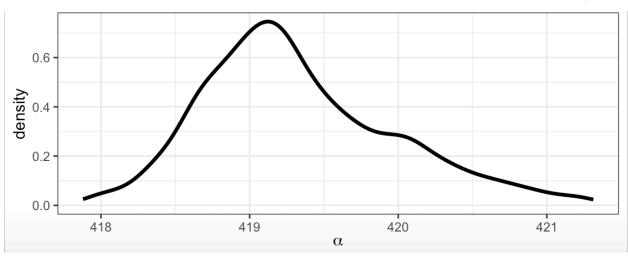


Part 2)

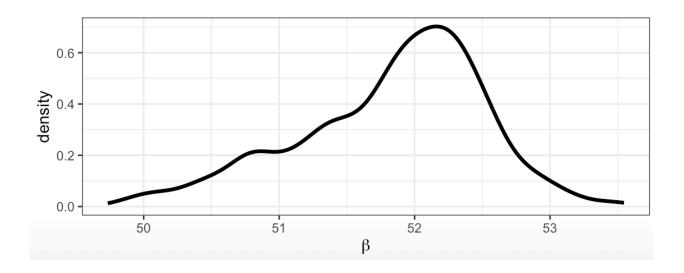
2.1)

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library(truncnorm)
library(ggplot2)
dat <- read.csv("/Users/ishaanjain/CGS698/CGS698/Assn3/word-recognition-times.csv",</pre>
                 sep=",",header = T)[,-1]
#2.1
for (i in 1:4000){
  if (dat$type[i]=='word'){
    dat$type[i] = 0
 }else{
    dat type[i] = 1
  }
dat$type <- as.numeric(dat$type)</pre>
nsamp <- 4000
alpha_chain <- rep(NA, nsamp)</pre>
beta_chain <- rep(NA, nsamp)</pre>
alpha_chain[1] <- rnorm(1, 400, 50)
beta_chain[1] <- rtruncnorm(n=1, a=0, b=Inf, mean=0, sd=50)
i <- 1
reject <- 0
step <- 0.1
while(i < nsamp){</pre>
  proposal_alpha <- rnorm(1, alpha_chain[i], step)</pre>
  proposal_beta <- rtruncnorm(1, a=0, b=Inf, mean=beta_chain[i], sd=step)</pre>
  mu_new <- proposal_alpha + proposal_beta*dat$type</pre>
  mu_old <- alpha_chain[i] + beta_chain[i]*dat$type</pre>
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post_new <- sum(dnorm(dat$RT, mu_new, 30, log=TRUE))+</pre>
    dnorm(proposal_alpha, 400, 50,log=TRUE)+
    log(dtruncnorm(x=proposal\_beta, a=0, b=Inf,mean=0,sd=50))
  post_prev <- sum(dnorm(dat$RT, mu_old, 30,log=TRUE))+</pre>
    dnorm(alpha_chain[i], 400, 50, log=TRUE)+
    log(dtruncnorm(x=beta_chain[i], a=0, b=Inf, mean=0, sd=50))
  hastings_ratio <-
    exp((post_new+dnorm(alpha_chain[i],proposal_alpha,step,log=TRUE)+
           log(dtruncnorm(x=beta_chain[i],mean=proposal_beta,sd=step,a=0,b=Inf)))-
          (post_prev+dnorm(proposal_alpha,alpha_chain[i],step,log=TRUE)+
             log(dtruncnorm(x=proposal_beta,mean=beta_chain[i],sd=step,a=0,b=Inf))))
  p_str <- min(hastings_ratio, 1)</pre>
  if (p_str > runif(1,0,1)){
    alpha_chain[i+1] <- proposal_alpha</pre>
    beta_chain[i+1] <- proposal_beta
    i <- i+1
  }else{
    reject <- reject + 1
  }
}
posteriors <- data.frame(alpha_chain, beta_chain)</pre>
ggplot(posteriors[-(1:2000),], aes(x=alpha_chain))+
  theme_bw() + geom_density(linewidth=1.2) + xlab(expression("alpha"))
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ggplot(posteriors[-(1:2000),], aes(x=beta_chain))+
  theme_bw() + geom_density(linewidth=1.2) + xlab(expression(beta))
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2.2)

> quantile(alpha_chain, probs=c(0.025, 0.975))

2.5% 97.5%

404.5054 420.8113

> quantile(beta_chain, probs=c(0.025, 0.975))

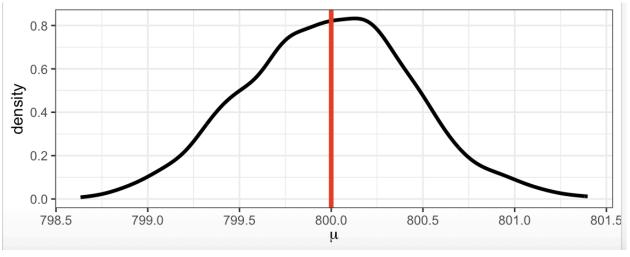
2.5% 97.5%

34.78947 52.94026

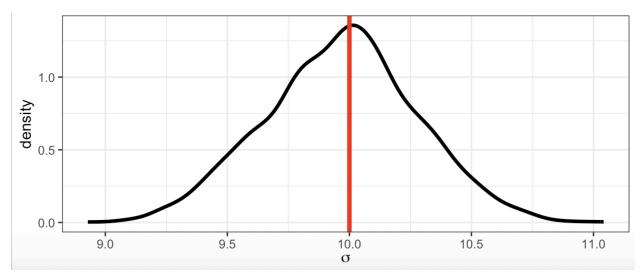
Part 3)

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true_mu <- 800
true_var <- 100 #sigma^2</pre>
y <- rnorm(500, mean=true_mu, sd=sqrt(true_var))</pre>
hist(y)
sigma <- sqrt(true_var)</pre>
mu <- true_mu
#Gradient functions
gradient <- function(mu, sigma, y, n, m, s, a, b){</pre>
  grad_mu \leftarrow (((n*mu)-sum(y))/(sigma^2))+((mu-m)/(s^2))
  grad\_sigma <- (n/sigma)-(sum((y-mu)^2)/(sigma^3))+((sigma-a)/(b^2))
  return(c(grad_mu,grad_sigma))
#Potential energy function
V <- function(mu, sigma, y, n, m, s, a, b){</pre>
  nlpd <- -(sum(dnorm(y,mu,sigma,log=T))+dnorm(mu,m,s,log=T)+dnorm(sigma,a,b,log=T))
  nlpd
}
```

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#HMC sampler
HMC <- function(y,n,m,s,a,b,step,L,initial_q,nsamp,nburn){
  mu_chain <- rep(NA,nsamp)</pre>
  sigma_chain <- rep(NA,nsamp)</pre>
  reject <- 0
  #Initialization of Markov chain
  mu_chain[1] <- initial_q[1]</pre>
  sigma_chain[1] <- initial_q[2]</pre>
  #Evolution of Markov chain
  i <- 1
  while(i < nsamp){</pre>
    q <- c(mu_chain[i],sigma_chain[i])</pre>
    p \leftarrow rnorm(length(q), 0, 1) \# Current position of the particle
    # Generate random momentum at the current position
    current_q <- q
    current_p <- p
    current_V = V(current_q[1],current_q[2],y,n,m,s,a,b) # Current potential energy
    current_T = sum(current_p
                     ^2)/2 # Current kinetic energy
    # Take L leapfrog steps
    for(l in 1:L){
      # Change in momentum in 'step/2' time
      p \leftarrow p-((step/2)*gradient(q[1],q[2],y,n,m,s,a,b))
      # Change in position in 'step' time
      q \leftarrow q + step*p
      # Change in momentum in 'step/2' time
      p \leftarrow p-((step/2)*gradient(q[1],q[2],y,n,m,s,a,b))
    proposed_q <- q</pre>
    proposed_p <- p</pre>
    proposed_V = V(proposed_q[1],proposed_q[2],y,n,m,s,a,b) # Proposed potential energy
    proposed_T = sum(proposed_p)
                      ^2)/2 # Proposed kinetic energy
     accept.prob <- min(1,exp(current_V+current_T-proposed_V-proposed_T))</pre>
     # Accept/reject the proposed position q
     if(accept.prob>runif(1,0,1)){
        mu_chain[i+1] <- proposed_q[1]</pre>
        sigma_chain[i+1] <- proposed_q[2]</pre>
        i <- i+1
     }else{
        reject <- reject+1
     }
   posteriors <- data.frame(mu_chain,sigma_chain)[-(1:nburn),]
   posteriors$sample_id <- 1:nrow(posteriors)</pre>
   posteriors
}
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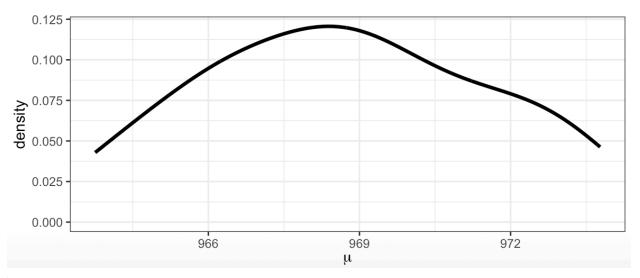
ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:2000),],aes(x=sigma_chain))+
 geom_density(linewidth=1.2)+theme_bw()+xlab(expression(sigma))+
 geom_vline(xintercept=10,size=1.5,color="red")



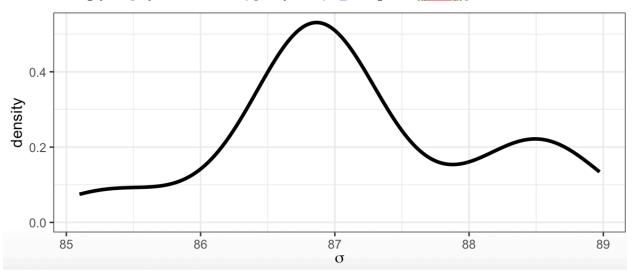
3.2)

Upon decreasing the number of samples (nsamp), the model becomes less accurate and mu appears to converge at a higher value than 800, while sigma appears to converge at a higher value than 50. After a certain point, there is no point in increasing nsamp as we get marginal increase in accuracy despite high increase in nsamp. So nsamp ~ 5000 is a decent value to get decently accurate readings.

a) nsamp = 100

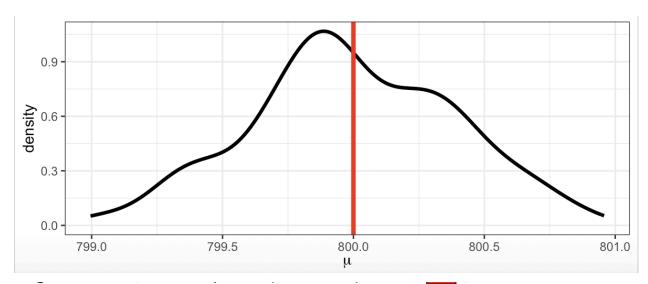


$$\begin{split} & ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:33),],aes(x=sigma_chain)) + \\ & geom_density(linewidth=1.2) + theme_bw() + xl\underline{ab(}expression(sigma)) \end{split}$$

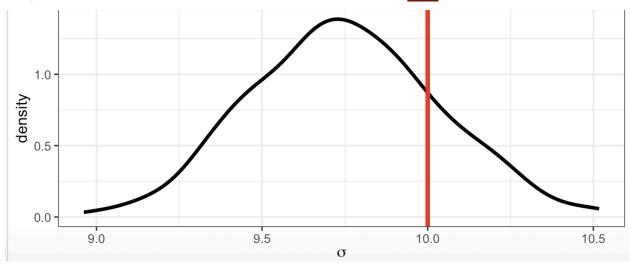


b) nsamp = 1000

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ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:333),],aes(x=mu_chain))+
  geom_density(linewidth=1.2)+theme_bw()+xlab(expression(mu))+
  geom_vline(xintercept=800,size=1.5,color="red")
```

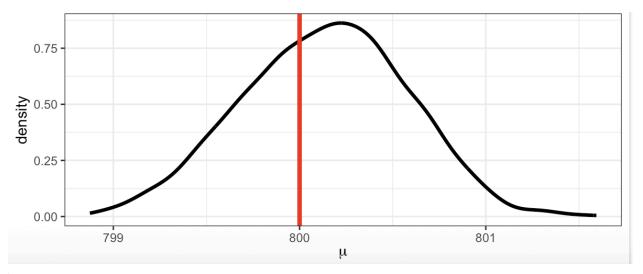


ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:333),],aes(x=sigma_chain))+
 geom_density(linewidth=1.2)+theme_bw()+xlab(expression(sigma))+
 geom_vline(xintercept=10,size=1.5,color="red")

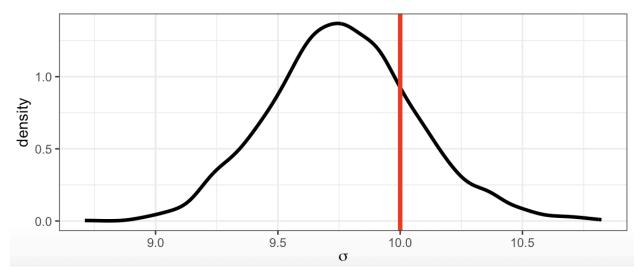


c) nsamp = 6000

```
ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:2000),],aes(x=mu_chain))+
  geom_density(linewidth=1.2)+theme_bw()+xlab(expression(mu))+
  geom_vline(xintercept=800,size=1.5,color="red")
```



ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:2000),],aes(x=sigma_chain))+
 geom_density(linewidth=1.2)+theme_bw()+xlab(expression(sigma))+
 geom_vline(xintercept=10,size=1.5,color="red")

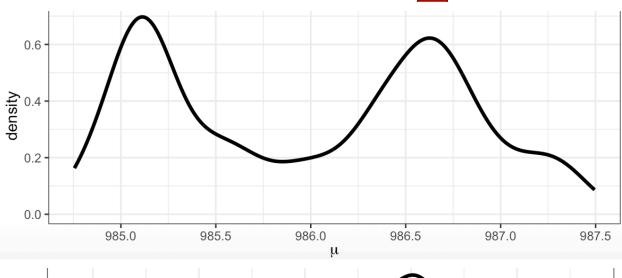


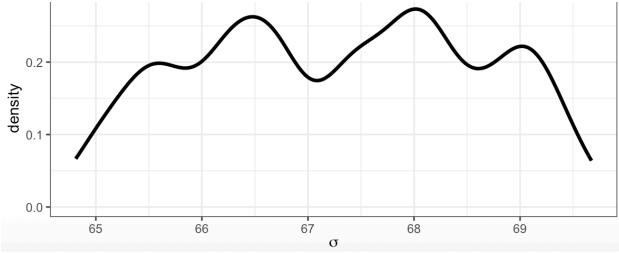
3.3)Lower step-size tends to make HMC less efficient, while high step-size leads to model failure.

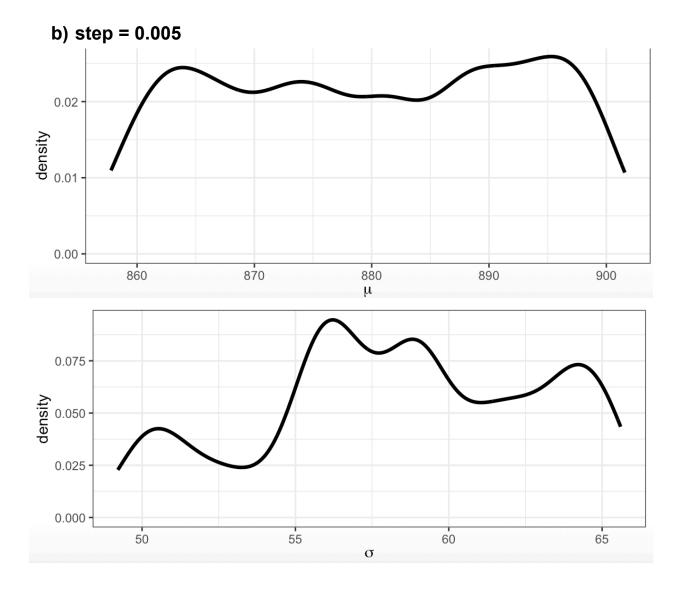
a) step=0.001

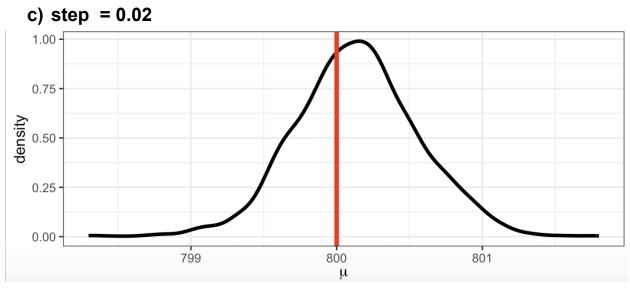
library(ggplot2)

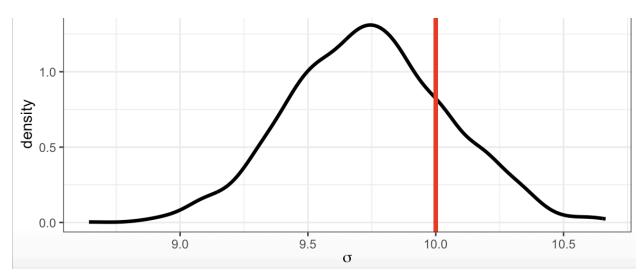
ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:2000),],aes(x=mu_chain))+
 geom_density(linewidth=1.2)+theme_bw()+xlab(expression(mu))











3.4)

When the step-size is too small, the mu_chain drifts downward very slowly, and is unable to explore the posterior fully, while the sigma_chain drifts both downward and upward, not exploring posterior fully either. Only at ideal step size does it properly explore the posterior chain.

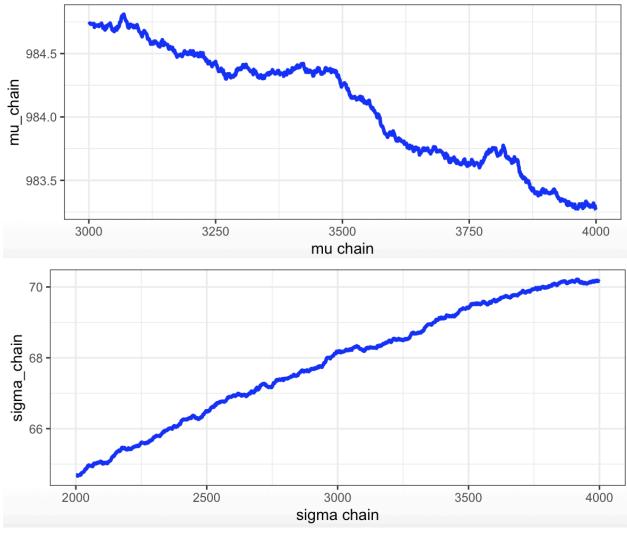
a) Step size = 0.001

step=0.001, # step-size
L=12, # no. of leapfrog steps
initial_q=c(1000,11), # Chain initialization
nsamp=6000, # total number of samples

nburn=2000) # number of burn-in samples

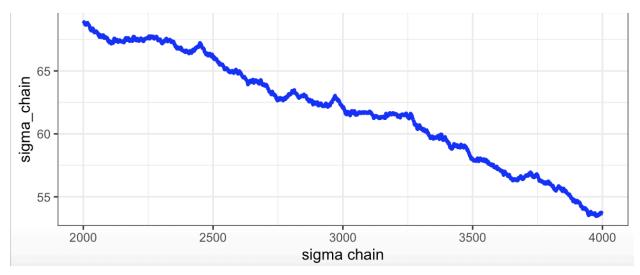
#Inspect Chains

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df.posterior$id <- 1:4000
ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:3000),],aes(x=id,y=mu_chain))+
   geom_line(size=1.2,color="blue")+
   theme_bw()+xlab("mu_chain")</pre>
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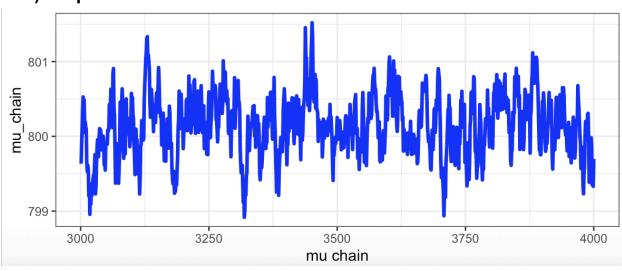


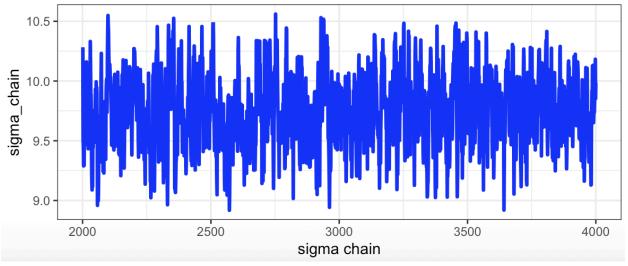






b) Step size = 0.02



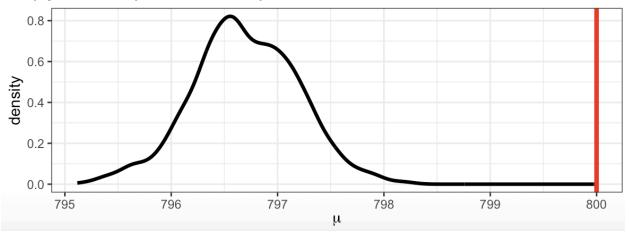


3.5)

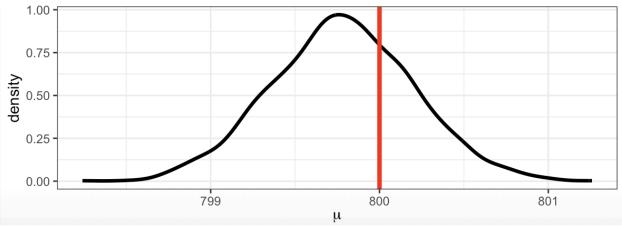
library(ggplot2)

ggplot(df.posterior[-(1:2000),],aes(x=mu_chain))+
 geom_density(linewidth=1.2)+theme_bw()+xlab(expression(mu))+
 geom_vline(xintercept=800,size=1.5,color="red")

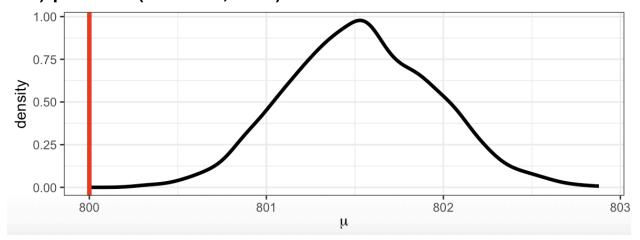
a) μ -Normal(m = 400, s = 5)



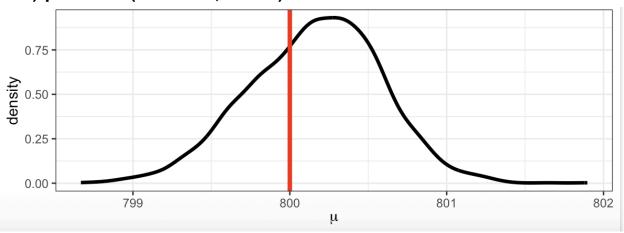
b) μ -Normal(m = 400, s = 20)

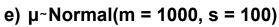


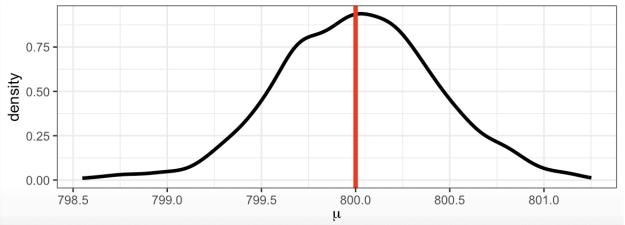
c) μ -Normal(m = 1000, s = 5)



d) μ -Normal(m = 1000, s = 20)







Upon increasing the value of s, the distribution becomes more centered, and the peak is closer to 800.