

Review by ISZ_3 for ISZ_5

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Score:

24/27 points

89%

1. Problem formulation

[5/5 pts]

- Is the problem clearly stated
Yes, in Introduction 1 pt
- What is the point of creating model, are potential use cases defined
No, there are no use cases shown 1 pt
- Where do data comes from, what does it contain
It is described in dataset section 1 pt
- DAG has been drawn
Yes, it has been drawn 1 pt
- Confoundings (pipe, fork, collider) were describe
Yes, some confoudings are described 1 pt

2. Data preprocessing

[2/2 pts]

- Is preprocessing step clearly describe
Yes, in Data preprocessing section 1 pt
- Reasoning and types of actions taken on the dataset have been described
Yes, in Data preprocessing section 1 pt

3. Model

[4/4 pts]

- Are two different models specified
Yes, but there are 8 models in total, with different priors 1 pt
- Are differences between two models explained
Yes, there is different distribution. 1 pt
- Are the differences in the models justified (e.g. does adding additional parameter makes sense?)
Due to low degree of freedom size it is justified. 1 pt
- Are models sufficiently described (what are formulas, what are parameters, what data is required)
Yes 1 pt

4. Priors

[3/4 pts]

- Is it explained why particular priors for parameters were selected
Yes, there was explanation. 1 pt
- Have prior predictive checks been done for parameters (do parameters simulated from priors make sense)
No, parameters are not checked. 0 pt
- Have prior predictive checks been done for measurements (do measurements simulated from priors make sense)
Yes, this data is visualized. 1 pt

- How prior parameters were selected 1 pt
Yes, priors are shown

5. Posterior analysis (model 1) [3/4 pts]

- Were there any issues with the sampling? if there were what kind of ideas for mitigation were used 1 pt
Authors stated that there were no issues with sampling.
- Are the samples from posterior predictive distribution analysed 1 pt
Yes, they are
- Is the data consistent with posterior predictive samples and is it sufficiently commented (if they are not then is the justification provided) 1 pt
No, but the inconsistency is explained
- Have parameter marginal distributions been analysed (histograms of individual parameters plus summaries, are they diffused or concentrated, what can we say about values?) 0 pt
No, only samples are shown

6. Posterior analysis (model 2) [3/4 pts]

- Were there any issues with the sampling? if there were what kind of ideas for mitigation were used 1 pt
Authors stated that there were no issues with sampling.
- Are the samples from posterior predictive distribution analysed 1 pt
Yes, they are
- Are the data consistent with posterior predictive samples and is it sufficiently commented (if they are not then is the justification provided) 1 pt
No, but the inconsistency is explained
- Have parameter marginal distributions been analysed (histograms of individual parameters plus summaries, are they diffused or concentrated, what can we say about values?) 0 pt
No, only samples are shown

7. Model comparison [4/4 pts]

- Have models been compared using information criteria 1 pt
Yes.
- Have result for WAIC been discussed (is there a clear winner, or is there an overlap, were there any warnings) 1 pt
Yes, there is analysis of WAIC results.
- Have result for PSIS-LOO been discussed (is there a clear winner, or is there an overlap, were there any warnings) 1 pt
Yes, there is analysis of PSIS-LOO results.
- Was the model comparison discussed? Do authors agree with information criteria? Why in your opinion one model better than another 1 pt
Yes, authors presented it in the conclusion.