

EN.553.732: Homework 2  
Problems 5 and 6

**Problem 5**

**Part (a):**

**R Code**

```
#Problem 5  
#Part (a)
```

```
mu0=5  
sigma0=4  
v0=2  
k0=1  
schooldata=list()  
  
schooldata[1]<-read.table("school1.txt")  
schooldata[2]<-read.table("school2.txt")  
schooldata[3]<-read.table("school3.txt")  
  
n = sapply(schooldata, length)  
ybar=sapply(schooldata, mean)  
s=sapply(schooldata, var)  
  
kn=k0+n  
vn=v0+n  
mun=(k0*mu0+n*ybar)/kn  
sigman=(v0*sigma0+(n-1)*s+k0*n*(ybar-mu0)^2/kn)/(vn)  
sigma=mu=matrix(0, 10000, 3, dimnames = list(NULL, c("school1",  
"school2", "school3")))  
for (i in c(1, 2, 3)){  
  sigma[,i]=1/rgamma(10000, vn[i]/2, vn[i]*sigman[i]/2)  
  mu[,i]=rnorm(10000, mun[i], (sigma[,i]/kn[i])^0.5)  
}  
  
#Computing posterior means and 95% confidence interval for mu  
  
colMeans(mu)  
apply(mu, 2, function(x) {  
  quantile(x, c(0.025, 0.975))  
})  
  
#Computing posterior means and 95% confidence interval for standard  
deviation  
  
colMeans(sqrt(sigma))  
apply(sqrt(sigma), 2, function(x) {  
  quantile(x, c(0.025, 0.975))  
})
```

**Results:**

**Posterior Means:**

```
school1 school2 school3  
9.290606 6.963136 7.814114
```

**95% CI for mean:**

```
          school1 school2 school3  
2.5%    7.75762 5.150658 6.172948  
97.5% 10.84183 8.787480 9.427163
```

**Posterior Means for standard deviation:**

```
school1 school2 school3  
3.905729 4.402176 3.741269
```

**95% CI for standard deviation:**

```
          school1 school2 school3  
2.5%    3.000531 3.349973 2.800034  
97.5% 5.157399 5.889208 5.110928
```

**Problem 5, Part b**

**R Code**

```
#Part b
```

```
#combinat package installed for permn function use. Used to generate  
all 6 permutations of {1,2,3}.
```

```
mu_ranks= t(apply(mu, 1, rank))  
prob_ranks= list()  
for (p in permn(3)) {  
  index= apply(mu_ranks, 1, function(row) {  
    all(row == p)  
  })  
  prob_ranks[[paste(p, collapse = ",")]] = length(mu_ranks[index,  
1])/10000  
}
```

```
prob_ranks[["1,2,3"]]  
prob_ranks[["1,3,2"]]  
prob_ranks[["2,1,3"]]  
prob_ranks[["3,1,2"]]  
prob_ranks[["2,3,1"]]  
prob_ranks[["3,2,1"]]
```

**Results:**

```
> prob_ranks[["1,2,3"]]  
[1] 0.0066
```

```
> prob_ranks[["1,3,2"]]
```

```
[1] 0.0042

> prob_ranks[["2,1,3"]]
[1] 0.0846

> prob_ranks[["3,1,2"]]
[1] 0.6639

> prob_ranks[["2,3,1"]]
[1] 0.0154

> prob_ranks[["3,2,1"]]
[1] 0.2253
```

### Problem 5, Part c

#### R Code

#Part c

#Posterior predictive distribution

```
predict = matrix(0, 10000, 3, dimnames = list(NULL,
c("school1", "school2", "school3")))
for (i in c(1, 2, 3)) {
  predict[, i] = rnorm(10000, mun[i], sqrt(sigma[,i]*((kn[i]+1)/kn[i])))
}
```

#Computing ranks and probabilities

```
pred_rank = t(apply(predict, 1, rank))
pred_probrank = list()
for (p in permn(3)) {
  index = apply(pred_rank, 1, function(row) {all(row == p)
})
  pred_probrank[[paste(p, collapse = ",")] = length(pred_rank[index,
1])/10000
}
```

```
pred_probrank[["1,2,3"]]
pred_probrank[["1,3,2"]]
pred_probrank[["3,1,2"]]
pred_probrank[["2,1,3"]]
pred_probrank[["2,3,1"]]
pred_probrank[["3,2,1"]]
```

#### Results:

```
> pred_probrank[["1,2,3"]]
[1] 0.1092

> pred_probrank[["1,3,2"]]
[1] 0.1041

> pred_probrank[["3,1,2"]]
[1] 0.2699

> pred_probrank[["2,1,3"]]
[1] 0.1828
```

```
> pred_probrank[["2,3,1"]]  
[1] 0.1402  
  
> pred_probrank[["3,2,1"]]  
[1] 0.1938
```

**Problem 5, part d**

**R Code and Results**

```
> #Part d  
> prob_ranks[["2,3,1"]]+prob_ranks[["3,2,1"]]  
[1] 0.2407  
  
> pred_probrank[["2,3,1"]]+pred_probrank[["3,2,1"]]  
[1] 0.334
```