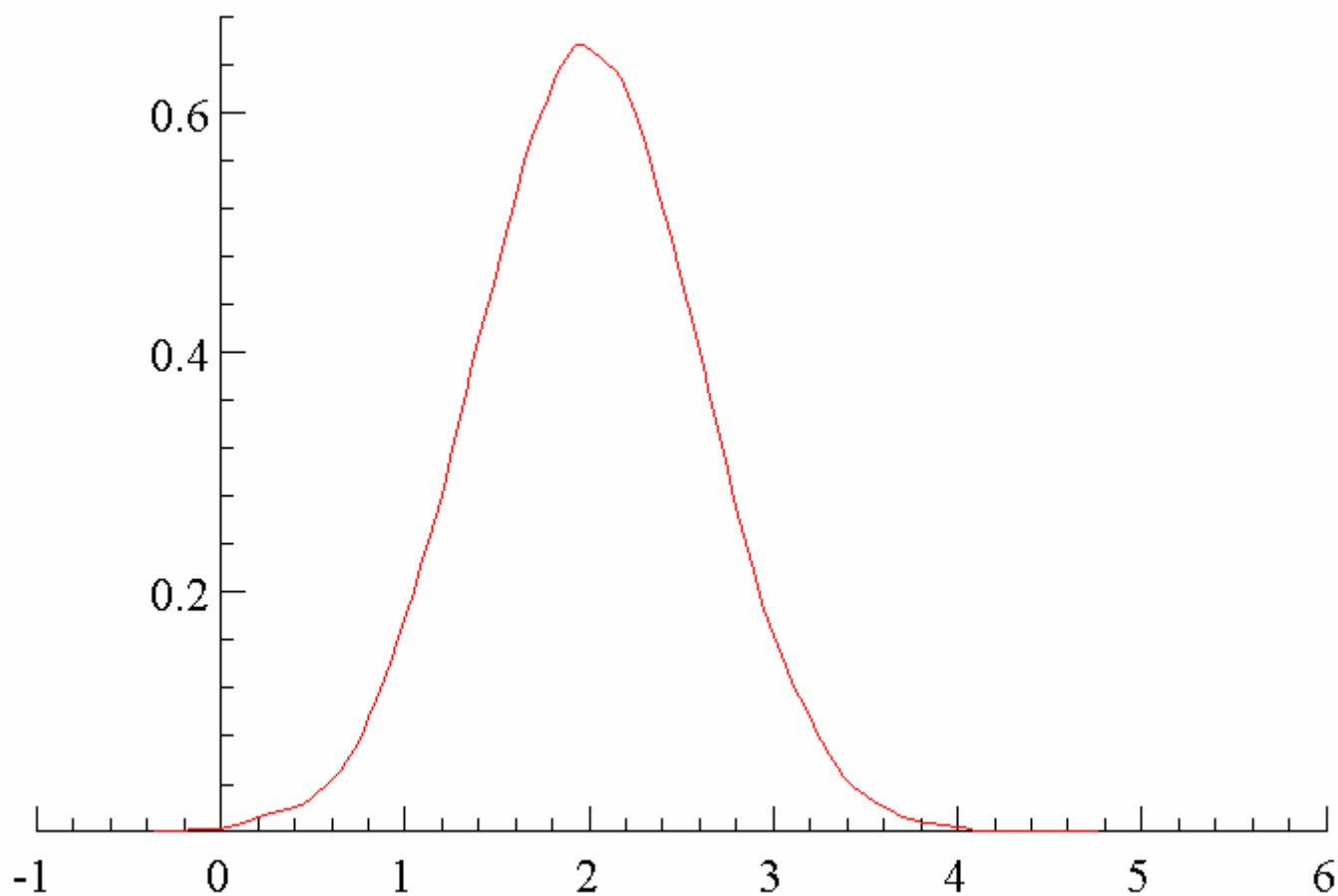


# **Markov chain Monte Carlo**

$$y_t = x_t\beta + \varepsilon_t$$

$$\max_{\text{likelihood}} f(y|\beta) \rightarrow \hat{\beta}$$



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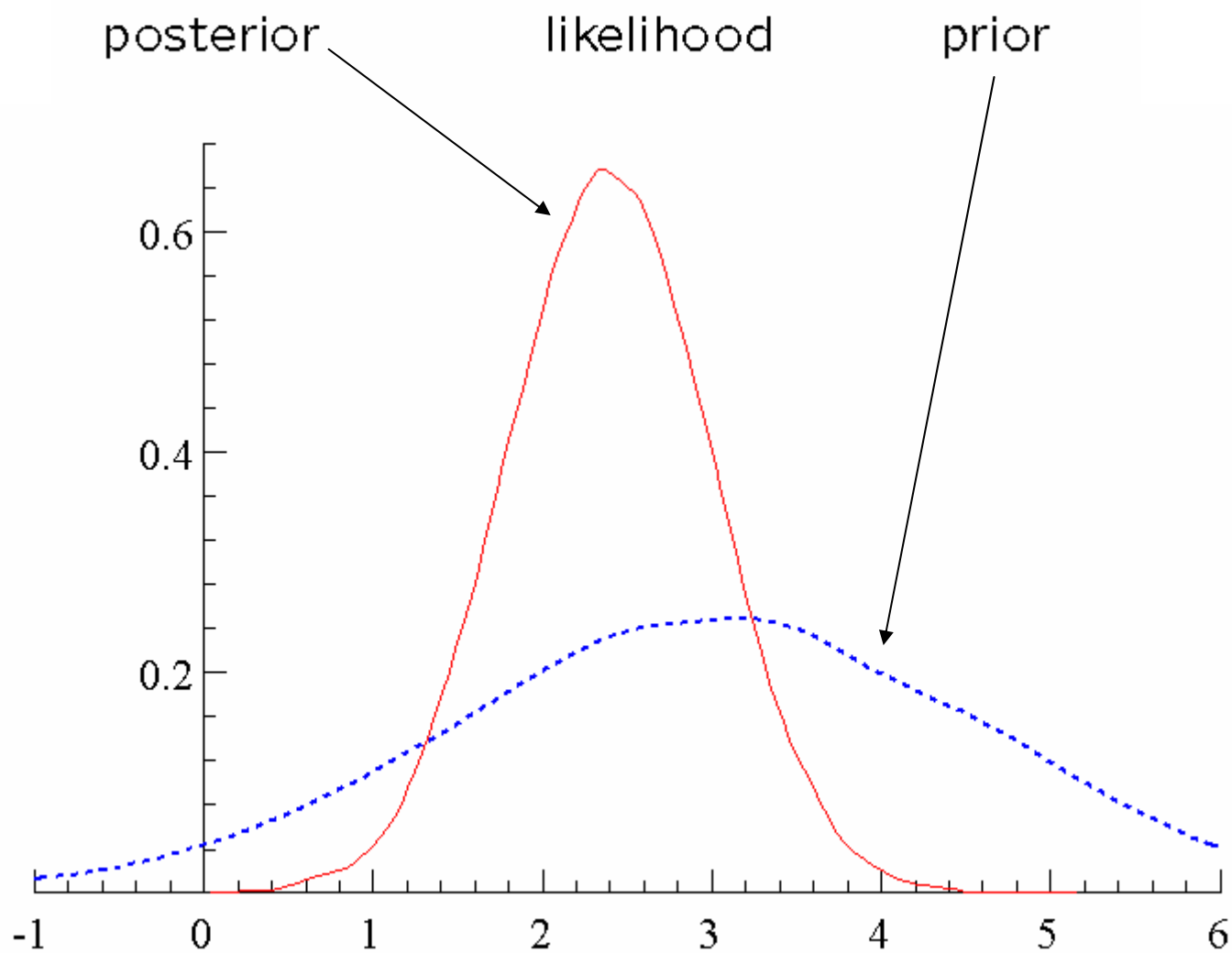
$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \pi(\beta|y) & \propto & f(y|\beta) & \times & \pi(\beta) \\ \text{posterior} & & \text{likelihood} & & \text{prior} \end{array}$$

posterior

likelihood

prior

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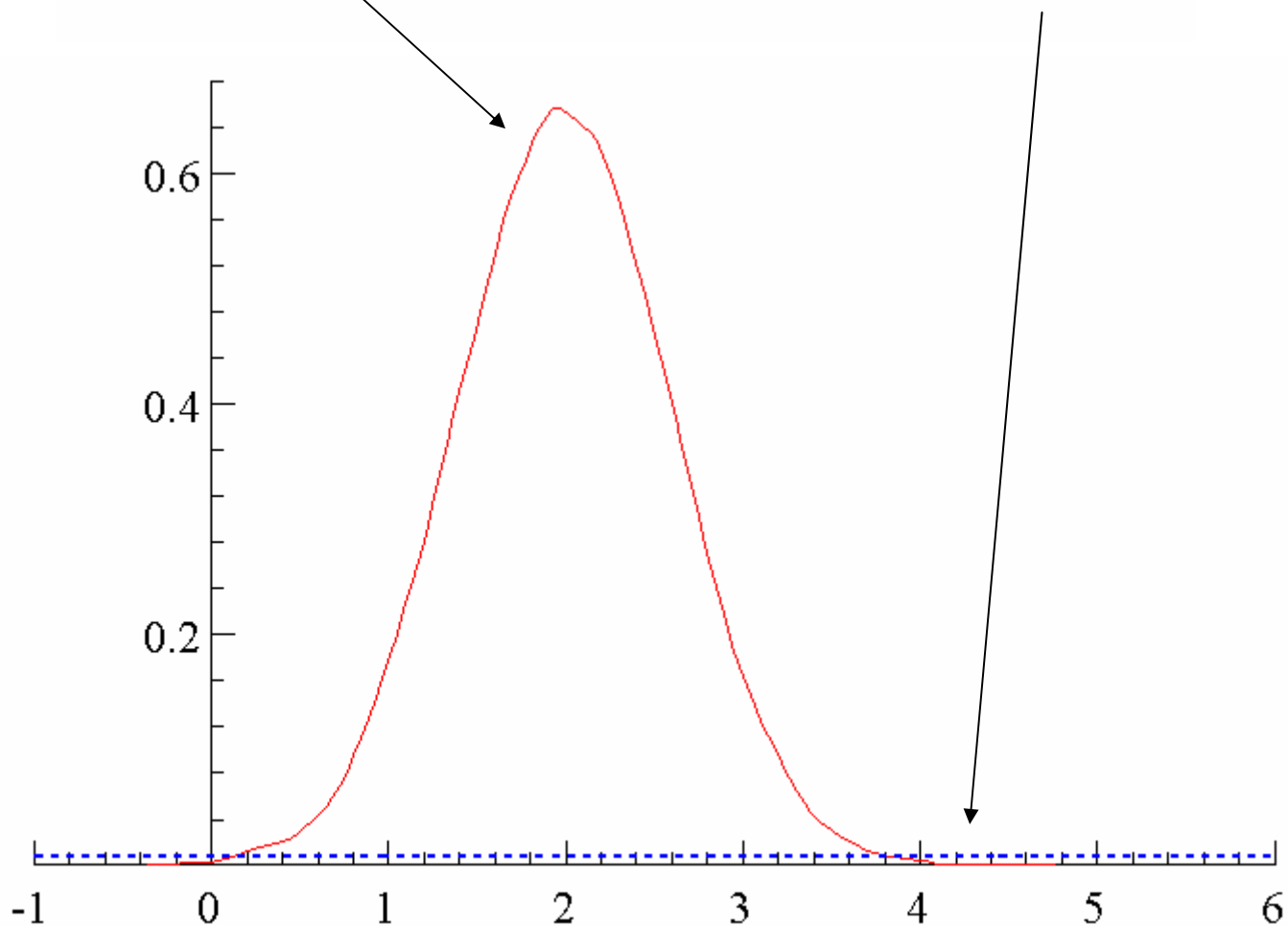


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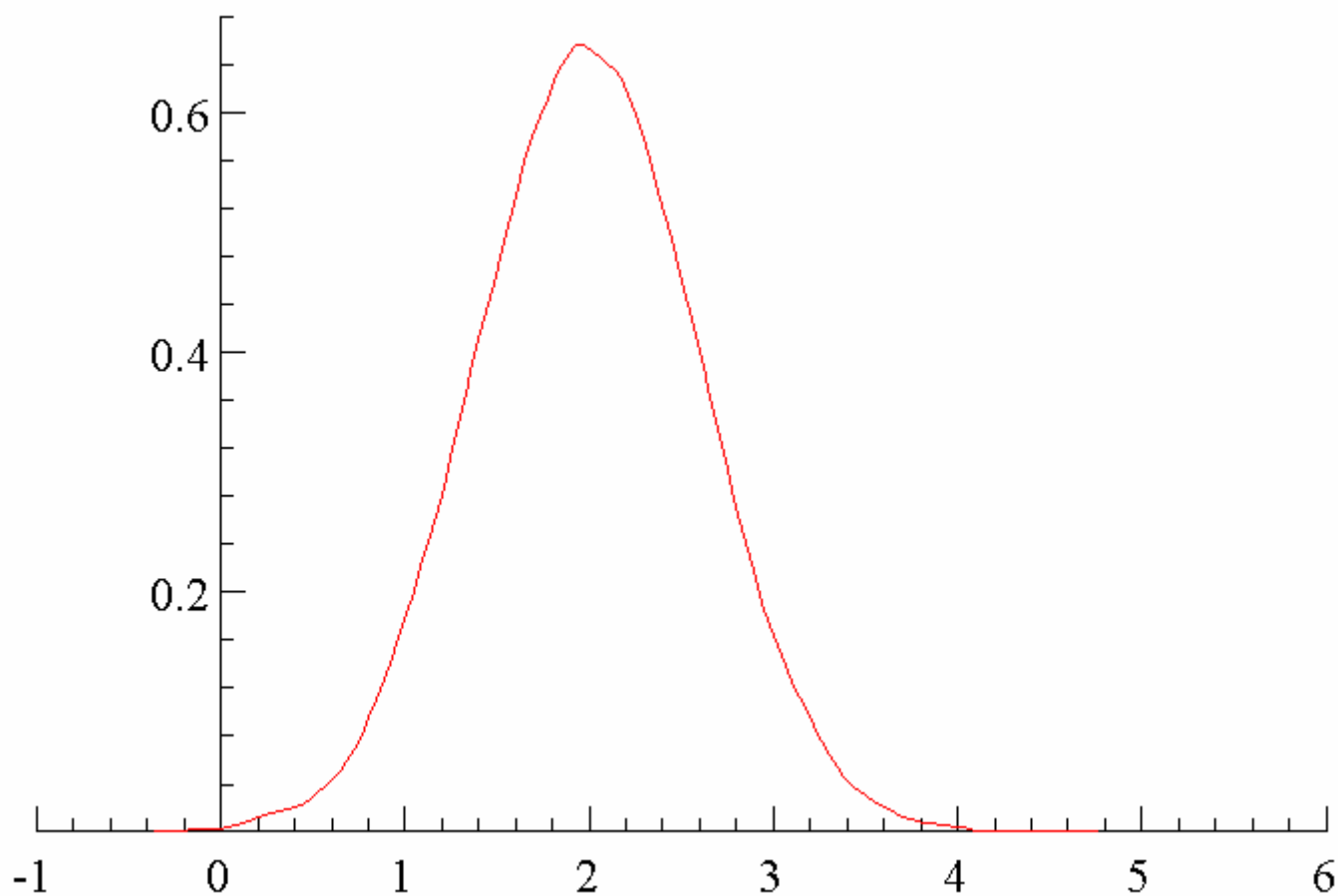
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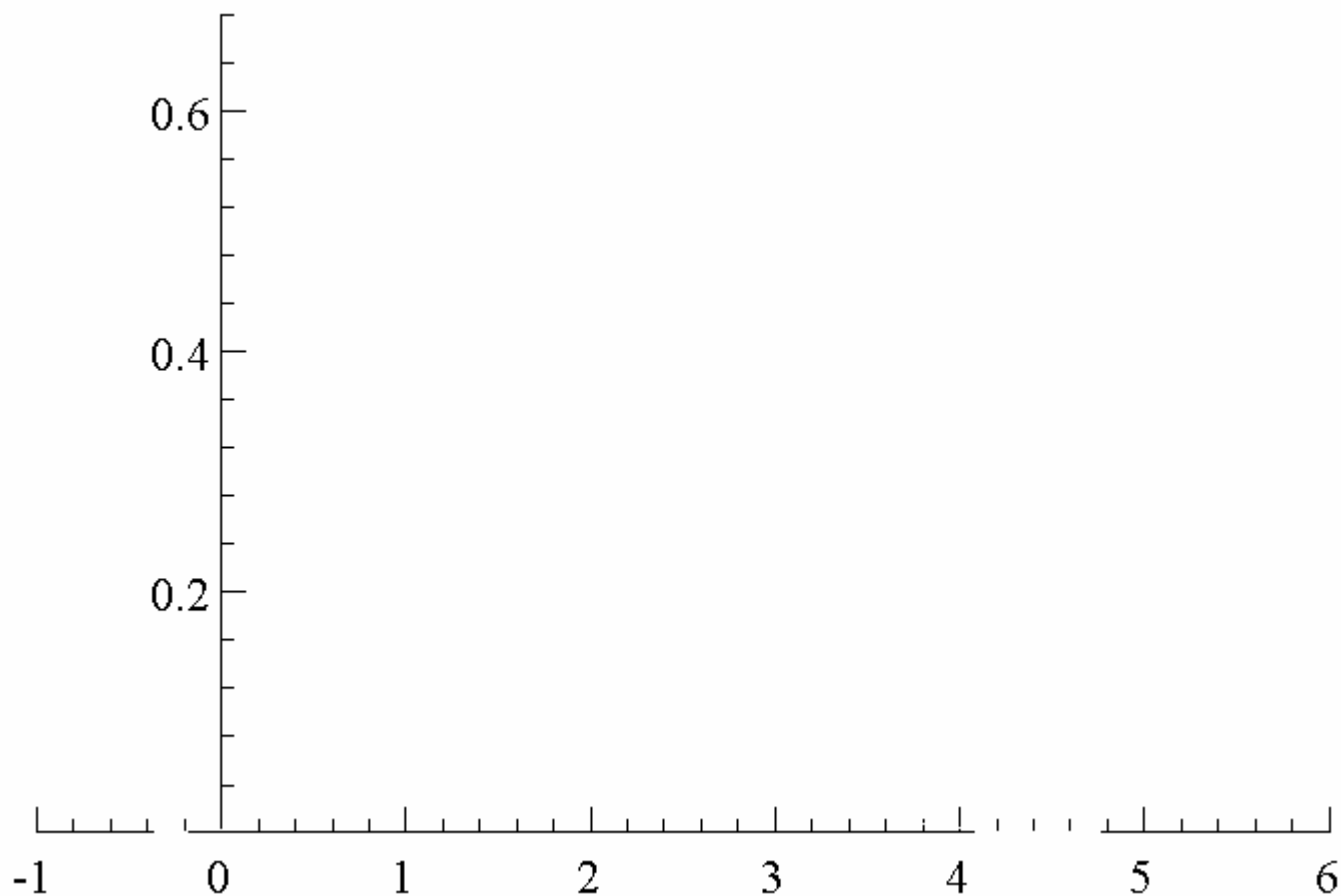


$$\max_{\text{likelihood}} f(y|\beta) \rightarrow \hat{\beta}$$



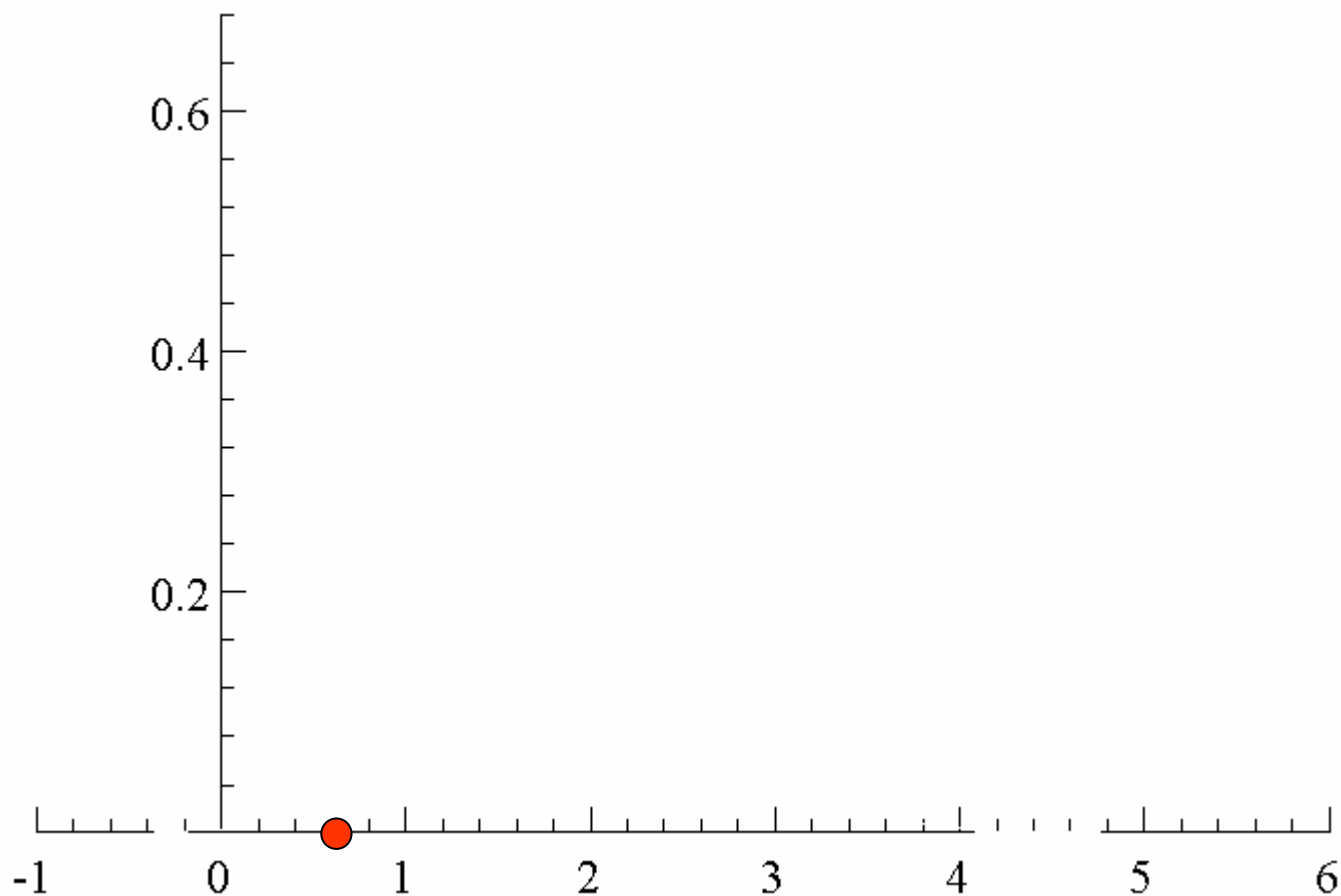
$$\beta^{(i)} \sim \pi(\beta|y)$$

**sample from posterior**



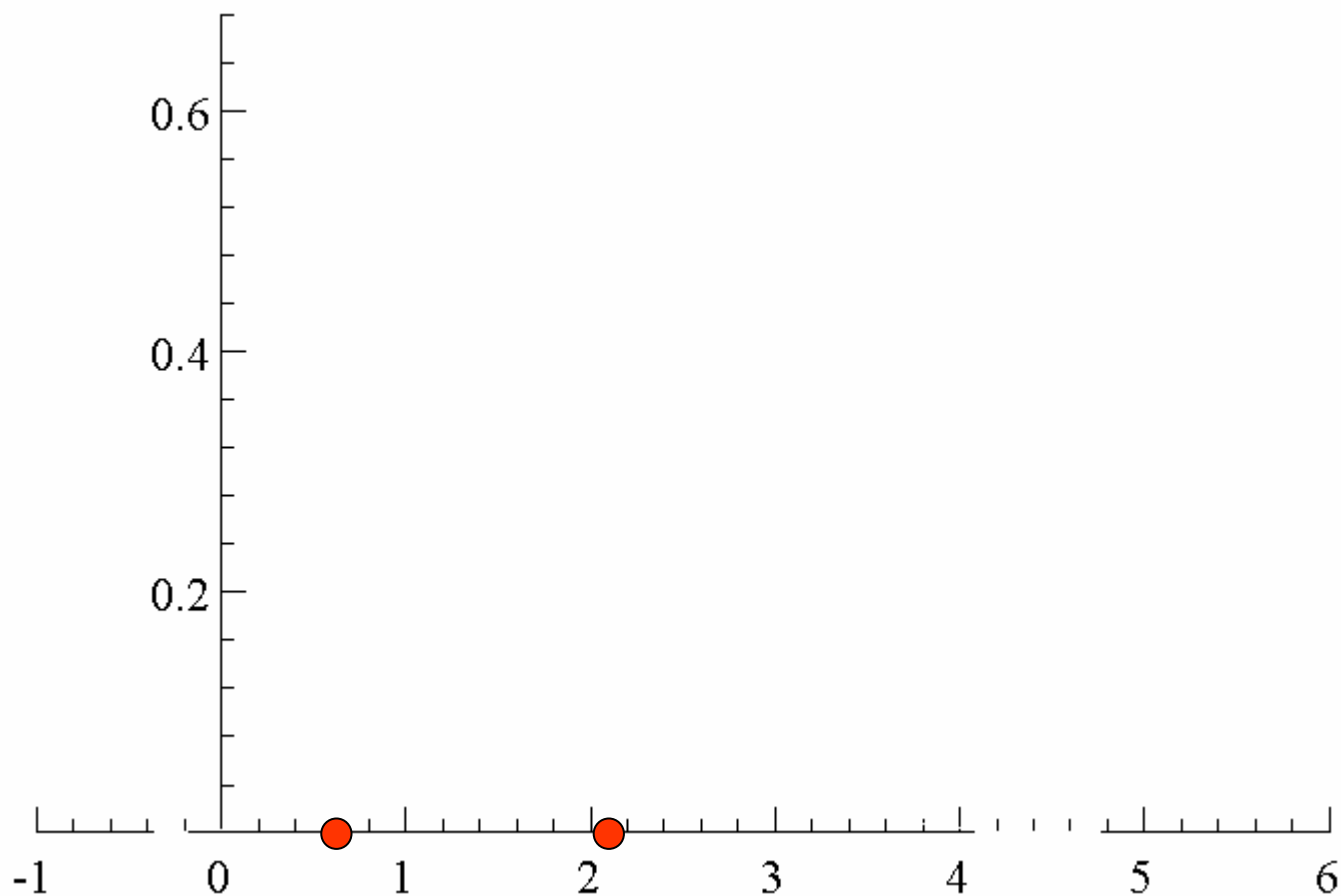
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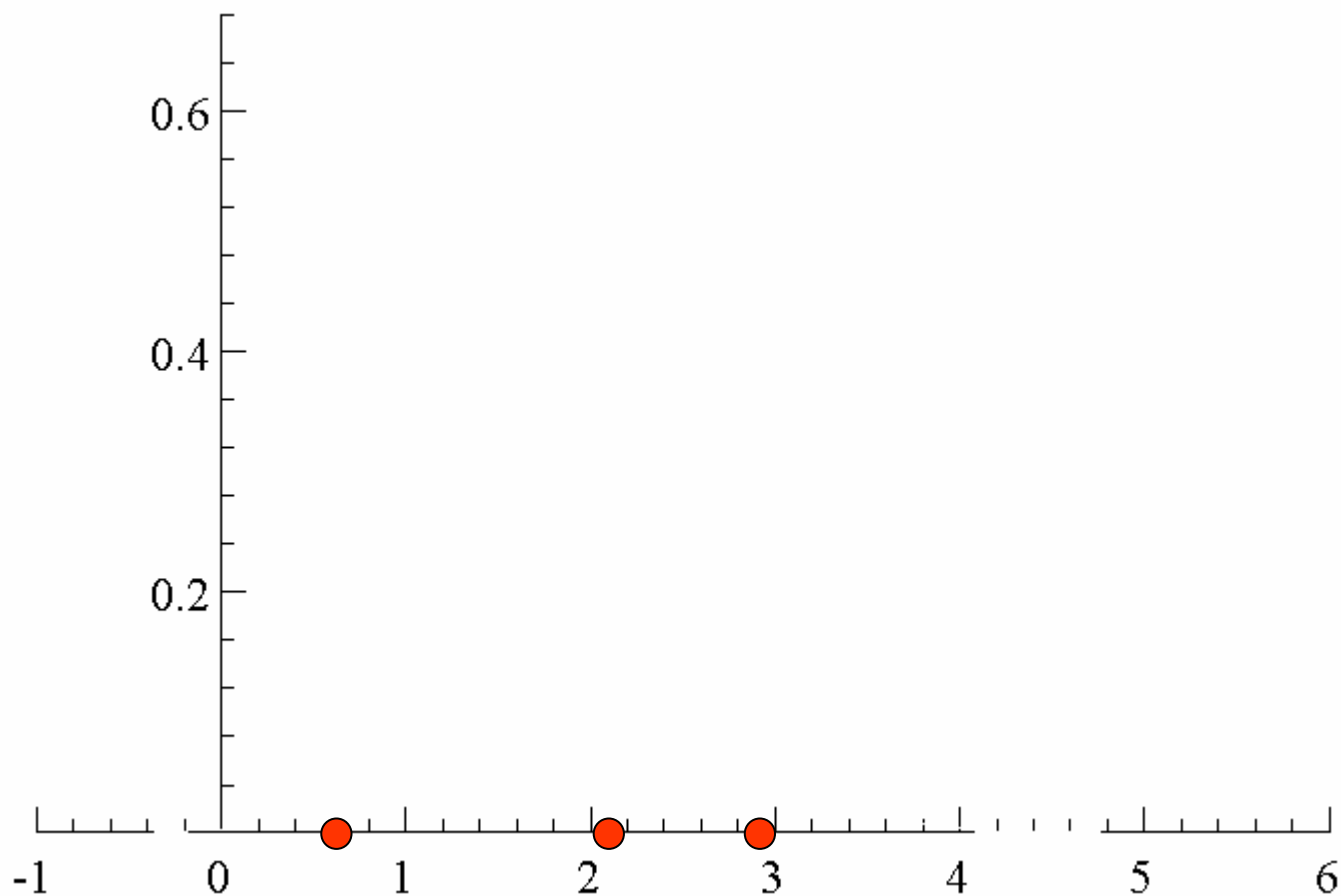
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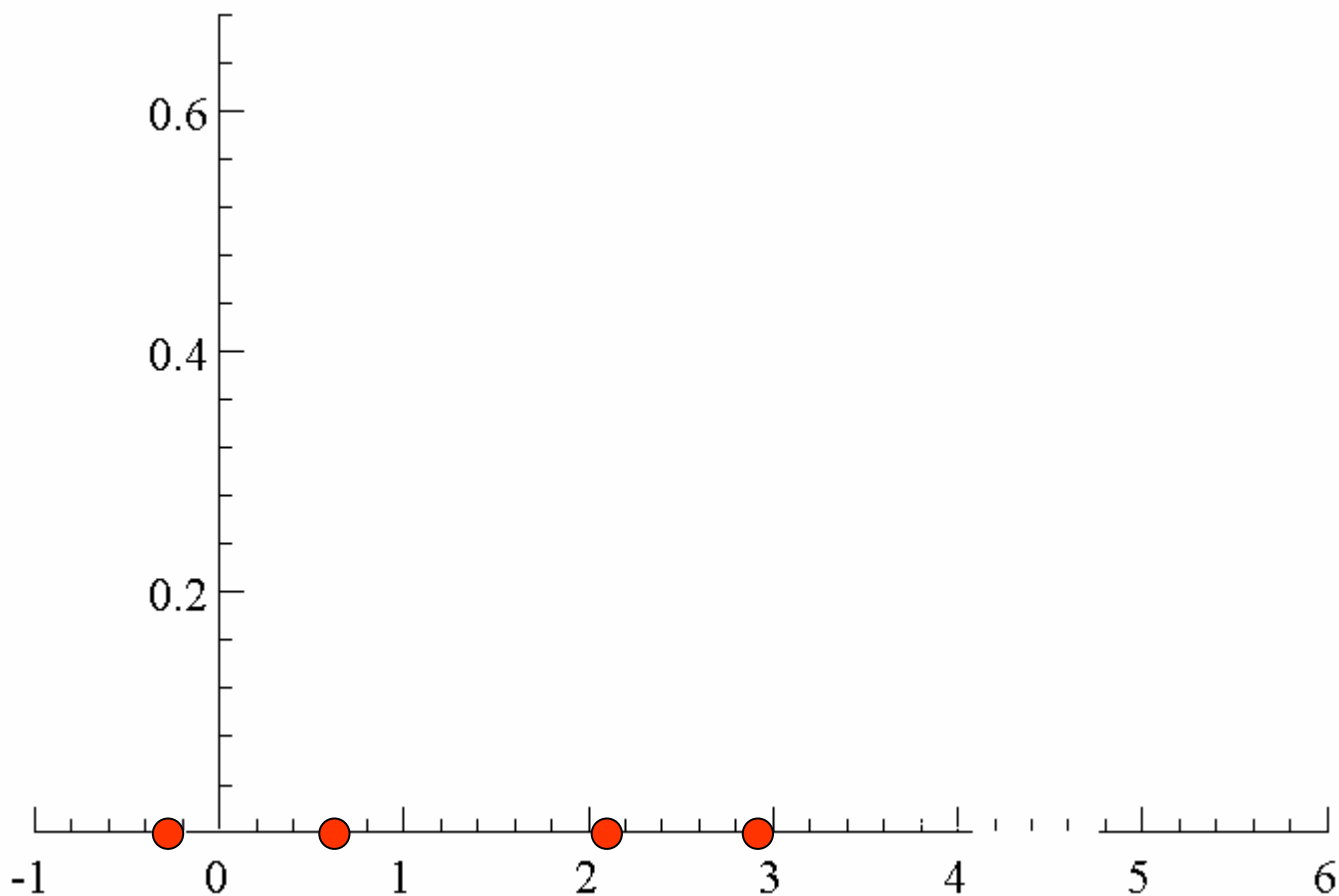
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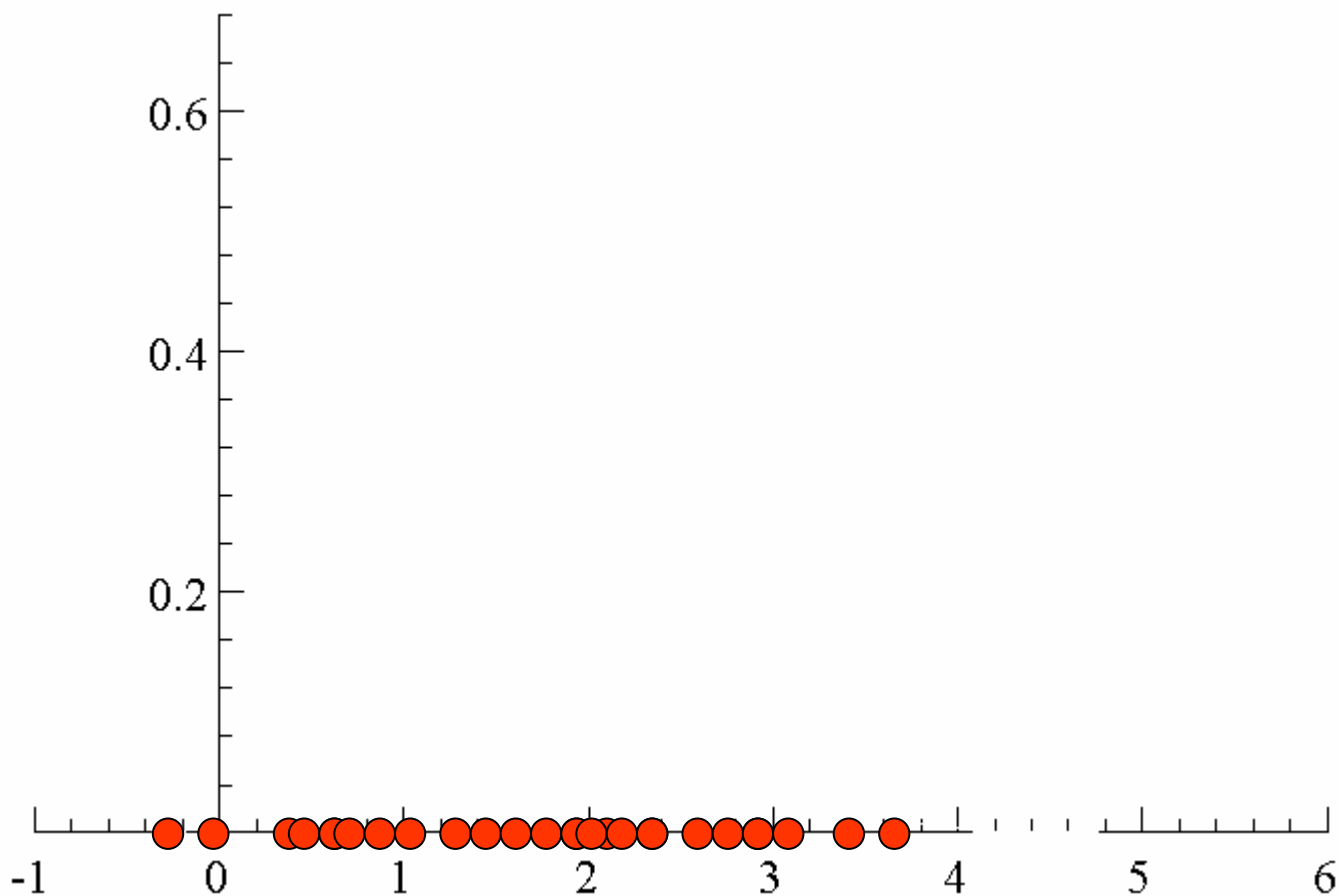
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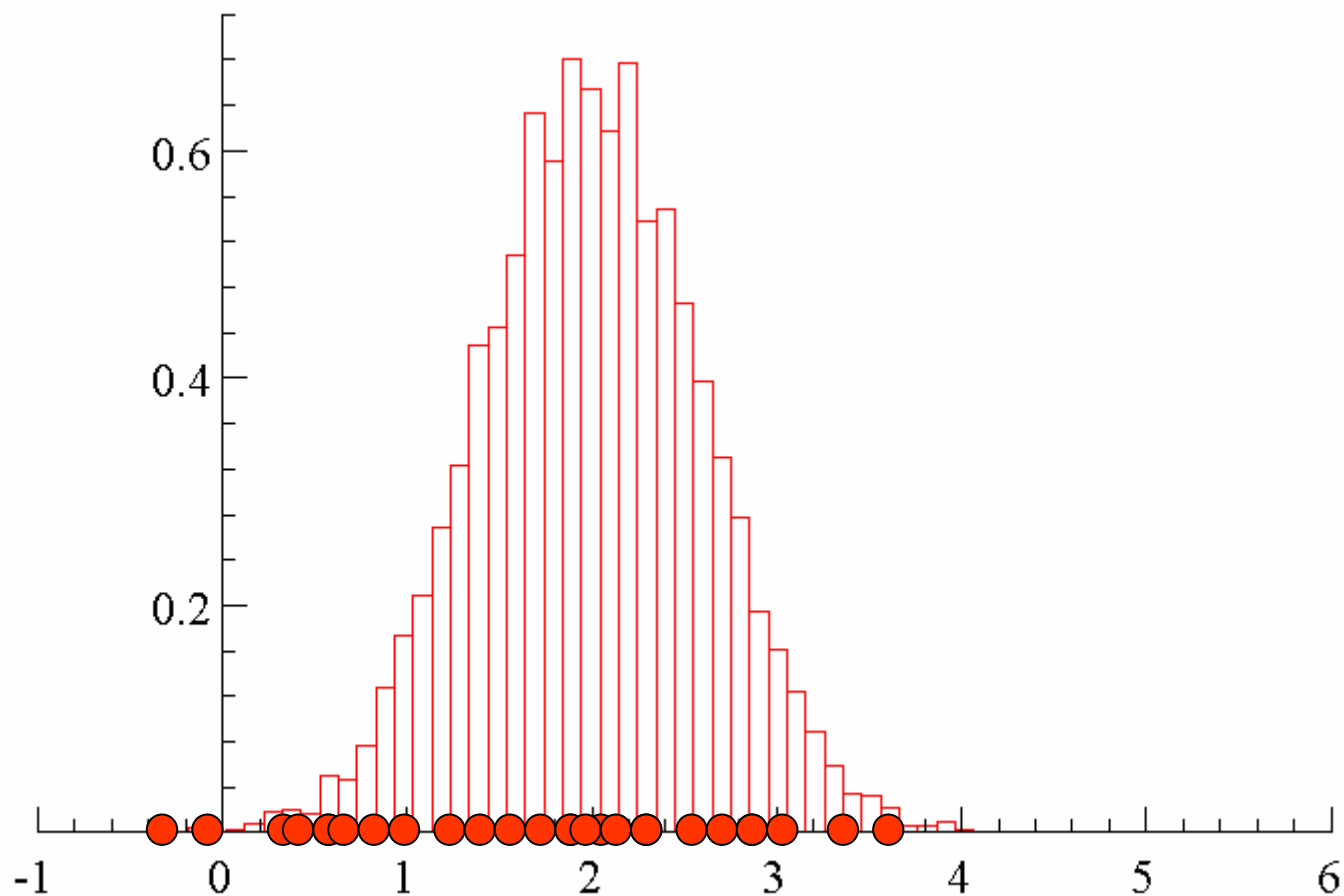
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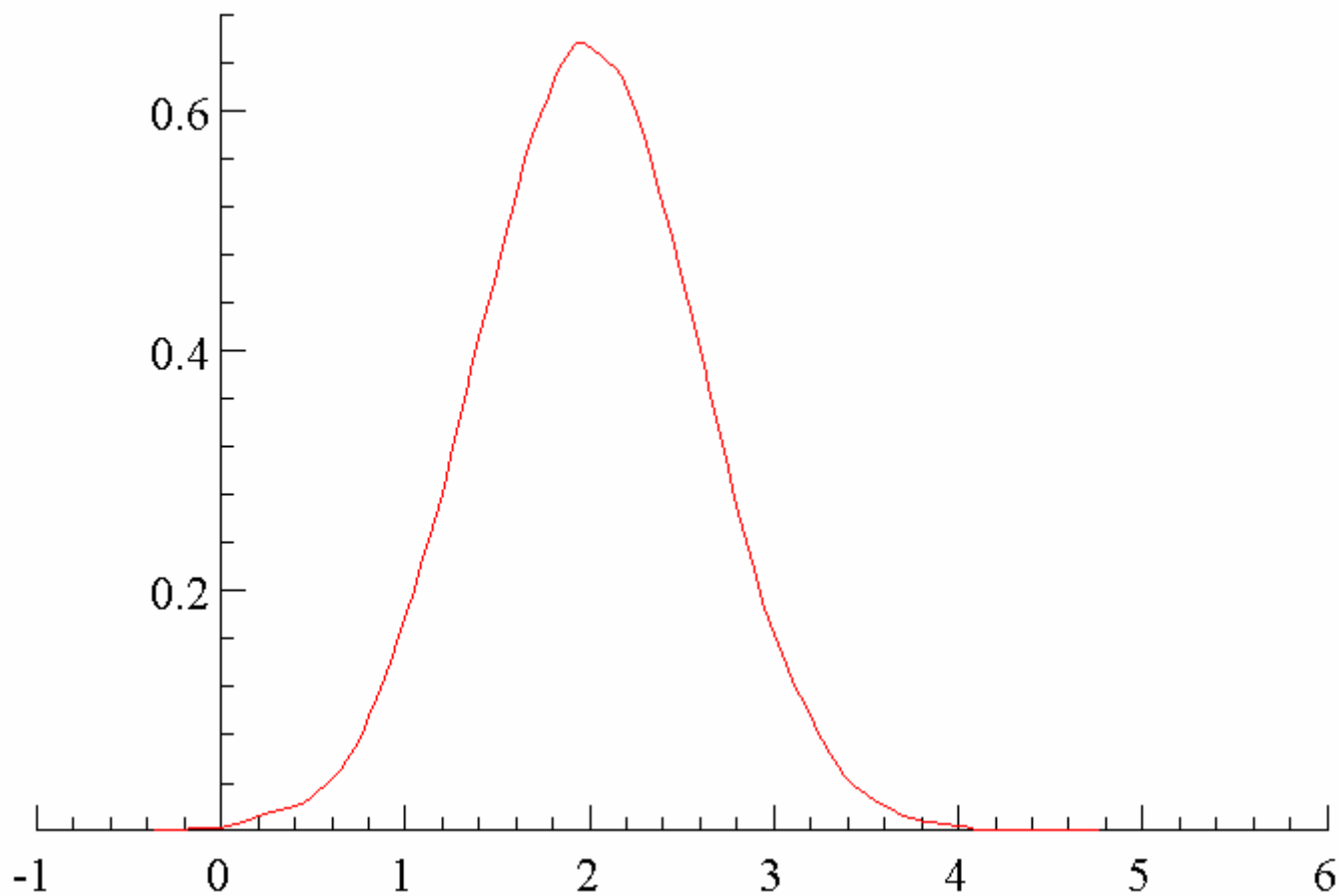
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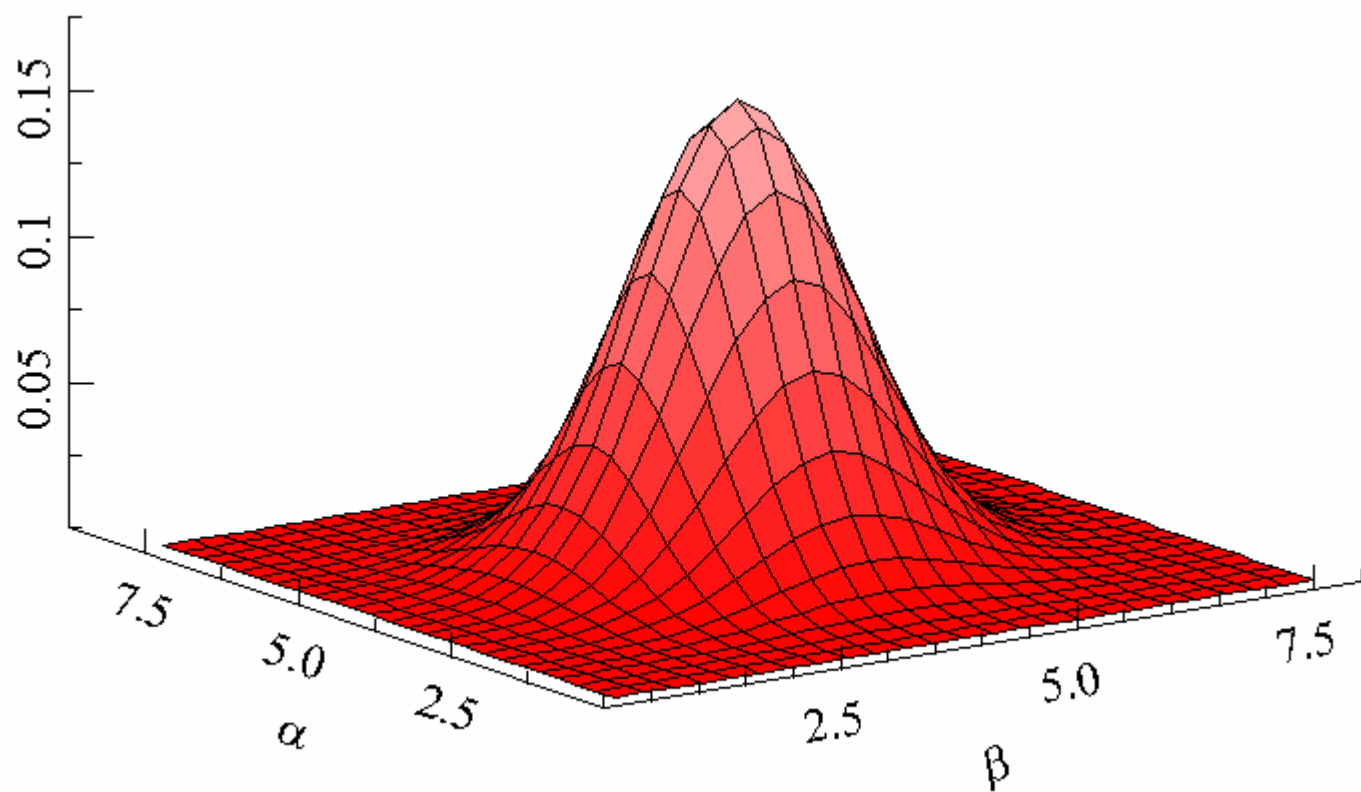
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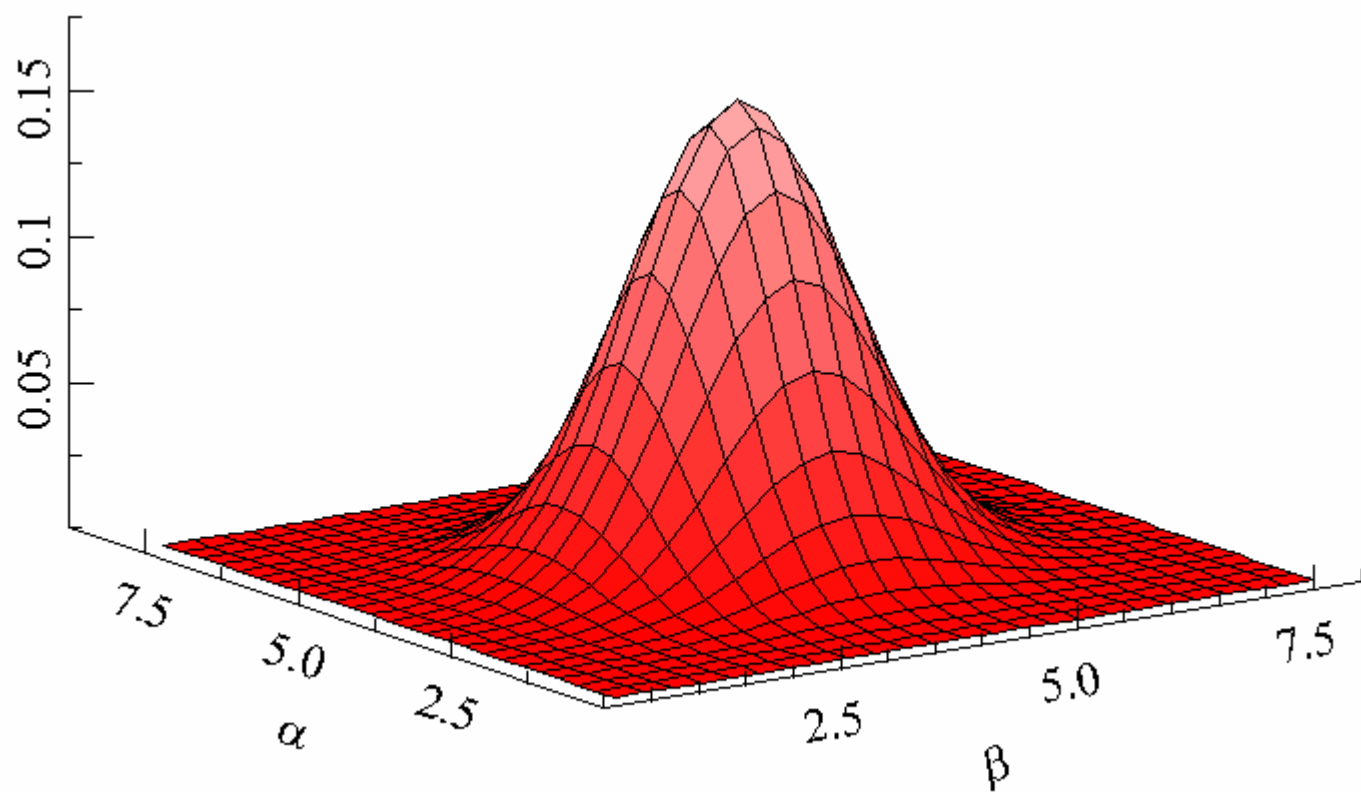


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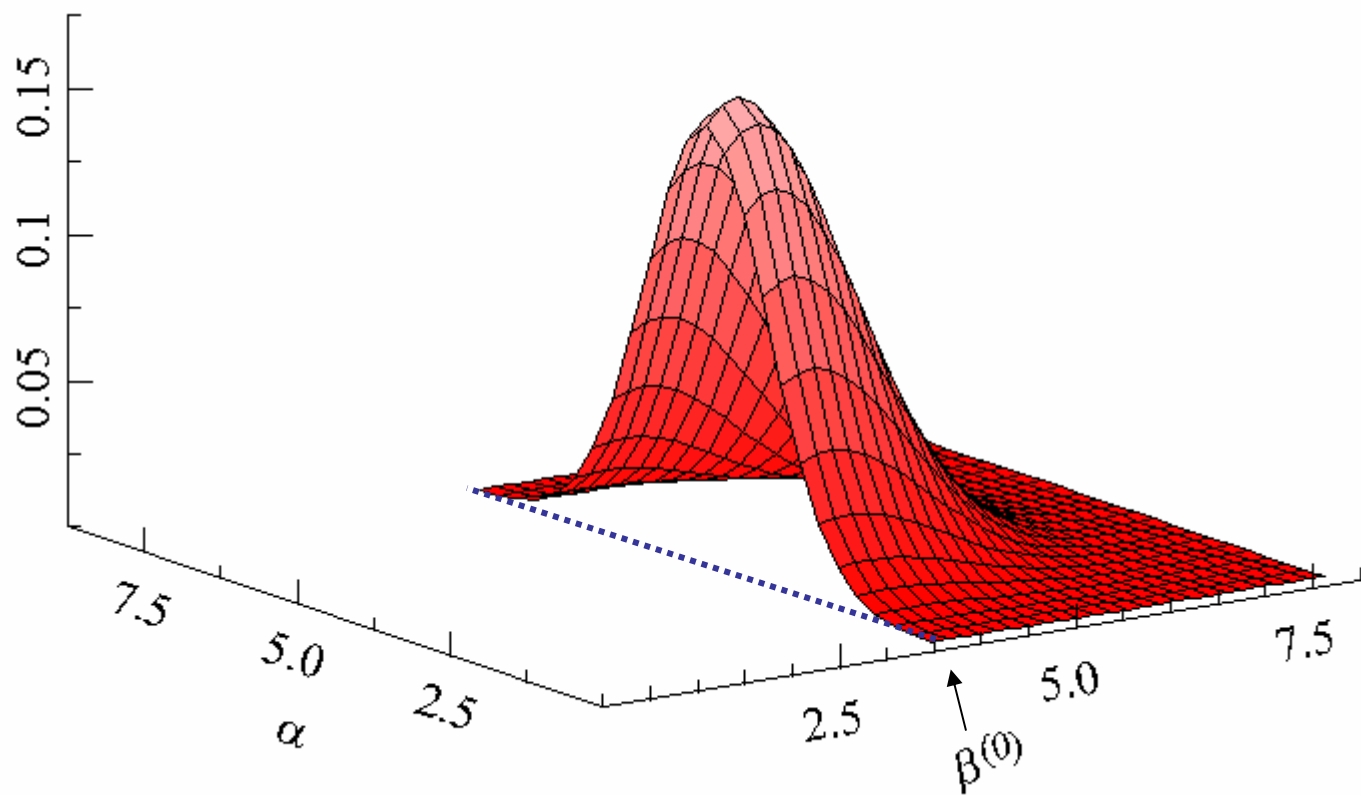
## MCMC algorithm

1. Initialize  $\alpha^{(0)}, \beta^{(0)}$
2. Sample  $\alpha^{(1)} \sim \pi(\alpha|\beta^{(0)}, y)$
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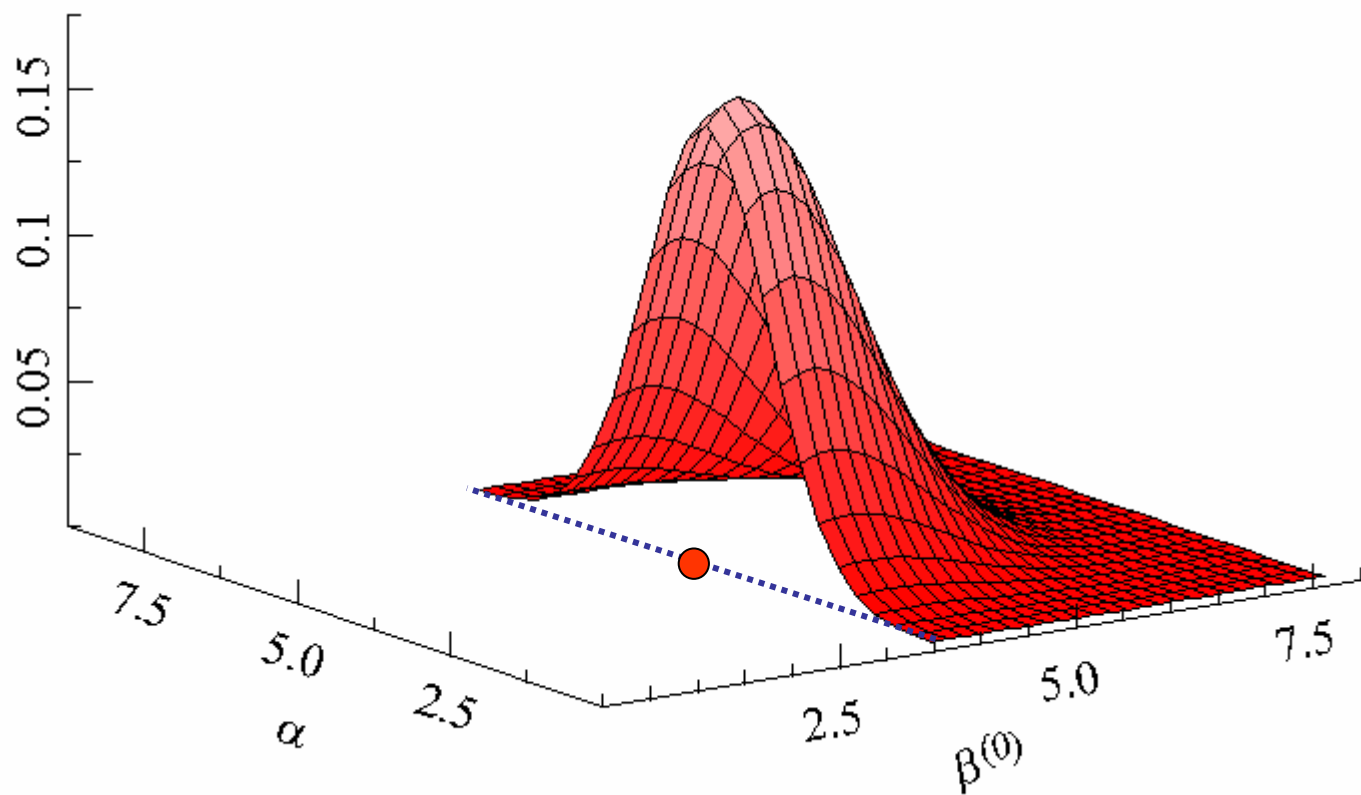
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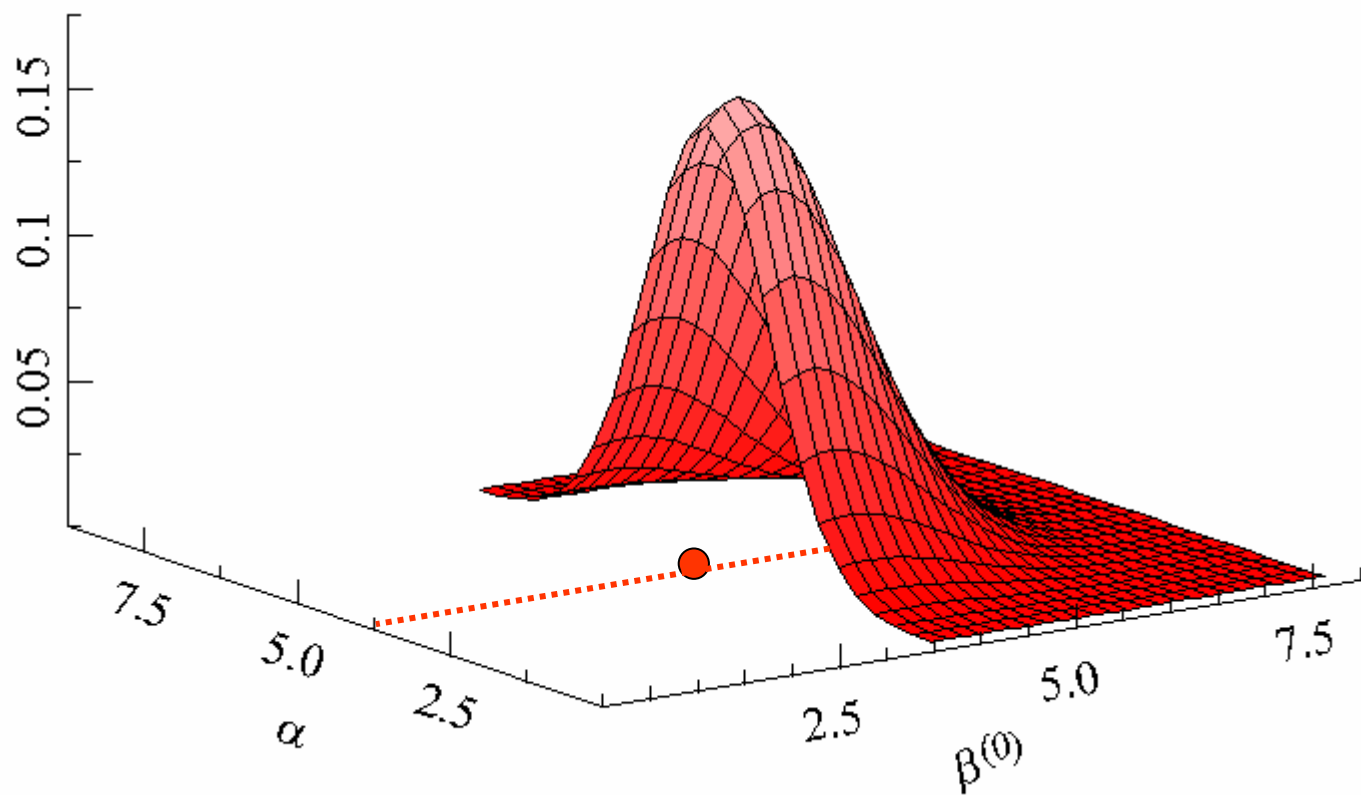
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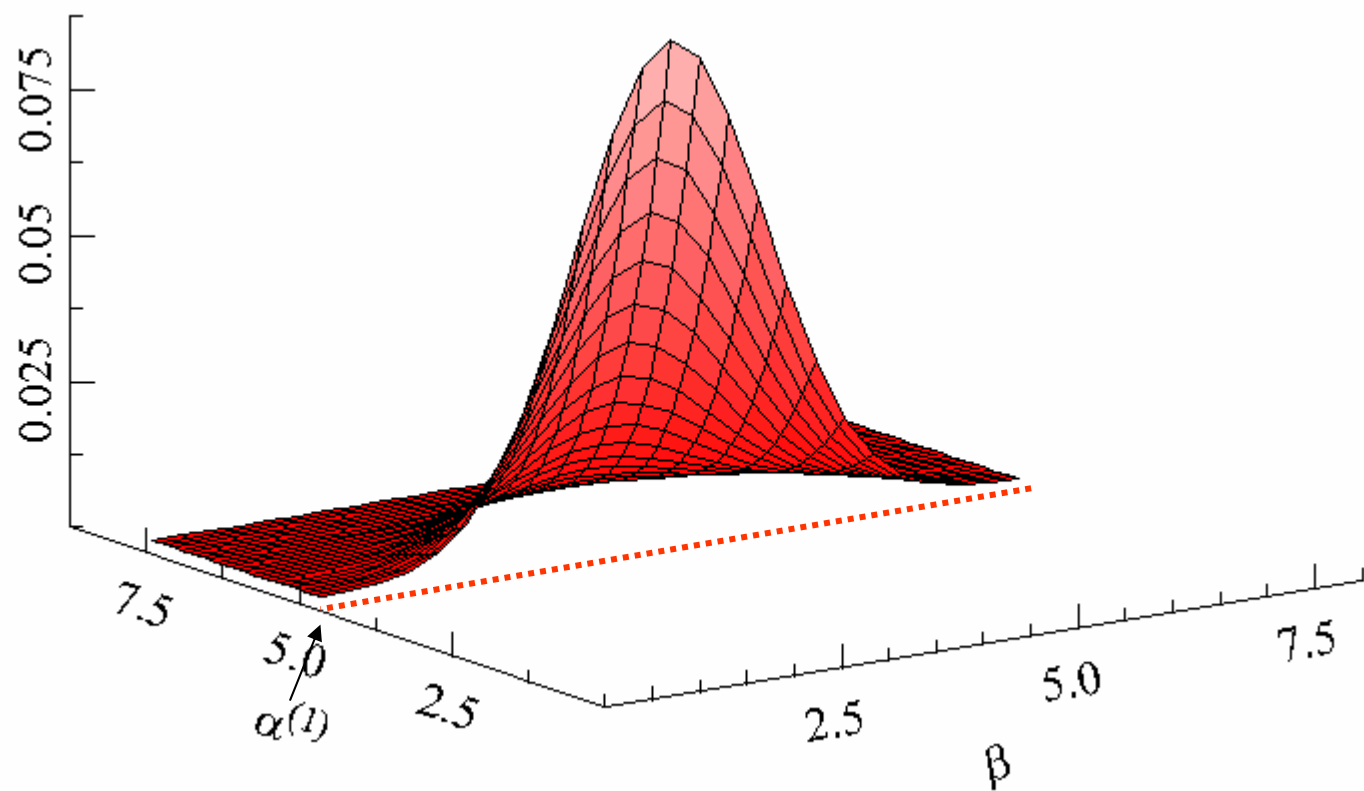


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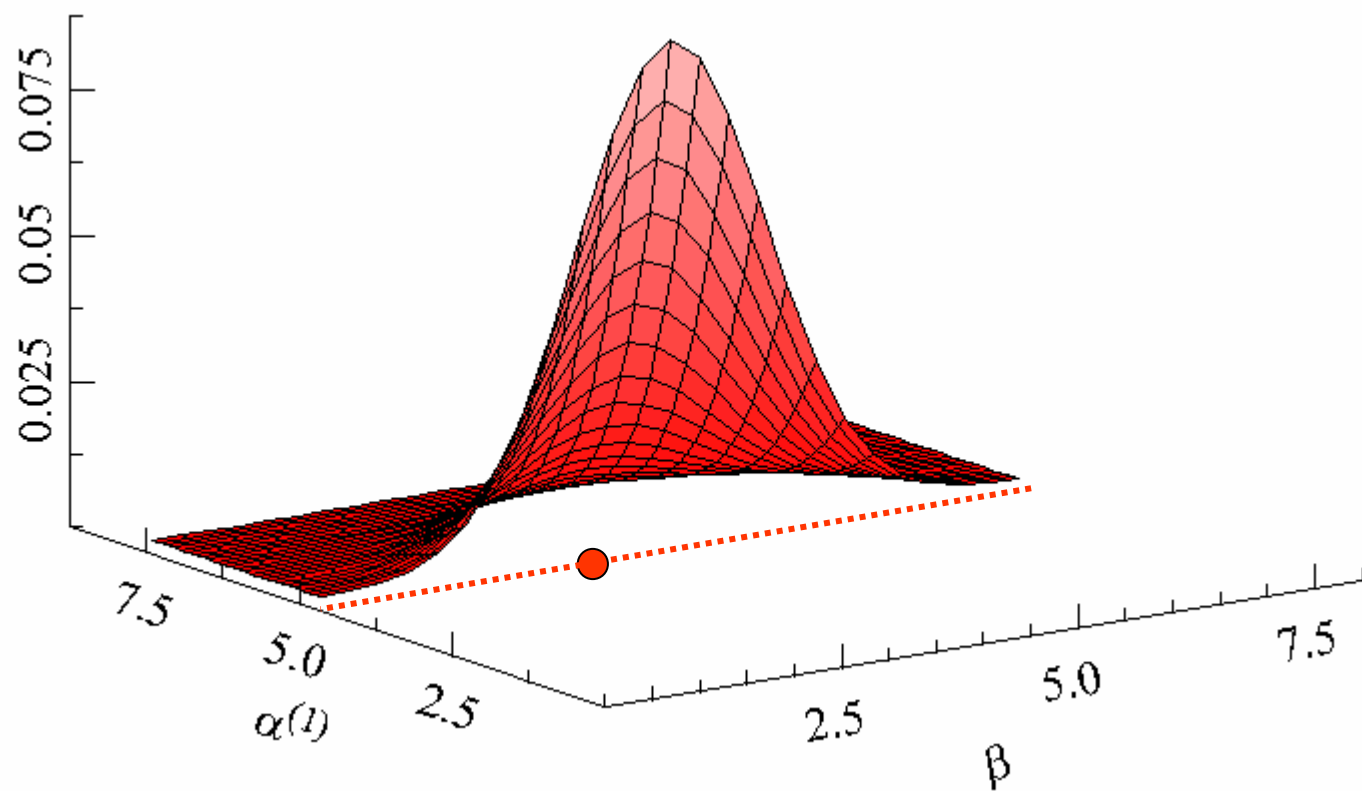




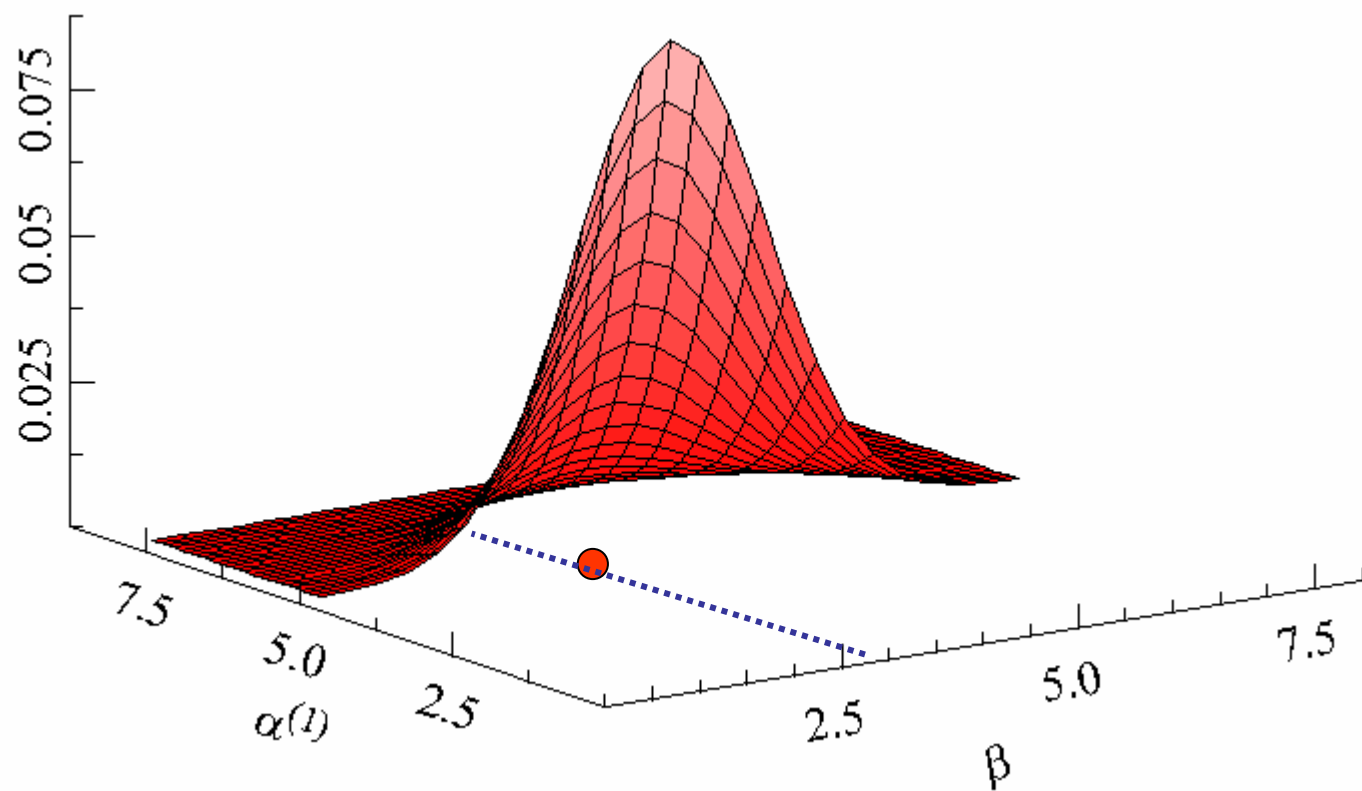
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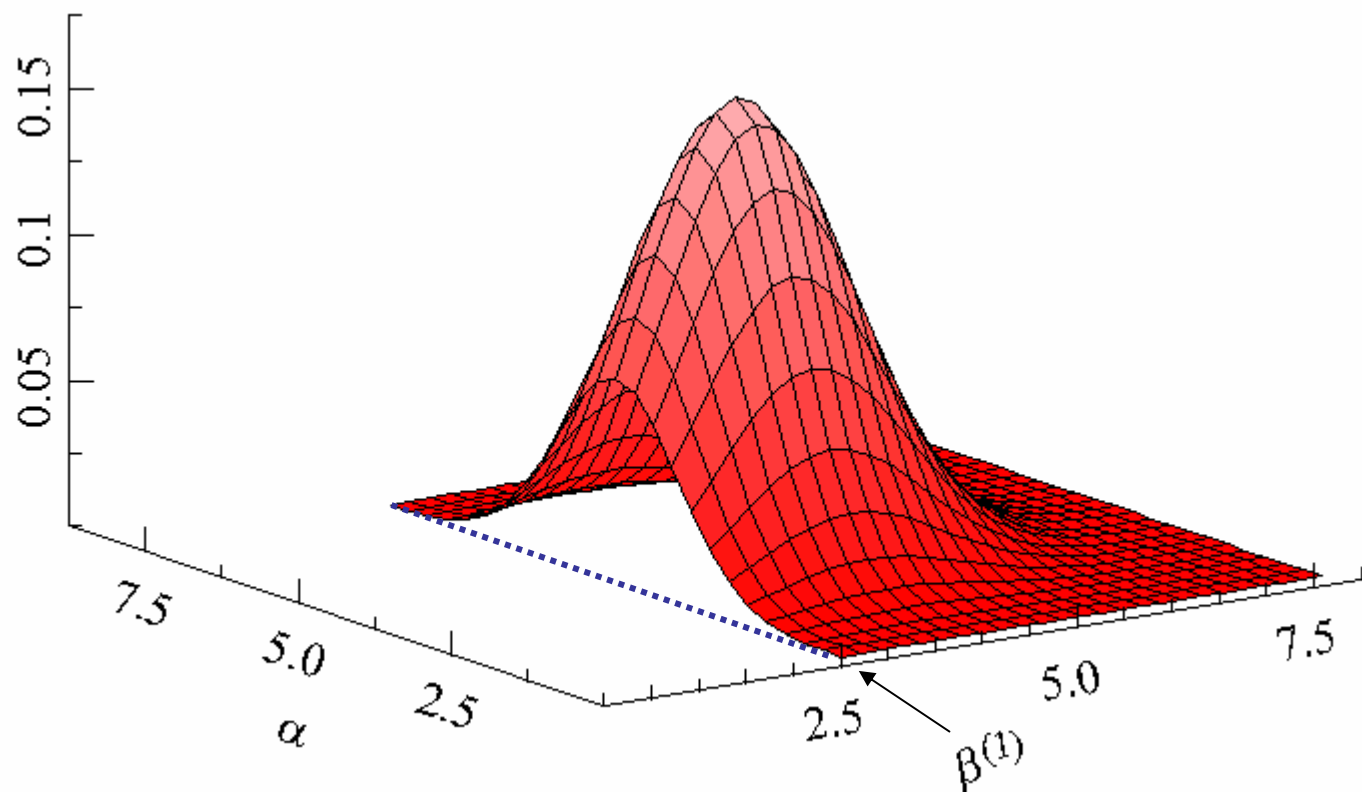
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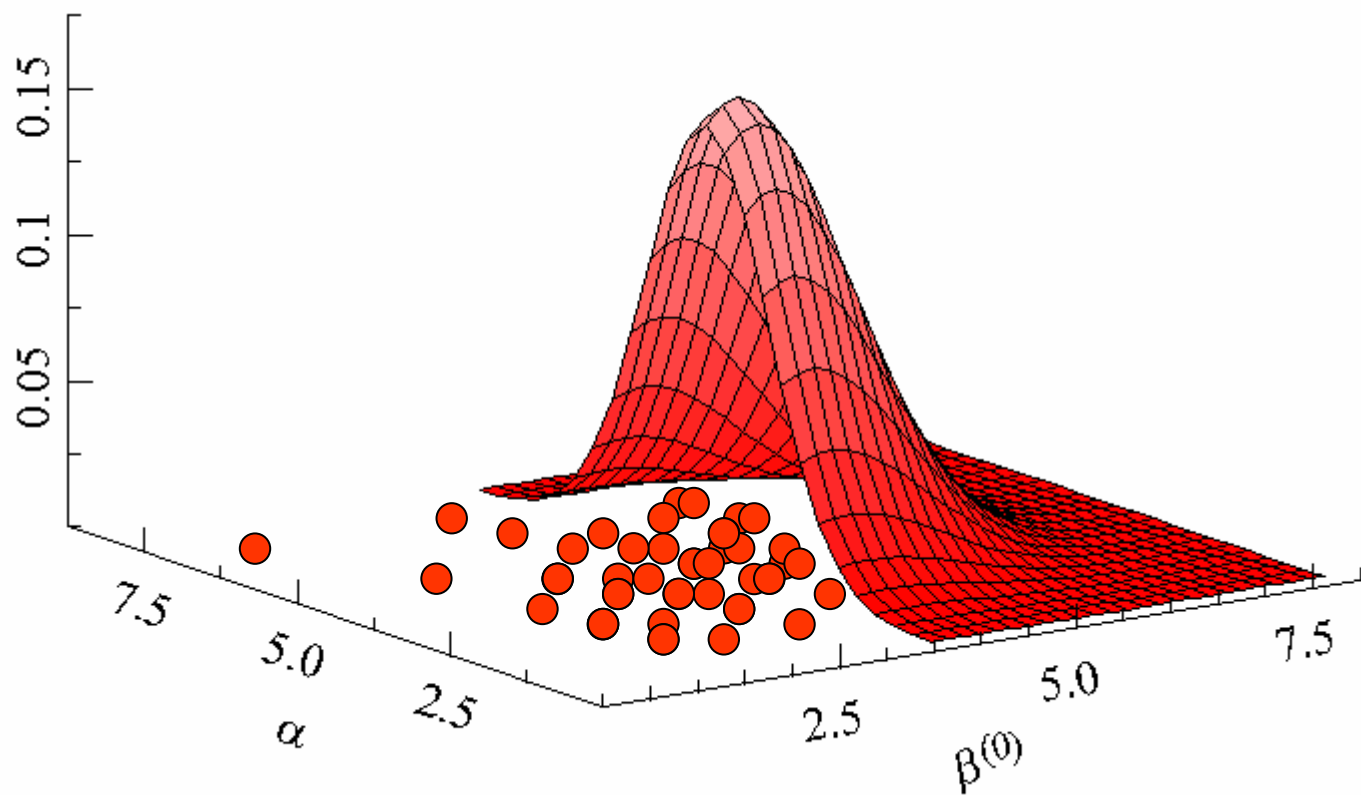


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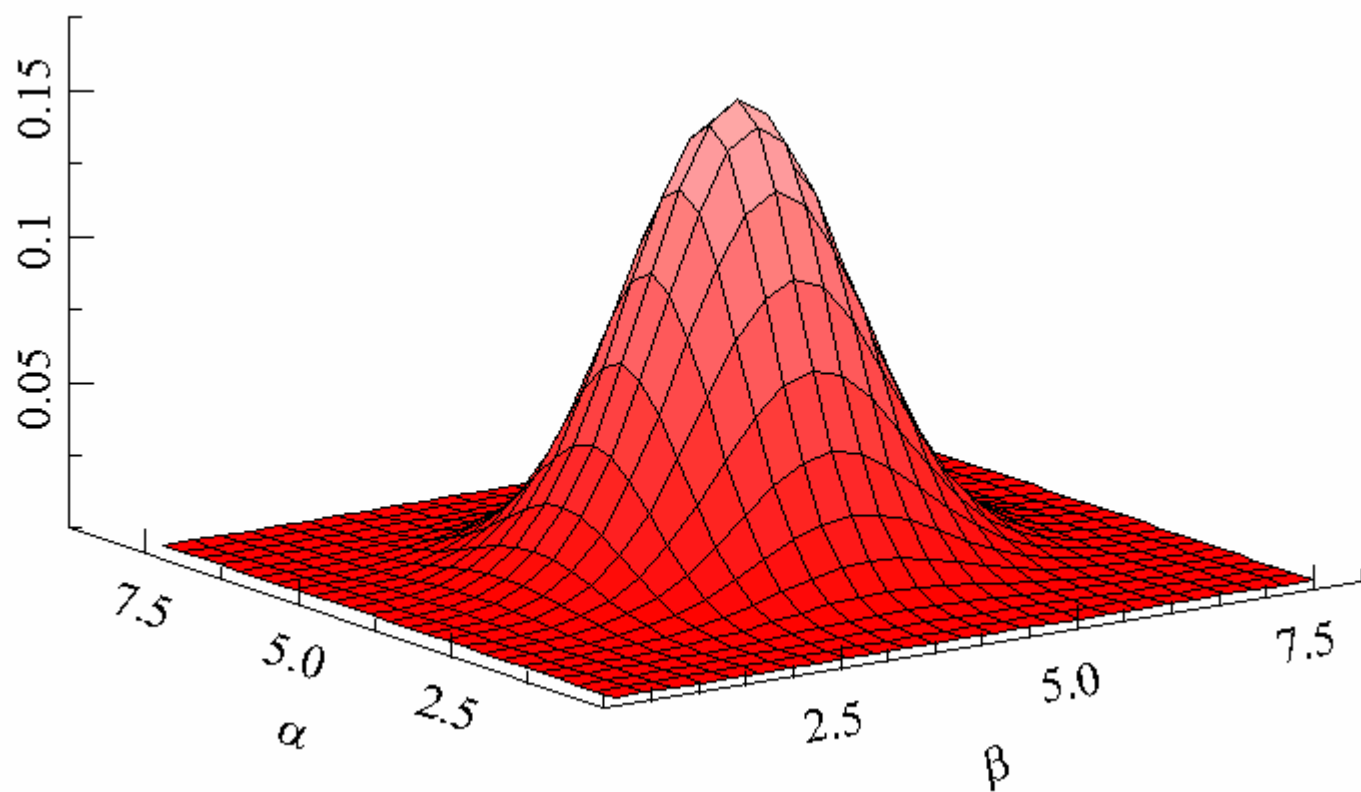


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5. Go to 2.



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**Convergence**

Markov chain

$$x_{t+1} = Px_t$$

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$$P = \Pr(x_{t+1}|x_t)$$

Markov chain

$$x = Px$$

stationary distribution