

STAT 656: Bayesian Data Analysis

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Homework 2

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library("bayesplot")

## This is bayesplot version 1.11.1
## - Online documentation and vignettes at mc-stan.org/bayesplot
## - bayesplot theme set to bayesplot::theme_default()
##   * Does _not_ affect other ggplot2 plots
##   * See ?bayesplot_theme_set for details on theme setting
library("ggplot2")
library("rstan")

## Loading required package: StanHeaders
##
## rstan version 2.32.6 (Stan version 2.32.2)
## For execution on a local, multicore CPU with excess RAM we recommend calling
## options(mc.cores = parallel::detectCores()).
## To avoid recompilation of unchanged Stan programs, we recommend calling
## rstan_options(auto_write = TRUE)
## For within-chain threading using `reduce_sum()` or `map_rect()` Stan functions,
## change `threads_per_chain` option:
## rstan_options(threads_per_chain = 1)
options(repr.plot.width = 6, repr.plot.height = 4)
```

Synthetic Data

The file `hw2_synthetic.csv` is a dataset of count-valued measurements $\mathbf{y} = \{y_1, \dots, y_n\}$, with $y_i \in 0, 1, \dots$. Each output y_i has an associated $\mathbf{x}_i = (x_{i,1}, x_{i,2}) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, and write $\mathbf{x} = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$'s as \mathbf{x} . We model y_i as

$$y_i | \beta \sim \text{Poisson}(e^{f(\mathbf{x}_i, \beta)}).$$

Here, the exponential is to ensure the Poisson rate is always positive, and the function $f(\mathbf{x}_i, \beta) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i,1} + \beta_2 x_{i,2} + \beta_3 x_{i,1}^2 + \beta_4 x_{i,2}^2 + \beta_5 x_{i,1} x_{i,2}$.

1. (25 points) **Solution:**

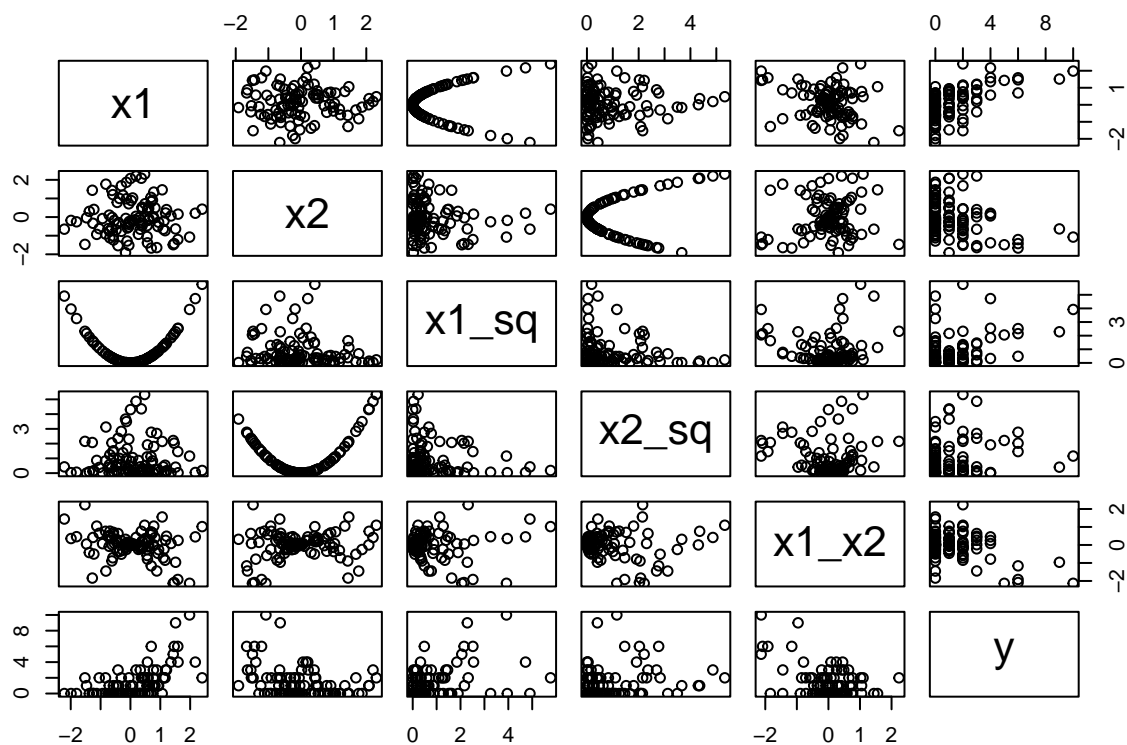
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# Read the data
if (file.exists("data/hw2_synthetic.csv")) {
  data <- read.csv("data/hw2_synthetic.csv", header = TRUE)
} else {
  stop("FileNotFoundException: data file not found at 'data/hw2_synthetic.csv'.")
}

# Preprocess data to create the kernel terms
data$x1_sq <- data$x1^2
data$x2_sq <- data$x2^2
data$x1_x2 <- data$x1 * data$x2
data <- data[, c("x1", "x2", "x1_sq", "x2_sq", "x1_x2", "y")]
plot(data)

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linreg_poisson <- "
  // Input arguments to the model
  data {
    int<lower=0> n;      // Number of observations
    int<lower=0> k;      // Number of features
    matrix[n, k] X;     // Observation matrix
    int y[n];           // Integer response vector
  }
  parameters {}
  transformed_parameters {}
  model {}
"

linreg_poisson_model <- stan_model(model_code = linreg_poisson)

```