

HW2

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Bayesian Probit Regression

1)

Let's compute our target distribution:

$$\begin{aligned} p(\vec{\beta}|\vec{y}) &\propto p(\vec{y}|\vec{\beta})p(\vec{\beta}) \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n (p_i^{y_i}(1-p_i)^{1-y_i}) \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\vec{\beta}^T(100(X^T X)^{-1})^{-1}\vec{\beta}\right] \end{aligned}$$

Our MCMC generates symmetric proposals about the current β :

$$\hat{\beta}_{i+1} \sim N(\beta_i, 10^2(X^T X)^{-1})$$

With acceptance criteria:

$$\begin{aligned} u &\sim U(0, 1) \\ \alpha &= \frac{p(\hat{\beta}_{i+1}|\vec{y})}{p(\beta_i|\vec{y})} \\ \beta_{i+1} &= \begin{cases} \hat{\beta}_{i+1} & u \leq \alpha \\ \beta_i & u > \alpha \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

```
data <- infert
y <- infert$case
x <- cbind(rep(1, length(y)), data$age, data$parity,
           as.integer(data$education), data$spontaneous, data$induced)

getLogLik <- function(y, x, xtx, beta){
  p <- pnorm(x%*%beta)
  loglik <- sum(y * log(p) + (1-y)*log(1-p)) - 1/(200) * t(beta) %*% xtx %*% beta
  return(loglik)
}

adaptive.mh <- function(n.sim, burn, x, y, beta0){
  #basic math and matrix setups
  n <- length(y)
  p <- ncol(x)
  xtx <- t(x) %*% x
  xtx.inv <- solve(xtx)
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#chain information
n.total <- n.sim*(1.0 + burn)
n.burn <- n.sim*burn

#initialize chain
beta.out <- matrix(NA, nrow = n.sim, ncol = p)
beta <- beta0
for(i in 1:n.total){
  beta_new <- rmvnorm(1, mean = beta,
                     sigma = xtx.inv) %>% t()
  loglik_new <- getLogLik(y, x, xtx, beta_new)
  loglik_old <- getLogLik(y, x, xtx, beta)
  logdiff <- loglik_new - loglik_old
  #accept-reject
  if(log(runif(1)) < logdiff){
    beta <- beta_new
  }
  if(i > n.burn){
    i1 <- i - n.burn
    beta.out[i1, ] <- beta
  }
}
colnames(beta.out) <- c("intercept", "age", "parity",
                       "education", "spontaneous", "induced")
return(beta.out)
}

beta0 <- solve(t(x) %*% x) %*% t(x) %*% y

mh.out <- adaptive.mh(10000, 0.1, x, y, beta0)

mean <- colMeans(mh.out)
sd <- apply(mh.out, 2, sd)
cbind(mean, sd) %>% kable(linesep = "")

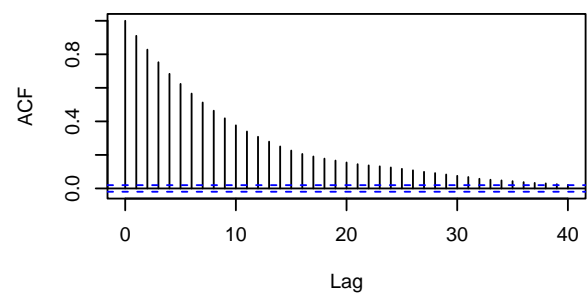
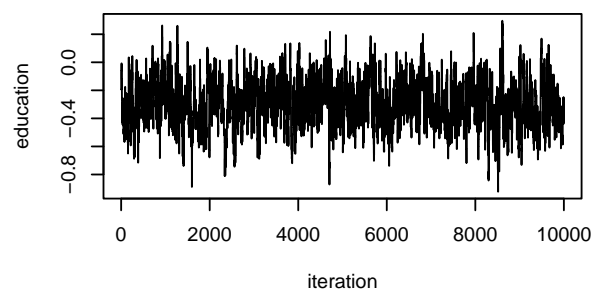
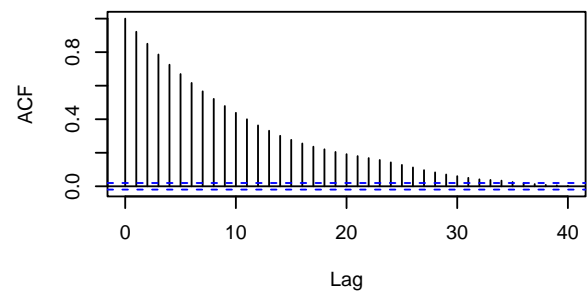
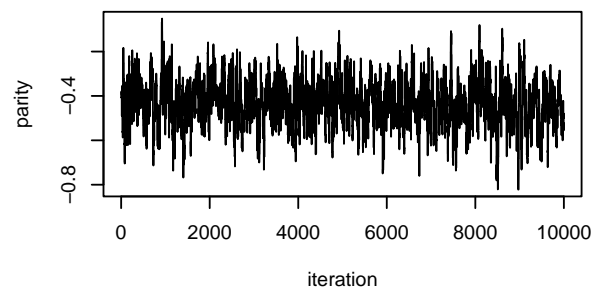
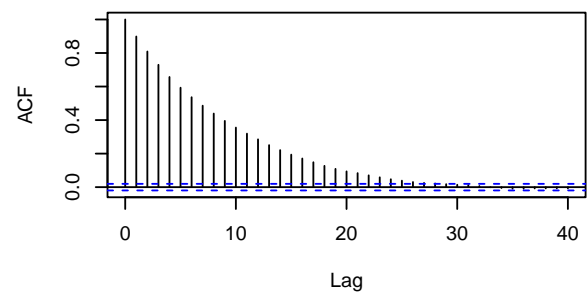
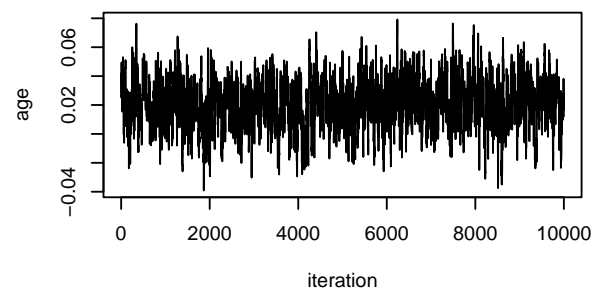
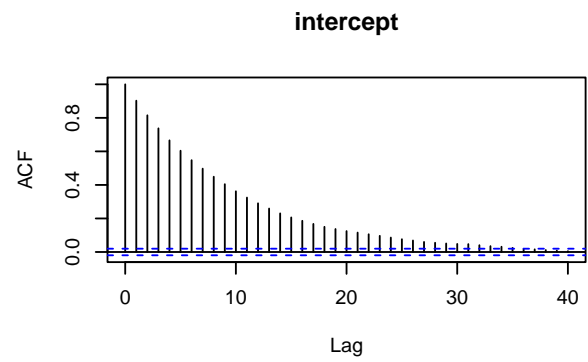
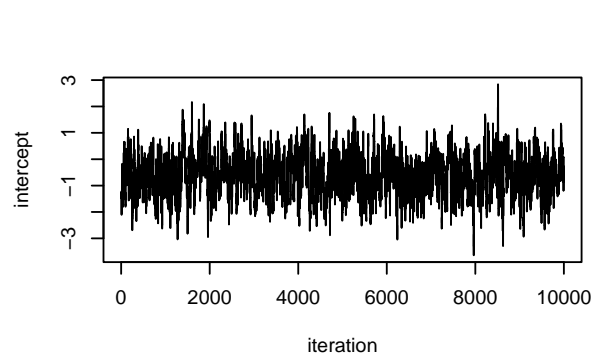
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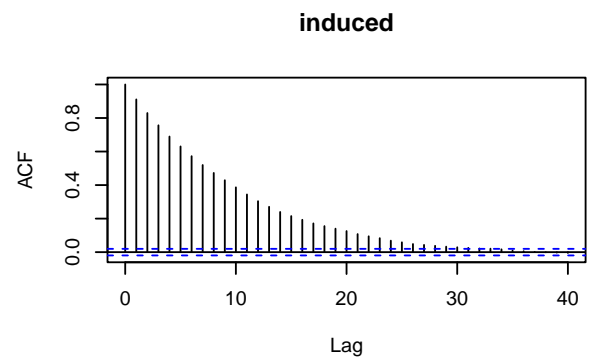
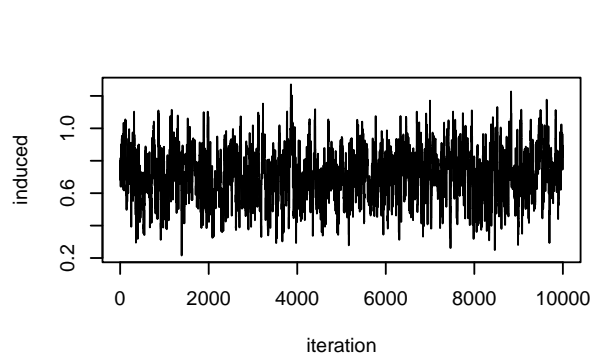
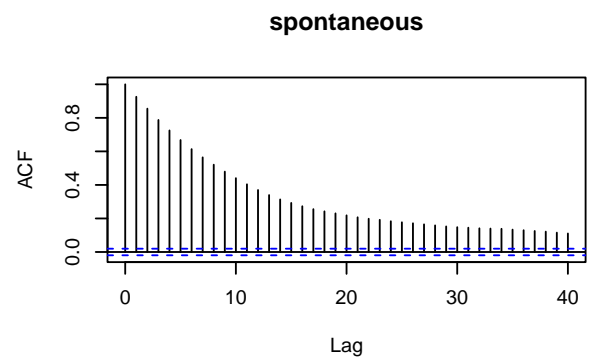
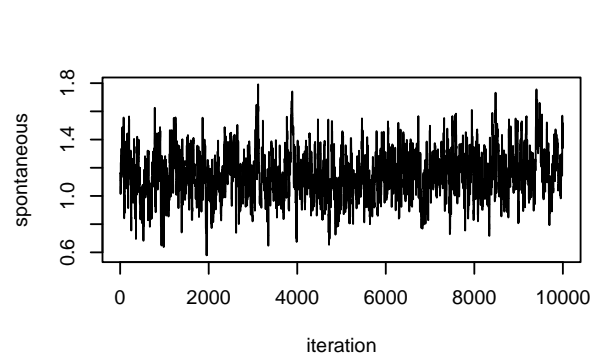
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intercept	-0.6029083	0.8039954
age	0.0205784	0.0172019
parity	-0.4315151	0.1056423
education	-0.2911854	0.1697412
spontaneous	1.1494598	0.1674838
induced	0.7048107	0.1599721

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par(mfrow = c(4,2))
for(j in 1:6){
  matplot(c(1:10000), mh.out[,j], type = "l",
          xlab = "iteration", ylab = colnames(mh.out)[j])
  acf(mh.out[, j], main = colnames(mh.out)[j])
}

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2)

Let $z_i \sim^{iid} N(\vec{x}_i^T \vec{\beta}, 1)$. Now:

$$P(y_i = 1 | \vec{x}_i, \vec{\beta}) = P(\mathbf{1}(z_i > 0) = 1) = P(z_i = 0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(\vec{\beta} | \vec{z}, \vec{y}) &\propto p(\vec{y}, \vec{z} | \vec{\beta}) p(\vec{\beta}) \\ &\propto p(\vec{z} | \vec{\beta}) p(\vec{\beta}) \\ &= N(X\vec{\beta}, I) N(0, 100(X^T X)^{-1}) \\ &\propto \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}(\vec{z} - X\vec{\beta})^T (\vec{z} - X\vec{\beta})\right] \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\vec{\beta}^T (100(X^T X)^{-1})^{-1} \vec{\beta}\right] \\ &\propto \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(\vec{\beta} \left(\frac{100}{101}(X^T X)^{-1}\right)^{-1} \vec{\beta} - 2\vec{\beta}^T X^T \vec{z}\right)\right] \end{aligned}$$

By definition, $\vec{\beta} | \vec{z}, \vec{y} \sim N\left(\frac{100}{101}(X^T X)^{-1} X^T \vec{z}, \frac{100}{101}(X^T X)^{-1}\right)$. Also:

$$\begin{aligned} z_i | \vec{\beta}, y_i &\propto p(y_i | \vec{\beta}, z_i) p(z_i | \vec{\beta}) \\ &= \begin{cases} N(\vec{x}_i^T \vec{\beta}, 1) * \mathbf{1}_{[0, \infty)}(z_i) & y_i = 1 \\ N(\vec{x}_i^T \vec{\beta}, 1) * \mathbf{1}_{(-\infty, 0]}(z_i) & y_i = 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Then, we can implement DA-MCMC by Gibbs sampling $p(\vec{\beta}, \vec{z}, \vec{y})$ and $p(\vec{z} | \vec{\beta}, \vec{y})$:

```
da.mcmc <- function(n.sim, burn, x, y, beta0){
  #matrix stuff
  n <- length(y)
  p <- ncol(x)
  xtx <- t(x) %*% x
  xtx.inv <- solve(xtx)
  var <- 100/101 * xtx.inv

  #chain information
  n.total <- n.sim*(1.0 + burn)
  n.burn <- n.sim*burn

  #initialize chain
  z <- rmvnorm(1, x%*%beta0, diag(1, nrow = n))
  beta <- beta0
  beta.out <- matrix(NA, nrow = n.sim, ncol = p)

  #beta
  for(i in 1:n.total){
    beta <- rmvnorm(1, var %*% t(x) %*% t(z), var) %>% t()
    #z
    for(j in 1:n){
      if(y[j] == 1){
        z[j] <- rtruncnorm(1, a = 0, b = Inf, mean = x[j,] %*% beta, sd = 1)
      } else{
        z[j] <- rtruncnorm(1, a = -Inf, b = 0, mean = x[j,] %*% beta, sd = 1)
      }
    }
  }
  #store variables after burn
  if(i > n.burn){
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    i1 <- i - n.burn
    beta.out[i1, ] <- beta
  }
}

colnames(beta.out) <- c("intercept", "age", "parity",
                       "education", "spontaneous", "induced")
return(beta.out)
}

da.mcmc.out <- da.mcmc(10000, 0.1, x, y, beta0)

mean <- colMeans(da.mcmc.out)
sd <- apply(da.mcmc.out, 2, sd)
cbind(mean, sd) %>% kable(linesep = "")

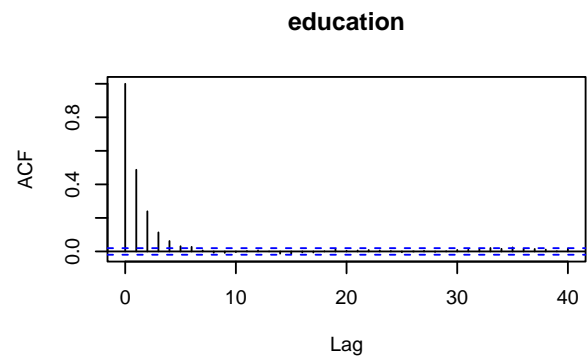
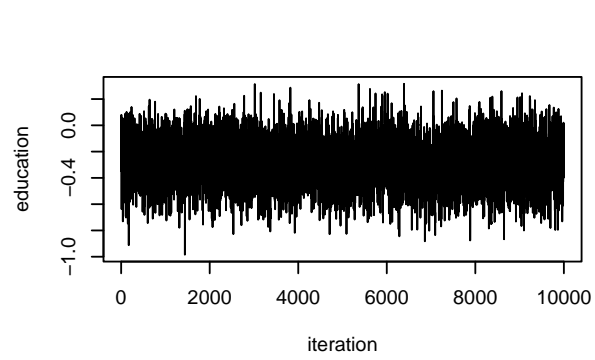
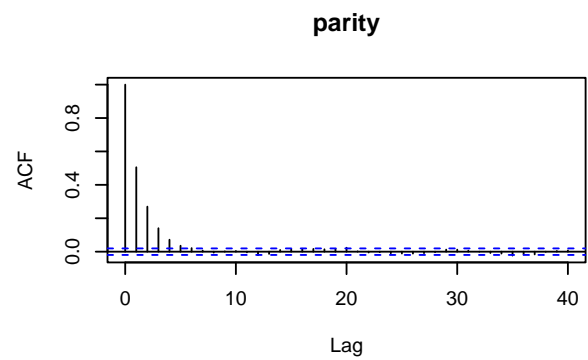
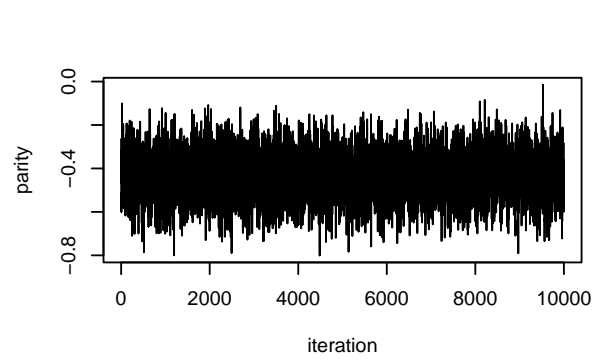
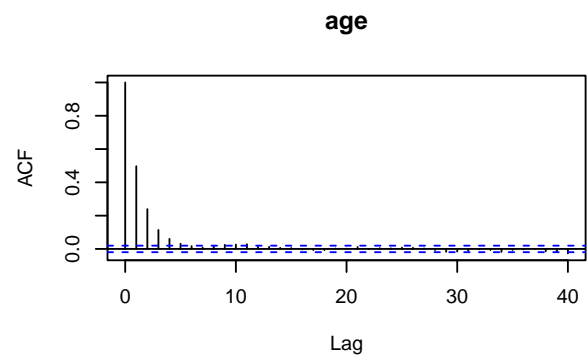
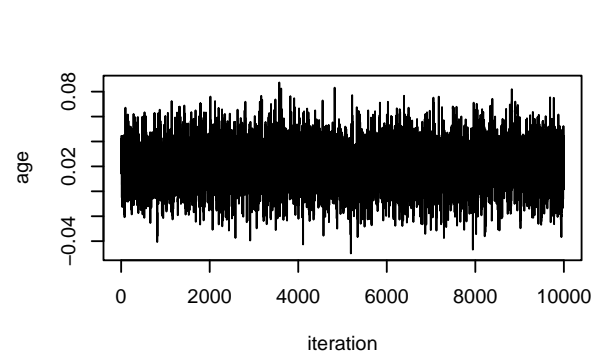
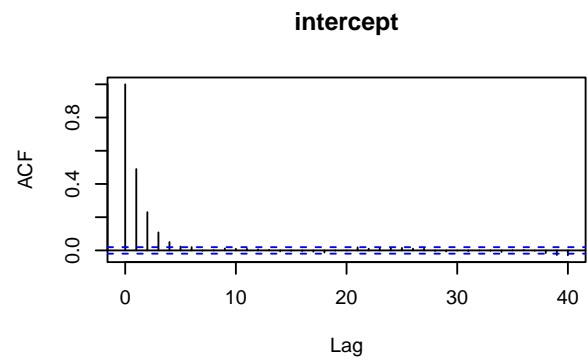
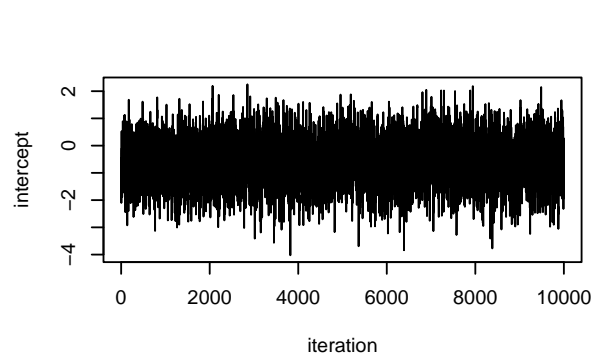
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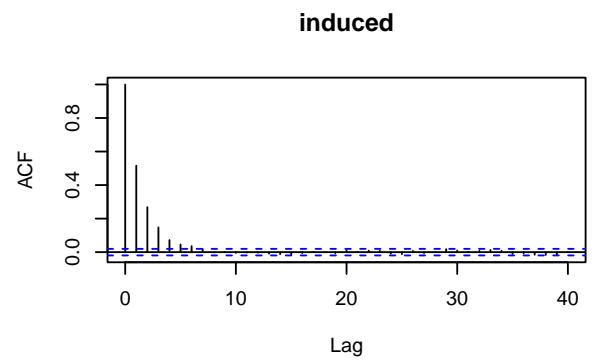
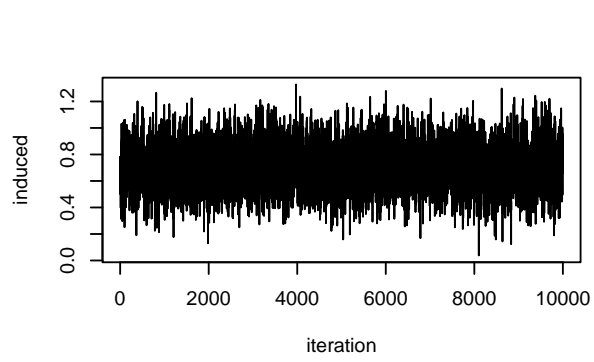
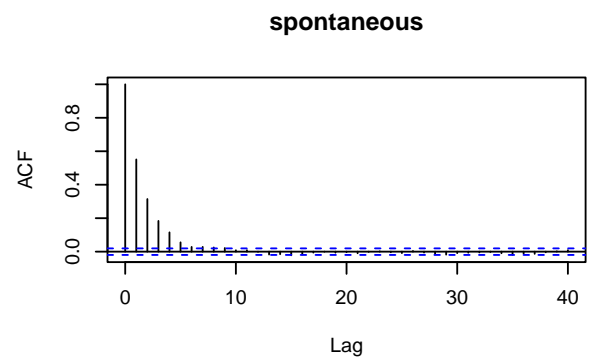
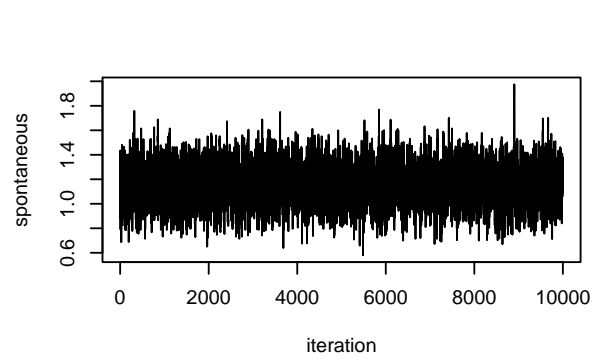
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parity	-0.4365080	0.1033902
education	-0.2840048	0.1711240
spontaneous	1.1528047	0.1626955
induced	0.7073339	0.1664085

```

par(mfrow = c(4,2))
for(j in 1:6){
  matplot(c(1:10000), da.mcmc.out[,j], type = "l",
          xlab = "iteration", ylab = colnames(da.mcmc.out)[j])
  acf(da.mcmc.out[, j], main = colnames(da.mcmc.out)[j])
}

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3)

Let's introduce another parameter $\alpha^2 \sim \text{Inverse Gamma}(a, b)$. Let $W_i = \alpha Z_i$. We now sample from the following distributions using Gibbs:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{\beta}|\vec{w}, \alpha, \vec{y} &\sim N\left(\frac{101}{100}(X^T X)^{-1} \frac{X^T \vec{w}}{\alpha}, \frac{101}{100}(X^T X)^{-1}\right) \\ w_i|\vec{y}\vec{\beta}\alpha &= \begin{cases} N(\alpha \vec{x}_i^T \vec{\beta}, \alpha^2) * \mathbf{1}_{[0, \infty)}(w_i) & y_i = 1 \\ N(\alpha \vec{x}_i^T \vec{\beta}, \alpha^2) * \mathbf{1}_{(-\infty, 0]}(w_i) & y_i = 0 \end{cases} \\ p(\alpha^2|\vec{w}, \vec{\beta}, \vec{y}) &\propto \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\vec{w}^T \vec{w}}{\alpha^2} - \frac{2\vec{\beta}^T X^T \vec{w}}{\alpha}\right)\right] \alpha^{2-a-1} \exp\left[-\frac{b}{\alpha^2}\right] \\ \log p(\alpha^2|\vec{w}, \vec{\beta}, \vec{y}) &\propto -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\vec{w}^T \vec{w}}{\alpha^2} + \frac{\vec{\beta}^T X^T \vec{w}}{\alpha} - (a+1) \log(\alpha^2) - \frac{b}{\alpha^2} \\ \log p(\alpha^2) &\propto -(a+1) \log(\alpha^2) - \frac{b}{\alpha^2}\end{aligned}$$

To sample using Metropolis-Hastings for α^2 , we sample from the centered distribution with some tuning parameter c :

$$\alpha_{i+1} \sim \text{Inverse Gamma}(c, \alpha_i^2(c+1))$$

```
getLogLikIG <- function(alpha2, a, b){
  loglik <- (-a + 1) * log(alpha2) - b/alpha2
  return(loglik)
}

getLogLikAlpha <- function(x, alpha2, w, beta, a, b){
  loglik = -1/2 * sum(w^2)/alpha2 + t(beta) %*% t(x) %*% w/sqrt(alpha2) - (a + 1)*log(alpha2) - b/alpha2
  return(loglik)
}

px.da.mcmc <- function(n.sim, burn, x, y, a, b, beta0, c){
  #matrix stuff
  n <- length(y)
  p <- ncol(x)
  xtx <- t(x) %*% x
  xtx.inv <- solve(xtx)
  var <- 100/101 * xtx.inv

  #chain information
  n.total <- n.sim*(1.0 + burn)
  n.burn <- n.sim*burn

  #initialize chain
  beta <- beta0
  alpha2 <- 1/rgamma(1, shape = a, rate = b)
  w <- sqrt(alpha2) * rmvnorm(1, x%*%beta, diag(1, nrow = n)) %>% t()
  beta.out <- matrix(NA, nrow = n.sim, ncol = p)

  for(i in 1:n.total){
    #beta
    beta <- rmvnorm(1, (var%*% t(x) %*% w)/sqrt(alpha2), var) %>% t()
```

```

#alpha2
alpha2.prop <- 1/rgamma(1, shape = c, rate = alpha2 * (c+1))
p.alpha2.prop <- getLogLikAlpha(x, alpha2, w, beta, a, b) +
  getLogLikIG(alpha2, c, alpha2.prop * (c+1)) -
  getLogLikAlpha(x, alpha2.prop, w, beta, a, b) -
  getLogLikIG(alpha2.prop, c, alpha2*(c+1))
if(log(runif(1)) <= p.alpha2.prop){
  alpha2 <- alpha2.prop
} else{
  alpha2 <- alpha2
}
#w
for(j in 1:n){
  if(y[j] == 1){
    w[j] <- rtruncnorm(1, a = 0, b = Inf, mean = x[j,] %*% beta, sd = 1)
  } else{
    w[j] <- rtruncnorm(1, a = -Inf, b = 0, mean = x[j,] %*% beta, sd = 1)
  }
}
w <- sqrt(alpha2) * w
#store variables after burn
if(i > n.burn){
  i1 <- i - n.burn
  beta.out[i1, ] <- beta
}
}
colnames(beta.out) <- c("intercept", "age", "parity",
  "education", "spontaneous", "induced")
return(beta.out)
}

px.da.mcmc.out <- px.da.mcmc(10000, 0.1, x, y, 300, 1, beta0, 150)

mean <- colMeans(px.da.mcmc.out)
sd <- apply(px.da.mcmc.out, 2, sd)
cbind(mean, sd) %>% kable(linesep = "")

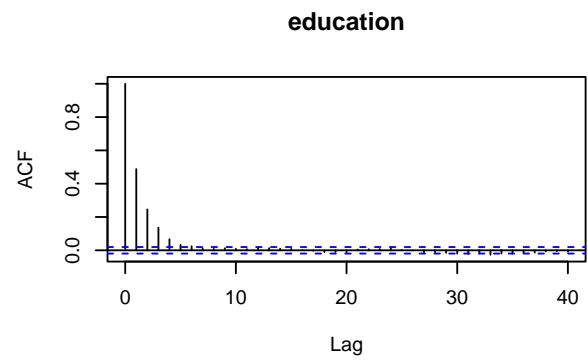
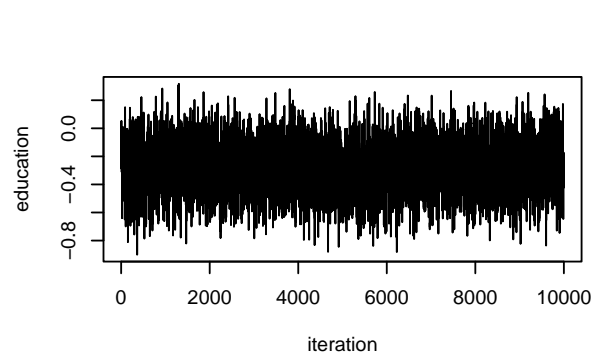
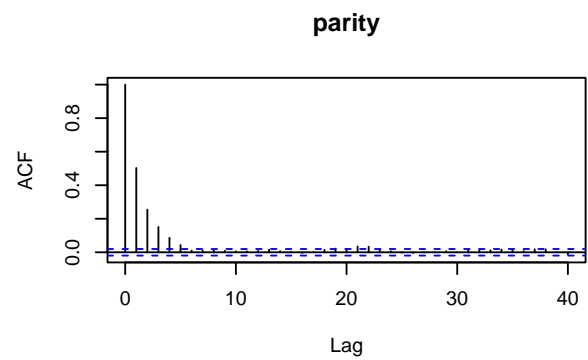
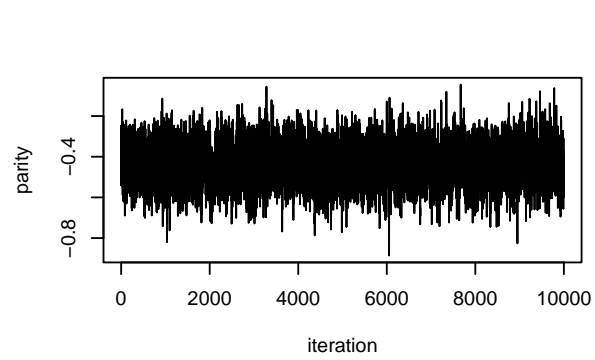
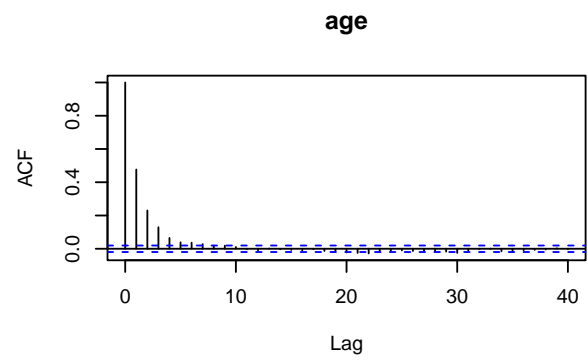
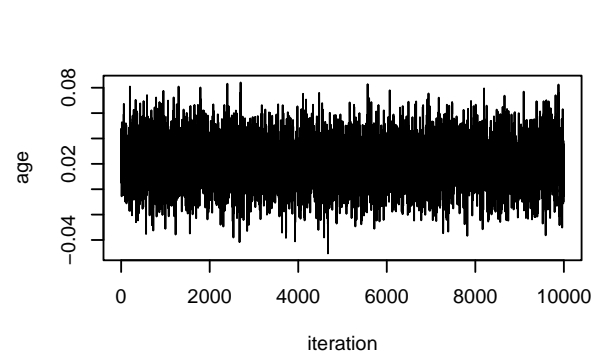
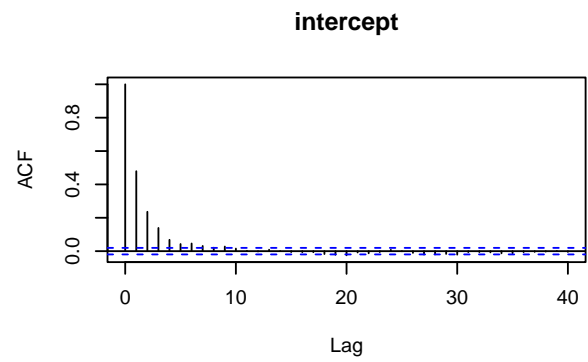
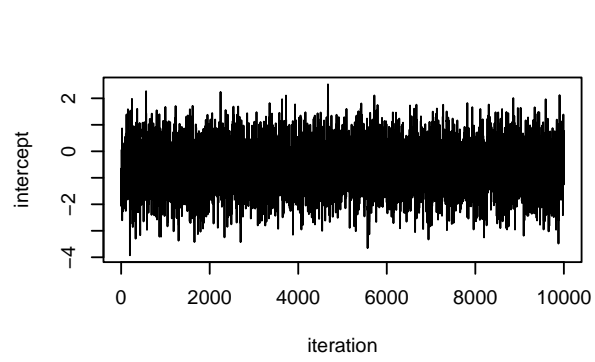
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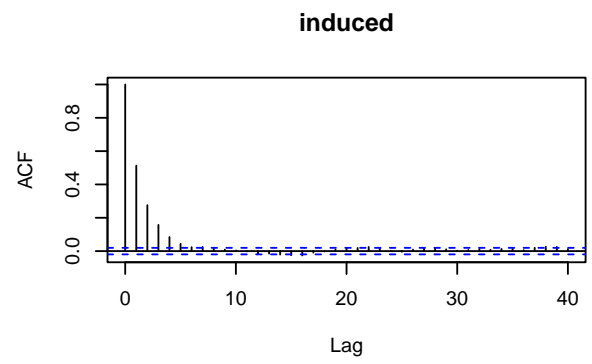
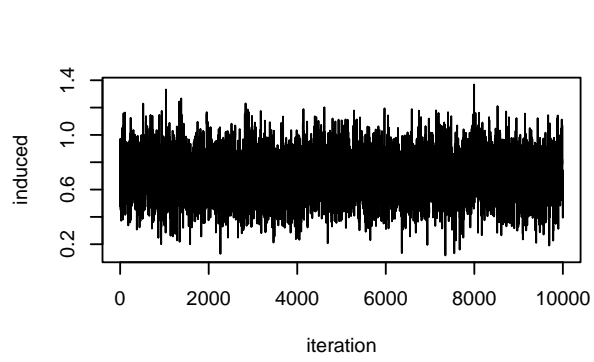
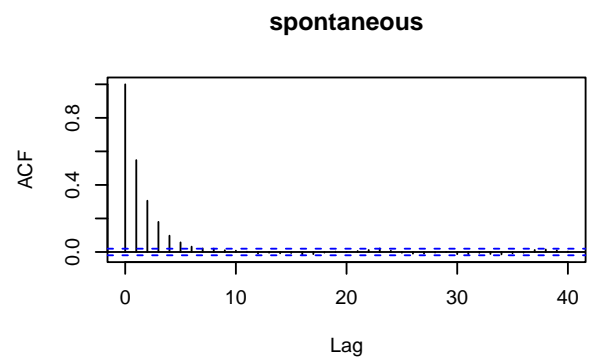
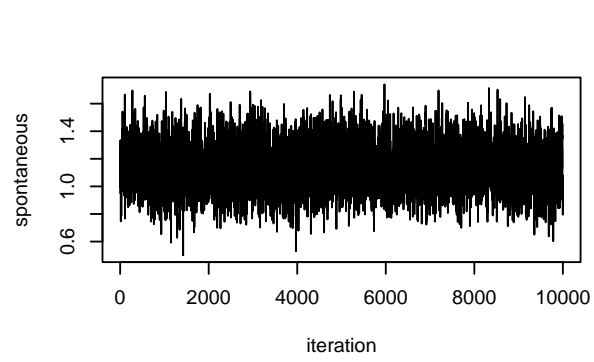
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}

```





4)

```
adaptive.mh.ram <- peakRAM(adaptive.mh(10000, 0.1, x, y, beta0))
da.mcmc.ram <- peakRAM(da.mcmc(10000, 0.1, x, y, beta0))
px.da.mcmc.ram <- peakRAM(px.da.mcmc(10000, 0.1, x, y, 300, 1, beta0, 150))

benchmark <- rbind(adaptive.mh.ram,
                    da.mcmc.ram,
                    px.da.mcmc.ram)

colnames(benchmark) <- c("Function", "Elapsed time (sec)",
                        "Total RAM used (MiB)", "Peak RAM used (MiB)")
benchmark$Function <- c("AMH", "DA-MCMC", "PX-DA-MCMC")

benchmark %>% kable(linesep = "")
```

Function	Elapsed time (sec)	Total RAM used (MiB)	Peak RAM used (MiB)
AMH	3.55	0.6	32.5
DA-MCMC	22.64	0.5	37.1
PX-DA-MCMC	23.36	0.5	37.1

All three algorithms converged to similar coefficients with 10,000 simulations and 1,000 burn-in iterations. However, AMH had significantly worse mixture than the other two algorithms, based off the ACF plots. Regarding coding complexity, AMH was the simplest to implement, with the lowest efficiency, followed by DA-MCMC and then PX-DA-MCMC. On run-time and RAM usage, AMH had the lowest of both, with the other two algorithms very similar in both time and storage, but higher. In our case, all three algorithms still converged and DA-MCMC / PX-DA-MCMC did not have strong differences in mixture, DA-MCMC may be the “best of both worlds” in being relatively straightforward to implement, while giving us an idea of the entire posterior distribution for our parameters of interest.