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COMPUTATIONAL STATISTICS (2016 Fall)
Assignment 3

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1.1

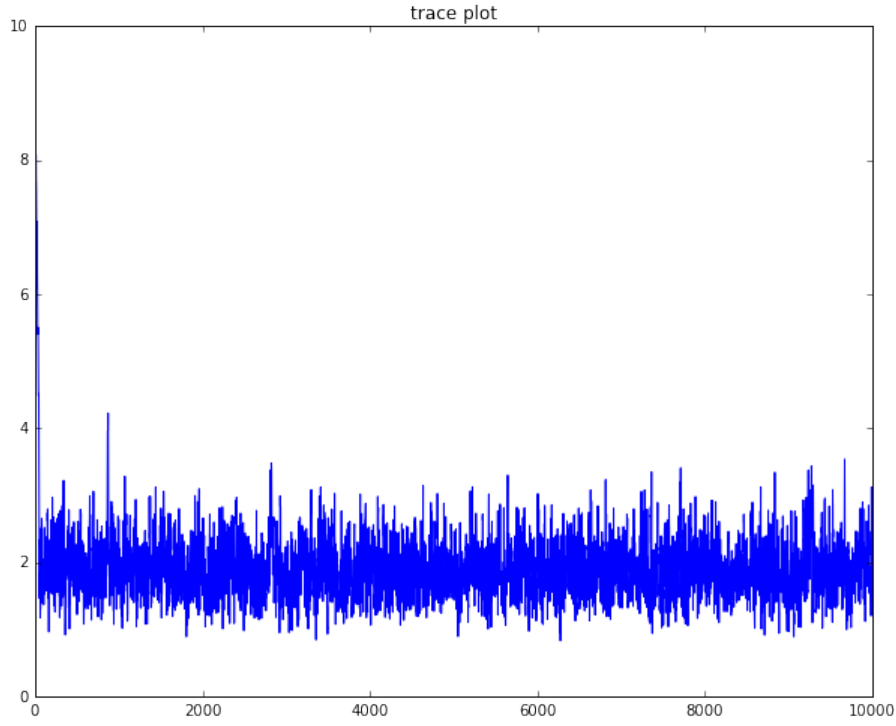
$$\begin{aligned} p(\mathbf{y}|\sigma^2) &= \int \cdots \int \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{(y_i - \theta_i)^2}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{\theta_i^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) d\theta_1 \cdots d\theta_n \\ &= \int \cdots \int \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{\sigma^2+1}} \exp\left(-\frac{y_i}{2} + \frac{\sigma^2 y_i^2}{2(\sigma^2+1)}\right) \frac{\sqrt{\sigma^2+1}}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left(\frac{\sigma^2+1}{\sigma^2} \left(\theta_i - \frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma^2+1} y_i\right)\right) d\theta_1 \cdots d\theta_n \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{\sigma^2+1}} \exp\left(-\frac{y_i}{2} + \frac{\sigma^2 y_i^2}{2(\sigma^2+1)}\right) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{\sigma^2+1}}\right)^n \exp\left(-\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n y_i}{2} + \frac{\sigma^2 \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2}{2(\sigma^2+1)}\right) \end{aligned}$$

1.2

$$p(\sigma^2|\mathbf{y}) \propto \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{\sigma^2+1}}\right)^n \exp\left(-\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n y_i}{2} + \frac{\sigma^2 \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2}{2(\sigma^2+1)}\right) \frac{1}{\sigma^2}$$

Listing 1: 1-b

```
1 import numpy as np
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3 % matplotlib inline
4 import pandas as pd
5
6 y = q1.values[:, 1]
7 def pos(sigma):
8     return np.exp(sigma*np.dot(y, y)/(2*(sigma + 1)) - sum(y)/2) / (sigma*(np.sqrt(2*np.pi * (sigma + 1))))**100
9
10 np.random.seed(1234)
11 samples = [10]
12 for i in range(10000):
13     u = np.random.uniform()
14     propose = samples[-1] + np.random.normal(scale = 0.5)
15     prob = min(1, pos(propose)/pos(samples[-1]))
16
17     if prob < u:
18         samples.append(samples[-1])
19     else:
20         samples.append(propose)
21
22 plt.figure(figsize = (10, 8))
23 plt.title("traceuplot")
24 plt.plot(samples)
25 plt.show()
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1.3

Let $\Theta = (\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_n)$, and let $\Theta_{-j} = (\theta_1, \dots, \theta_{j-1}, \theta_{j+1}, \dots, \theta_n)$.

$$p(\sigma^2 | \mathbf{y}, \Theta) \propto \frac{1}{\sigma^2 (\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2})^n} \exp\left(-\frac{\sum_i \theta_i^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

$$p(\theta_j | \mathbf{y}, \Theta_{-j}, \sigma^2) \propto N\left(\frac{\sigma^2 y_j}{\sigma^2 + 1}, \frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma^2 + 1}\right) \forall j \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$$

Listing 2: 1-c

```

1 def pos2(sigma, i):
2     return np.exp(-np.dot(theta_sample[:, i], theta_sample[:, i])/(2*sigma)) / (sigma*(np.sqrt(2*np.pi * sigma))**100)
3
4 # Gibbs sampler
5 np.random.seed(1234)
6
7 sigma_sample = [5]
8 theta_sample = np.ones((len(y), 10000))
9
10 for i in range(10000):
11
12     if i != 0:
13         u = np.random.uniform()
14         propose = sigma_sample[-1] + np.random.normal(scale = 0.2)
15         prob = min(1, pos2(propose, i)/pos2(sigma_sample[-1], i))
16
17         if prob < u:
18             sigma_sample.append(sigma_sample[-1])
19         else:
20             sigma_sample.append(propose)
21
22     for j in range(100):
23         theta_sample[j, i] = np.random.normal(loc = sigma_sample[-1]*y[j]/(sigma_sample[-1] + 1), scale = np.
24             sqrt(sigma_sample[-1]/(sigma_sample[-1] + 1)))
25
26 else:
27     for j in range(100):

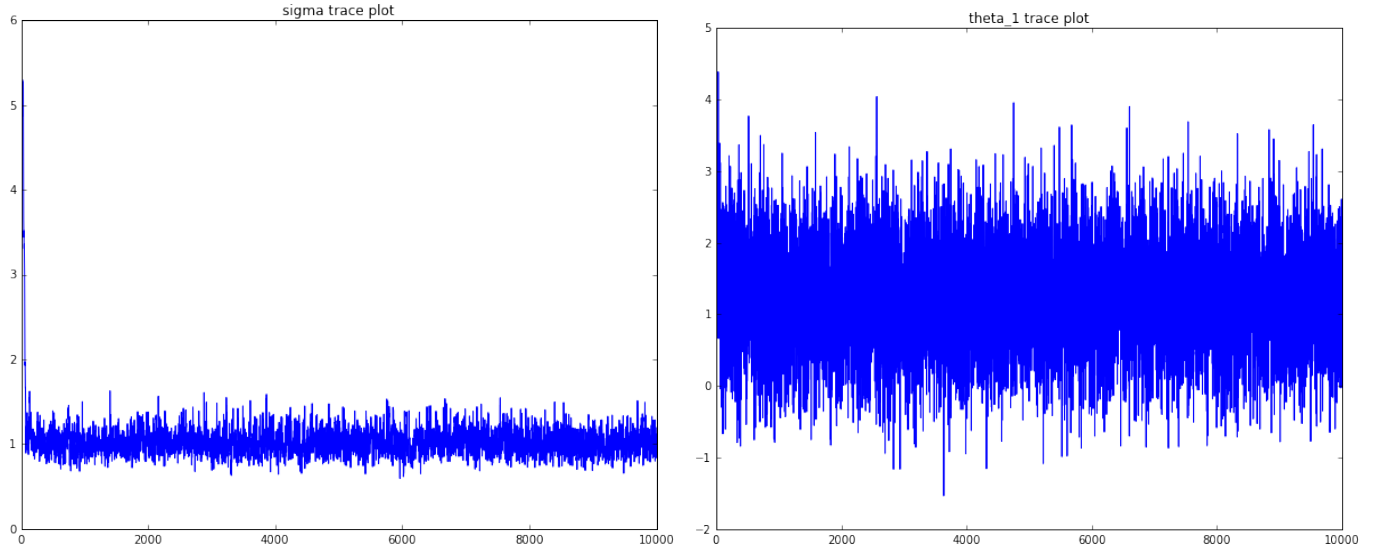
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27     theta_sample[j, i] = np.random.normal(loc = sigma_sample[-1]*y[j]/(sigma_sample[-1] + 1), scale = np.
      sqrt(sigma_sample[-1]/(sigma_sample[-1] + 1)))
28
29
30 # plot sigma
31 plt.figure(figsize = (10, 8))
32 plt.title("sigma_trace_plot")
33 plt.plot(sigma_sample)
34 plt.xlim((0, 10000))
35 plt.show()
36
37 # plot first 3 theta
38 for i in range(3):
39     plt.figure(figsize = (10, 8))
40     plt.title("theta_1_trace_plot")
41     plt.plot(theta_sample[i, :])
42     plt.xlim((0, 10000))
43     plt.show()

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Trace plot. σ^2 and θ_1 .



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2.1

$$\begin{aligned}
p(bfy|\sigma^2) &= \int \cdots \int \Pi_{i=1}^n \left(\Pi_{j=1}^J \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp \left(-\frac{(y_{ij} - \theta_i)^2}{2} \right) \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp \left(-\frac{\theta_i^2}{2\sigma^2} \right) d\theta_1 \cdots d\theta_n \\
&= \int \cdots \int \Pi_{i=1}^n \exp \left(-\frac{\sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij}^2}{2} + \frac{\sigma^2 (\sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij})^2}{2(\sigma^2 + 1)} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}^J} \frac{1}{\sqrt{J\sigma^2 + 1}} \\
&\quad \frac{\sqrt{J\sigma^2 + 1}}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp \left(-\frac{J\sigma^2 + 1}{2\sigma^2} \left(\theta_i - \frac{\sigma^2}{J\sigma^2 + 1} \sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij} \right)^2 \right) d\theta_1 \cdots d\theta_n \\
&= \Pi_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}^J} \frac{1}{\sqrt{J\sigma^2 + 1}} \exp \left(-\frac{\sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij}^2}{2} + \frac{\sigma^2 (\sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij})^2}{2(\sigma^2 + 1)} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}^{nJ}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{J\sigma^2 + 1}^n} \exp \left(-\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij}^2}{2} + \frac{\sigma^2 \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij} \right)^2}{2(J\sigma^2 + 1)} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

2.2

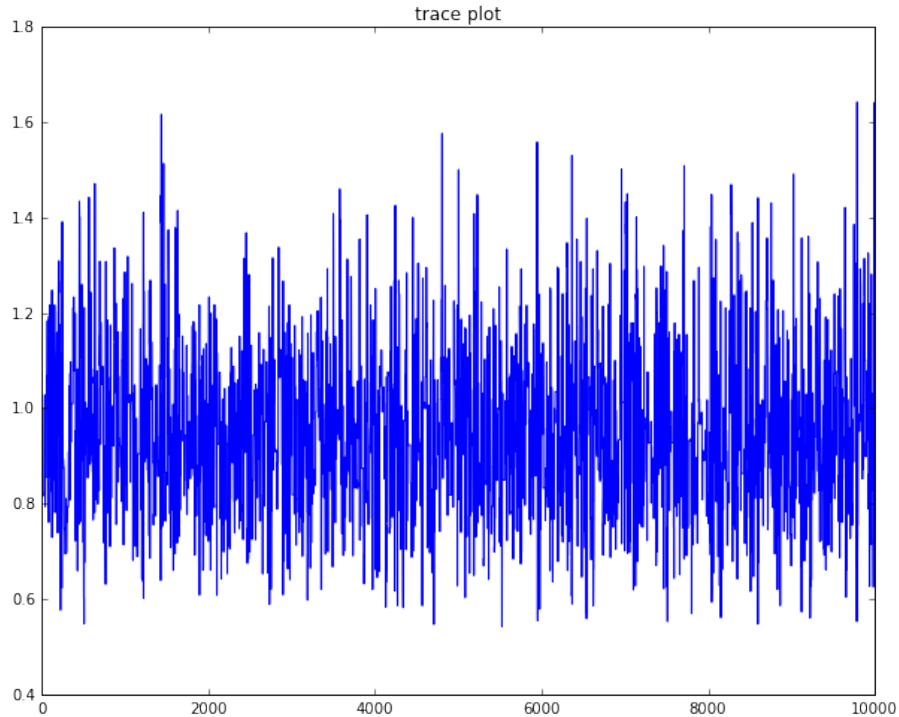
2.3

By problem 2-a, we can derive the below posterior distribution.

$$p(\sigma^2|\mathbf{y}) \propto \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{J\sigma^2 + 1}^n} \exp\left(-\frac{\sigma^2 \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij}\right)^2}{2(J\sigma^2 + 1)}\right)$$

Listing 3: 2-c

```
1 q2 = pd.read_csv('q2.csv')
2 y = q2.values
3
4 summation = np.dot(np.reshape(y[:, 2], (100, 5)).sum(axis = 1), np.reshape(y[:, 2], (100, 5)).sum(axis = 1))
5 def pos3(sigma):
6     return np.exp(summation*sigma/(2*(5*sigma + 1))) / (sigma*(sigma*5 + 1)**50)
7
8 np.random.seed(1234)
9 samples = [1]
10 for i in range(10000):
11     u = np.random.uniform()
12     propose = samples[-1] + np.random.normal(scale = 1)
13     prob = min(1, pos3(propose)/pos3(samples[-1]))
14
15     if prob < u:
16         samples.append(propose)
17     else:
18         samples.append(samples[-1])
19
20 plt.figure(figsize = (10, 8))
21 plt.title("trace_plot")
22 plt.plot(samples)
23 plt.show()
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2.4

Use the previous notations. And by the same way we get the below posterior distributions.

$$p(\sigma^2 | \Theta, \mathbf{y}) \propto \frac{1}{\sigma^2 \sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}^n} \exp\left(-\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \theta_i^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

$$p(\theta_i | \Theta_{-i}, \mathbf{y}, \sigma^2) \propto N\left(\frac{\sigma^2 \sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij}}{1 + J\sigma^2}, \frac{\sigma^2}{1 + J\sigma^2}\right) \forall i \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$$

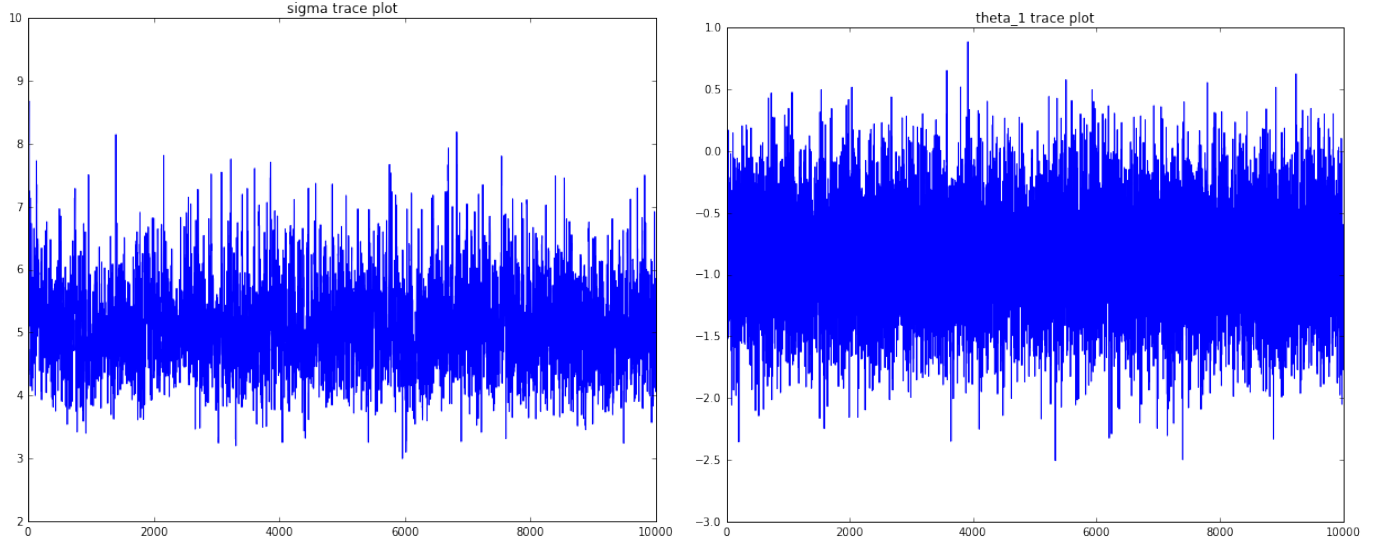
Listing 4: 2-d

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1 def pos4(sigma, i):
2     return np.exp(-np.dot(theta_sample[:, i], theta_sample[:, i])/(2*sigma))/(sigma*(2*np.pi*sigma)**50)
3
4 np.random.seed(1234)
5
6 sigma_sample = [10]
7 theta_sample = np.ones((len(y), 10000))
8
9 for i in range(10000):
10
11     if i != 0:
12         u = np.random.uniform()
13         propose = sigma_sample[-1] + np.random.normal(scale = 1)
14         prob = min(1, pos4(propose, i)/pos4(sigma_sample[-1], i))
15
16         if prob < u:
17             sigma_sample.append(sigma_sample[-1])
18         else:
19             sigma_sample.append(propose)
20
21         for j in range(100):
22             theta_sample[j, i] = np.random.normal(loc = sigma_sample[-1]*sum(y[j*5:j*5+5, 2])/(5*sigma_sample[-1]
23                                     + 1), scale = np.sqrt(sigma_sample[-1]/(5*sigma_sample[-1] + 1)))
24
25         else:
26             for j in range(100):
27                 theta_sample[j, i] = np.random.normal(loc = sigma_sample[-1]*sum(y[j*5:j*5+5, 2])/(5*sigma_sample[-1]
28                                             + 1), scale = np.sqrt(sigma_sample[-1]/(5*sigma_sample[-1] + 1)))
29
30 # plot sigma
31 plt.figure(figsize = (10, 8))
32 plt.title("sigma_trace_plot")
33 plt.plot(sigma_sample)
34 plt.xlim((0, 10000))
35 plt.show()
36
37 # plot first 3 thetas
38 for i in range(3):
39     plt.figure(figsize = (10, 8))
40     plt.title("theta_1_trace_plot")
41     plt.plot(theta_sample[i, :])
42     plt.xlim((0, 10000))
43     plt.show()

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Trace plot. σ^2 and θ_1 .



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3.1

Let $\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{y}$ and $\hat{\epsilon} = \mathbf{y} - \hat{\mathbf{y}}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(\beta, \sigma^2 | \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{y}) &\propto \frac{1}{\sigma^2} p(\mathbf{y} | \mathbf{X}, \beta, \sigma^2) \\
 &\propto (\sigma^2)^{-(\frac{n}{2}+1)} \exp\left(\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\beta)^T (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\beta)\right) \\
 &= (\sigma^2)^{-(\frac{n}{2}+1)} \exp\left(\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon} + (\beta - \hat{\beta})^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}) (\beta - \hat{\beta}))\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

3.2

Let $\theta = \frac{2}{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon} + (\beta - \hat{\beta})^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}) (\beta - \hat{\beta})}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(\beta | \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{y}) &= \int \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}+1} \exp\left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2 \theta}\right) d\sigma^2 = \int |\sigma^{-4}| \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}+1} \exp\left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2 \theta}\right) d\sigma^{-2} \\
 &= \int \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}-1} \exp\left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2 \theta}\right) d\sigma^{-2} = \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) \theta^{\frac{n}{2}} \int \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})} \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}-1} \exp\left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2 \theta}\right) d\sigma^{-2} \\
 &= \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \propto \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \\
 &= \left(\frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon} + (\beta - \hat{\beta})^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}) (\beta - \hat{\beta})}{2 \hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}\right)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \propto \left(1 + \frac{(\beta - \hat{\beta})^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}) (\beta - \hat{\beta})}{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}\right)^{-\frac{n}{2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

This means the posterior distribution of β is $t_{n-k}(\hat{\beta}, S_{\epsilon}^2 (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1})$, where $S_{\epsilon}^2 = \frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}{n-k}$.

Next we calculate the posterior distribution of σ^2 .

$$\begin{aligned}
p(\sigma^2|\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{y}) &= \int (\sigma^2)^{-(\frac{n}{2}+1)} \exp\left(-\frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon} + (\beta - \hat{\beta})^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}) (\beta - \hat{\beta})}{2\sigma^2}\right) d\beta \\
&= (2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}} \left|\left(\frac{\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}}{\sigma^2}\right)^{-1}\right| (\sigma^2)^{-(\frac{n}{2}+1)} \exp\left(-\frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}{2\sigma^2}\right) \\
&\quad \int \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}} \left|\left(\frac{\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}}{\sigma^2}\right)^{-1}\right|} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \left((\beta - \hat{\beta})^T \left(\frac{\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}}{\sigma^2}\right)^{-1} (\beta - \hat{\beta})\right)\right) d\beta \\
&= \frac{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}}}{|\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}|} (\sigma^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}{2\sigma^2}\right) \\
&\propto (\sigma^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}{2\sigma^2}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

The last term tells us that the posterior distribution of σ^2 is inverse gamma distribution whose parameters are $(\frac{n}{2}, \frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}{2})$. Thus, the posterior mean of β is $\hat{\beta}$ and one of σ^2 is $\frac{\frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}{2}}{\frac{n}{2}-1} = \frac{\hat{\epsilon}^T \hat{\epsilon}}{n-2}$.