PSTAT 115 Homework 4

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```
library(tidyverse)
## -- Attaching packages -----
                                        ----- tidyverse 1.2.1 --
## √ ggplot2 3.0.0
                    √ purrr
                                0.2.5
## \sqrt{\text{tibble}} 1.4.2 \sqrt{\text{dplyr}} 0.7.6 ## \sqrt{\text{tidyr}} 0.8.1 \sqrt{\text{stringr}} 1.3.1
           1.1.1
## √ readr
                      √ forcats 0.3.0
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag() masks stats::lag()
1.
(a)
set.seed(12345)
#True Expectation
true = gamma(1.5)/0.5
true
## [1] 1.772454
dgal <- function(y){</pre>
  return(2 * (0.5^2) * y * \exp(-1 * (0.5^2) * (y^2)))
q <- function(x){</pre>
  return(dexp(x,1))
# k = 10
estimate10 <- c()
for(n in 1:10){
 x10 <- rexp(10, 1) #sample
 w10 \leftarrow dgal(x10) / q(x10) #weight
  estimate10 <- c(estimate10, sum(x10 * w10)/ sum(w10)) #estimate
}
mean(estimate10) #sample expectation of estimate
```

```
## [1] 1.696885

# k = 100

estimate100 <- c()

for(n in 1:100){
    x100 <- rexp(100, 1)
    w100 <- dgal(x100) / q(x100)
    estimate100 <- c(estimate100, sum(x100 * w100)/ sum(w100))
}

mean(estimate100)

## [1] 1.775264

# k = 1000</pre>
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```
# k = 1000

estimate1000 <- c()

for(n in 1:1000){
    x1000 <- rexp(1000, 1)
    w1000 <- dgal(x1000) / q(x1000)
    estimate1000 <- c(estimate1000, sum(x1000 * w1000)/ sum(w1000))
}

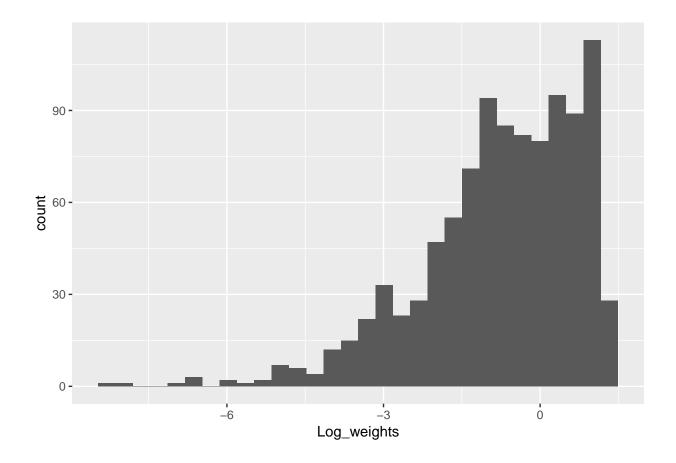
mean(estimate1000)</pre>
```

[1] 1.771963

The true mean is 1.772454. For k = 10 our estimate was 1.696885, for k = 100 our estimate was 1.775264, and for k = 1000 our estimate was 1.771963. As we can see, both k = 100 and k = 1000 were very close estimates.

(b)

```
#histogram of log weights
ggplot(data.frame('Log_weights' = log(w1000)), aes(Log_weights)) + geom_histogram()
## `stat_bin()` using `bins = 30`. Pick better value with `binwidth`.
```



(c)

```
set.seed(562)
#True Expectation
true

## [1] 1.772454
q.1c <- function(x){
    return(dnorm(x, 1.5, 1))
}

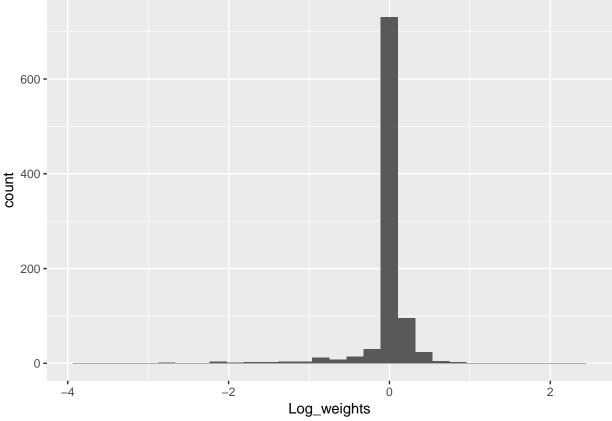
# k = 10
estimate10.1c <- c()

for(n in 1:10){
    x10.1c <- rnorm(10, 1.5, 1)
    x10.1c <- x10.1c[x10.1c > 0]
    w10.1c <- dgal(x10.1c) / q.1c(x10.1c)
    estimate10.1c <- c(estimate10.1c, sum(x10.1c * w10.1c)/ sum(w10.1c))
}

mean(estimate10.1c)</pre>
```

```
## [1] 1.741471
# k = 100
estimate100.1c <- c()
for(n in 1:100){
  x100.1c \leftarrow rnorm(100, 1.5, 1)
  x100.1c \leftarrow x100.1c[x100.1c > 0]
 w100.1c \leftarrow dgal(x100.1c) / q.1c(x100.1c)
  estimate100.1c <- c(estimate100.1c, sum(x100.1c * w100.1c)/ sum(w100.1c))
mean(estimate100.1c)
## [1] 1.758118
# k = 1000
estimate1000.1c <- c()
for(n in 1:1000){
  x1000.1c \leftarrow rnorm(1000, 1.5, 1)
  x1000.1c \leftarrow x1000.1c[x1000.1c > 0]
  w1000.1c \leftarrow dgal(x1000.1c) / q.1c(x1000.1c)
  estimate1000.1c <- c(estimate1000.1c, sum(x1000.1c * w1000.1c)/ sum(w1000.1c))
mean(estimate1000.1c)
## [1] 1.772368
#histogram of log weights
#hist(log(w1000.1c))
ggplot(data.frame('Log_weights' = log(w1000.1c)), aes(Log_weights)) + geom_histogram()
```

`stat_bin()` using `bins = 30`. Pick better value with `binwidth`.



While the estimates are close, and error can be due to the random seed, the histogram for the normal proposal is much better than the exponential proposal because it has much less variance. Therefore, we will conclude the normal proposal is better.

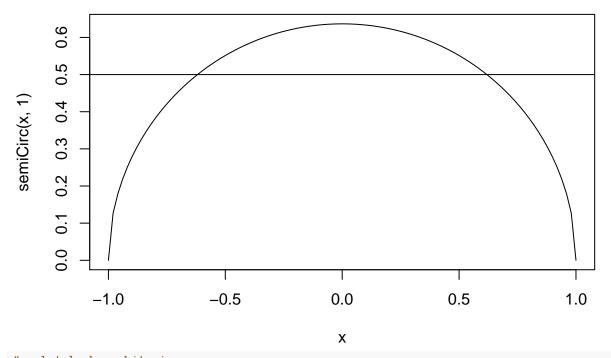
2.

(a)

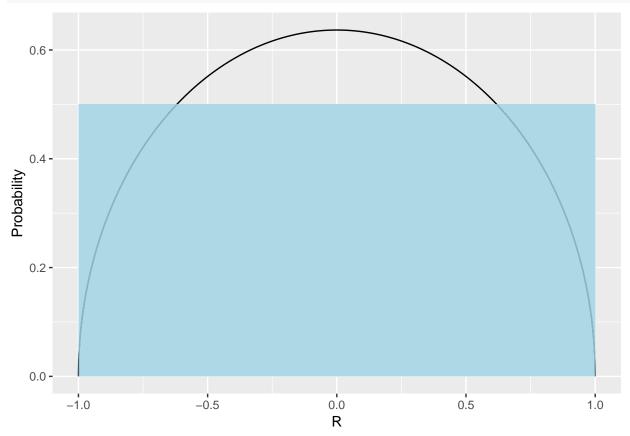
We can have the proposal distribution, g(x|R), be a uniform distribution $\frac{1}{2R}$ since this is the length of the support of the distribution of p(x|R). To find M, we compute the $\max(\frac{p(x|R)}{g(x|R)}) = \max(\frac{4}{\pi R}\sqrt{R^2-x^2})$. Since this is a semi-circle centered at 0, we know the maximum is at x=0. Therefore $M=\frac{4}{\pi}$, and since M is finite we know Mg(x|R) "envelopes" p(x|R). We can see $Mg(x|R)=\frac{2}{\pi R}\geq p(x|R)=\frac{2}{\pi R^2}\sqrt{R^2-x^2}$, $\forall x\in [-R,R]$.

(b)

```
semiCirc <- function(x, R){
  return(2 / (pi * R^2) * sqrt(R^2 - x^2))
}
curve(semiCirc(x, 1), from = -1, to = 1) #semi circle
abline(h = 0.5) #proposal density</pre>
```

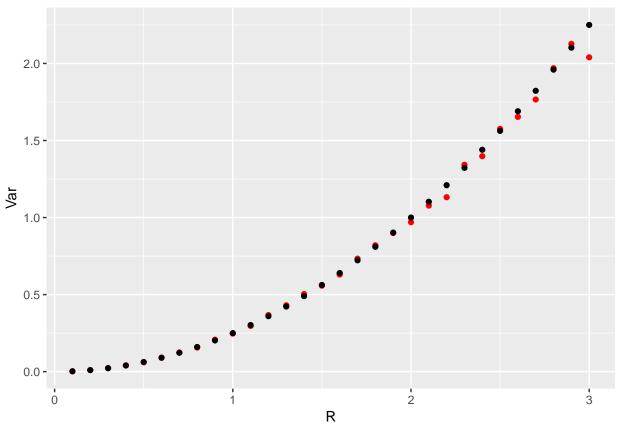


#ggplot looks a bit nicer ggplot(data.frame('R' = seq(-1,1, by = 0.001), 'Semi_Circle' = semiCirc(seq(-1,1, by = 0.001), 1))) + g



(c)

```
set.seed(69)
R = seq(0.1, 3, 0.1)
\#max
M = 4/pi
#true variance
true_var <- R^2 / 4
\#variances\ for\ each\ R
var_eachR <- c()</pre>
for (r in R){
  #draw sample from g(x/R)
  g_samples <- runif(1000, -r, r)</pre>
  #accepted sample vector
  samples.accept <- c()</pre>
  #pdf vector with samples as inputs
  p.2c <- semiCirc(g_samples, r)</pre>
  #Accept sample as draw w prob p(x|R)/Mg(x|R)
  prob.2c <- p.2c / (M * dunif(g_samples, -r, r))</pre>
  #probabilities
  randomProb <- runif(1000,0,1)</pre>
  for(j in 1:1000){
    if(randomProb[j] <= prob.2c[j]){</pre>
      samples.accept <- c(samples.accept, g_samples[j])</pre>
  }
  var_eachR <- c(var_eachR, var(samples.accept))</pre>
plot_var <- data.frame('R' = R, 'Sample_Variance' = var_eachR, "True_Variance" = true_var)</pre>
ggplot(plot_var) + geom_point(aes(x = R, y = Sample_Variance), color = 'red') + geom_point(aes(x = R, y
```



As the plot shows, the sample variance is extremely close to the true variance with error being random by set.seed().

3.

(a)

```
set.seed(1997)
library(HDInterval)

p.3 <- function(x){
    return(abs(sin(x)))
}

accepted_samples <- c()
#Proposal Uniform = 1/2pi, M = 1

samples.3a <- runif(1000, 0, 2*pi)
rprob <- runif(1000, 0, 1)
p.3a <- p.3(samples.3a)
prob.3a <- p.3a / dunif(samples.3a, 0, 2*pi)

for(i in 1:1000){
    if(rprob[i] <= prob.3a[i]){</pre>
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accepted_samples <- c(accepted_samples, samples.3a[i])</pre>
  }
}
mass = 0.5
ql <- quantile(accepted_samples, (1-mass) / 2)</pre>
ql
        25%
##
## 1.496489
qh <- quantile(accepted_samples, mass + (1-mass) / 2)
qh
##
        75%
## 4.734789
length_quant <- as.numeric(qh - ql)</pre>
length_quant
## [1] 3.2383
hd <- hdi(density(accepted_samples), credMass = mass, allowSplit = TRUE)
hd[1,1];hd[1,2]
##
       begin
## 0.5876595
##
## 2.143551
hd[2,1];hd[2,2]
##
      begin
## 4.143982
        end
## 5.528896
length_hd1 <- as.numeric(hd[1,2] - hd[1,1])</pre>
length_hd1
## [1] 1.555891
length_hd2 <- as.numeric(hd[2,2] - hd[2,1])</pre>
length_hd2
## [1] 1.384914
total_length_hdi <- length_hd1 + length_hd2</pre>
total_length_hdi
```

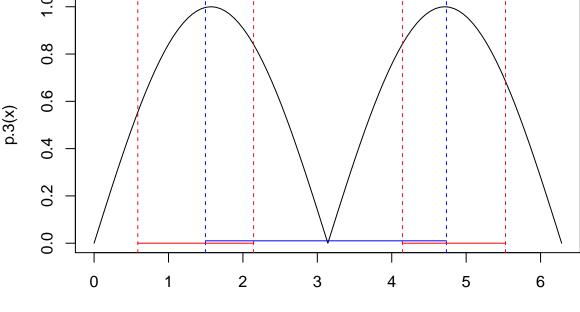
[1] 2.940805

The quantile region is (1.496489, 4.734789) with a length of 3.2383. The HPD region is $(0.5876595, 2.143551) \cup (4.143982, 5.528896)$ so the absolute lower bound is 0.5876595 and the absolute upper bound is 5.528896, this is because sine is periodic and therefore bimodal. The HPD total length is 2.940805. The HPD interval should always be

smaller or equal to the quantile interval for the same mass. It is smaller than the HPD interval despite having more extreme bounds because it is a union of two intervals.

(b)

```
curve(p.3(x), 0, 2*pi)
segments(ql, 0.01, qh, 0.01, col = 'blue')
abline(v = ql, col = 'blue', lty = 2)
abline(v = qh, col = 'blue', lty = 2)
segments(hd[1,1], 0, hd[1,2], 0, col = 'red')
abline(v = hd[1,1], col = 'red', lty = 2)
abline(v = hd[1,2], col = 'red', lty = 2)
segments(hd[2,1], 0, hd[2,2], 0, col = 'red')
abline(v = hd[2,1], col = 'red', lty = 2)
abline(v = hd[2,2], col = 'red', lty = 2)
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