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1.

$$p(x \mid \theta) \propto \theta^x (1 - \theta)^{(m-x)}.$$

So,

$$\begin{aligned}\ell(\theta) &\propto x \log(\theta) + (m - x) \log(1 - \theta), \\ \frac{\partial \ell(\theta)}{\partial \theta} &= \frac{x}{\theta} - \frac{(m - x)}{1 - \theta}, \\ \frac{\partial^2 \ell(\theta)}{\partial \theta^2} &= \frac{x}{\theta^2} - \frac{(m - x)}{(1 - \theta)^2}, \\ I(\theta) &= -E\left(-\frac{x}{\theta^2} - \frac{m - x}{(1 - \theta)^2}\right) = m\theta^{-1}(1 - \theta)^{-1}.\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the Jeffery's prior is

$$\pi(\theta) \propto \sqrt{I(\theta)} = \theta^{-1/2}(1 - \theta)^{-1/2},$$

that is, $\text{Be}(0.5, 0.5)$.

Due to the conjugacy, $\pi(\theta \mid x)$ is $\text{Be}(x + 1/2, m - x + 1/2)$.

2. (a) Consider a 1-to-1 transformation of θ , $\phi = g(\theta)$. The corresponding prior on ϕ , $\pi^*(\phi) = \pi(g^{-1}(\phi)) \left| \frac{dg^{-1}(\phi)}{d\phi} \right|$ is also noninformative.
- (b) $\phi = \log\left(\frac{\theta}{1-\theta}\right) \Leftrightarrow \theta = \frac{e^\phi}{1+e^\phi}$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}\pi^*(\phi) &\propto \left(\frac{e^\phi}{1+e^\phi}\right)^{-1/2} \left(\frac{1}{1+e^\phi}\right)^{-1/2} \frac{e^\phi}{(1+e^\phi)^2} \\ &= \frac{e^{\phi/2}}{1+e^\phi}.\end{aligned}$$

3. Due to the conjugacy, $\pi(\theta \mid x)$ is $\text{Be}(a + x, b + m - x)$.

$$\begin{aligned}p(y \mid x) &= \int_0^1 \frac{\Gamma(a + b + m)}{\Gamma(a + x)\Gamma(b + m - x)} \theta^{a+x-1} (1 - \theta)^{b+m-x-1} \binom{n}{x} \theta^y (1 - \theta)^{n-y} d\theta \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(a + b + m)}{\Gamma(a + x)\Gamma(b + m - x)} \frac{\Gamma(n + 1)}{\Gamma(y + 1)\Gamma(n - y + 1)} \\ &\quad \times \frac{\Gamma(a + x + y)}{\Gamma(b + m - x + n - y)\Gamma(a + b + m + n)}.\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} y_{11} \\ \vdots \\ y_{1n} \\ y_{21} \\ \vdots \\ y_{2n} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mu \\ \theta_1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{11} \\ \vdots \\ \epsilon_{1n} \\ \epsilon_{21} \\ \vdots \\ \epsilon_{2n} \end{bmatrix}.$$

The rank of \mathbf{X} is 2 (full rank).

2.

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} = (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{y}_2 \\ \bar{y}_1 - \bar{y}_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The distribution of $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$ is

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim N(\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2 (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1}),$$

where

$$(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} = \frac{1}{n} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

3. $SSE = (\mathbf{y} - \hat{\mathbf{y}})^T (\mathbf{y} - \hat{\mathbf{y}}) = \sum_{i,j} (y_{ij} - \hat{y}_{ij})^2$ where $\hat{y}_{1j} = \bar{y}_1$ and $\hat{y}_{2j} = \bar{y}_2$. So,

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{SSE}{2n - 2} = \frac{\sum_{i,j} (y_{ij} - \bar{y}_i)^2}{2n - 2}.$$

$$\frac{(2n - 2)\hat{\sigma}^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(2n - 2).$$

4. \mathbf{X} has the full rank so any linear function of $\boldsymbol{\beta}$ is estimable.

$$\theta_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{\beta}$$

5.

$$\hat{\theta}_1 \sim N(\theta_1, \frac{2\sigma^2}{n}).$$

Thus, under $H_0 : \theta_1 = 0$,

$$F = \frac{(\hat{\theta}_1)^2}{2\hat{\sigma}^2} \sim F(1, 2n - 2).$$