

Computational Statistics

Lab 4

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targetdensity <- function(x) {
  x^5 * exp(-x)
}

lognormalfuncs <- list(propsample=function(x) { rlnorm(1, meanlog=x, sdlog=1) },
  propdensity=function(x, y) { dlnorm(x, meanlog=y, sdlog=1) },
  targdensity=targetdensity)

chisquarefuncs <- list(propsample=function(x) { rchisq(1, df=floor(x + 1)) },
  propdensity=function(x, y) { dchisq(x, df=floor(y + 1)) },
  targdensity=targetdensity)

metropolis_hastings <- function(X0, iters, funcs) {
  x <- X0
  values <- rep(0, iters)

  alpha <- function(x, y) {
    numerator <- funcs$targdensity(y) * funcs$propdensity(x, y)
    denominator <- funcs$targdensity(x) * funcs$propdensity(y, x)
    numerator / denominator
  }

  for (i in 1:iters) {
    y <- funcs$propsample(x)
    u <- runif(1)

    if (u < alpha(x, y)) {
      x = y
    }

    values[i] <- x
  }

  values
}

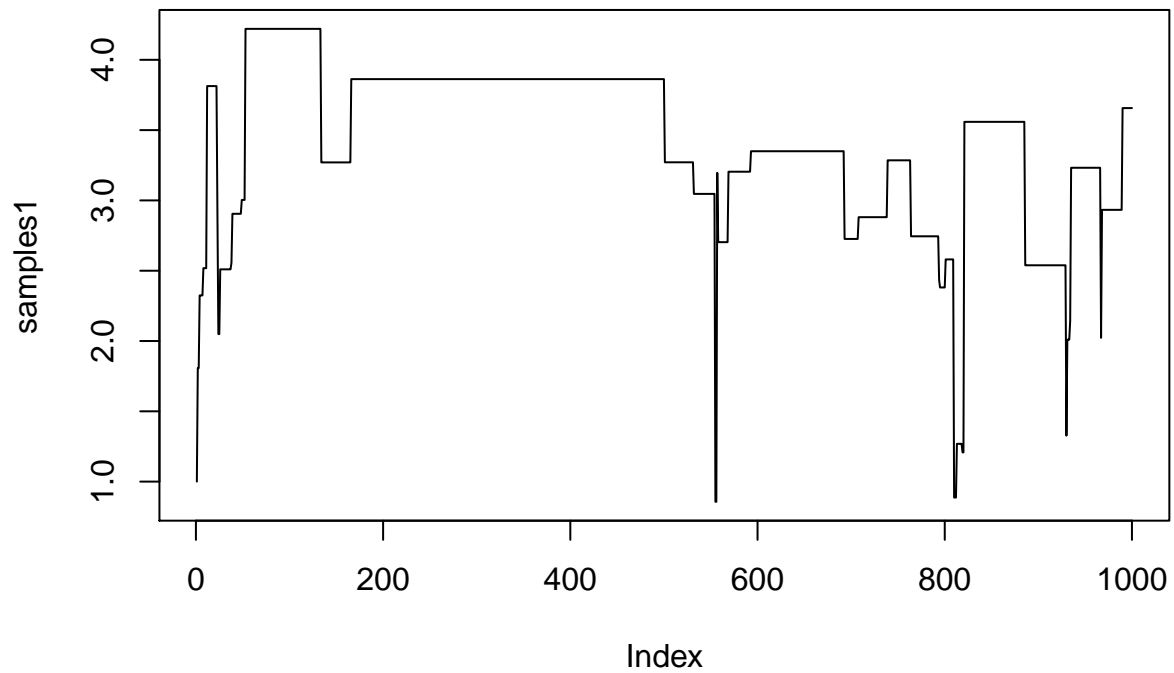
iters <- 1000
X0 <- 1

actual <- rgamma(iters, shape=6, rate=1)

set.seed(123456)
samples1 <- metropolis_hastings(X0=X0, iters=iters, funcs=lognormalfuncs)
mean(samples1)

## [1] 3.41514
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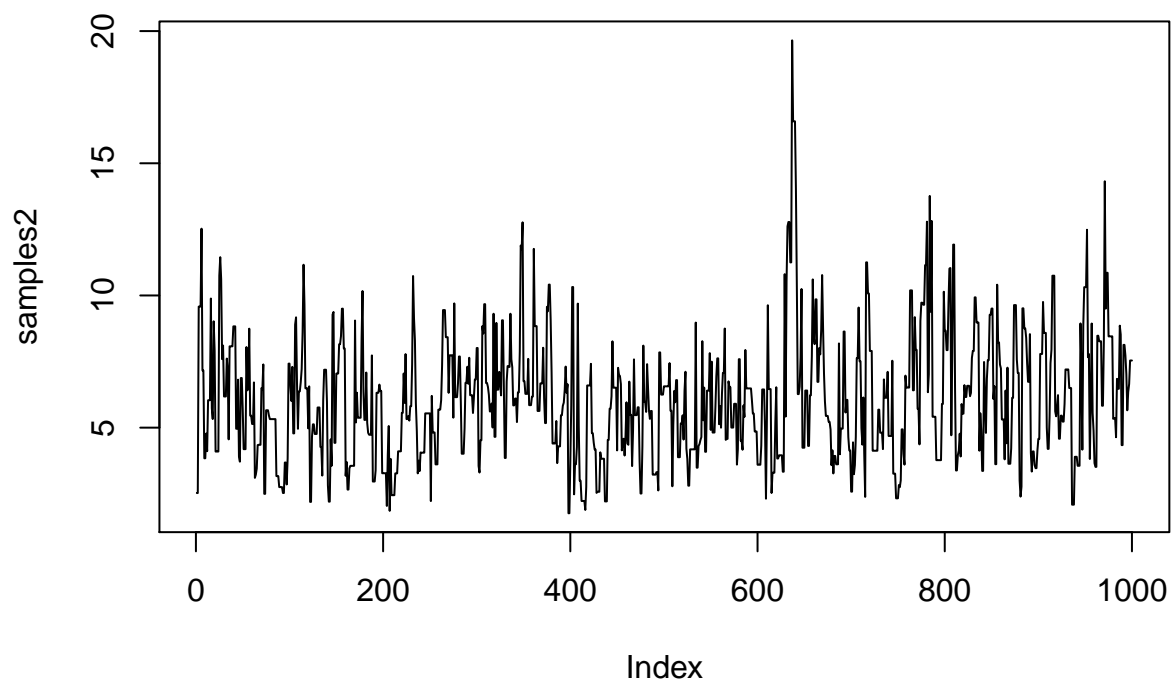
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plot(samples1, type="l")
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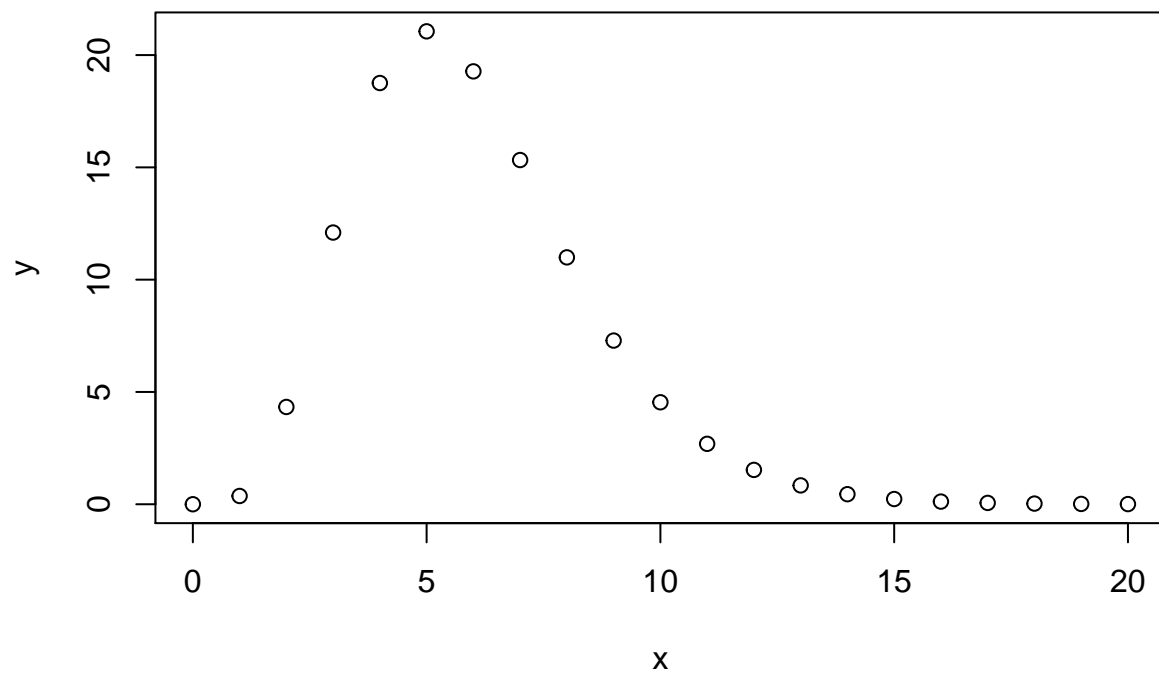
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set.seed(123456)
samples2 <- metropolis_hastings(X0=X0, iters=iters, funcs=chisquarefuncs)
mean(samples2)
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## [1] 6.049705
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plot(samples2, type="l")
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x <- 0:20  
y <- sapply(x, targetdensity)  
plot(x, y)
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oldpar <- par(mfrow = c(1, 3))  
  
hist(actual, main="Actual")  
hist(samples1, main="Sampled (log-normal)")  
hist(samples2, main="Sampled (chi-squared)")
```

