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Program leave-one-out posterior predictive checking in R

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1 Introduction

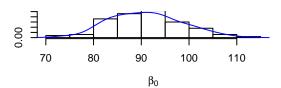
2 Code

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plotSampling <- function(betas, sigma, traces = FALSE, density = FALSE) {</pre>
  # Get number of parameters and adjust plot frame height
  q \leftarrow ncol(betas) + 1
  frameRows \leftarrow round(q/2+0.1)
  # Traces
  if(traces == TRUE) {
    par(mfrow = c(frameRows,2))
    for(i in 1:ncol(betas)) {
      plot(betas[,i], type='l', ylab=bquote(beta[.(i-1)]), main=bquote("Trace of" ~ beta[.(i-1)]))
    plot(sigma, type='1', ylab=bquote(sigma^2), main=bquote("Trace of" ~ sigma^2))
  # Marginal posterior densities (remove burn in)
  if(density == TRUE) {
    # Function to draw plot
    drawHistDensity <- function(para, para_name) {</pre>
              : Parameter (e.b. Beta, Sigma)
      # para_name: Title of plot
      # Estimate density for parameter values
      density <- density(para)</pre>
      # Draw histogram and add estimated density line
      hist(para, freq = FALSE, ylim = c(0, max(density$y)), xlab = para_name,
           ylab=NULL, main = "Marginal posterior density")
      lines(density, col="blue")
    # Adjust frame and plot all parameters
    par(mfrow = c(frameRows,2))
    for(i in 1:ncol(betas)) {
      drawHistDensity(betas[-(1:b),i], bquote(beta[.(i-1)]))
    drawHistDensity(sigma[-(1:b)], bquote(sigma))
  }
}
# The Gibbs Sampler
gibbsSampler <- function(X, Y, B) {
  # Size of design matrix
 n \leftarrow nrow(X)
 p \leftarrow ncol(X)
  # Variables to store the samples in
  betas <- matrix(NA, nrow = B, ncol = p)</pre>
  sigma \leftarrow c(1, rep(NA, B))
  # Sampling
 for(i in 1:B){
   # OLS of beta
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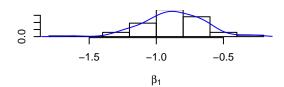
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V \leftarrow solve(t(X)) * %X)  # (X^T X)^{-1}
    beta_hat <- V%*%t(X)%*%Y # (X^T X)^-1 X^T Y
    # OLS of sigma
    sigma_hat \leftarrow t(Y-X%*\%beta_hat)%*%(Y-X%*\%beta_hat)/(n-p)
    # Sample beta from the full conditional
    betas[i,] <- rmvnorm(1,beta_hat,sigma[i]*V)</pre>
    # Sample sigma from the full conditional
    sigma[i+1] \leftarrow 1/rgamma(1,(n-p)/2,(n-p)*sigma_hat/2)
 return(list(betas = betas, sigma = sigma))
}
crossValidation <- function(X, Y, B, ...) {</pre>
  # Size of design matrix
  n \leftarrow nrow(X)
  p \leftarrow ncol(X)
  Yhat <- rep(NA, n)
  betas <- matrix(NA, nrow = n, ncol = p)
  for(i in 1:n) {
    # Remove i-th row from data
    Xi <- X[-i,]</pre>
    Yi \leftarrow Y[-i]
    # Run gibbs sampler to get sampled parameters
    res <- gibbsSampler(Xi, Yi, B)
    # Plot results from last run
    if(i == n) {
      plotSampling(res$betas, res$sigma, ...)
    # Calculate posterior mean from sampled betas
    betas[i,] <- apply(res$betas, 2, mean)</pre>
    # Predict value with posterior mean
    Yhat[i] <- X[i,]%*%betas[i,]</pre>
  # Calculate beta estimate
  beta_cv <- colMeans(betas)</pre>
  # Return betas and distances
  return(list(betas = betas, dist = (Y-Yhat)^2))
}
bayesModelEvaluation <- function(models, Y, B, ...) {</pre>
  # Evaluate multiple models and return results from all models
  n <- length(Y)
 k <- length(models)
 results <- list()
  for(i in 1:k) {
  if(i == k) {
```

```
# Plot everything for last model
      res <- crossValidation(models[[i]], Y, B, ...)</pre>
      par(mfrow = c(1,1))
      barplot(res$dist, xlab = "Data point", ylab = "Distance", names.arg = seq(1,n),
              main="Squared distance between estimate and real value")
      res <- crossValidation(models[[i]], Y, B)</pre>
    \# Calculate beta estimates \& MSE and add to results
    results[[i]] <- list(beta_est = colMeans(res$betas),</pre>
                         mse = sum(res$dist))
  return(results)
# Swiss data
dat <- swiss
# Response variable
Y <- dat$Fertility
# Design matrix
n <- nrow(dat)</pre>
X <- matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Education, dat$Agriculture), nrow=n)</pre>
models <- list(</pre>
  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Education), nrow=n),
  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Agriculture), nrow=n),
  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Examination), nrow=n),
  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Catholic), nrow=n),
  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Education, dat$Agriculture), nrow=n),
  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Education, dat$Examination), nrow=n),
  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Education, dat$Catholic), nrow=n),
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  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Education, dat$Examination, dat$Catholic), nrow=n),
  matrix(c(rep(1,n), dat$Education, dat$Agriculture, dat$Examination ,dat$Catholic), nrow=n)
)
# Number of samples
b <- 10 # Burn in
R <- 100 # Random draws to evaluate
B \leftarrow R + b
res <- bayesModelEvaluation(models, Y, B, traces = FALSE, density = TRUE)
```

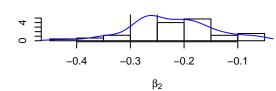
Marginal posterior density



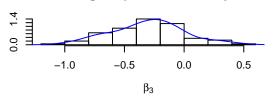
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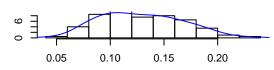
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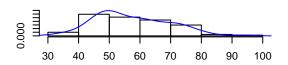
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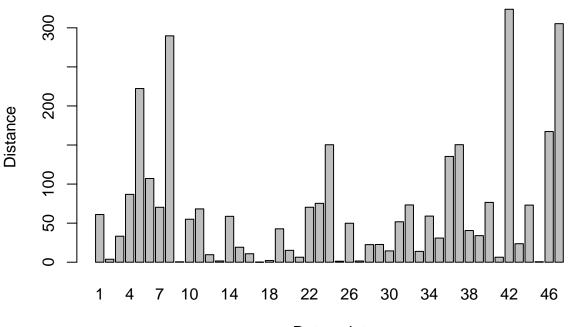
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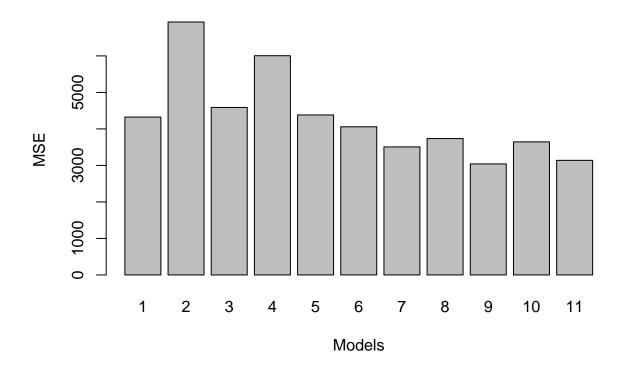


Squared distance between estimate and real value



Data point

```
# Plot Mean Squared Errors
MSEs <- sapply(res, function(el) { return(el$mse) })
par(mfrow = c(1,1))
barplot(MSEs, xlab = "Models", ylab = "MSE", names.arg = seq(1,length(models)))</pre>
```



3 References