Git collaboration and hierarchical models

Monica Alexander

March 9 2021

1 Git collaboration

1. find a partner, add them as a collaborator to your class repo (you can/should remove them later once this is done)
2. create a text file in your repo with something in it
3. clone your partner's repo, and **on a new branch** make changes to their text file
4. add, commit, push your changes on new branch upstream
5. do a pull request of your partner
6. accept your partners pull request

I'll be able to see the history.

2 Radon

The goal of this lab is to fit this model to the radon data:

$$y_i|\alpha_{j[i]} \sim N\left(\alpha_{j[i]} + \beta x_i, \sigma_y^2\right), \text{ for } i = 1, 2, \ldots, n$$
$$\alpha_j \sim N\left(\gamma_0 + \gamma_1 u_j, \sigma_\alpha^2\right), \text{ for } j = 1, 2, \ldots, J$$

i.e. varying intercepts, fixed slope on floor. I want you to

- reproduce the graph on slide 50.
- plot samples from the posterior predictive distribution for a new household in county 2 with basement level measurement, compared to samples from the posterior distribution of the mean county effect in county 2 (i.e., a graph similar to slide 39).

Here's code to get the data into a useful format:

```
library(tidyverse)
# house level data
d <- read.table(url("http://www.stat.columbia.edu/~gelman/arm/examples/radon/srrs2.dat"), header=T, sep=

# deal with zeros, select what we want, makke a fips variable to match on
d <- d %>%
  mutate(activity = ifelse(activity==0, 0.1, activity)) %>%
  mutate(fips = stfips * 1000 + cntyfips) %>%
  dplyr::select(fips, state, county, floor, activity)

# county level data
cty <- read.table(url("http://www.stat.columbia.edu/~gelman/arm/examples/radon/cty.dat"), header = T, se
cty <- cty %>% mutate(fips = 1000 * stfips + ctfips) %>% dplyr::select(fips, Uppm)

# filter to just be minnesota, join them and then select the variables of interest.
```

```
dmn <- d %>%
  filter(state=="MN") %>%
  dplyr::select(fips, county, floor, activity) %>%
  left_join(cty)
head(dmn)
```

```
##    fips               county floor activity     Uppm
## 1 27001 AITKIN                 1      2.2 0.502054
## 2 27001 AITKIN                 0      2.2 0.502054
## 3 27001 AITKIN                 0      2.9 0.502054
## 4 27001 AITKIN                 0      1.0 0.502054
## 5 27003 ANOKA                  0      3.1 0.428565
## 6 27003 ANOKA                  0      2.5 0.428565
```

Note, in the model:

- y_i is log(activity)
- x_i is floor
- u_i is log(Uppm)

So to complete this task successfully you will need to show me / produce:

- stan code for the model
- a plot like slide 39
- a plot like slide 50

Suggested steps

1. write Stan model (note, you will need samples from post pred distribution, either do in Stan or later in R)
2. Get data in stan format

```
y <- log(dmn$activity)
x <- dmn$floor
u <- log(unique(dmn$Uppm))
county <- as.numeric(factor(dmn$county))

data <- list(y = y,
             x = x,
             u = u,
             county = county,
             N = length(y),
             J = length(unique(county)))
```

3. Run the model

```
fit <- stan(file = "w8.stan",
            data = data)
```

```
## Running /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Resources/bin/R CMD SHLIB foo.c
## clang -mmacosx-version-min=10.13 -I"/Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Resources/include" -DNDEBUG   -I
## In file included from <built-in>:1:
## In file included from /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/library/StanHeaders/incl
## In file included from /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/library/RcppEigen/inclu
## In file included from /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/library/RcppEigen/inclu
## /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/library/RcppEigen/include/Eigen/src/Core/util/
## namespace Eigen {
## ^
```

```
## /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/library/RcppEigen/include/Eigen/src/Core/util/
## namespace Eigen {
##                 ^
##                 ;
## In file included from <built-in>:1:
## In file included from /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/library/StanHeaders/incl
## In file included from /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/library/RcppEigen/inclu
## /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/library/RcppEigen/include/Eigen/Core:96:10: fa
## #include <complex>
##          ^~~~~~~~
## 3 errors generated.
## make: *** [foo.o] Error 1
##
## SAMPLING FOR MODEL 'w8' NOW (CHAIN 1).
## Chain 1:
## Chain 1: Gradient evaluation took 9.6e-05 seconds
## Chain 1: 1000 transitions using 10 leapfrog steps per transition would take 0.96 seconds.
## Chain 1: Adjust your expectations accordingly!
## Chain 1:
## Chain 1:
## Chain 1: Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 1: Iteration:  200 / 2000 [ 10%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 1: Iteration:  400 / 2000 [ 20%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 1: Iteration:  600 / 2000 [ 30%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 1: Iteration:  800 / 2000 [ 40%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 1: Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 1: Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 1: Iteration: 1200 / 2000 [ 60%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 1: Iteration: 1400 / 2000 [ 70%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 1: Iteration: 1600 / 2000 [ 80%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 1: Iteration: 1800 / 2000 [ 90%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 1: Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 1:
## Chain 1:  Elapsed Time: 0.821424 seconds (Warm-up)
## Chain 1:                0.679426 seconds (Sampling)
## Chain 1:                1.50085 seconds (Total)
## Chain 1:
##
## SAMPLING FOR MODEL 'w8' NOW (CHAIN 2).
## Chain 2:
## Chain 2: Gradient evaluation took 9e-05 seconds
## Chain 2: 1000 transitions using 10 leapfrog steps per transition would take 0.9 seconds.
## Chain 2: Adjust your expectations accordingly!
## Chain 2:
## Chain 2:
## Chain 2: Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 2: Iteration:  200 / 2000 [ 10%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 2: Iteration:  400 / 2000 [ 20%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 2: Iteration:  600 / 2000 [ 30%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 2: Iteration:  800 / 2000 [ 40%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 2: Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 2: Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 2: Iteration: 1200 / 2000 [ 60%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 2: Iteration: 1400 / 2000 [ 70%]  (Sampling)
```

```
## Chain 2: Iteration: 1600 / 2000 [ 80%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 2: Iteration: 1800 / 2000 [ 90%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 2: Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 2:
## Chain 2:  Elapsed Time: 0.857785 seconds (Warm-up)
## Chain 2:                0.824935 seconds (Sampling)
## Chain 2:                1.68272 seconds (Total)
## Chain 2:
##
## SAMPLING FOR MODEL 'w8' NOW (CHAIN 3).
## Chain 3:
## Chain 3: Gradient evaluation took 5.8e-05 seconds
## Chain 3: 1000 transitions using 10 leapfrog steps per transition would take 0.58 seconds.
## Chain 3: Adjust your expectations accordingly!
## Chain 3:
## Chain 3:
## Chain 3: Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 3: Iteration:  200 / 2000 [ 10%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 3: Iteration:  400 / 2000 [ 20%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 3: Iteration:  600 / 2000 [ 30%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 3: Iteration:  800 / 2000 [ 40%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 3: Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 3: Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 3: Iteration: 1200 / 2000 [ 60%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 3: Iteration: 1400 / 2000 [ 70%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 3: Iteration: 1600 / 2000 [ 80%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 3: Iteration: 1800 / 2000 [ 90%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 3: Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 3:
## Chain 3:  Elapsed Time: 0.745814 seconds (Warm-up)
## Chain 3:                0.613365 seconds (Sampling)
## Chain 3:                1.35918 seconds (Total)
## Chain 3:
##
## SAMPLING FOR MODEL 'w8' NOW (CHAIN 4).
## Chain 4:
## Chain 4: Gradient evaluation took 5e-05 seconds
## Chain 4: 1000 transitions using 10 leapfrog steps per transition would take 0.5 seconds.
## Chain 4: Adjust your expectations accordingly!
## Chain 4:
## Chain 4:
## Chain 4: Iteration:    1 / 2000 [  0%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 4: Iteration:  200 / 2000 [ 10%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 4: Iteration:  400 / 2000 [ 20%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 4: Iteration:  600 / 2000 [ 30%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 4: Iteration:  800 / 2000 [ 40%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 4: Iteration: 1000 / 2000 [ 50%]  (Warmup)
## Chain 4: Iteration: 1001 / 2000 [ 50%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 4: Iteration: 1200 / 2000 [ 60%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 4: Iteration: 1400 / 2000 [ 70%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 4: Iteration: 1600 / 2000 [ 80%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 4: Iteration: 1800 / 2000 [ 90%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 4: Iteration: 2000 / 2000 [100%]  (Sampling)
## Chain 4:
```

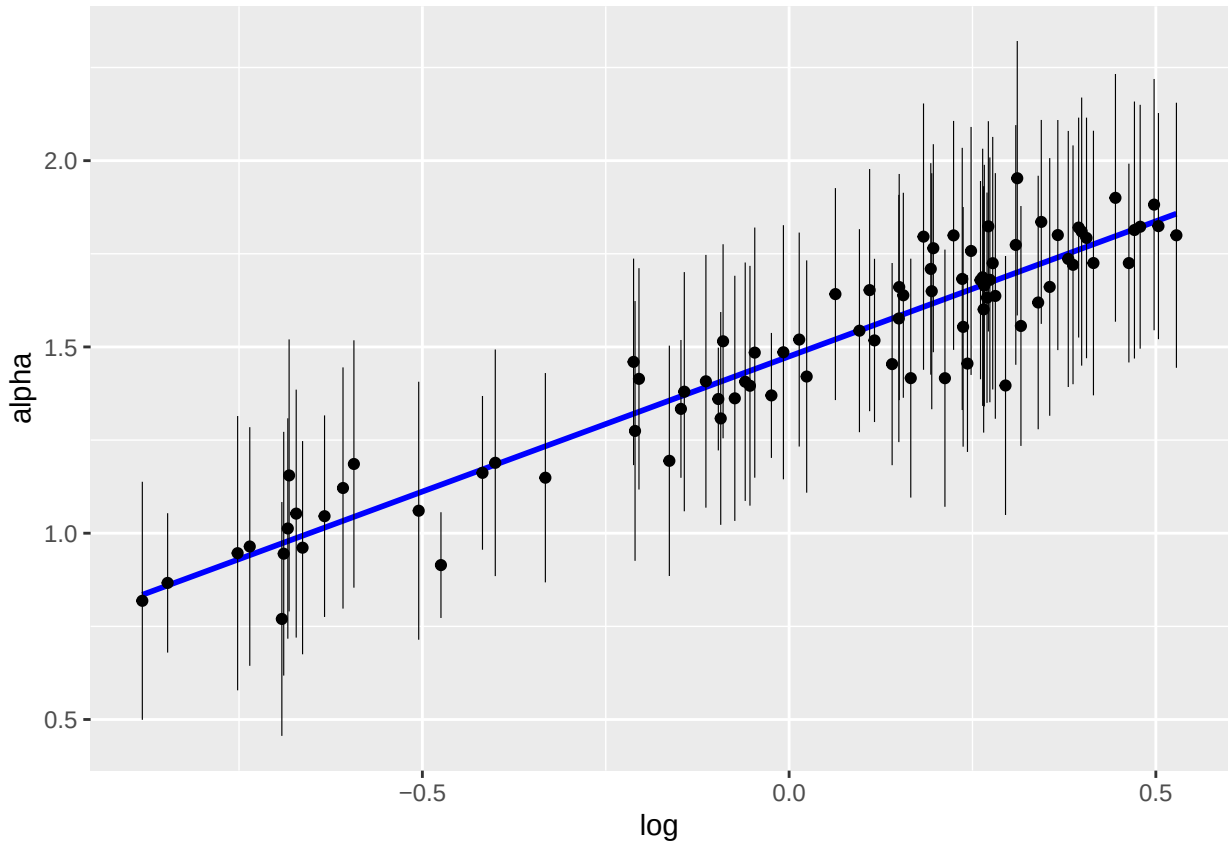
```
## Chain 4:  Elapsed Time: 0.808618 seconds (Warm-up)
## Chain 4:                0.81229 seconds (Sampling)
## Chain 4:                1.62091 seconds (Total)
## Chain 4:
```

```
summary(fit)$summary[c("gamma0", "gamma1", "beta", "sigma", "sigma_alpha"),]
```

```
##                   mean      se_mean         sd        2.5%        25%
## gamma0       1.4703842 0.0013025452 0.03989807  1.39617965  1.4423865
## gamma1       0.7296953 0.0028283063 0.09553881  0.54312216  0.6650441
## beta        -0.6680552 0.0013563553 0.06885242 -0.79782000 -0.7155137
## sigma        0.7690112 0.0003821957 0.01887914  0.73254751  0.7559157
## sigma_alpha  0.1681233 0.0042986102 0.04883295  0.07397662  0.1353574
##                    50%        75%      97.5%     n_eff     Rhat
## gamma0       1.4694887  1.4975962  1.5496407  938.2491 1.007014
## gamma1       0.7279603  0.7931720  0.9215561 1141.0556 1.003164
## beta        -0.6687417 -0.6199433 -0.5341781 2576.8639 1.000637
## sigma        0.7690352  0.7813797  0.8066730 2440.0176 1.001369
## sigma_alpha  0.1683788  0.2009289  0.2636827  129.0535 1.030469
```

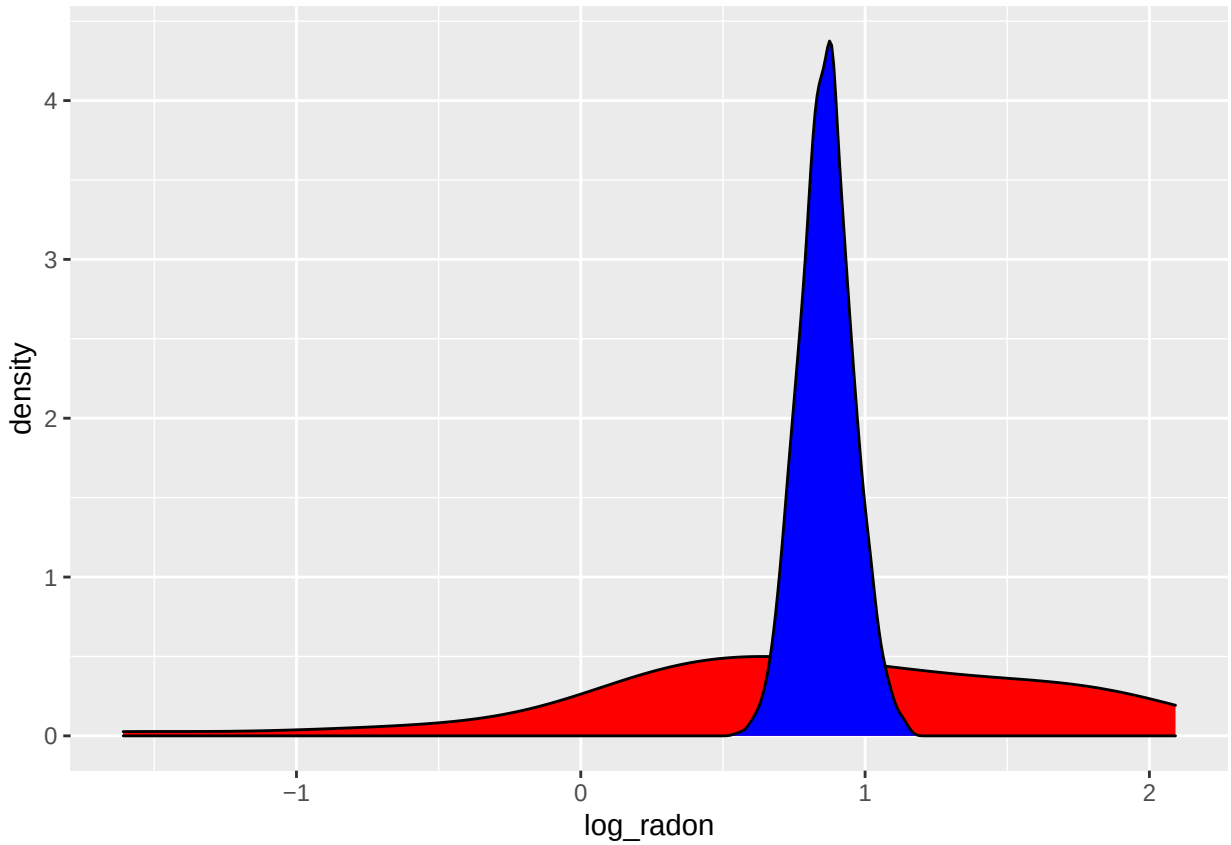
4. For α plot, get median estimates of alpha's, and the 2.5th and 97.5th percentiles. Also get the median (mean fine, easier to pull from summary) of the gamma0 and gamma1. You can then use `geom_abline()` to plot mean regression line.

```
alpha = summary(fit)$summary[c(6:90), c(4,8)]
alpha_df = as.data.frame(alpha)
alpha_df$"log_u" = u
colnames(alpha_df) <- c("min", "max", "log")
alpha_df$"mean" = (alpha_df$min + alpha_df$max)/2
colnames(alpha_df) <- c("alpha", "alpha", "log")
alpha_new = rbind(alpha_df[,c(1,3)], alpha_df[,c(2,3)])

ggplot(data = alpha_new, aes(x = log, y = alpha)) +
  stat_smooth(method = "lm", col = "blue", se=FALSE) + stat_summary(
  size = 0.2,
  fun.min = min,
  fun.max = max,
  fun = mean)
```



5. For the predicted y plot, you will need your posterior predictive samples for y's and then just use `geom_density()`

```
more_data <- extract(fit)
compare = data.frame(cbind(y[county == 2]))
compare2 = data.frame(new = more_data$alpha[,2])
colnames(compare) <- c("log_radon")

ggplot() +
  geom_density(data = compare, aes(x = log_radon), fill = "red") +
  geom_density(data = compare2, aes(x=new), fill = "blue")
```


density
4
3
2
1
0
−1
0
1
2
log_radon