

HW1

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Question 1

part a: method of moments estimators of (α, β) .

$$x \sim \Gamma(\alpha, \beta) \text{ with } E(x) = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \text{ and } Var(x) = \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(x^2) &= \int_0^\infty \frac{\beta^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha)} x^{\alpha+2-1} e^{-\beta x} dx \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+2)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\beta^2} \int_0^\infty \frac{\beta^{\alpha+2}}{\Gamma(\alpha+2)} x^{\alpha+2-1} e^{-\beta x} dx \\ &= \frac{\alpha(\alpha+1)}{\beta^2} \\ &= \frac{\alpha^2}{\beta^2} + \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$Var(x) = \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2} = E(x^2) - (E(x))^2$$

$$\beta = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} / \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2} = \frac{E(x)}{E(x^2) - (E(x))^2}$$

$$\text{which } \hat{\beta}_{mom} = \frac{\bar{x}}{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \cdot \left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta} / \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2} \right) = \frac{(E(x))^2}{E(x^2) - (E(x))^2}$$

$$\text{which } \hat{\alpha}_{mom} = \frac{(\bar{x})^2}{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

part b: maximum likelihood estimator of β in closed form.

$$L_f(x|\alpha, \beta) = \left(\frac{\beta^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \right)^n \prod_{i=1}^n x_i^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta \sum x_i}$$

$$\nabla \log(L_f(x|\beta)) = \frac{n\alpha}{\beta} - \sum x_i, \text{ set to equal } 0$$

$$\hat{\beta}_{mle} = \frac{\alpha}{\bar{x}}, \text{ by invariance of mle}$$

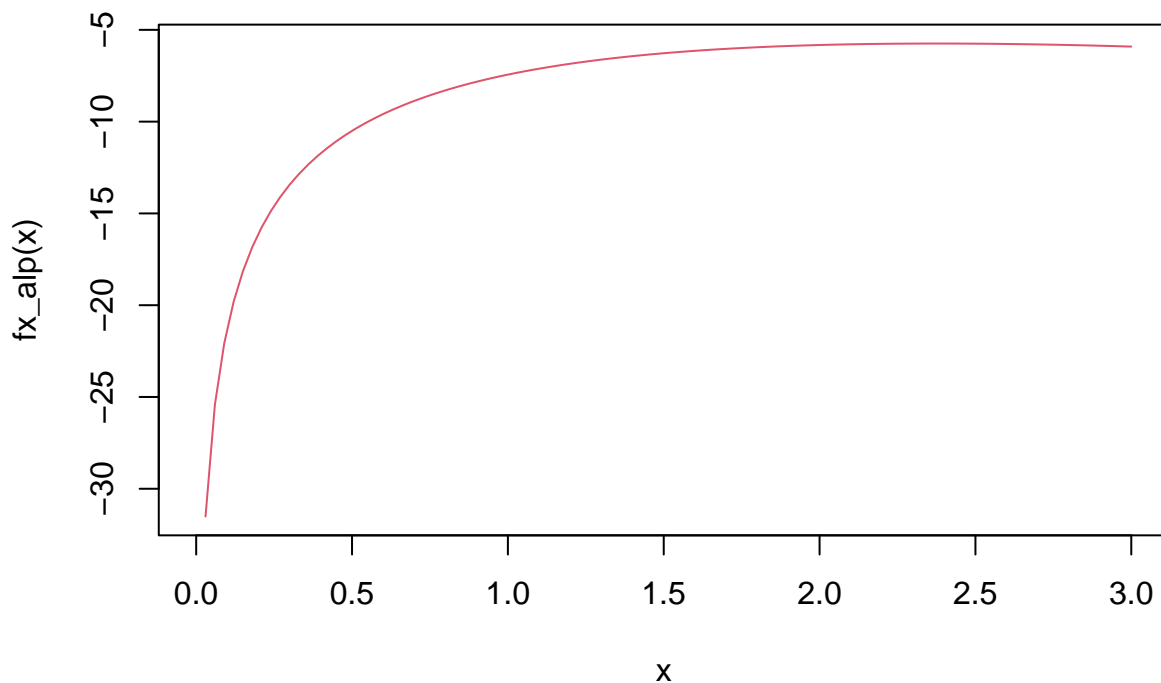
$$\nabla^2 \log(L_f(x|\beta)) = -\frac{n\alpha}{\beta^2} < 0$$

part c

```
# Consider the following data set:
# x = (1.33, 1.60, 0.68, 0.28, 1.22, 0.72, 0.16, 0.32, 0.97, 0.46);
fx_alp = function(alp) {
  n = length(x)
  betahat = alp / mean(x)
  n * alp * log(betahat) - n * log(gamma(alp)) + (alp - 1) * sum(log(x)) - (betahat * sum(x))
}

x = c(1.33, 1.60, 0.68, 0.28, 1.22, 0.72, 0.16, 0.32, 0.97, 0.46)
alp = seq(0.1, 10, by = 0.1)
post = fx_alp(alp)

curve(fx_alp, from = 0, to = 3, col = 2)
```



Newton-Raphson Method

The process repeated as $x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$

- First, by calculate the first and second partial derivative of the log-likelihood function with respect to α
- Second, generate the random number data which Gamma distributed use to calculate the MLE
- Third, create the loop function to calculate the sum of the partial derivatives, the gradient vector, the Hessian matrix, and the MLE approximated value
- Last, until the difference between x^{n+1} and x^n is smaller than epsilon (very small value), such that use the MME for the initial value of β^0 , and stop the approximation when $|\hat{\beta}^{(n+1)} - \hat{\beta}^{(n)}| < 0.0000001$. The MLE of α can be found.

Question 2

(a) derive the posterior distribution of (μ, σ^2)

$$x \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(\mu, \sigma^2 | x_1, \dots, x_n) &\propto P(x_1, \dots, x_n | \mu, \sigma^2) P(\mu) P(\sigma^2) \\ &\propto (\sigma^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2\right] \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\mu}} (\mu - \epsilon)^2\right] (\sigma^2)^{-(\lambda_\sigma+1)} \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{\alpha}{\sigma^2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(\sigma^2 | x_1, \dots, x_n) &\propto (\sigma^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2\right] (\sigma^2)^{-(\lambda_\sigma+1)} \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{\alpha}{\sigma^2}\right) \\ &\propto (\sigma^2)^{-\frac{n}{2} + \lambda_\sigma + 1} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2 + \alpha\right)\right] \end{aligned}$$

Substitute parameters from distribution of μ

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma^2 &\sim \Gamma^{-1}\left(\lambda_\sigma + \frac{n}{2}, \alpha + \frac{1}{2} \sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2 + \frac{n\lambda_\mu}{2(n + \lambda_\mu)} (\bar{x} - \epsilon)^2\right) \\ P(\mu | \sigma^2, x_1, \dots, x_n) &\propto \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2\right] \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\mu}} (\mu - \epsilon)^2\right] \\ &\propto \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \left(\sum (x_i - \mu)^2 + \lambda_\mu (\mu - \epsilon)^2\right)\right] \\ \mu &\sim N\left(\frac{n\bar{x} + \lambda_\mu \epsilon}{n + \lambda_\mu}, \frac{\sigma^2}{n + \lambda_\mu}\right) \end{aligned}$$

(b) show marginal prior on μ is $T(2\lambda_\sigma, \epsilon, \frac{\alpha}{\lambda_\mu \lambda_\sigma})$

- From joint prior (Normal-inverse-gamma distribution) take integral from 0 to ∞ , $\frac{df}{d\sigma^2}$.

$$\begin{aligned} f(\mu, \sigma^2) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\mu}} \frac{\alpha^{\lambda_\sigma}}{\Gamma(\lambda_\sigma)} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\sigma}}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{2\alpha + (x - \epsilon)^2}{2\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\mu}}\right) \\ f(\mu) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \Gamma(\lambda_\sigma)} \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{1}{\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\sigma}}\right)^{\lambda_\sigma + 1/2 + 1} \exp\left(-\frac{2\alpha + (x - \epsilon)^2}{2\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\mu}}\right) d\sigma^2 \\ \text{since } \int_0^\infty \Gamma^{-1}(x) dx &= 1 \text{ and } \int_0^\infty x^{-(a+1)} e^{-b/x} dx = \Gamma(a) b^{-a} \\ f(\mu) &\propto \Gamma(\lambda_\sigma + \frac{1}{2}) \left(\frac{2\alpha + (x - \epsilon)^2}{\frac{2}{\lambda_\mu}}\right)^{-(\lambda_\sigma + \frac{1}{2})} \\ f(\mu) &\propto \left(1 + \frac{(x - \epsilon)^2}{\frac{2\alpha}{\lambda_\mu}}\right)^{-(\lambda_\sigma + \frac{1}{2})} \\ \mu &\sim T(2\lambda_\sigma, \epsilon, \frac{\alpha}{\lambda_\mu \lambda_\sigma}) \end{aligned}$$

(c) give the corresponding marginal prior on σ^2 .

$$f(\mu, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\mu}}} \frac{\alpha^{\lambda_\sigma}}{\Gamma(\lambda_\sigma)} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\sigma}}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{2\alpha + (x - \epsilon)^2}{2\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\mu}}\right)$$

$$f(\sigma^2) \propto \frac{\alpha^{\lambda_\sigma}}{\Gamma(\lambda_\sigma)} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\sigma}}\right)^{\lambda_\sigma+1} \exp\left(-\frac{\alpha}{\frac{\sigma^2}{\lambda_\mu}}\right)$$

Since σ^2 is not dependent on μ

$$\sigma^2 \sim \Gamma^{-1}(\lambda_\sigma, \alpha)$$

Question 3

part i:

Diaconis, Ylvisaker

$$y|\theta \sim \text{Bin}(n, \theta)$$

$$P(y|\theta) = \binom{n}{y} \theta^y (1 - \theta)^{n-y}$$

$$\propto \exp\left[y \log(\theta) + (n - y) \log(1 - \theta)\right]$$

$$\propto \exp\left[y \log\left(\frac{\theta}{1 - \theta}\right) + n \log(1 - \theta)\right]$$

$$\propto \exp\left[\phi \log\left(\frac{\theta}{1 - \theta}\right) + n \lambda \log(1 - \theta)\right]$$

$$\propto \exp\left[\phi \log(\theta) + \lambda \log(1 - \theta) - \phi \log(1 - \theta)\right]$$

$$\propto \theta^\phi (1 - \theta)^{\lambda - \phi} \sim \text{Beta}(\phi, \lambda - \phi)$$

Jeffreys

$$f(y|\theta) = \binom{n}{y} \theta^y (1 - \theta)^{n-y}$$

$$\log L f(y|\theta) \propto y \log(\theta) + (n - y) \log(1 - \theta)$$

$$\nabla^2 \log L f(y|\theta) \propto -\frac{y}{\theta^2} - \frac{n - y}{(1 - \theta)^2}$$

$$\text{Fisher Information} : \propto \frac{1}{\theta(1 - \theta)}$$

$$\text{by } |I(\theta)|^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\propto \theta^{-\frac{1}{2}} (1 - \theta)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\text{Jeffreys prior is } \theta^{\frac{1}{2}-1} (1 - \theta)^{\frac{1}{2}-1} \sim \text{Beta}\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

part ii:

Diaconis, Ylvisaker

$$\begin{aligned}y|\theta &\sim \text{Poisson}(\theta) \\ P(y|\theta) &= \frac{e^{-\theta}\theta^y}{y!} \\ &\propto \exp\left[-\theta + y\log(\theta)\right] \\ &\propto \exp\left[-\theta\lambda + \phi\log(\theta)\right] \\ &\propto e^{-\theta\lambda}\theta^{\phi+1-1} \sim \Gamma(\phi+1, \lambda)\end{aligned}$$

Jeffreys

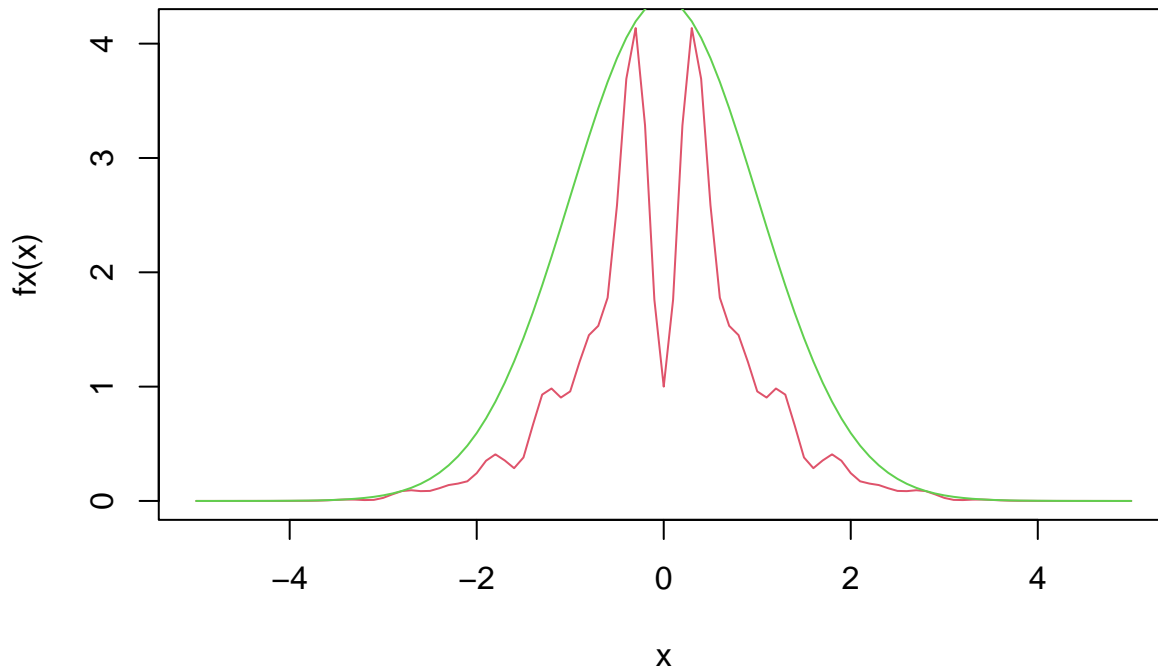
$$\begin{aligned}P(y|\theta) &= \frac{e^{-\theta}\theta^y}{y!} \\ \log Lf(y|\theta) &\propto -\theta + y\log(\theta) \\ \nabla^2 \log Lf(y|\theta) &\propto -\frac{y}{\theta^2} \\ \text{Fisher Information} &: \propto \frac{1}{\theta} \\ &\text{by } |I(\theta)|^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ \text{Jeffreys prior is } &\frac{1}{\sqrt{\theta}} \sim \Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}, 0\right)\end{aligned}$$

Question 4

(a) Plot $f(x)$ and show that it can be bounded by $Mg(x)$, where $g = \frac{\exp(-x^2/2)}{(2\pi)}$. Find the an acceptable, if not optimal value for M . (Hint: use `optimize()`).

```
fx = function(x) {  
  exp(-x^2 / 2) * (sin(6 * x)^2 + 3 * cos(x)^2 * sin(4 * x)^2 + 1 )  
}  
  
gx = function(x) {  
  exp(-x^2 / 2) / sqrt(2 * pi)  
}  
  
Mgx = function(x) {  
  11 * (exp(-x^2 / 2) / sqrt(2 * pi)) #plug M back in  
}
```

```
set.seed(1166)
curve(fx, from = -5, to = 5, col = 2)
curve(Mgx, from = -5, to = 5, col = 3, add = TRUE)
```



```
opfx = function(x) {
  fx(x) / gx(x)
}

max = optimise(opfx, c(0.1, 10), maximum = TRUE)
max
```

```
## $maximum
## [1] 3.464734
##
## $objective
## [1] 10.94031
```

- $f(x)$ can be bounded by $Mg(x)$ when $M = 11$.

(b)

```
AR = function (f, g, m, n_iter) {
  #x1 = rep(NA, n_iter)
  accp = 0
  for (i in 1:n_iter) {
    while (accp) {
      x = rnorm(1)
      u = runif(1)
```

```

    if (u <= (f(x) / (m * g(x)))) {
      accp = accp + 1
      #x1[i] = x
    }
  }
}
list(accp = accp)
}

```

```

set.seed(123)
ar = AR(f = fx, g = gx, m = 11, n_iter = 2500)
ar$accp

```

```
## [1] 0
```

(c)

- All rejected, accept rate is $\frac{2500}{2500+2500} = 0.5$.
- Constant is $\frac{1}{(0.5*11)} = 0.18$.

Question 5

(a) Find the Laplace approximation for the following integrals.

- (i)

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= \frac{1}{2^{\frac{k}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{k}{2})} x^{\frac{k}{2}-1} \exp(-\frac{x}{2}) \\
 &= \exp\left\{\left(\frac{k}{2} - 1\right)\log(x) - \frac{k}{2}\log(2) - \log(\Gamma(\frac{k}{2})) - \frac{x}{2}\right\} \\
 h(x) &= \left(\frac{k}{2} - 1\right)\log(x) - \frac{k}{2}\log(2) - \log(\Gamma(\frac{k}{2})) - \frac{x}{2} \\
 h''(x) &= \frac{k-2}{2x^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\int_a^b \frac{1}{2^{\frac{k}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{k}{2})} x^{\frac{k}{2}-1} \exp(-\frac{x}{2}) dx \\
 \text{by Laplace approximation we get : } &\propto \frac{\hat{x}^{\frac{k}{2}-1} \exp(-\frac{\hat{x}}{2})}{2^{\frac{k}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{k}{2})} \int_a^b \exp\left\{\frac{(x - \hat{x})^2}{2} \left(\frac{k-2}{2\hat{x}^2}\right)\right\} dx \\
 &\hat{x} = \max(k-2, 0)
 \end{aligned}$$

- (ii)

$$\begin{aligned}
f(x) &= x^{\alpha-1}(1-x)^{\beta-1}, \text{ for } \alpha, \beta > 1 \\
&= \exp\left\{(\alpha-1)\log(x) + (\beta-1)\log(1-x)\right\} \\
h(x) &= (\alpha-1)\log(x) + (\beta-1)\log(1-x) \\
h''(x) &= -\frac{\alpha-1}{x^2} - \frac{\beta-1}{(1-x)^2}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\int_a^b x^{\alpha-1}(1-x)^{\beta-1} dx \\
\text{by Laplace approximation we get : } &\propto \hat{x}^{\alpha-1}(1-\hat{x})^{\beta-1} \int_a^b \exp\left\{\frac{(x-\hat{x})^2}{2}\left(-\frac{\alpha-1}{\hat{x}^2} - \frac{\beta-1}{(1-\hat{x})^2}\right)\right\} dx \\
&\propto \frac{(\alpha-1)^{\alpha-1}(\beta-1)^{\beta-1}}{(\alpha+\beta-2)^{\alpha+\beta-2}} \int_a^b \exp\left\{\frac{(x-\hat{x})^2}{2}\left(\frac{-(\alpha+\beta-2)^2}{(\alpha-1)} + \frac{-(\alpha+\beta-2)^2}{(\beta-1)}\right)\right\} dx \\
&\hat{x} = \frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha+\beta-2}, \text{ for } \alpha, \beta > 1
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Use the Laplace approximation to find the appropriate normalizing constant for $(\alpha = 2, \beta = 2)$ and $(\alpha = 1, \beta = 2)$, and compare with the exact evaluation of such constant.

- When $(\alpha = 2, \beta = 2)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{x} &= \frac{1}{2} \\
\text{plug } \hat{x} \text{ and } \alpha, \beta \text{ in } &= \frac{(2-1)^{2-1}(2-1)^{2-1}}{(2+2-2)^{2+2-2}} \int_0^1 \exp\left\{\frac{(x-\frac{1}{2})^2}{2}\left(\frac{-(2+2-2)^2}{(2-1)} + \frac{-(2+2-2)^2}{(2-1)}\right)\right\} dx \\
&= 0.25 \int_0^1 \exp(-4(x-0.5)^2) dx
\end{aligned}$$

```

bx = function (x) {
  0.25 * exp(-4 * (x - 0.5)^2)
}
b1 = integrate(bx, 0, 1)
b1

```

```
## 0.186706 with absolute error < 2.1e-15
```

```

b2 = beta(2, 2)
b2

```

```
## [1] 0.1666667
```


##very close

- When $(\alpha = 1, \beta = 2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{x} &= 0 \\ \text{plug } \hat{x} \text{ and } \alpha, \beta \text{ in} &= \frac{(1-1)^{1-1}(2-1)^{2-1}}{(1+2-2)^{1+2-2}} \int_0^1 \exp\left\{\frac{(x-0)^2}{2} \left(\frac{-(1+2-2)^2}{(1-1)} + \frac{-(1+2-2)^2}{(2-1)}\right)\right\} dx \\ &= (1-x) \int_0^1 \exp\left(\frac{x^2}{2(1-x)^2}\right) dx \end{aligned}$$

- α here is 1 and not satisfy the condition that $\alpha > 1$. So when $(\alpha = 1, \beta = 2)$ this function is not proper.

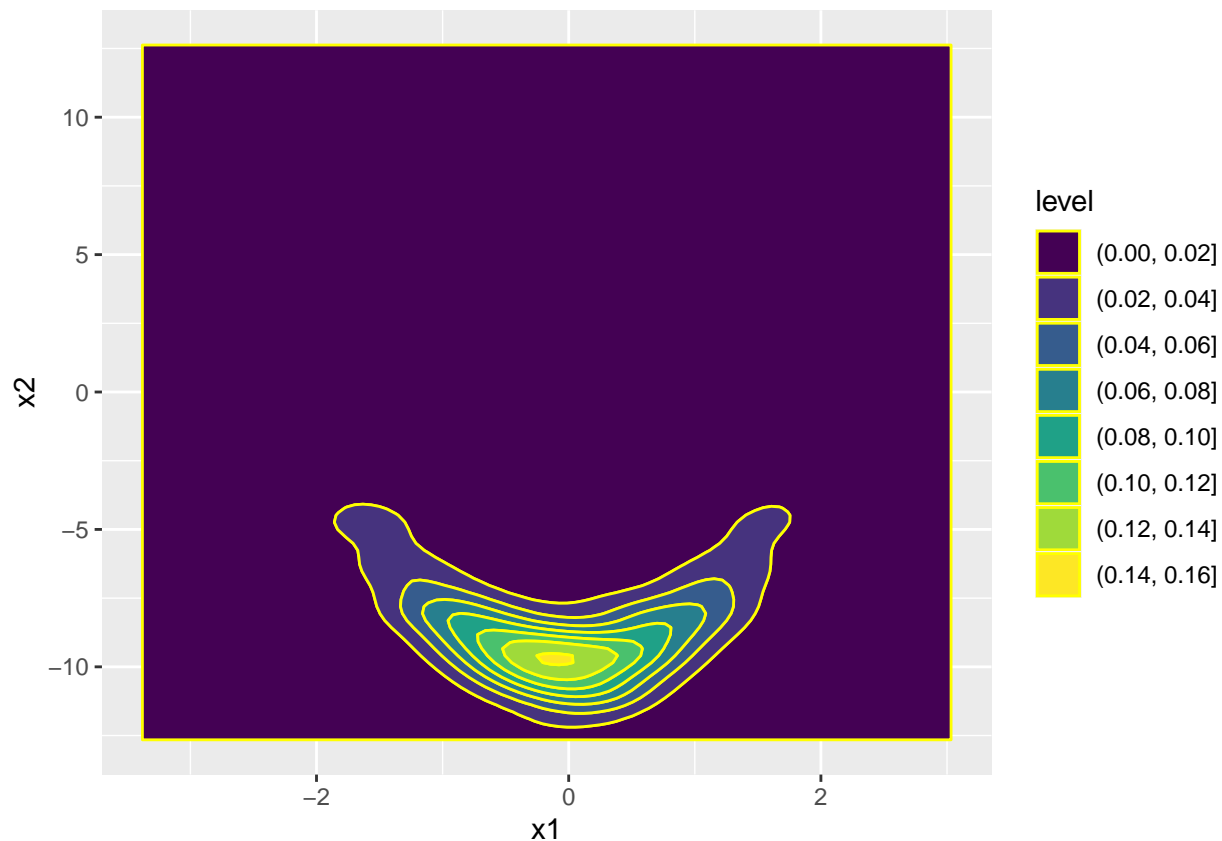
Question 6

(a) Describe how to simulate directly from $\pi(x_1, x_2)$.

First by derive the marginal distribution of x_1 and conditional distribution of x_2 .

$$\begin{aligned} \pi(x_1, x_2) &\propto \exp\left\{-\frac{x_1^2}{2}\right\} \exp\left[-\frac{\{x_2 - 2(x_1^2 - 5)\}^2}{2}\right] \\ f(x_1) &= \exp\left\{-\frac{x_1^2}{2}\right\} \int \exp\left[-\frac{\{x_2 - 2(x_1^2 - 5)\}^2}{2}\right] dx_2 \\ 1. \quad f(x_1) &\propto \exp\left\{-\frac{x_1^2}{2}\right\}, \quad \pi(x_1) \sim N(0, 1) \\ 2. \quad f(x_2|x_1) &\propto \exp\left[-\frac{\{x_2 - 2(x_1^2 - 5)\}^2}{2}\right], \quad \pi(x_2|x_1) \sim N(2(x_1^2 - 5), 1) \end{aligned}$$

```
library(ggplot2)
set.seed(44) # set the random seed for reproducibility
x1 = rnorm(1000, 0, 1)
x2 = rnorm(1000, 2 * (x1^2 - 5), 1)
banana = as.data.frame(exp(-x1^2 / 2) * exp(-(x2 - 2 * (x1^2 - 5.0))^2 / 2))
bananadd <- as.data.frame(cbind(x1, x2))
ggplot(bananadd, aes(x = x1, y = x2)) + geom_density_2d_filled(color = "yellow")
```



```
head(bananadd)
```

```
##           x1          x2
## 1  0.65391826 -9.829455
## 2  0.01905227 -9.986141
## 3 -1.84950398 -3.342322
## 4 -0.13276331 -9.876034
## 5 -1.19881818 -5.191604
## 6 -1.32974147 -6.380804
```

(b) Describe how to simulate from $\pi(x_1, x_2)$ using the accept-reject method. Implement your algorithm and discuss sampling efficiency in relation to the chosen instrument distribution.

```
ba = function(x1, x2) {
  exp(-x1^2 / 2) * exp(-(x2 - 2 * (x1^2 - 5.0))^2 / 2)
}

ba_ar = function(n_iter, sig, m) {

  ## step 1, initialize
  mvn = rmvnorm(n = n_iter, sigma = sig)
  n_iter = nrow(mvn)
```

```

ba_now = dmnorm(mvn, sigma = sig)
ba_cand = rep(NA, n_iter)

## step 2, iterate
for (i in 1:n_iter) {
  ## step 2a
  x1_cand = mvn[i, 1] # draw a candidate
  x2_cand = mvn[i, 2] # draw a candidate

  ## step 2b
  ba_cand[i] = ba(x1 = x1_cand, x2 = x2_cand) # evaluate with the candidate
  c = (ba_cand / ba_now) * (1 / m) # ratio

  ## step 2c
  u = runif(n_iter)
  # draw a uniform variable which will be less than c with probability
  x_ar = mvn[c >= u, ]
}

## return a list of output
list(x_ar)
}

```

```

set.seed(4355) # set the random seed for reproducibility
sig = matrix(c(1.5, 0, 0, 10), 2)
x_ar = ba_ar(n_iter = 10000, sig = sig, m = 100)
post = as.data.frame(x_ar)
head(post)

```

```

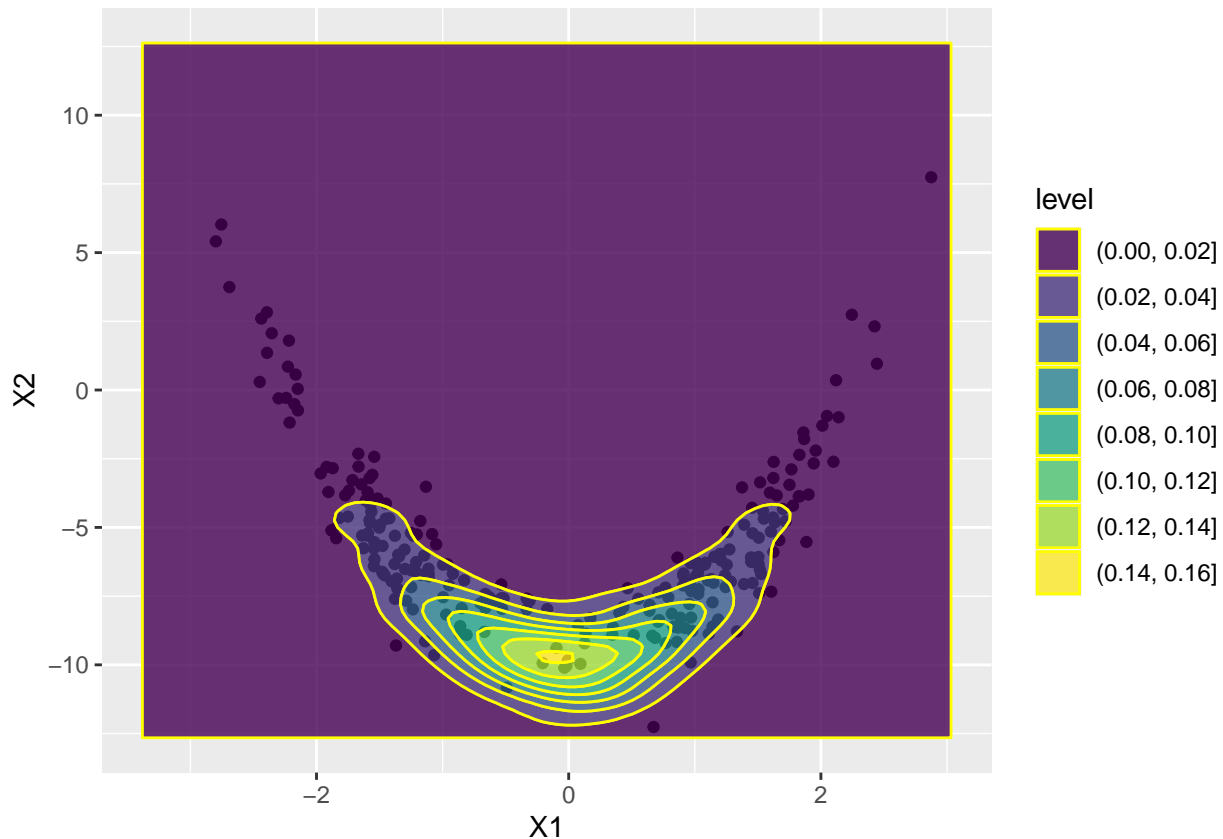
##           X1           X2
## 1  1.1408968 -7.725557
## 2  0.7901188 -7.541967
## 3 -1.9049951 -3.710869
## 4  0.9614242 -7.019218
## 5 -1.7724500 -3.830764
## 6 -0.9186176 -6.684883

```

```

ggplot() +
  geom_point(data = post, mapping = aes(x = X1, y = X2)) +
  geom_density_2d_filled(mapping = aes(x = x1, y = x2),
                        data = banana, alpha = 0.8, color = "yellow")

```



Sampling Efficiency

```
nrow(post) / 10000
```

```
## [1] 0.0239
```

- From the plot above, the points simulated from Aaccept-reject method. The Sampling Efficiency is 2.39%. If using distribution which close to Banana distribution might get a better result.

(c) Describe how to simulate from $\pi(x_1, x_2)$ using sampling importance resampling. Implement your algorithm and discuss sampling efficiency in relation to the chosen importance distribution.

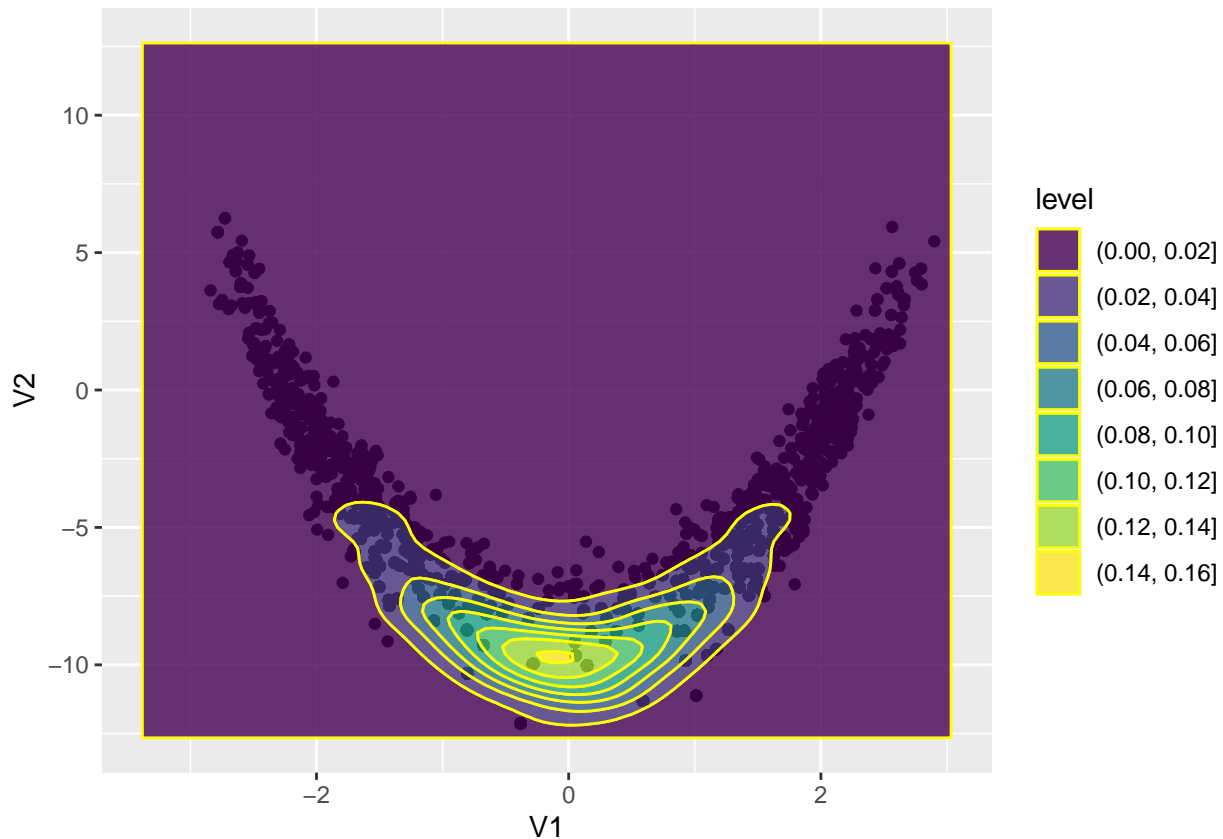
```
## step 1, initialize
mu1 = c(0, 1)
mu2 = c(0, -1)
sig1 = matrix(c(1.5, 0, 0, 10), 2)
sig2 = matrix(c(1.5, 0, 0, 10), 2)
n_iter = 10000
mvn1 = rbind(rmvnorm(n_iter / 2, mu1, sig1), rmvnorm(n_iter / 2, mu2, sig2))
mvn1 = rmvnorm(n = n_iter, sigma = sig)
ba_now1 = rep(NA, n_iter)
ba_cand1 = rep(NA, n_iter)
```

```
## step 2, iterate
for(i in 1:n_iter) {
  ba_now1[i] = 0.5 * dmvnorm(mvn1[i,], mu1, sig1) +
    0.5 * dmvnorm(mvn1[i,], mu2, sig2)
  ba_cand1[i] = exp(-mvn1[i,1]^2 / 2) * exp(-(mvn1[i, 2] -
    2 * (mvn1[i, 1]^2 - 5.0))^2 / 2)
}
```

```
set.seed(4355)
w = ba_cand1 / ba_now1
xx = seq(1, n_iter)
x_is = mvn1[sample(xx, prob = w, replace = T), ]
post1 = as.data.frame(x_is)
head(post1)
```

```
##           V1           V2
## 1  0.1456008 -10.025856
## 2 -2.2838976  1.060188
## 3 -2.2168291 -1.536293
## 4  0.6853384 -7.522846
## 5  1.0346231 -7.316371
## 6 -0.4762098 -7.776759
```

```
ggplot() +
  geom_point(data = post1, mapping = aes(x = V1, y = V2)) +
  geom_density_2d_filled(mapping = aes(x = x1, y = x2),
    data = banana, alpha = 0.8, color = "yellow")
```



Sampling Efficiency

```
nrow(unique(post1)) / 10000
```

```
## [1] 0.0831
```

- From above results, for IS, Sampling Efficiency is 7.68%. Also, from both Sampling Efficiency and plot shows that IS is better than AR sampling. Resampling will yield a better results.

(d) Use the algorithms in (a, b, c) to estimate the following.

- $1.E(x_1^2)$

```
x1_2 = list(ba = bananadd$x1^2,
            ar = post$X1^2,
            ir = post1$V1^2)
```

```
means = lapply(x1_2, mean)
vars = lapply(x1_2, var)
x1_2 = cbind(means, vars)
x1_2
```

```
##      means      vars
## ba 0.9990152 2.005538
## ar 2.039095  2.51557
## ir 1.276256  2.07418
```

- For AR algorithm shows higher mean value, and other two's mean values are very close.
- $2.E(x_2^2)$.

```
x2 = list(ba = bananadd$x2,
          ar = post$X2,
          ir = post1$V2)

means = lapply(x2, mean)
vars = lapply(x2, var)
x2 = cbind(means, vars)
x2
```

```
##      means      vars
## ba -7.997502  9.180658
## ar -5.522164  9.813363
## ir -7.336305  9.09824
```

- All methods provided similar estimates for the mean of X_2^2 .
- $3.P(x_1 + x_2 > 0)$.

```
p = list(ba = as.numeric(bananadd$x1 + bananadd$x2 > 0),
          ar = as.numeric(post$X1 + post$X2 > 0),
          ir = as.numeric(post1$V1 + post1$V2 > 0))
means = lapply(p, mean)
vars = lapply(p, var)
p = cbind(means, vars)
p
```

```
##      means      vars
## ba 0.031      0.03006907
## ar 0.06276151 0.05906965
## ir 0.041      0.03932293
```

- All methods provided similar estimates for the mean when $P(x_1 + x_2 > 0)$.