## report13

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## Contents

The posterior distribution:

$$\pi(a,\beta) = k^{-1}p(x|a)^{\beta}p(a)$$

For Simulated Tempering, we are considering  $(a, \beta_1) \to (a, \beta_2)$ , then acceptance probability is:

$$\alpha(1,2) = 1 \wedge \frac{p(x|a)^{\beta_2}/c(\beta_2)}{p(x|a)^{\beta_1}/c(\beta_1)}$$

For Parallel Tempering, we are considering  $(a_1, \beta_1)(a_2, \beta_2) \to (a_2, \beta_1)(a_1, \beta_2)$ , then swap probability is:

$$\alpha(1,2) = 1 \wedge \frac{p(x|a_1)^{\beta_2}/c(\beta_2)}{p(x|a_1)^{\beta_1}/c(\beta_1)} \times \frac{p(x|a_2)^{\beta_1}/c(\beta_1)}{p(x|a_2)^{\beta_2}/c(\beta_2)}$$
$$= 1 \wedge \left(\frac{p(x|a_2)}{p(x|a_1)}\right)^{\beta_1 - \beta_2}$$

In our case, we are considering  $((a_1, b_1), \beta_1)((a_2, b_2), \beta_2) \rightarrow ((a_2, b_2), \beta_1)((a_1, b_1), \beta_2)$ , then swap probability should still be:

$$\alpha(1,2) = 1 \wedge \left(\frac{p(x|a_2, b_2)}{p(x|a_1, b_1)}\right)^{\beta_1 - \beta_2}$$

Because we are computing likelihood with the following codes, this should be fine.

```
res <- pg.residual - xa * Half.comb
log.likelihood <- sum(dnorm(res,0,sqrt(1/pg.draws),log=TRUE))</pre>
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However, another question is: our model has the following form:

$$f(y|x) = \frac{\Phi\left(\sum_{k=1}^{K} (x^T \beta_k) P_k(y) - (x^T \alpha)_+ Q(y; \lambda) I(y > 0)\right)}{\int_{-1}^{1} \Phi\left(\sum_{k=1}^{K} (x^T \beta_k) P_k(y) - (x^T \alpha)_+ Q(y; \lambda) I(y > 0)\right) dt}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^p, y \in (-1, 1),$$

In get.miss.reject.x(), we have

```
w <- rowSums(x.remain * (pm %*% b)) + xa.remain*hk
u <- (runif(n.remain) < Phi(w))
w.miss <- c(w.miss, w[!u])</pre>
```

and

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w.obs <- rowSums(x * (Poly.obs %*% b)) + xa.obs * Half.obs
w.miss <- missing.stuff$w.miss
w.comb <- c(w.obs, w.miss)
pg.draws <- pmax(1e-12, rpg.devroye(Ntot, h=1, z=w.comb))
pg.residual <- pg.resp - w.comb</pre>
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Before, I only used temp when computing log.hastings.ratio for a parameter,

Should we add temp in the get.miss.reject.x() and w.obs to reflect different temperature configurations?

$$\alpha(1,2) = 1 \wedge \frac{p_1(y, y_2^* | \theta_2) * p_2(y, y_1^* | \theta_1)}{p_1(y, y_1^* | \theta_1) * p_2(y, y_2^* | \theta_2)}$$