

Quiz 3 Solution

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In [1]: generateSamples <- function(R, lambda) {  
  
  Xstart <- 5.01  
  burnIn <- ceiling(R / 10)  
  Xs <- rep(NA, R)  
  
  Xs[1] <- Xstart  
  
  for (r in 2:(R+burnIn)) {  
    # Generate proposal  
    U1 <- (runif(1) < 0.5)  
    sign <- (-1)^U1  
    Y <- Xs[r-1] + sign * rexp(1, lambda)  
  
    # Calculate acceptance probability.  
    alpha <- (Y > 5) * exp(0.5 * (Xs[r-1]^2 - Y^2))  
  
    # Transition with this probability  
    U <- runif(1)  
    if (U < alpha) {  
      Xs[r] <- Y  
    } else {  
      Xs[r] <- Xs[r-1]  
    }  
  }  
  
  return(Xs[-(1:burnIn)])  
}
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In [2]: # ADAPTED FROM: https://github.com/tpapp/MCMCDiagnostics.jl/blob/master/src/MCMCDiagnostics.jl  
autocorrelation <- function(x, k, v) {  
  R <- length(x)  
  x1 <- (x[1:(R-k)])  
  x2 <- (x[(1+k):R])  
  V <- sum((x1 - x2)^2) / length(x1)  
  return(1 - V / (2*v))  
}  
  
ess_estimate <- function(x) {
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v <- var(x)
R <- length(x)
tau_inv <- 1 + 2 * autocorrelation(x, 1, v)
K <- 2
while (K < R - 2) {
  delta <- autocorrelation(x, K, v) + autocorrelation(x, K + 1, v)
  if (delta < 0)
    break

  tau_inv <- tau_inv + 2*delta
  K <- K + 2
}

return( R * min(1 / tau_inv, 1) )
}

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In [3]: R <- 10^5
lambdas <- seq(0.5,10,0.5)
ESSs <- rep(NA, length(lambdas))
fracRejected <- rep(NA, length(lambdas))

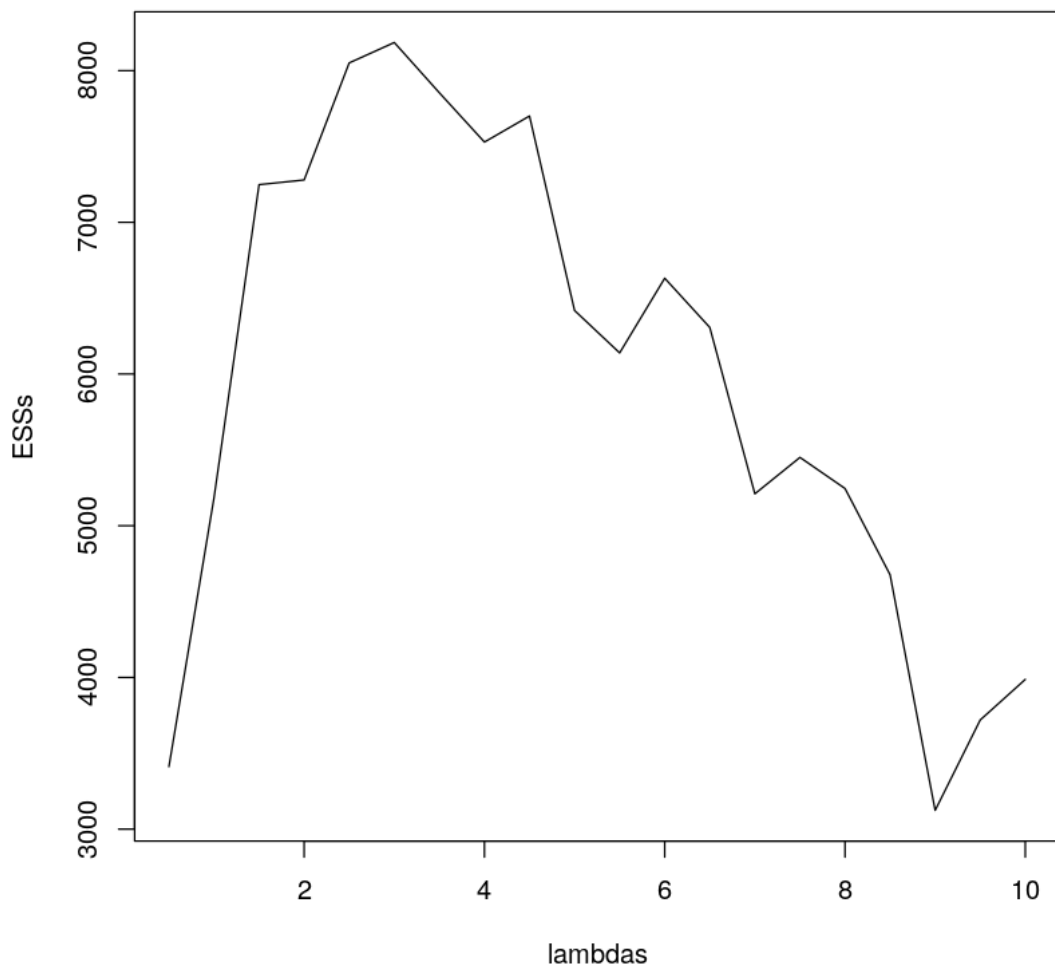
for (i in 1:length(lambdas)) {
  X <- generateSamples(R, lambdas[i])
  fracRejected[i] <- mean(diff(X)==0)
  ESSs[i] <- ess_estimate(X)
}

plot(lambdas, ESSs, type="l")

lambdaStarInd = which.max(ESSs)
print(lambdas[lambdaStarInd])

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In [4]: print(1-fracRejected[lambdaStarInd])
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[1] 0.3616736
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In [5]: library(mvtnorm)
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Zeros <- c(0, 0)
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Sigma_M <- matrix(c(1, 0.8, 0.8, 1), 2)
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generateSamples <- function(R, sigma2) {
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Xstart <- c(3.1, 3.1)
burnIn <- 10^3

Sigma_J <- matrix(c(sigma2, 0, 0, sigma2), 2)

Xs <- matrix(rep(NA, 2*(R+burnIn)), ncol=2)
Xs[1,] <- Xstart

for (r in 2:(R+burnIn)) {
  # Generate proposal
  Y <- rmvnorm(1, Xs[r-1,], Sigma_J)

  # FOOLISH PAT! The second term cancels, so why calculate it.
  ## Calculate acceptance probability.
  #alphaNumer <- (max(Y)>3)*dmvnorm(Y, Zeros, Sigma_M) * dmvnorm(Xs[r-1,], Y, Sigma_J)
  #alphaDenom <- dmvnorm(Xs[r-1,], Zeros, Sigma_M) * dmvnorm(Y, Xs[r-1,], Sigma_J)
  #alpha <- min(alphaNumer/alphaDenom, 1)

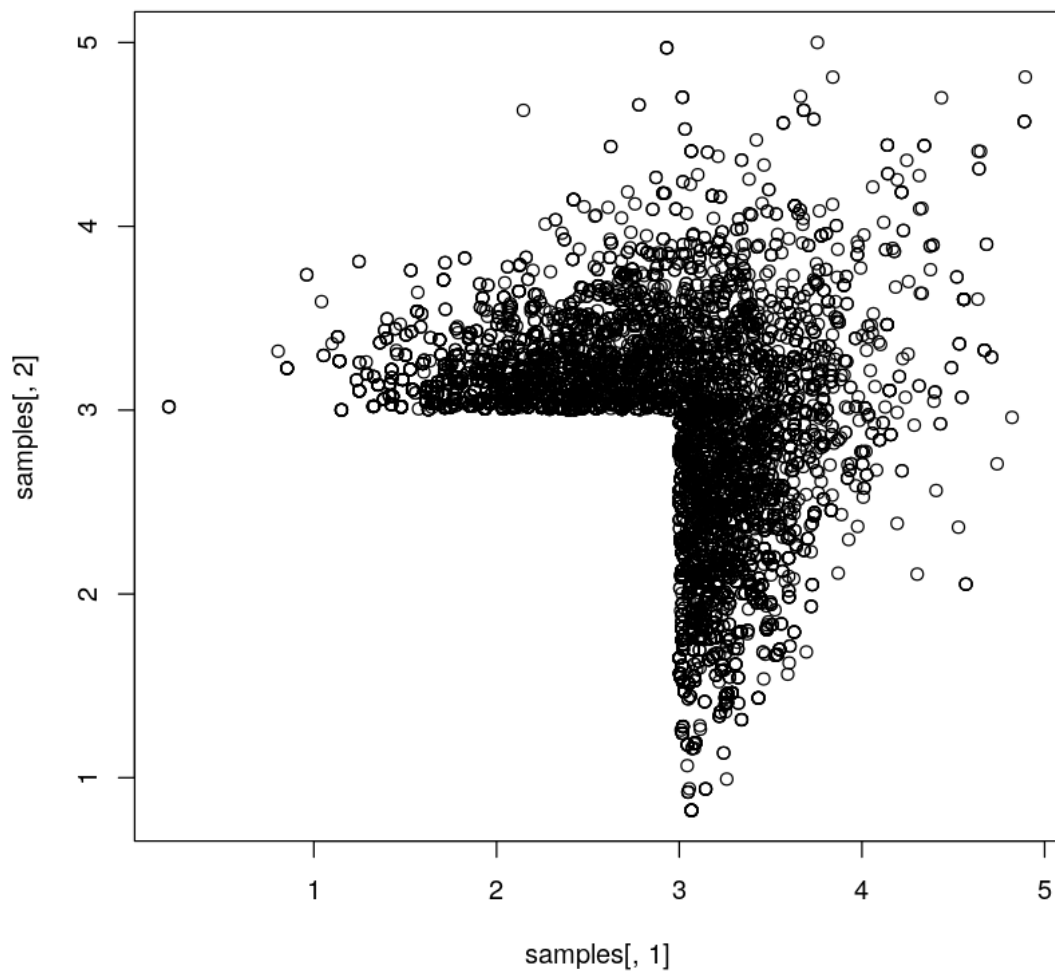
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  alphaNumer <- (max(Y)>3)*dmvnorm(Y, Zeros, Sigma_M)
  alphaDenom <- dmvnorm(Xs[r-1,], Zeros, Sigma_M)
  alpha <- min(alphaNumer/alphaDenom, 1)

  # Transition with this probability
  U <- runif(1)
  if (U < alpha) {
    Xs[r,] <- Y
  } else {
    Xs[r,] <- Xs[r-1,]
  }
}

return(Xs[-(1:burnIn),])
}

In [6]: samples <- generateSamples(10^4, 0.5)
plot(samples[,1], samples[,2])

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In [7]: xs <- generateSamples(10^5, 0.5)
       print("Done MCMC sampling")
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[1] "Done MCMC sampling"
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In [8]: mu <- c(0, 0)
       muCE <- rep(mean(xs), 2)
       sigma <- matrix(c(1, 0.8, 0.8, 1), 2)
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R <- 10^6
xs <- rmvnorm(R, muCE, sigma)
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origPDF <- dmvnorm(xs, mu, sigma)
newPDF <- dmvnorm(xs, muCE, sigma)
LRs <- origPDF / newPDF

ms <- apply(xs, 1, max)
ests <- (ms > 3) * LRs

estMean <- mean(ests)
estVars <- var(ests)
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In [9]: estMean

0.00232072043617748

In [10]: muCE

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