

1. Consider samples  $x$  and  $y$  and let  $M_1$  denote the model considering  $X$  and  $Y$  independent with binomial distributions

$$P(X = x) = \binom{n}{x} \theta^x (1 - \theta)^{n-x}, \quad P(Y = y) = \binom{n}{y} \eta^y (1 - \eta)^{n-y},$$

where  $0 \leq \theta, \eta \leq 1$  are both unknown.

Let similarly  $M_2$  denote the model where  $\theta = \eta$  and everything else is as for  $M_1$ .

- Calculate the maximized log-likelihood ratio statistic  $-2 \log \Lambda$  for comparing the two models;
  - For uniform prior distributions on  $\theta, \eta$ , calculate the Bayes factor for comparing  $M_1$  to  $M_2$ ;
  - Find the BIC approximation to the Bayes factor, with or without including all terms, and comment on its accuracy;
  - Find the AIC for the two models
  - Compare the model determination procedures using the three criteria for large values of  $n$ .
2. Consider regression data  $(x, y) = ((x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n))$  with  $x$  considered fixed and the responses  $Y_i$  being independent with

$$Y_i \sim \mathcal{N}\{\mu_k(x_i), \phi\},$$

where  $\mu_k$  is determined by model  $M_k$  as

$$M_1 : \mu_1(x_i) = \alpha; \quad M_2 : \mu_2(x_i) = \beta x_i; \quad M_3 : \mu_3(x_i) = \gamma x_i^2.$$

- For (improper) prior distributions  $\pi_i(\eta, \phi) \propto \phi^{-1}$ , where either  $\eta = \alpha$ ,  $\eta = \beta$ , or  $\eta = \gamma$ , calculate expressions for the Bayes factor for comparing any pair of these models;
- Find expressions for the BIC approximation to these models;
- Find expressions for the AIC for these models;
- Find expressions for Mallows'  $C_p$ .
- Compare the model determination procedures.
- What happens if also models  $M_{uv} : \mu_{uv}(x_i) = \mu_u(x_i) + \mu_v(x_i)$  etc. are considered?