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$$X_1, \dots, X_n \sim N(\theta, 1)$$

$$\Theta = \{0, 1, 2\}, \Theta_0 = \{0\}, \Theta_1 = \{1, 2\}$$

So,  $H_0 : \theta = 0$ ,  $H_1 : \theta = 1$  or  $\theta = 2$ .

Prior  $\pi(0) = 1/2$ ,  $\pi(1) = p$  ( $0 \leq p \leq 1/2$ ),  $\pi(2) = 1/2 - p$ .

Which prior is the worst for  $H_0$ , i. e. for which  $p$  probability  $P(H_0|X)$  is minimal if

a)  $n = 1000$ ,  $\sum X_i = 1100$ ,

b)  $n = 2000$ ,  $\sum X_i = 3100$ ?

Discuss the result.

2. There is one observation  $X$  from an exponential distribution with parameter  $\theta$ :

$$f_X(x|\theta) = \theta e^{-\theta x}, \quad x \geq 0, \quad \theta > 0.$$

One tests the hypothesis  $H_0 : \theta \geq \theta_0$  versus  $H_1 : \theta < \theta_0$  using Jeffreys' non-informative prior. Find the posterior density (precise expression). Prove that  $H_0$  is accepted iff

$$X \leq \frac{\ln 2}{\theta_0}.$$