

Introduction

Definitions and Notation

Let $(\Omega, \mathcal{A}, \mathbb{P})$ be a probability space and $\mathbf{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_d)$ be a d -dimensional random vector with values in $(\mathbb{R}^d, \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d))$. This random vector has a joint distribution function G and the margins of G are denoted by $F_j(x) = \mathbb{P}\{X_j \leq x\}$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$ and $j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$. A function $C : [0, 1]^d \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is called a d -dimensional copula if it is the restriction to $[0, 1]^d$ of a distribution function whose margins are given by the uniform distribution on the interval $[0, 1]$. Since the work of [Sklar, 1959], it is well known that every distribution function G can be decomposed as $G(\mathbf{x}) = C(F_1(x_1), \dots, F_d(x_d))$, for all $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d$. Under the framework of extreme, the notion of copulas leads to the so-called extreme value copulas.

Definition 1 ([Gudendorf and Segers, 2010]). *A d -dimensional copula C is an extreme-value copula if and only if it admits a representation of the form*

$$C(\mathbf{u}) = \exp(-\ell(-\log(u_1), \dots, -\log(u_d))), \quad \mathbf{u} \in (0, 1]^d, \quad (1)$$

with $\ell : [0, \infty)^d \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ the stable tail dependence function.

We denote by Δ^{d-1} the $(d-1)$ -simplex unit simplex. The tail dependence function ℓ is convex, homogeneous of order one, that is $\ell(cx_1, \dots, cx_d) = c\ell(x_1, \dots, x_d)$ for $c > 0$ and satisfies $\max(x_1, \dots, x_d) \leq \ell(x_1, \dots, x_d) \leq x_1 + \dots + x_d$, $\forall (x_1, \dots, x_d) \in [0, \infty)^d$. By homogeneity, it is characterized by the Pickands dependence function $A : \Delta^{d-1} \rightarrow [1/d, 1]$, which is the restriction of ℓ to the unit simplex :

$$\ell(x_1, \dots, x_d) = (x_1 + \dots + x_d)A(w_1, \dots, w_d), \quad w_j = \frac{x_j}{x_1 + \dots + x_d}, \quad (2)$$

for $(x_1, \dots, x_d) \in [0, \infty)^d \setminus \{0\}$. Notice that, for every $\mathbf{w} \in \Delta^{d-1}$

$$C(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) = u^{A(\mathbf{w})}. \quad (3)$$

Assume that its copula C , is an extreme-value copula with stable tail dependence function ℓ and Pickands dependence function A . The \mathbf{w} -madogram is defined as follows.

Definition 2 ([Marcon et al., 2017]). *Let \mathbf{X} be a random vector with marginal distribution functions F_1, \dots, F_d . The multivariate \mathbf{w} -madogram ($\mathbf{w} \in \Delta^{d-1}$), denoted by $\nu(\mathbf{w})$, is defined as*

$$\nu(\mathbf{w}) = \mathbb{E} \left[\bigvee_{j=1}^d \{F_j(X_j)\}^{1/w_j} - \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d \{F_j(X_j)\}^{1/w_j} \right]$$

if $w_j = 0$ and $0 < u < 1$, then $u^{1/w_j} = 0$ by convention.

Starting from independent and identically distributed *i.i.d.* copies $\mathbf{X}_1, \dots, \mathbf{X}_n$ of \mathbf{X} , suppose we observe a $2d$ -tuple such as

$$(\mathbf{I}_i \mathbf{X}_i, \mathbf{X}_i), \quad i \in \{1, \dots, n\}, \quad (4)$$

where $\mathbf{I}_i \mathbf{X}_i = (X_{i,1}I_{i,1}, \dots, X_{i,d}I_{i,d})$ and $I_{i,j} = 0$ if $X_{i,j}$ is missing, otherwise $I_{i,j} = 1$, *i.e.* at each $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$, several entries may be missing. The probability of observing a realization partially or completely is denoted by $p_j = \mathbb{P}(I_{i,j} = 1) > 0$, $\forall j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$ and by $\mathbf{p} = \mathbb{P}(I_{i,1} = 1, \dots, I_{i,d} = 1) > 0$. Let us now define the empirical cumulative distribution of X_i (resp. G) in case of missing data,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{F}_{n,j}(x_j) &= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{1}_{\{X_i \leq x_j\}} I_{i,j}}{\sum_{i=1}^n I_{i,j}}, \quad \forall x_j \in \mathbb{R}. \\ \hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) &= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{1}_{\{X_{i,1} \leq x_1, \dots, X_{i,d} \leq x_d\}} \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j}}{\sum_{i=1}^n \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j}}, \quad \forall \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d. \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

Here, we weight the estimator by the number of observed data which is a natural estimator if divided by n of probabilities of missing. We have all tools in hand to recall the definition of the *hybrid copula estimator* introduced by [Segers, 2015] under missing data framework,

$$\hat{C}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(u, v) = \hat{G}_n(\hat{F}_{n,1}^{\leftarrow}(u_1), \dots, \hat{F}_{n,d}^{\leftarrow}(u_d)), \quad \forall \mathbf{u} \in [0, 1]^d.$$

Here, we write the generalized inverse function of F as $F^{\leftarrow}(u) = \inf\{v \in \mathbb{R} | F(v) \geq u\}$ where $0 < u, v < 1$. The normalized estimation error of the hybrid copula estimator is

$$\mathbb{C}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{u}) = \sqrt{n} \left(\hat{C}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{u}) - C(\mathbf{u}) \right), \quad \mathbf{u} \in [0, 1]^d.$$

In order to shorten formulas, the notation

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u}_j(t) &:= (u_1, \dots, u_{j-1}, t, u_{j+1}, \dots, u_d), \\ \mathbf{u}_{jk}(s, t) &:= (u_1, \dots, u_{j-1}, s, u_{j+1}, \dots, u_{j+k-1}, t, u_{j+k}, \dots, u_d), \end{aligned}$$

will be adopted for $s, t \in [0, 1]$, $(u_1, \dots, u_{j-1}, u_{j+1}, \dots, u_d) \in [0, 1]^d$ and $j < k$.

Also, the following notations are used. Given $\mathcal{X} \subset \mathbb{R}^2$, let $\ell^\infty(\mathcal{X})$ denote the spaces of bounded real-valued function on \mathcal{X} . For $f : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, let $\|f\|_\infty = \sup_{x \in \mathcal{X}} |f(x)|$. Here, we use the abbreviation $Q(f) = \int f dQ$ for a given measurable function f and signed measure Q . The arrows $\xrightarrow{a.s.}, \xrightarrow{d}$ denote almost sure convergence and convergence in distribution of random vectors. Weak convergence of a sequence of maps will be understood in the sense of J.Hoffman-Jørgensen (see Part 1 in the monograph by [van der Vaart and Wellner, 1996]).

Given that $t \in \mathbb{N}^*$, X, X_t are maps from $(\Omega, \mathcal{A}, \mathbb{P})$ into a metric space \mathcal{X} and that X is Borel measurable, $(X_t)_{t \geq 1}$ is said to converge weakly to X if $\mathbb{E}^* f(X_t) \rightarrow \mathbb{E} f(X)$ for every bounded continuous real-valued function f defined on \mathcal{X} , where \mathbb{E}^* denotes outer expectation in the event that X_t may not be Borel measurable. In what follows, weak convergence is denoted by $X_t \rightsquigarrow X$.

1 Non parametric estimation of the Madogram with missing data

Under the notation of the introduction, we assume that the copula C is of extreme value type as in Definition 1. On the condition that the first-order partial derivatives of the copula function C exists and are continuous on a subset of the unit hypercube, [Segers, 2012] obtained weak convergence of the normalized estimation error of the empirical copula process. To obtain this condition, we make the following assumption as suggested in [Segers, 2012] in Example 5.3.

Assumption A.

- (i) The bivariate distribution function G has continuous margins F_1, \dots, F_d
- (ii) For every $j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$, the first-order partial derivative $\dot{\ell}_j$ of ℓ with respect to x_j exists and is continuous on set $\{x \in [0, \infty)^d : x_j > 0\}$.

The Assumption A (i) guarantees that the representation $G(\mathbf{x}) = C(F_1(x_1), \dots, F_d(x_d))$ is unique on the range of (F_1, \dots, F_d) . Under the Assumption A (ii), the first-order partial derivatives of C with respect to u_j exists and are continuous on the set $\{\mathbf{u} \in [0, 1]^d : 0 < u_j < 1\}$. We now define our estimator of Equation (2) in the general context (allowing missing data).

Definition 3. Let $(\mathbf{I}_i \mathbf{X}_i, \mathbf{I}_i)_{i=1}^n$ be a sample given by Equation (4), we define the hybrid estimator of the \mathbf{w} -FMadogram by

$$\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j}} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\bigvee_{j=1}^d \left\{ \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j}) \right\}^{1/w_j} - \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d \left\{ \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j}) \right\}^{1/w_j} \right] \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j}, \quad (6)$$

where $\hat{F}_{n,j}(x_j)$ are defined on Equation (5).

The idea raised here is to estimate the margins by the complete series for each variables but estimate $\nu(\mathbf{w})$ only based on the time period where all series were recorded simultaneously. One may verify that in the complete data framework, i.e. when $p_j = 1, \forall j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$

and $\mathbf{p} = 1$ we retrieve the \mathbf{w} -madogram such as defined in [Marcon et al., 2017], namely

$$\hat{\nu}_n(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{m=1}^n \left[\bigvee_{i=1}^d \left\{ \hat{F}_{n,i}(X_{m,i}) \right\}^{1/w_j} - \frac{1}{d} \sum_{i=1}^d \left\{ \hat{F}_{n,i}(X_{m,i}) \right\}^{1/w_j} \right],$$

with $\hat{F}_{n,j}(x_j)$ the empirical cumulative distribution function of X_j .

Remark 1. Our estimator defined in (6) does not verify $\hat{\nu}_T^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{e}_j) = (d-1)/2d$ while $\nu(\mathbf{e}_j)$ does. In addition, the variance at \mathbf{e}_j does not equal 0. Indeed, suppose that we evaluate this statistic at $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{e}_j$, we thus obtain the following quantity :

$$\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{e}_j) = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j}} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j}) - \frac{1}{d} \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j}) \right] \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j}.$$

In this situation, the sample $(X_{i,-j})_{i=1}^n$ is taken into account through the indicators sequence $(I_{i,-j})_{i=1}^n$ and induce a supplementary variance when estimating.

We can force our estimator as in [Naveau et al., 2009] to satisfy these endpoint conditions. This leads to the following corrected estimator.

Definition 4. Under the notation of Definition 3, we define the hybrid corrected estimator of the \mathbf{w} -FMadogram by

$$\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}*}(\mathbf{w}) = \hat{\nu}_n(\mathbf{w}) + \sum_{j=1}^d \left[\frac{w_j(d-1)}{d} \frac{w_j}{1+w_j} - \frac{w_j(d-1)}{d \sum_{m=1}^n \prod_{j=1}^d I_{m,j}} \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j}) \right\}^{1/w_j} \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j} \right]. \quad (7)$$

Let us now introduce a condition on the missing mechanism :

Assumption B. We suppose for all $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$, the vector (\mathbf{I}_i) and (\mathbf{X}_i) are independent, the data are missing completely at random (**MCAR**). Furthermore, we suppose that there exists at least one $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ such that $\prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j} \neq 0$.

Under this Assumption, we state the strong consistency of our hybrid estimator of the \mathbf{w} -FMadogram.

Proposition 1 (Strong consistency). Let $(\mathbf{I}_i \mathbf{X}_i, \mathbf{X}_i)_{i=1}^n$ a i.i.d sample given by Equation (4). We have, under Assumption B for a fixed $\mathbf{w} \in \Delta^{d-1}$, as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{w}) \xrightarrow{a.s.} \nu(\mathbf{w}), \quad \hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}*}(\mathbf{w}) \xrightarrow{a.s.} \nu(\mathbf{w}).$$

Details on the proof are given in Section 2. We present with Theorem 1 our main result

concerning the weak convergence of the following processes

$$\sqrt{n} \left(\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}^*}(\lambda) - \nu(\lambda) \right), \quad \sqrt{n} \left(\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\lambda) - \nu(\lambda) \right). \quad (8)$$

Without missing data, the weak convergence of the normalized estimation error of the empirical copula process has been proved by [Fermanian et al., 2004] under a more restrictive condition than Assumption A. With the hybrid copula estimator, we need a technical assumption in order to guarantee the weak convergence of the process $\mathbb{C}_T^{\mathcal{H}}$ (see [Segers, 2015]). Before spelled it, we note for convenience the marginal distribution and quantile functions into vector valued functions \mathbf{F} and \mathbf{F}^{\leftarrow} :

$$\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = (F_1(x_1), \dots, F_d(x_d)), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad \mathbf{F}^{\leftarrow}(\mathbf{u}) = (F_1^{\leftarrow}(u_1), \dots, F_d^{\leftarrow}(u_d)), \quad \mathbf{u} \in [0, 1]^d.$$

Assumption C. *In the space $\ell^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d) \otimes (\ell^\infty(\mathbb{R}), \dots, \ell^\infty(\mathbb{R}))$ equipped with the topology of uniform convergence, we have the joint weak convergence*

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(\sqrt{n}(\hat{G}_n - G); \sqrt{n}(\hat{F}_{n,1} - F)_1, \dots, \sqrt{n}(\hat{F}_{n,d} - F_d) \right) \\ & \rightsquigarrow (\alpha \circ \mathbf{F}, \beta_1 \circ F_1, \dots, \beta_d \circ F_d). \end{aligned}$$

The stochastic processes α and $\beta_j, j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$ take values in $\ell^\infty([0, 1]^d)$ and $\ell^\infty([0, 1])$ respectively, and are such that $\alpha \circ F$ and $\beta_j \circ F_j$ have continuous trajectories on $[-\infty, \infty]^d$ and $[-\infty, \infty]$ almost surely.

Under Assumptions A and C, the stochastic process $\mathbb{C}_T^{\mathcal{H}}$ converges weakly to the tight Gaussian process S_C defined by,

$$S_C(\mathbf{u}) = \alpha(\mathbf{u}) - \sum_{j=1}^d \dot{C}_j(\mathbf{u}) \beta_j(u_j), \quad \forall \mathbf{u} \in [0, 1]^d.$$

Considering the same statistical framework and missing mechanism as [Segers, 2015] (in Example 3.5) but in higher dimension, we show that the processes α, β_j takes the following closed form

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_j(u_j) &= p_j^{-1} \mathbb{G} \left(\mathbb{1}_{X_j \leq F_j^{\leftarrow}(u_j), I_j=1} - u_j \mathbb{1}_{I_j=1} \right), \\ \alpha(\mathbf{u}) &= p^{-1} \mathbb{G} \left(\mathbb{1}_{\mathbf{X} \leq \mathbf{F}^{\leftarrow}(\mathbf{u})} \mathbb{1}_{\mathbf{I}=1} - C(\mathbf{u}) \mathbb{1}_{\mathbf{I}=1} \right), \end{aligned}$$

Where \mathbb{G} is a tight Gaussian process. Furthermore, we are able to compute their covariance functions given in the following lemma.

Lemma 1. *The covariance function of the process $\beta_i(u_i), \alpha(\mathbf{u})$ are, for $(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}, v_k) \in [0, 1]^{2d+1}$,*

and for $j < k$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{cov}(\beta_j(u_j), \beta_j(v_j)) &= p_j^{-1} (u_j \wedge v_j - u_j v_j), \\ \text{cov}(\beta_j(u_j), \beta_k(v_k)) &= \frac{p_{jk}}{p_j p_k} (C(\mathbf{1}_{j,k}(u_j, v_k)) - u_j v_k), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \text{cov}(\alpha(\mathbf{u}), \alpha(\mathbf{v})) &= \mathbf{p}^{-1} (C(\mathbf{u} \wedge \mathbf{v}) - C(\mathbf{u})C(\mathbf{v})), \\ \text{cov}(\alpha(\mathbf{u}), \beta_j(v_j)) &= p_j^{-1} (C(\mathbf{u}_j(u_j \wedge v_j)) - C(\mathbf{u})v_j). \end{aligned}$$

Where we denote by $\mathbf{u} \wedge \mathbf{v}$ the vector of componentwise minima and $p_{jk} = \mathbb{P}(I_j = 1, I_k = 1)$. Proof of Lemma 1 is deferred to Section 2.

We have all tools in hand to consider the weak convergence of the stochastic processes in Equation (8).

Theorem 1 (Functional central limit theorem with missing data). *Under Assumptions A, B, C we have the weak convergence in $\ell^\infty(\Delta^{d-1})$ for the hybrid estimator defined in (6) and (7), as $n \rightarrow \infty$,*

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{n} (\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w})) &\rightsquigarrow \left(\frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d \int_{[0,1]} \alpha(\mathbf{1}_j(x^{w_j})) - \beta_j(x^{w_j}) dx \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \int_{[0,1]} S_C(x^{w_1}, \dots, x^{w_d}) dx \right)_{\lambda \in [0,1]}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{n} (\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}^*}(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w})) &\rightsquigarrow \left(\frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d (1 + w_j(d-1)) \int_{[0,1]} \alpha(\mathbf{1}_j(x^{w_j})) - \beta_j(x^{w_j}) dx \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \int_{[0,1]} S_C(x^{w_1}, \dots, x^{w_d}) dx \right)_{\lambda \in [0,1]}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof is postponed in Section 2.

Ici¹, nous nous posons dans le cas de données complètes. Le cas général peut être déduit ensuite, mais il faut d'abord voir si le raisonnement est correct. Pour un $\mathbf{w} \in \Delta^{d-1}$ fixé, la loi de $\sqrt{n}(\nu_n(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w}))$ suit une Gaussienne centrée (car transformation linéaire continue

¹J'écris en français tout paragraphes qui vont être modifiés

d'un processus Gaussien tendu) et sa variance est donnée par :

$$\text{Var}\left(\int_{[0,1]} N_C(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) du\right)$$

Proposition 2 (Boulin, 2021). *Je pense avoir une forme close de la variance et celle-ci est décomposée comme suit :*

$$\text{Var}\left(\int_{[0,1]} N_C(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) du\right) = \sigma_1^2(\mathbf{w}) + \sum_{i=1}^d \gamma_i^2(\mathbf{w}) - 2 \sum_{i=1}^d \sigma_{1i}(\mathbf{w}) + 2 \sum_{i < j} \gamma_{ij}(\mathbf{w}).$$

Technical details are available on Section 2.

2 Proof

Lemma 2. *We have, $\forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$*

$$\left| \bigvee_{j=1}^d \left\{ \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j}) \right\}^{1/w_j} - \bigvee_{j=1}^d \left\{ F_j(X_j) \right\}^{1/w_j} \right| \leq \sup_{i \in \{1, \dots, d\}} \left| \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} - F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j} \right|.$$

Proof The lemma becomes trivial once we write, $\forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ and $j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \left\{ \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j}) \right\}^{1/w_j} &= F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j} + \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} - F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j}, \\ &\leq F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j} + \sup_{j \in \{1, \dots, d\}} \left| \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} - F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j} \right|, \\ &\leq \bigvee_{j=1}^d \left\{ F_j(X_j) \right\}^{1/w_j} + \sup_{j \in \{1, \dots, d\}} \left| \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} - F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j} \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Taking the max over $j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$ gives

$$\bigvee_{i=1}^d \left\{ \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j}) \right\}^{1/w_j} - \bigvee_{j=1}^d \left\{ F_j(X_j) \right\}^{1/w_j} \leq \sup_{j \in \{1, \dots, d\}} \left| \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} - F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j} \right|.$$

Moreover, by symmetry of $\hat{F}_{n,j}$ and F_j , the second ones follows similarly. \square

Proof of Proposition 1 We write, for notational convenience $n_i = \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j}$ and $N = \sum_{i=1}^n n_i$. We prove it for $\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{w})$ as the strong consistency for $\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}*}(\mathbf{w})$ use the same

arguments. The estimator $\hat{\nu}_n(\mathbf{w})$ is strongly consistent since it holds

$$\begin{aligned} |\hat{\nu}_n(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w})| &= |\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{w}) - \nu_n(\mathbf{w}) + \nu_n(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w})|, \\ &\leq |\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{w}) - \nu_n(\mathbf{w})| + |\nu_n(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w})|, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\nu_n(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\bigvee_{j=1}^d \{F_j(X_{i,j})\}^{1/w_j} - \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d \{F_j(X_{i,j})\}^{1/w_j} \right) n_i$$

By direct application of Assumption B and the law of large number, we have that

$$|\nu_n(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w})| \xrightarrow{a.s.} 0$$

For the second term, we write :

$$\begin{aligned} |\hat{\nu}_n(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w})| &\leq \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^n \left| \bigvee_{j=1}^d \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} - \bigvee_{j=1}^d F_j(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} \right| n_i \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{Nd} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^d \left| \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} - F_j(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} \right| n_j \\ &\leq 2 \sup_{j \in \{1, \dots, d\}} \sup_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \left| \hat{F}_{n,j}(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} - F_j(X_{i,j})^{1/w_j} \right|, \end{aligned}$$

Where we used Lemma 2 to obtain the second inequality. The right term converges almost surely to zero by Glivenko-Cantelli. \square

Proof of Lemma 1 Following [Segers, 2015] Example 3.5, we consider the function from $\{0, 1\}^d \times \mathbb{R}^d$ into \mathbb{R} : for $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d$,

$$\begin{aligned} f_j(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{X}) &= \mathbb{1}_{\{I_j=1\}}, \quad g_{j,x_j}(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{X}) \mathbb{1}_{\{X_j \leq x_j, I_j=1\}}, \\ f_{d+1} &= \prod_{j=1}^d f_j, \quad g_{d+1,\mathbf{x}} = \prod_{j=1}^d g_{j,x_j}. \end{aligned}$$

Let P denote the common distribution of the tuple (\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{X}) . The collection of functions

$$\mathcal{F} = \{f_1, \dots, f_d, f_{d+1}\} \cup \bigcup_{i=1}^d \{g_{i,x_i}, x_i \in \mathbb{R}\} \cup \{g_{d+1,\mathbf{x}}, \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d\}$$

is a finite union of VC-classes and thus P -Donsker (see Chapter 2.6 of [van der Vaart and Wellner, 1996]).

The empirical process \mathbb{G}_n defined by

$$\mathbb{G}_n(f) = \sqrt{n} \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n f(\mathbf{I}_i, \mathbf{X}_i) - \mathbb{E}[f(\mathbf{I}_i, \mathbf{X}_i)] \right), \quad f \in \mathcal{F},$$

converges in $\ell^\infty(\mathcal{F})$ to a P -browian bride \mathbb{G} . For $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d$,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{F}_{n,j}(x_j) &= \frac{p_j F_j(x_j) + n^{-1/2} \mathbb{G}_n g_{j,x_j}}{p_j + n^{-1/2} \mathbb{G}_n f_j}, \\ \hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) &= \frac{p G(\mathbf{x}) + n^{-1/2} \mathbb{G}_n g_{d+1,\mathbf{x}}}{p + n^{-1/2} \mathbb{G}_n f_{d+1}} \end{aligned}$$

We obtain for the second one

$$\begin{aligned} p \left(\hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) - G(x) \right) &= n^{-1/2} \left(\mathbb{G}_n(g_{d+1,\mathbf{x}}) - \hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) \mathbb{G}_n(f_{d+1}) \right), \\ &= n^{-1/2} \left(\mathbb{G}_n(g_{d+1,\mathbf{x}} - G(x) f_{d+1}) \right) - n^{-1/2} \mathbb{G}_n(f_{d+1}) (\hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) - G(\mathbf{x})) \end{aligned}$$

We thus have

$$\sqrt{n} \left(\hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) - G(x) \right) = p^{-1} \left(\mathbb{G}_n(g_{d+1,\mathbf{x}} - G(x) f_{d+1}) \right) - p^{-1} \mathbb{G}_n(f_{d+1}) (\hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) - G(\mathbf{x}))$$

Applying the central limit theorem gives that $\mathbb{G}_n(f_{d+1}) \xrightarrow{d} \mathcal{N}(0, \mathbb{P}(f_{d+1} - \mathbb{P} f_{d+1})^2)$, the law of large numbers gives also $\hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) - G(\mathbf{x}) = o_{\mathbb{P}}(1)$. Using Slutsky's lemma gives us

$$\sqrt{n} \left(\hat{G}_n(\mathbf{x}) - G(x) \right) = p^{-1} \left(\mathbb{G}_n(g_{d+1,\mathbf{x}} - G(x) f_{d+1}) \right) + o_{\mathbb{P}}(1).$$

Similar reasoning might be applied to the margins, as a consequence, Condition B is fulfilled with for $\mathbf{u} \in [0, 1]^d$,

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_j(u_j) &= p_j^{-1} \mathbb{G} \left(g_{j, F_j^{\leftarrow}(u_j)} - u_j f_j \right), \\ \alpha(\mathbf{u}) &= \mathbf{p}^{-1} \mathbb{G} \left(g_{d+1, \mathbf{F}^{\leftarrow}(\mathbf{u})} - C(\mathbf{u}) f_{d+1} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Let us compute one covariance function, the method still the same for the others, without

loss of generality, suppose that $j < k$, we have for $u_j, v_k \in [0, 1]$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{cov}(\beta_j(u_j), \beta_k(v_k)) &= \mathbb{E} \left[p_j^{-1} \mathbb{G} \left(g_{j, F_j^{\leftarrow}}(u_j) - u_j f_j \right) p_k^{-1} \mathbb{G} \left(g_{k, F_k^{\leftarrow}}(v_k) - v_k f_k \right) \right], \\
&= \frac{1}{p_j p_k} \mathbb{E} \left[\mathbb{G} \left(g_{j, F_j^{\leftarrow}}(u_j) - u_j f_j \right) \mathbb{G} \left(g_{k, F_k^{\leftarrow}}(v_k) - v_k f_k \right) \right], \\
&= \frac{1}{p_j p_k} \mathbb{P} \{ X_j \leq F_j^{\leftarrow}(u_j), X_k \leq F_k^{\leftarrow}(v_k), I_j = 1, I_k = 1 \} - \frac{p_{jk}}{p_j p_k} u_j v_k, \\
&= \frac{1}{p_j p_k} \mathbb{P} \{ X_j \leq F_j^{\leftarrow}(u_j), X_k \leq F_k^{\leftarrow}(v_k) \} \mathbb{P} \{ I_j = 1, I_k = 1 \} - \frac{p_{jk}}{p_j p_k} u_j v_k, \\
&= \frac{p_{jk}}{p_j p_k} (C(\mathbf{1}_{jk}(u_j, v_k)) - u_j v_k).
\end{aligned}$$

Hence the result. \square

Proof of Theorem 1 We do the proof for $\nu_n^{\mathcal{H}^*}$ as the proof for $\nu_n^{\mathcal{H}}$ is similar. Using that $\mathbb{E}[F_i(X_i)^\alpha] = (1 + \alpha)^{-1}$ for $\alpha \neq 1$, we can write $\nu(\mathbf{w})$ as :

$$\begin{aligned}
\nu(\mathbf{w}) &= \mathbb{E} \left[\bigvee_{j=1}^d \{F_j(X_j)\}^{1/w_j} - \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d \{F_j(X_j)\}^{1/w_j} \right] + \\
&\quad \sum_{j=1}^d \left(\frac{w_j(d-1)}{d} \frac{w_j}{1+w_j} - \frac{w_j(d-1)}{d} \mathbb{E} \left[F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j} \right] \right), \\
&= \mathbb{E} \left[\bigvee_{j=1}^d \{F_j(X_j)\}^{1/w_j} \right] - \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d (1 + w_j(d-1)) \mathbb{E} \left[F_j(X_j)^{1/w_j} \right] + c(\mathbf{w}),
\end{aligned}$$

with $c(\mathbf{w}) = d^{-1} \sum_{j=1}^d w_j / (1 + w_j)$. Let us note by $g_{\mathbf{w}}$ the function defined as

$$g_{\mathbf{w}} : [0, 1]^d \rightarrow [0, 1], \quad \mathbf{u} \mapsto \bigvee_{i=1}^d u_i^{1/w_i} - \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d (1 + w_j(d-1)) u_j^{1/w_j}.$$

We are to write our estimator of the \mathbf{w} -madogram and the \mathbf{w} -madogram in missing data framework as an integral with respect to the hybrid copula estimator and the copula function. We thus have:

$$\begin{aligned}
\nu_n^{\mathcal{H}^*}(\mathbf{w}) &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{m=1}^n g_{\mathbf{w}} \left(\hat{\mathbf{F}}_n(\mathbf{X}_m) \right) \prod_{j=1}^d I_{i,j} + c(\mathbf{w}) = \int_{[0,1]^d} g_{\mathbf{w}}(\mathbf{u}) d\hat{C}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{u}) + c(\mathbf{w}), \\
\nu(\mathbf{w}) &= \int_{[0,1]^d} g_{\mathbf{w}}(\mathbf{u}) dC(\mathbf{u}) + c(\mathbf{w}).
\end{aligned}$$

Where $\hat{\mathbf{F}}_n(\mathbf{X}_m) = (\hat{F}_{n,1}(X_{m,1}), \dots, \hat{F}_{n,d}(X_{m,d}))$. We obtain, proceeding as in Theorem 2.4

of [Marcon et al., 2017] :

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{n}(\nu_n^{\mathcal{H}^*}(\mathbf{w}) - \nu(\mathbf{w})) &= \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d (1 + w_j(d-1)) \int_{[0,1]} \mathbb{C}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{1}_j(x^{w_j})) dx \\ &\quad - \int_{[0,1]} \mathbb{C}_n^{\mathcal{H}}(x^{w_1}, \dots, x^{w_d}) dx.\end{aligned}$$

Consider the function $\phi : \ell^\infty([0,1]^d) \rightarrow \ell^\infty(\Delta^{d-1})$, $f \mapsto \phi(f)$, defined by

$$(\phi)(f)(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{d} \sum_{j=1}^d (1 + w_j(d-1)) \int_{[0,1]} f(\mathbf{1}_j(x^{w_j})) dx - \int_{[0,1]} f(x^{w_1}, \dots, x^{w_d}) dx.$$

this function is linear and bounded thus continuous. The continuous mapping theorem (Theorem 1.3.6 of [van der Vaart and Wellner, 1996]) implies, as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\sqrt{n}(\hat{\nu}_n^{\mathcal{H}^*} - \nu) = \phi(\mathbb{C}_n^{\mathcal{H}}) \rightsquigarrow \phi(S_C),$$

in $\ell^\infty(\Delta^{d-1})$. We note that $S_C(\mathbf{1}_j(x^{w_j})) = \alpha(\mathbf{1}_j(x^{w_j})) - \beta_j(u_j)$ and we obtain our statement. \square

Lemma 3. *If $\ell(x_1, \dots, x_d)$ is homogeneous of degree 1, then for any $i \in \{1, \dots, d\}$ the partial derivative $\dot{\ell}_j(x_1, \dots, x_d)$ is homogeneous of degree 0.*

Proof of Proposition 2 We have $\forall j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$

$$\dot{C}_j(\mathbf{u}) = \frac{C(\mathbf{u})}{u_j} \dot{\ell}_j(-\log(u_1), \dots, -\log(u_d)).$$

Furthermore, using Lemma 3, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{C}_j(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) &= \frac{u^{A(\mathbf{w})}}{u^{w_j}} \dot{\ell}_j(-w_1 \log(u), \dots, -w_d \log(u)) = \frac{u^{A(\mathbf{w})}}{u^{w_j}} \dot{\ell}_j(-w_1, \dots, -w_d) \\ &= \frac{u^{A(\mathbf{w})}}{u^{w_j}} \mu_k(\mathbf{w}).\end{aligned}$$

Now, let us compute

$$\sigma_1^2(\mathbf{w}) = \mathbb{E} \left[\int_{[0,1]} B_C(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) du \int_{[0,1]} B_C(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) dv \right].$$

Using linearity of the integral and the definition of the covariance function of B_C , we obtain

$$\sigma_1^2(\mathbf{w}) = 2 \int_{[0,1]} \int_{[0,v]} u^{A(\mathbf{w})} (1 - v^{A(\mathbf{w})}) duv = \frac{1}{(1 + A(\mathbf{w}))^2} \frac{A(\mathbf{w})}{2 + A(\mathbf{w})}.$$

The quantity γ_j^2 is defined by the following

$$\gamma_j^2 = \mathbb{E} \left[\int_{[0,1]} B_C(\mathbf{1}_j(u^{w_j})) \dot{C}_j(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) du \int_{[0,1]} B_C(\mathbf{1}_j(v^{w_j})) \dot{C}_j(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) dv \right].$$

It is clear that

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma_j^2 &= 2 \int_{[0,1]} \int_{[0,v]} u^{w_j} (1 - v^{w_j}) \mu_j(\mathbf{w}) \mu_j(\mathbf{w}) u^{A(\mathbf{w})-w_j} v^{A(\mathbf{w})-w_j} duv, \\ &= \left(\frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})}{1 + A(\mathbf{w})} \right)^2 \frac{w_j}{2A(\mathbf{w}) + 1 + 1 - w_j}. \end{aligned}$$

We now deal with cross product terms, the first we define is

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{1j} &= \mathbb{E} \left[\int_{[0,1]} B_C(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) du \int_{[0,1]} B_C(\mathbf{1}_j(v^{w_j})) \dot{C}_j(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) dv \right], \\ &= \int_{[0,1]^2} \left(C(u^{w_1}, \dots, (u \wedge v)^{w_j}, \dots, u^{w_d}) - u^{A(\mathbf{w})} v^{w_j} \right) \dot{C}_j(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) duv. \end{aligned}$$

Under the cube $[0, 1] \times [0, v]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{1j} &= \int_{[0,1] \times [0,v]} \left(C(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_j}, \dots, u^{w_d}) - u^{A(\mathbf{w})} v^{w_j} \right) \dot{C}_j(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) duv, \\ &= \int_{[0,1] \times [0,v]} u^{A(\mathbf{w})} (1 - v^{w_j}) v^{A(\mathbf{w})-w_j} \mu_j(\mathbf{w}) duv = \frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})}{2(1 + A(\mathbf{w}))} \frac{w_j}{2A(\mathbf{w}) + 1 + 1 - w_j}. \end{aligned}$$

Under the cube $[0, 1] \times [0, u]$, we have for the right term

$$\int_{[0,1] \times [0,u]} u^{A(\mathbf{w})} v^{w_j} v^{A(\mathbf{w})-w_j} \mu_j(\mathbf{w}) dvu = \frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})}{2(1 + A(\mathbf{w}))^2}.$$

For the left term, by definition, we have

$$\int_{[0,1] \times [0,u]} C(u^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_j}, \dots, u^{w_d}) \dot{C}_j(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) dvu.$$

Let us consider the substitution $x = v^{w_j}$ and $y = u^{1-w_j}$, we obtain

$$\frac{1}{w_j(1-w_j)} \int_{[0,1]} \int_{[0,y^{w_j/(1-w_j)}]} C\left(y^{w_1/(1-w_j)}, \dots, x, \dots, y^{w_d/(1-w_j)}\right) \\ \times \dot{C}_j\left(x^{w_1/w_j}, \dots, x^{w_d/w_j}\right) x^{(1-w_j)/w_j} y^{w_j/(1-w_j)} dx dy.$$

Let us compute the quantity

$$\dot{C}_j(x^{w_1/w_j}, \dots, x^{w_d/w_j}) = \frac{C(x^{w_1/w_j}, \dots, x^{w_d/w_j})}{x} \mu_j(\mathbf{w}).$$

Using Equation (1), we have

$$C(x^{w_1/w_j}, \dots, x^{w_d/w_j}) = \exp\left(-\ell\left(-\frac{\log(x)}{w_j} w_1, \dots, -\frac{\log(x)}{w_j} w_d\right)\right) \\ = \exp\left(-\frac{\log(x)}{w_j} \ell(-w_1, \dots, -w_d)\right) = x^{A(\mathbf{w})/w_j} =: x^{A_j(\mathbf{w})}.$$

Where we use the homogeneity of order one of ℓ and that $-\ell(-w_1, \dots, -w_d) = A(\mathbf{w})$ because of Equation (2) and that $\mathbf{w} \in \Delta^{d-1}$. Now, consider the substitution $x = w^{1-s}$ and $y = w^s$, the jacobian of this transformation is given by $-\log(w)$, we have

$$-\frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})}{w_j(1-w_j)} \int_{[0,1]} \int_{[0,1-w_j]} C\left(w^{sw_1/(1-w_j)}, \dots, w^{1-s}, \dots, w^{sw_d/(1-w_j)}\right) \\ \times w^{(1-s)\left[A_j(\mathbf{w}) + \frac{1-w_j}{w_j} - 1\right] + s \frac{w_j}{1-w_j}} \log(w) ds dw.$$

We now compute the quantity

$$C\left(w^{sw_1/(1-w_j)}, \dots, w^{1-s}, \dots, w^{sw_d/(1-w_j)}\right).$$

Using the same methods as above, we have

$$C\left(w^{sw_1/(1-w_j)}, \dots, w^{1-s}, \dots, w^{sw_d/(1-w_j)}\right) \\ = \exp\left(-\ell\left(-\frac{sw_1}{1-w_j} \log(w), \dots, -(1-s) \log(w), \dots, -\frac{sw_d}{1-w_j} \log(w)\right)\right), \\ = \exp\left(-\log(w) \ell\left(-\frac{sw_1}{1-w_j}, \dots, -(1-s), \dots, -\frac{sw_d}{1-w_j}\right)\right).$$

Now, using that $\mathbf{w} \in \Delta^{d-1}$, remark that $s \sum_{i \neq j} w_i/(1-w_j) = s$, we have, using Equation (2)

$$-\ell\left(-\frac{sw_1}{1-w_j}, \dots, -(1-s), \dots, -\frac{sw_d}{1-w_j}\right) = A\left(\frac{sw_1}{1-w_j}, \dots, \frac{sw_d}{1-w_j}\right).$$

Where we set $1 - s$ in the j -th components of the Pickands dependence function A . So we have

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{1i} &= -\frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})}{w_j(1-w_j)} \int_{[0,1-w_j]} \int_{[0,1]} w^{A\left(\frac{sw_1}{1-w_j}, \dots, \frac{sw_d}{1-w_j}\right) + (1-s)\left(A_j(\mathbf{w}) + \frac{1-w_j}{w_j} - 1\right) + s\frac{w_j}{1-w_j}} \log(w) dw ds, \\ &= \frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})}{w_j(1-w_j)} \int_{[0,1-w_j]} \left[A\left(\frac{sw_1}{1-w_j}, \dots, \frac{sw_d}{1-w_j}\right) + (1-s)\left(A_j(\mathbf{w}) + \frac{1-w_j}{w_j} - 1\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + s\frac{w_j}{1-w_j} + 1 \right]^{-2} ds.\end{aligned}$$

No further simplifications can be obtained. For $j < k$, let us define the quantity γ_{jk} such as

$$\gamma_{jk} = \mathbb{E} \left[\int_{[0,1]} B_C(\mathbf{1}_j(u^{w_j})) \dot{C}_j(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) du B_C(\mathbf{1}_k(v^{w_k})) \dot{C}_k(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) dv \right].$$

Again, we have

$$\gamma_{ij} = \int_{[0,1]^2} (C(\mathbf{1}_{jk}(u^{w_j}, v^{w_j})) - u^{w_j} v^{w_j}) \dot{C}_j(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) \dot{C}_k(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) du dv$$

We set $x = u^{w_j}$ and $y = v^{w_k}$, the left side become

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_{ij} &= \frac{1}{w_j(1-w_k)} \int_{[0,1]^2} C(\mathbf{1}_{jk}(x, y)) \\ &\quad \times \dot{C}_j(x^{w_1/w_j}, \dots, x^{w_d/w_j}) \dot{C}_k(y^{w_1/w_k}, \dots, y^{w_d/w_k}) x^{(1-w_j)/w_j} y^{(1-w_k)/w_k} dx dy, \\ &= \frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})\mu_k(\mathbf{w})}{w_j w_k} \int_{[0,1]^2} C(\mathbf{1}_{jk}(x, y)) x^{A_j(\mathbf{w}) + (1-w_j)/w_j - 1} y^{A_k(\mathbf{w}) + (1-w_k)/w_k - 1} dx dy.\end{aligned}$$

Now, we set $x = w^{1-s}$ and $y = w^s$ and we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_{jk} &= \frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})\mu_k(\mathbf{w})}{w_j w_k} \int_{[0,1]} \left[A(0, \dots, s, \dots, 0) + (1-s) \left(A_j(\mathbf{w}) + \frac{1-w_j}{w_j} - 1 \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + s \left(A_k(\mathbf{w}) + \frac{1-w_k}{w_k} + 1 \right) \right]^{-2} ds.\end{aligned}$$

Where we set $1 - s$ at the i th component of the Pickands. The right side of the expression is given by

$$\int_{[0,1]^2} u^{w_j} v^{w_k} \dot{C}_j(u^{w_1}, \dots, u^{w_d}) \dot{C}_k(v^{w_1}, \dots, v^{w_d}) du dv = \frac{\mu_j(\mathbf{w})\mu_k(\mathbf{w})}{(1 + A(\mathbf{w}))^2}.$$

Hence the result. □

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