# Models with Accelerated Failure Conditionals

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## 1 Introduction

As per Arnold and Arvanitis [1], the general accelerated failure conditionals model is of the form:

$$\bar{F}_X(x) = P(X > x) = \bar{F}_0(x), \quad x > 0,$$

for some survival function  $\bar{F}_0(x) \in (0,1) \ \forall x > 0$ , and for each x > 0:

$$P(Y > y \mid X > x) = \bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y), \quad x, y > 0,$$

for some survival function  $\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) \in (0,1) \ \forall x,y>0$  and a suitable acceleration function  $\beta(x)$ . The joint survival function is then:

$$P(X > x, Y > y) = \bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y), \quad x, y > 0$$
(1)

Assuming differentiability and X, Y are continuous, we obtain the marginal densities:

$$f_X(x) = -\frac{d}{dx}P(X > x) = -\frac{d}{dx}\bar{F}_0(x) = f_0(x),$$

and, since  $\lim_{x\to 0^+} \bar{F}_0(x) = 1$ , where  $\beta(0) := \lim_{x\to 0^+} \beta(x)$ :

$$P(Y > y) = \lim_{x \to 0^+} P(Y > y, X > x) = \bar{F}_1(\beta(0)y).$$

Hence the marginal distribution of Y belongs to the same family as  $\bar{F}_1$ , but with its argument scaled by  $\beta(0)$ . Now, the density of Y is:

$$f_Y(y) = -\frac{d}{dy}P(Y > y) = -\frac{d}{dy}\bar{F}_1(\beta(0)y) = \beta(0) f_1(\beta(0)y),$$

where  $f_1(t) = -\bar{F}_1'(t)$  denotes the density associated with  $\bar{F}_1$ . For (1) to be a valid survival function, it must have a non-negative mixed partial derivative. Denoting  $f_0$  and  $f_1$  as the densities corresponding to the survival function  $\bar{F}_0$  and  $\bar{F}_1$ , and differentiating, we obtain:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial y}P(X>x,Y>y) = f_0(x)f_1(\beta(x)y)\beta(x) - \bar{F}_0(x)f_1'(\beta(x)y)\beta(x)\beta'(x)y - \bar{F}_0(x)f_1(\beta(x)y)\beta'(x)$$
$$= f_0(x)f_1(\beta(x)y)\beta(x) - \beta'(x)\bar{F}_0(x)\left[f_1(\beta(x)y) + f_1'(\beta(x)y)\beta(x)y\right].$$

Denoting  $t = \beta(x)y$ , we have:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial y}P(X>x,Y>y) = f_0(x)f_1(t)\beta(x) - \beta'(x)\bar{F}_0(x)\left[f_1(t) + f_1'(t)t\right]$$
$$= f_0(x)f_1(t)\beta(x) - \beta'(x)\bar{F}_0(x)\left[tf_1(t)\right]'.$$

Thus a necessary and sufficient condition for  $\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} P(X > x, Y > y) \ge 0$  is:

$$\beta'(x) \begin{cases} \leq \frac{f_0(x)}{\bar{F}_0(x)} \frac{f_1(t)}{[tf_1(t)]'} \beta(x), & \text{if } [tf_1(t)]' > 0, \\ \geq \frac{f_0(x)}{\bar{F}_0(x)} \frac{f_1(t)}{[tf_1(t)]'} \beta(x), & \text{if } [tf_1(t)]' < 0, \\ & \text{unconstrained}, & \text{if } [tf_1(t)]' = 0. \end{cases}$$

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Denoting the hazard function  $h_0(x) = \frac{f_0(x)}{\bar{F}_0(x)}$  and  $S(t) = \frac{f_1(t)}{[tf_1(t)]'}$ , we may write the bounds as such:

$$\sup_{t:[tf_1(t)]'<0} h_0(x)S(t)\beta(x) \le \beta'(x) \le \inf_{t:[tf_1(t)]'>0} h_0(x)S(t)\beta(x). \tag{2}$$

A special case of the upper bound for B'(x) arises for distribution families satisfying  $f_1'(t) \leq 0$ . In this case, we note that  $S(t) = \frac{f_1(t)}{[tf_1(t)]'} = \frac{f_1(t)}{f_1(t) + tf_1'(t)} \geq 1$  for  $t \geq 0$ , hence  $\beta'(x) \leq h_0(x)\beta(x)$ .

It should be noted that multiple functional forms for  $\beta(x)$  are possible. The question of selecting a form of  $\beta(x)$  that provides the best model fit has already been investigated by Arnold and Arvanitis [1]. Accordingly, the present study restricts attention to those choices of  $\beta(x)$  that arise from the extreme case in which  $\beta'(x)$  attains its theoretical upper bound, that is, given  $\inf_{t:[tf_1(t)]'>0} S(t) = c^*$ :

$$\beta'(x) = c^* h_0(x) \beta(x)$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{1}{\beta(x)} d\beta(x) = \int c^* h_0(x) dx$$

$$\therefore \log(\beta(x)) = -c^* \log(\bar{F}_0(x)) + K$$

$$\therefore \beta(x) = \gamma \frac{1}{[\bar{F}_0(x)]^{c^*}},$$
(3)

for  $\gamma > 0$ . This suggests  $\beta(x) > 0$  for x > 0. Furthermore,  $\beta(0) := \lim_{x \to 0^+} \beta(x) = \gamma$  since  $\lim_{x \to 0^+} \bar{F}_0(x) = 1$ .

The role of the acceleration function  $\beta(x)$  in determining the sign of the correlation between X and Y is established in Theorem 1. In particular, since the present study considers only positive specifications of  $\beta(x)$ , the resulting framework is restricted to modelling data in which X and Y exhibit negative correlation.

**Theorem 1.** Consider an accelerated conditional model of the form:

$$P(X > x) = \bar{F}_0(x)$$
 and  $P(Y > y \mid X > x) = \bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y),$ 

where  $\bar{F}_0$  and  $\bar{F}_1$  are survival functions. Then:

$$\beta'(x) > 0 \implies \operatorname{Cov}(X, Y) < 0, \qquad \beta'(x) < 0 \implies \operatorname{Cov}(X, Y) > 0.$$

*Proof.* Since  $P(Y > y, X > x) = \bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y)$  then  $P(Y > y) = \lim_{x \to 0^+} P(Y > y, X > x) = \bar{F}_0(0)\bar{F}_1(\beta(0)y) = \bar{F}_1(\beta(0)y)$  since  $\lim_{x \to 0^+} \bar{F}_0(x) = 1$ , we note:

$$Cov(X,Y) = \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \left( P(Y > y, X > x) - P(X > x) P(Y > y) \right) dxdy$$
$$= \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \bar{F}_0(x) \left( \bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) - \bar{F}_1(\beta(0)y) \right) dxdy.$$

Now since  $\bar{F}_1'(\cdot) \leq 0$  (as  $\bar{F}_1$  is a survival function), if  $\beta'(x) \geq 0$  then  $\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) \leq \bar{F}_1(\beta(0)y)$  and  $Cov(X,Y) \leq 0$  for  $x,y \geq 0$ . Conversely, if  $\beta'(x) \leq 0$  then  $\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) \geq \bar{F}_1(\beta(0)y)$  and  $Cov(X,Y) \geq 0$  for  $x,y \geq 0$ . Finally, if  $\beta(x)$  is constant, say  $\beta(x) \equiv c$ , then  $P(X > x, Y > y) = \bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(cy) = P(X > x)P(Y > y)$ , so X and Y are independent and Cov(X,Y) = 0.

# 2 Exponential

We restrict the survival function forms to the exponential family as such:

$$\bar{F}_0(x) = P(X > x) = e^{-\alpha x}, \quad x > 0,$$

where  $\alpha > 0$  and, for each x > 0:

$$\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(Y > y \mid X > x) = e^{-\beta(x)y}, \quad y > 0,$$

where  $\beta(x) > 0$  for all x > 0 to ensure a valid survival function. The corresponding joint survival function will be:

$$\bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(X > x, Y > y) = e^{-\alpha x + \beta(x)y}, \quad x, y > 0.$$
 (4)

Accordingly,  $f_X(x) = \alpha e^{-(\alpha x)}$  for x > 0 and  $f_Y(y) = \beta(0)e^{-(\beta(0)y)}$  for y > 0. Hence,  $X \sim Exp(\alpha)$  and  $Y \sim Exp(\beta(0))$ .

Now since  $[tf_1(t)]' = (1-t)e^{-t} > 0$  for t < 1, and  $S(t) = -\frac{1}{t-1}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\inf_{t < 1} S(t) = \lim_{t \to 0} S(t) = 1$ . Additionally, since  $[tf_1(t)]' = (1-t)e^{-t} < 0$  for t > 1, and  $S(t) = -\frac{1}{t-1}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\sup_{t > 1} S(t) = \lim_{t \to \infty} S(t) = 0$ . Consequently, applying (2) yields:

$$0 \le B'(x) \le h_0(x)\beta(x) = \alpha\beta(x),$$

corresponding to Proposition 3.1 in Arnold and Arvanitis [1]. Now, we select the form of the acceleration function  $\beta(x)$  such that  $\beta'(x) = \alpha\beta(x)$  (that is, equal to  $\beta'(x)'s$  upper bound). Hence from (3) with  $c^* = 1$ ,  $\beta(x) = \gamma e^{\alpha x}$  with  $\gamma > 0$ . Furthermore, following Arnold and Arvanitis [1], we introduce a dependence parameter  $\tau \in [0,1]$  which governs the strength of the dependence between X and Y. The parameter  $\tau$  is restricted to [0,1] since  $\tau = 0$  implies  $\beta(x) = \gamma$  is constant (so X and Y are independent with covariance 0),  $\tau = 1$  corresponds to the case where  $\beta'(x)$  attains its theoretical upper bound, where allowing  $\tau > 1$  would imply  $\beta'(x) > \alpha\beta(x)$ , violating the theoretical upper bound. Hence we choose our acceleration function as:

$$\beta(x) = \gamma e^{\alpha \tau x}.$$

#### 2.1 Moments

Noting  $X \sim Exp(\alpha)$  and  $Y \sim Exp(\gamma)$ , we have:

$$E(X) = \frac{1}{\alpha},$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{1}{\gamma},$$

$$Var(X) = \frac{1}{\alpha^2},$$

$$Var(Y) = \frac{1}{\alpha^2}.$$
(5)

Accordingly:

$$Cov(X,Y) = \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty (P(Y > y, X > x) - P(X > x)P(Y > y)) \ dxdy$$

$$= \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \bar{F}_0(x) \left(\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) - \bar{F}_1(\beta(0)y)\right) \ dxdy$$

$$= \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-(\alpha x)} \left(e^{-\beta(x)y} - e^{-\beta(0)y}\right) \ dydx$$

$$= \int_0^\infty e^{-(\alpha x)} \left(\frac{1}{\beta(x)} - \frac{1}{\beta(0)}\right) \ dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\gamma} \int_0^\infty \left(e^{-\alpha(1+\tau)x} - e^{-(\alpha x)}\right) \ dx$$

$$= -\frac{\tau}{\alpha \tau (1+\tau)}.$$
(7)

Using (5), (6) and (7), we have the correlation between X and Y as:

$$\rho(X,Y) = \frac{Cov(X,Y)}{\sqrt{Var(X)Var(Y)}}$$
$$= -\frac{\tau}{1+\tau}.$$

Seeing as  $\tau \in [0,1]$ , this exponential model with particular acceleration acceleration function  $\beta(x) = \gamma e^{\alpha \tau x}$ , may only be used to model data for which  $\rho(X,Y) \in [0,-\frac{1}{2}]$ .

## 3 Lomax

We restrict the survival function forms to the Lomax family as such:

$$\bar{F}_0(x) = P(X > x) = (1 + \alpha x)^{-\lambda}, \quad x > 0,$$

where  $\alpha, \lambda > 0$  and, for each x > 0:

$$\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(Y > y \mid X > x) = (1 + \beta(x)y)^{-\nu}, \quad y > 0,$$

where  $\beta(x), \nu > 0$  for all x > 0 to ensure a valid survival function. The corresponding joint survival function will be:

$$\bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(X > x, Y > y) = (1 + \alpha x)^{-\lambda} (1 + \beta(x)y)^{-\nu}, \quad x, y > 0.$$
(8)

Accordingly,  $f_X(x) = \alpha \lambda (\alpha x + 1)^{-(\alpha+1)}$  for x > 0 and  $f_Y(y) = \beta(0)\nu(\beta(0)y + 1)^{-(\nu+1)}$  for y > 0. Hence,  $X \sim Lomax(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $Y \sim Lomax(\beta(0), \nu)$ .

Now since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \frac{\nu(t+1)^{-\nu}(1-\nu t)}{t^2+2t+1} > 0$  for  $t < \frac{1}{v}$ , and  $S(t) = -\frac{t+1}{vt-1}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\inf_{t < \frac{1}{v}} S(t) = \lim_{t \to 0} S(t) = 1$ . Additionally, since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \frac{\nu(t+1)^{-\nu}(1-\nu t)}{t^2+2t+1} < 0$  for  $t > \frac{1}{\nu}$ , and  $S(t) = -\frac{t+1}{vt-1}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\sup_{t > \frac{1}{\nu}} S(t) = \lim_{t \to \infty} S(t) = -\frac{1}{\nu}$ . Consequently, applying (2) yields:

$$-\frac{1}{\nu}\frac{\alpha\lambda}{\alpha x + 1}\beta(x) \le B'(x) \le \frac{\alpha\lambda}{\alpha x + 1}\beta(x).$$

Now, we select the form of the acceleration function  $\beta(x)$  such that  $\beta'(x) = \frac{\alpha\lambda}{\alpha x + 1}\beta(x)$  (that is, equal to  $\beta'(x)$ 's upper bound). Hence from (3) with  $c^* = 1$ ,  $\beta(x) = \gamma (1 + \alpha x)^{\lambda}$  with  $\gamma > 0$ . Furthermore, following Arnold and Arvanitis [1], we introduce a dependence parameter  $\tau \in [0,1]$  which governs the strength of the dependence between X and Y. Hence we choose our acceleration function as:

$$\beta(x) = \gamma \left(1 + \alpha \tau x\right)^{\lambda}.$$

### 3.1 Moments

Noting  $X \sim Lomax(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $Y \sim Lomax(\gamma, \nu)$ , we have:

$$E(X) = \frac{1}{\alpha(\lambda - 1)}, \quad \lambda > 1,$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{1}{\gamma(\nu - 1)}, \quad \nu > 1,$$

$$Var(X) = \frac{\lambda}{\alpha^2(\lambda - 1)^2(\lambda - 2)}, \quad \lambda > 2,$$

$$Var(Y) = \frac{\nu}{\gamma^2(\nu - 1)^2(\nu - 2)}, \quad \nu > 2.$$
(9)

Accordingly:

$$Cov(X,Y) = \int_{0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} (P(Y > y, X > x) - P(X > x)P(Y > y)) \, dy \, dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} \bar{F}_{0}(x) \left( \bar{F}_{1}(\beta(x)y) - \bar{F}_{1}(\beta(0)y) \right) \, dy \, dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} (1 + \alpha x)^{-\lambda} \left( \int_{0}^{\infty} \left( (1 + \beta(x)y)^{-\nu} - (1 + \beta(0)y)^{-\nu} \right) \, dy \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\nu - 1} \int_{0}^{\infty} (1 + \alpha x)^{-\lambda} \left( \frac{1}{\beta(x)} - \frac{1}{\beta(0)} \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\gamma(\nu - 1)} \left[ \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{(1 + \alpha x)^{\lambda} (1 + \alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}} - \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{(1 + \alpha x)^{\lambda}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\alpha \gamma(\nu - 1)} \left[ \frac{1}{2\lambda - 1} {}_{2}F_{1}(\lambda, 1; 2\lambda; 1 - \tau) - \frac{1}{\lambda - 1} \right], \tag{11}$$

where the conditions  $\nu > 1$  and  $\lambda > 1$  ensure convergence of the inner and outer integrals, respectively. Now, using (9), (10) and (11), the correlation is:

$$\rho(X,Y) = \frac{\operatorname{Cov}(X,Y)}{\sqrt{\operatorname{Var}(X)\operatorname{Var}(Y)}}$$

$$= (\lambda - 1)\left(\frac{{}_{2}F_{1}(\lambda,1;2\lambda;1-\tau)}{2\lambda - 1} - \frac{1}{\lambda - 1}\right)\sqrt{\frac{(\lambda - 2)(\nu - 2)}{\lambda \nu}},$$
(12)

valid for  $\lambda, \nu > 2$ . Since  ${}_2F_1(\lambda, 1; 2\lambda; z)$  has a power series with strictly positive coefficients, it is strictly increasing in  $z \in [0, 1]$ ; hence  ${}_2F_1(\lambda, 1; 2\lambda; 1 - \tau)$  is strictly decreasing in  $\tau \in [0, 1]$ . Consequently, (12) attains its minimum at  $\tau = 1$  and its maximum (zero) at  $\tau = 0$ . Therefore,

$$-\frac{\lambda}{2\lambda-1}\sqrt{\frac{\lambda-2}{\lambda}}\sqrt{\frac{\nu-2}{\nu}} \leq \rho(X,Y) \leq 0.$$

Moreover,  $\rho_{\min}(\lambda, \nu) := -\frac{\lambda}{2\lambda - 1} \sqrt{\frac{\lambda - 2}{\lambda}} \sqrt{\frac{\nu - 2}{\nu}}$  is strictly decreasing in each of  $\lambda$  and  $\nu$ , so  $\inf_{\lambda > 2, \nu > 2} \rho_{\min}(\lambda, \nu) = \lim_{\lambda, \nu \to \infty} \rho_{\min}(\lambda, \nu) = -\frac{1}{2}$ . Thus, as in the exponential case, this Lomax model with acceleration  $\beta(x) = \gamma (1 + \alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}$  can only accommodate correlations in the range  $\rho(X, Y) \in [-\frac{1}{2}, 0]$ .

## 4 Weibull

We restrict the survival function forms to the Weibull family as such:

$$\bar{F}_0(x) = P(X > x) = e^{-(\alpha x)^{\lambda}}, \quad x > 0,$$

where  $\alpha, \lambda > 0$  and, for each x > 0:

$$\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(Y > y \mid X > x) = e^{-(\beta(x)y)^{\nu}}, \quad y > 0,$$

where  $\beta(x), \nu > 0$  for all x > 0 to ensure a valid survival function. The corresponding joint survival function will be:

$$\bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(X > x, Y > y) = e^{-(\alpha x)^{\lambda} - (y\beta(x))^{\nu}}, \quad x, y > 0.$$
(13)

Accordingly,  $f_X(x) = \alpha \lambda (\alpha \lambda)^{\lambda-1} e^{-(\alpha x)^{\lambda}}$  for x > 0 and  $f_Y(y) = \beta(0) \nu (\beta(0) \nu)^{\nu-1} e^{-(\beta(0)y)^{\nu}}$  for y > 0. Hence,  $X \sim Weibull(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $Y \sim Weibull(\beta(0), \nu)$ .

Now since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \nu^2 t^{\nu-1} (1-t^{\nu}) e^{-t^{\nu}} > 0$  for t < 1, and  $S(t) = \frac{1}{\nu(1-t^{\nu})}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\inf_{t < 1} S(t) = \lim_{t \to 0} S(t) = \frac{1}{\nu}$ . Additionally, since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \nu^2 t^{\nu-1} (1-t^{\nu}) e^{-t^{\nu}} < 0$  for t > 1, and  $S(t) = \frac{1}{\nu(1-t^{\nu})}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\sup_{t > 1} S(t) = \lim_{t \to \infty} S(t) = 0$ . Consequently, applying (2) yields:

$$0 \le B'(x) \le \frac{1}{\nu} \lambda \alpha (\alpha x)^{\lambda - 1} \beta(x).$$

Now, we select the form of the acceleration function  $\beta(x)$  such that  $\beta'(x) = \frac{1}{\nu}\lambda\alpha(\alpha x)^{\lambda-1}\beta(x)$  (that is, equal to  $\beta'(x)$ 's upper bound). Hence from (3) with  $c^* = \frac{1}{\nu}$ ,  $\beta(x) = \gamma e^{\frac{1}{\nu}(\alpha x)^{\lambda}}$  with  $\gamma > 0$ . Furthermore, following Arnold and Arvanitis [1], we introduce a dependence parameter  $\tau \in [0, 1]$  as before. Hence we choose our acceleration function as:

$$\beta(x) = \gamma e^{\frac{1}{\nu}(\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}}.$$

### 4.1 Moments

Noting  $X \sim Weibull(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $Y \sim Weibull(\gamma, \nu)$ , we have:

$$E(X) = \frac{1}{\alpha\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\lambda}\right)},$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{1}{\gamma\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right)},$$

$$Var(X) = \frac{1}{\alpha^2} \left(\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{2}{\lambda}\right) - \left(\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\lambda}\right)\right)^2\right)$$

$$Var(Y) = \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \left(\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{2}{\nu}\right) - \left(\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right)\right)^2\right)$$
(15)

Accordingly:

$$\operatorname{Cov}(X,Y) = \int_{0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} \left( P(Y > y, X > x) - P(X > x) P(Y > y) \right) dy dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} \bar{F}_{0}(x) \left( \bar{F}_{1} \left( \beta(x) y \right) - \bar{F}_{1} \left( \beta(0) y \right) \right) dy dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-(\alpha x)^{\lambda}} \left( \int_{0}^{\infty} \left( e^{-(\beta(x)y)^{\nu}} - e^{-(\beta(0)y)^{\nu}} \right) dy \right) dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-(\alpha x)^{\lambda}} \left( \frac{\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right)}{\beta(x)} - \frac{\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right)}{\beta(0)} \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\gamma} \Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right) \left[ \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-(\alpha x)^{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\nu}(\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}} dx - \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-(\alpha x)^{\lambda}} dx \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\alpha \gamma} \Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right) \Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\lambda}\right) \left[ \left(\frac{\nu}{\nu + \tau^{\lambda}}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1 \right]. \tag{16}$$

Now, using (14), (15) and (16), the correlation is:

$$\rho(X,Y) = \frac{\operatorname{Cov}(X,Y)}{\sqrt{\operatorname{Var}(X)\operatorname{Var}(Y)}}$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right)\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\lambda}\right)\left[\left(\frac{\nu}{\nu + \tau^{\lambda}}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} - 1\right]}{\sqrt{\left(\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{2}{\lambda}\right) - \left(\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\lambda}\right)\right)^{2}\right)\left(\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{2}{\nu}\right) - \left(\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right)\right)^{2}\right)}},$$
(17)

Clearly, (17) is strictly decreasing in  $\tau \in [0, 1]$ . Hence:

$$\rho_{\min}(\lambda,\nu) := \frac{\Gamma\left(1+\frac{1}{\nu}\right)\Gamma\left(1+\frac{1}{\lambda}\right)\left[\left(\frac{\nu}{\nu+1}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}-1\right]}{\sqrt{\left(\Gamma\left(1+\frac{2}{\lambda}\right)-\left(\Gamma\left(1+\frac{1}{\lambda}\right)\right)^{2}\right)\left(\Gamma\left(1+\frac{2}{\nu}\right)-\left(\Gamma\left(1+\frac{1}{\nu}\right)\right)^{2}\right)}} \le \rho(X,Y) \le 0.$$
(18)

Now,  $\inf_{\lambda,\nu>0} \rho_{\min}(\lambda,\nu) = \lim_{\nu\to\infty} \rho_{\min}(\lambda=1,\nu) = -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{\pi}$ . Hence, this Weibull model with acceleration function  $\beta(x) = \gamma e^{\frac{1}{\nu}(\alpha\tau x)^{\lambda}}$  will be able to accommodate correlations in the range  $\rho(X,Y) \in \left[-\frac{\sqrt{6}}{\pi},0\right]$ .

# 5 Log-Logistic

We restrict the survival function forms to the log-logistic family as such:

$$\bar{F}_0(x) = P(X > x) = 1 - \frac{1}{1 + (\alpha x)^{-\lambda}} = \frac{1}{1 + (\alpha x)^{\lambda}}, \quad x > 0,$$

where  $\alpha, \lambda > 0$  and, for each x > 0:

$$\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(Y > y \mid X > x) = 1 - \frac{1}{1 + (\beta(x)y)^{-\nu}} = \frac{1}{1 + (\beta(x)y)^{\nu}}, \quad y > 0,$$

where  $\beta(x), \nu > 0$  for all x > 0 to ensure a valid survival function. The corresponding joint survival function will be:

$$\bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(X > x, Y > y) = \frac{1}{(1 + (\alpha x)^{\lambda})(1 + (\beta(x)y)^{\nu})}, \quad x, y > 0.$$
(19)

Accordingly,  $f_X(x) = \frac{\alpha \lambda (\alpha x)^{\lambda-1}}{((\alpha x)^{\lambda}+1)^2}$  for x>0 and  $f_Y(y) = \frac{\beta(0)\nu(\beta(0)y)^{\nu-1}}{((\beta(0)y)^{\nu}+1)^2}$  for y>0. Hence,  $X\sim LogLogistic(\alpha,\lambda)$  and  $Y\sim LogLogistic(\beta(0),\nu)$ .

Now since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \frac{\nu^2 t^{\nu-1} (1-t^{\nu})}{t^{3\nu}+3t^{2\nu}+3t^{\nu}+1} > 0$  for t < 1, and  $S(t) = -\frac{t^{\nu}+1}{\nu(t^{\nu}-1)}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\inf_{t<1} S(t) = \lim_{t\to 0} S(t) = \frac{1}{\nu}$ . Additionally, since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \frac{\nu^2 t^{\nu-1} (1-t^{\nu})}{t^{3\nu}+3t^{2\nu}+3t^{\nu}+1} < 0$  for t > 1, and  $S(t) = -\frac{t^{\nu}+1}{\nu(t^{\nu}-1)}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\sup_{t>1} S(t) = \lim_{t\to \infty} S(t) = -\frac{1}{\nu}$ . Consequently, applying (2) yields:

$$-\frac{1}{\nu}\frac{\alpha\lambda(\alpha x)^{\lambda-1}}{(\alpha x)^{\lambda}+1}\beta(x) \le B'(x) \le \frac{1}{\nu}\frac{\alpha\lambda(\alpha x)^{\lambda-1}}{(\alpha x)^{\lambda}+1}\beta(x).$$

Now, we select the form of the acceleration function  $\beta(x)$  such that  $\beta'(x) = \frac{1}{\nu} \frac{\alpha \lambda(\alpha x)^{\lambda-1}}{(\alpha x)^{\lambda+1}} \beta(x)$  (that is, equal to  $\beta'(x)$ 's upper bound). Hence from (3) with  $c^* = \frac{1}{\nu}$ ,  $\beta(x) = \gamma(1 + (\alpha x)^{\lambda})^{\frac{1}{\nu}}$  with  $\gamma > 0$ . Furthermore, following Arnold and Arvanitis [1], we introduce a dependence parameter  $\tau \in [0, 1]$  as before. Hence we choose our acceleration function as:

$$\beta(x) = \gamma (1 + (\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda})^{\frac{1}{\nu}}.$$

#### 5.1 Moments

Noting  $X \sim LogLogistic(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $Y \sim LogLogistic(\gamma, \nu)$ , we have:

$$E(X) = \frac{\pi}{\alpha \lambda \sin(\frac{\pi}{\lambda})}, \quad \lambda > 1,$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{\pi}{\gamma \nu \sin(\frac{\pi}{\nu})}, \quad \nu > 1,$$

$$Var(X) = \frac{1}{\alpha^2} \left[ \frac{2\pi}{\lambda \sin(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda})} - \left( \frac{\pi}{\lambda \sin(\frac{\pi}{\lambda})} \right)^2 \right], \quad \lambda > 2,$$

$$Var(Y) = \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \left[ \frac{2\pi}{\nu \sin(\frac{2\pi}{\nu})} - \left( \frac{\pi}{\nu \sin(\frac{\pi}{\nu})} \right)^2 \right], \quad \nu > 2.$$
(21)

Accordingly:

$$\operatorname{Cov}(X,Y) = \int_{0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} \left( P(Y > y, X > x) - P(X > x) P(Y > y) \right) dy dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} \bar{F}_{0}(x) \left( \bar{F}_{1}(\beta(x)y) - \bar{F}_{1}(\beta(0)y) \right) dy dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1 + (\alpha x)^{\lambda}} \left( \int_{0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{1 + (\beta(x)y)^{\nu}} - \frac{1}{1 + (\beta(0)y)^{\nu}} \right) dy \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{\nu \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\nu}\right)} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1 + (\alpha x)^{\lambda}} \left( \frac{1}{\beta(x)} - \frac{1}{\beta(0)} \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{\gamma \nu \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\nu}\right)} \left[ \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\left((1 + (\alpha x)^{\lambda})\left((1 + (\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}\right)^{\frac{1}{\nu}}} - \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1 + (\alpha x)^{\lambda}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{\alpha \lambda \nu \gamma \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\nu}\right)} \left[ \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{\lambda}\right) \Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu} - \frac{1}{\lambda}\right)}{\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right)} {}_{2}F_{1}\left(\frac{1}{\nu}, \frac{1}{\lambda}; 1 + \frac{1}{\nu}; 1 - \tau^{\lambda}\right) - \frac{\pi}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\lambda}\right)} \right]. \tag{22}$$

where the conditions  $\nu > 1$  and  $\lambda > 1$  ensure convergence of the inner and outer integrals, respectively. Now, using (20), (21) and (22), the correlation is:

$$\rho(X,Y) = \frac{\operatorname{Cov}(X,Y)}{\sqrt{\operatorname{Var}(X)\operatorname{Var}(Y)}} \\
= \frac{\pi \left[ \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{\lambda})\Gamma(1+\frac{1}{\nu}-\frac{1}{\lambda})}{\Gamma(1+\frac{1}{\nu})} {}_{2}F_{1}\left(\frac{1}{\nu},\frac{1}{\lambda};1+\frac{1}{\nu};1-\tau^{\lambda}\right) - \frac{\pi}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{\lambda})} \right]}{\lambda\nu\sin(\frac{\pi}{\nu})\sqrt{\left[\frac{2\pi}{\lambda\sin(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda})} - \left(\frac{\pi}{\lambda\sin(\frac{\pi}{\lambda})}\right)^{2}\right] \left[\frac{2\pi}{\nu\sin(\frac{2\pi}{\nu})} - \left(\frac{\pi}{\nu\sin(\frac{\pi}{\nu})}\right)^{2}\right]}}, \tag{23}$$

valid for  $\lambda, \nu > 2$ . Since  ${}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{\nu}, \frac{1}{\lambda}; 1 + \frac{1}{\nu}; z\right)$  has a power series with strictly positive coefficients, it is strictly increasing in  $z \in [0,1]$ ; hence  ${}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{\nu}, \frac{1}{\lambda}; 1 + \frac{1}{\nu}; 1 - \tau^{\lambda}\right)$  is strictly decreasing in  $\tau \in [0,1]$ . Consequently, (23) attains its minimum at  $\tau = 1$  and its maximum (zero) at  $\tau = 0$ . Therefore,

$$\rho_{\min(\lambda,\nu)} := \frac{\pi \left[ \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{\lambda}\right)\Gamma\left(1+\frac{1}{\nu}-\frac{1}{\lambda}\right)}{\Gamma\left(1+\frac{1}{\nu}\right)} - \frac{\pi}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\lambda}\right)} \right]}{\lambda\nu\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\nu}\right)\sqrt{\left[\frac{2\pi}{\lambda\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}\right)} - \left(\frac{\pi}{\lambda\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\lambda}\right)}\right)^2\right] \left[\frac{2\pi}{\nu\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\nu}\right)} - \left(\frac{\pi}{\nu\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\nu}\right)}\right)^2\right]}} \le \rho(X,Y) \le 0.$$

Now denoting  $[\lambda^*, \nu^*]' = \operatorname{argmin}_{\lambda, \nu} \rho_{\min(\lambda, \nu)}$ , we obtain  $\inf_{\lambda, \nu > 2} \rho_{\min}(\lambda, \nu) = \lim_{\nu \to \infty} \rho_{\min}(\lambda = \lambda^* \approx 5.06, \nu) \approx -0.54076$ . Hence, this log-logistic model with acceleration function  $\beta(x) = \gamma (1 + (\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda})^{\frac{1}{\nu}}$  will be able to accommodate correlations in the range  $\rho(X, Y) \in [-0.54076, 0]$ .

# 6 Cauchy

We restrict the survival function forms to the Cauchy family as such:

$$\bar{F}_0(x) = P(X > x) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{\pi}\arctan(\alpha x), \quad x > 0,$$

where  $\alpha > 0$  and, for each x > 0:

$$\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(Y > y \mid X > x) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{\pi}\arctan(\beta(x)y), \quad y > 0,$$

where  $\beta(x) > 0$  for all x > 0 to ensure a valid survival function. The corresponding joint survival function will be:

$$\bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(X > x, Y > y) = \frac{1}{\pi^2} \left( \arctan(\alpha x) - \frac{1}{2}\pi \right) \left( \arctan(\beta(x)y) - \frac{1}{2}\pi \right), \quad x, y > 0.$$
 (24)

Accordingly,  $f_X(x) = \frac{\alpha}{\pi(1+(\alpha x)^2)}$  for x > 0 and  $f_Y(y) = \frac{\beta(0)}{\pi(1+(\beta(0)x)^2)}$  for y > 0. Hence,  $X \sim Cauchy(\alpha)$  and  $Y \sim Cauchy(\beta(0))$ .

Now since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \frac{1-t^2}{\pi(t^2+1)^2} > 0$  for t < 1, and  $S(t) = \frac{t^2+1}{1-t^2}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\inf_{t < 1} S(t) = \lim_{t \to 0} S(t) = 1$ . Additionally, since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \frac{1-t^2}{\pi(t^2+1)^2} < 0$  for t > 1, and  $S(t) = \frac{t^2+1}{1-t^2}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\sup_{t > 1} S(t) = \lim_{t \to \infty} S(t) = -1$ . Consequently, applying (2) yields:

$$-\frac{\alpha}{(1+(\alpha x)^2)(\frac{\pi}{2}-\arctan(\alpha x))}\beta(x) \le B'(x) \le \frac{\alpha}{(1+(\alpha x)^2)(\frac{\pi}{2}-\arctan(\alpha x))}\beta(x).$$

Now, we select the form of the acceleration function  $\beta(x)$  such that  $\beta'(x) = \frac{\alpha}{(1+(\alpha x)^2)(\frac{\pi}{2}-\arctan(\alpha x))}\beta(x)$  (that is, equal to  $\beta'(x)'s$  upper bound). Hence from (3) with  $c^*=1$ ,  $\beta(x)=\gamma\frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{\pi}\arctan(\alpha x)}$  with  $\gamma>0$ . Furthermore, following Arnold and Arvanitis [1], we introduce a dependence parameter  $\tau\in[0,1]$  as before. Hence we choose our acceleration function as:

$$\beta(x) = \gamma \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{\pi} \arctan(\alpha \tau x)}.$$

## 7 Gamma

We restrict the survival function forms to the Gamma family as such:

$$\bar{F}_0(x) = P(X > x) = 1 - \frac{1}{\Gamma(\lambda)} \gamma^*(\lambda, \alpha x) = \frac{\Gamma(\lambda, \alpha x)}{\Gamma(\lambda)}, \quad x > 0,$$

where  $\alpha, \lambda > 0$  and denoting  $\gamma^*$  as the lower incomplete gamma function. Now for each x > 0:

$$\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(Y > y \mid X > x) = 1 - \frac{1}{\Gamma(\nu)} \gamma^*(\nu, \beta(x)y) = \frac{\Gamma(\nu, \beta(x)y)}{\Gamma(\nu)}, \quad y > 0,$$

where  $\beta(x), \nu > 0$  for all x > 0 to ensure a valid survival function. The corresponding joint survival function will be:

$$\bar{F}_0(x)\bar{F}_1(\beta(x)y) = P(X > x, Y > y) = \frac{\Gamma(\lambda, \alpha x)\Gamma(\nu, \beta(x)y)}{\Gamma(\lambda)\Gamma(\nu)}, \quad x, y > 0.$$
(25)

Accordingly,  $f_X(x) = \frac{\alpha^{\lambda}}{\Gamma(\lambda)} x^{\lambda-1} e^{-\alpha x}$  for x > 0 and  $f_Y(y) = \frac{\beta(0)^{\nu}}{\Gamma(\nu)} x^{\nu-1} e^{-\beta(0)y}$  for y > 0. Hence,  $X \sim Gamma(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $Y \sim Gamma(\beta(0), \nu)$ .

Now since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \frac{t^{\nu-1}(\nu-t)e^{-t}}{\Gamma(\nu)} > 0$  for  $t < \nu$ , and  $S(t) = \frac{1}{\nu-t}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\inf_{t < \nu} S(t) = \lim_{t \to 0} S(t) = \frac{1}{\nu}$ . Additionally, since  $[tf_1(t)]' = \frac{t^{\nu-1}(\nu-t)e^{-t}}{\Gamma(\nu)} < 0$  for  $t > \nu$ , and  $S(t) = \frac{1}{\nu-t}$  is increasing on this interval,  $\sup_{t > \nu} S(t) = \lim_{t \to \infty} S(t) = 0$ . Consequently, applying (2) yields:

$$0 \le B'(x) \le \frac{1}{\nu} \frac{\alpha^{\lambda}}{\Gamma(\lambda, \alpha x)} x^{\lambda - 1} e^{-\alpha x}.$$

Now, we select the form of the acceleration function  $\beta(x)$  such that  $\beta'(x) = \frac{1}{\nu} \frac{\alpha^{\lambda}}{\Gamma(\lambda, \alpha x)} x^{\lambda - 1} e^{-\alpha x}$  (that is, equal to  $\beta'(x)$ 's upper bound). Hence from (3) with  $c^* = \frac{1}{\nu}$ ,  $\beta(x) = \gamma \left[ \frac{\Gamma(\lambda)}{\Gamma(\lambda, \alpha x)} \right]^{\frac{1}{\nu}}$  with  $\gamma > 0$ . Furthermore, following Arnold and Arvanitis [1], we introduce a dependence parameter  $\tau \in [0, 1]$  as before. Hence we choose our acceleration function as:

$$\beta(x) = \gamma \left[ \frac{\Gamma(\lambda)}{\Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x)} \right]^{\frac{1}{\nu}}.$$

## A Joint Densities and Log-likelihoods

### Exponential

We obtain the joint density function by differentiating the joint survival function (4):

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \alpha \gamma \left( \gamma \tau y e^{\alpha \tau x} - \tau + 1 \right) e^{(\alpha x (\tau - 1) - \gamma y e^{\alpha \tau x})}, \qquad x, y > 0.$$

where  $\alpha, \gamma > 0$  and  $\tau \in [0, 1]$ . The log-likelihood is thus:

$$\ell(\alpha, \gamma, \tau) = n \log \alpha + n \log \gamma + \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left( \gamma \tau y_i e^{\alpha \tau x_i} - \tau + 1 \right)$$
$$+ \alpha (\tau - 1) \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i - \gamma \sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i e^{\alpha \tau x_i}.$$

### Lomax

We obtain the joint density function by differentiating the joint survival function (8):

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \nu \left(1 + \alpha x\right)^{-3\lambda - 1} \left(1 + \gamma y(1 + \alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}\right)^{-3\nu - 4}$$

$$\times \left[\frac{\alpha \gamma^2 \lambda \tau y(\nu + 1) \left(1 + \alpha x\right)^{2\lambda + 1} (1 + \alpha \tau x)^{2\lambda} \left(1 + \gamma y(1 + \alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}\right)^{2\nu + 2}}{1 + \alpha \tau x}\right]$$

$$- \frac{\alpha \gamma \lambda \tau \left(1 + \alpha x\right)^{2\lambda + 1} (1 + \alpha \tau x)^{\lambda} \left(1 + \gamma y(1 + \alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}\right)^{2\nu + 3}}{1 + \alpha \tau x}$$

$$+ \alpha \gamma \lambda \left((1 + \alpha x)^2 (1 + \alpha \tau x)\right)^{\lambda} \left(1 + \gamma y(1 + \alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}\right)^{2\nu + 3}, \quad x, y > 0,$$

where  $\alpha, \lambda, \nu, \gamma > 0$  and  $\tau \in [0, 1]$ . The log-likelihood is thus:

$$\ell(\alpha, \lambda, \nu, \gamma, \tau) = n \log \nu - (3\lambda + 1) \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(1 + \alpha x_i)$$

$$- (3\nu + 4) \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(1 + \gamma y_i (1 + \alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda})$$

$$+ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left\{ \frac{\alpha \gamma^2 \lambda \tau y_i (\nu + 1) (1 + \alpha x_i)^{2\lambda + 1} (1 + \alpha \tau x_i)^{2\lambda}}{1 + \alpha \tau x_i} \left( 1 + \gamma y_i (1 + \alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} \right)^{2\nu + 2} \right.$$

$$- \frac{\alpha \gamma \lambda \tau (1 + \alpha x_i)^{2\lambda + 1} (1 + \alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda}}{1 + \alpha \tau x_i} \left( 1 + \gamma y_i (1 + \alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} \right)^{2\nu + 3}$$

$$+ \alpha \gamma \lambda \left( (1 + \alpha x_i)^2 (1 + \alpha \tau x_i) \right)^{\lambda} \left( 1 + \gamma y_i (1 + \alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} \right)^{2\nu + 3} \right\}.$$

### Weibull

We obtain the joint density function by differentiating the joint survival function (13):

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda \nu x^{\lambda-1} y^{\nu-1} \left( \tau^{\lambda} (\gamma y)^{\nu} e^{(\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}} - \tau^{\lambda} + 1 \right) e^{(\alpha x)^{\lambda} (\tau^{\lambda} - 1) - (\gamma y)^{\nu} e^{(\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda}}}, \quad x, y > 0,$$

where  $\alpha, \lambda, \nu, \gamma > 0$  and  $\tau \in [0, 1]$ . The log-likelihood is thus:

$$\ell(\alpha, \lambda, \nu, \gamma, \tau) = n\lambda \log \alpha + n\nu \log \gamma + n \log \lambda + n \log \nu$$

$$+ (\lambda - 1) \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log x_i + (\nu - 1) \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log y_i$$

$$+ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left(\tau^{\lambda} (\gamma y_i)^{\nu} e^{(\alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda}} - \tau^{\lambda} + 1\right)$$

$$+ (\tau^{\lambda} - 1) \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\alpha x_i)^{\lambda} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\gamma y_i)^{\nu} e^{(\alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda}}.$$

## Log-logistic

We obtain the joint density function by differentiating the joint survival function (19):

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \frac{\lambda \nu (\gamma y)^{\nu}}{x y ((\alpha x)^{\lambda} + 1)^{2} ((\gamma y)^{\nu} ((\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda} + 1) + 1)^{3}}$$

$$\times \left\{ (\alpha x)^{\lambda} ((\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda} + 1) ((\gamma y)^{\nu} ((\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda} + 1) + 1) + (\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda} ((\alpha x)^{\lambda} + 1) ((\gamma y)^{\nu} ((\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda} + 1) + 1) + 1 \right\}$$

$$- 2 (\alpha \tau x)^{\lambda} ((\alpha x)^{\lambda} + 1) \left\{, \quad x, y > 0, \right\}$$

where  $\alpha, \lambda, \nu, \gamma > 0$  and  $\tau \in [0, 1]$ . Thus the log-likelihood is:

$$\ell(\alpha, \lambda, \nu, \gamma, \tau) = n \log \lambda + n \log \nu + n \nu \log \gamma + (\nu - 1) \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log y_i - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log x_i$$

$$-2 \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log ((\alpha x_i)^{\lambda} + 1) - 3 \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log ((\gamma y_i)^{\nu} ((\alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} + 1) + 1)$$

$$+ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left\{ (\alpha x_i)^{\lambda} ((\alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} + 1) ((\gamma y_i)^{\nu} ((\alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} + 1) + 1) + (\alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} ((\alpha x_i)^{\lambda} + 1) ((\gamma y_i)^{\nu} ((\alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} + 1) + 1) - 2 (\alpha \tau x_i)^{\lambda} ((\alpha x_i)^{\lambda} + 1) \right\}.$$

## Cauchy

We obtain the joint density function by differentiating the joint survival function (24):

$$\begin{split} f_{X,Y}(x,y) = & \left( -2\,\alpha\gamma\,(\pi\gamma y)^2\,\tau\,\left((\alpha x)^2 + 1\right)\left(\arctan(\alpha x) - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \right. \\ & + \,\,\alpha\gamma\,\tau\,\left((\alpha x)^2 + 1\right)\left((\pi\gamma y)^2 + \left(\arctan(\alpha\tau x) - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2\right)\left(\arctan(\alpha x) - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \\ & - \,\,\alpha\gamma\left((\pi\gamma y)^2 + \left(\arctan(\alpha\tau x) - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2\right)\left((\alpha\tau x)^2 + 1\right)\left(\arctan(\alpha\tau x) - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right) \\ & \times \frac{1}{\pi\left((\alpha x)^2 + 1\right)\left((\pi\gamma y)^2 + \left(\arctan(\alpha\tau x) - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2\right)^2\left((\alpha\tau x)^2 + 1\right)}, \quad x, y > 0, \end{split}$$

where  $\alpha, \gamma > 0$  and  $\tau \in [0, 1]$ . Thus the log-likelihood is:

$$\ell(\alpha, \gamma, \tau) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left[ -2 \alpha \gamma (\pi \gamma y_i)^2 \tau \left( (\alpha x_i)^2 + 1 \right) \left( \arctan(\alpha x_i) - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right.$$

$$\left. + \alpha \gamma \tau \left( (\alpha x_i)^2 + 1 \right) \left( (\pi \gamma y_i)^2 + \left( \arctan(\alpha \tau x_i) - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)^2 \right) \left( \arctan(\alpha x_i) - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right.$$

$$\left. - \alpha \gamma \left( (\pi \gamma y_i)^2 + \left( \arctan(\alpha \tau x_i) - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)^2 \right) \left( (\alpha \tau x_i)^2 + 1 \right) \left( \arctan(\alpha \tau x_i) - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$\left. - n \log \pi - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left( (\alpha x_i)^2 + 1 \right) - 2 \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left( (\pi \gamma y_i)^2 + \left( \arctan(\alpha \tau x_i) - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)^2 \right) \right.$$

$$\left. - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left( (\alpha \tau x_i)^2 + 1 \right) \right.$$

### Gamma

We obtain the joint density function by differentiating the joint survival function (25):

$$\begin{split} f_{X,Y}(x,y) = & \left( \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x^{\lambda - 1} y^{\nu} \gamma \tau^{\lambda} y \, \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x)^{-\frac{1}{\nu}} e^{\alpha x} \, \Gamma(\lambda) \, \Gamma(\lambda + 1)^{1 + \frac{1}{\nu}} \right. \\ & - \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x^{\lambda - 1} y^{\nu} \gamma \tau^{\lambda} y \, \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x)^{-\frac{1}{\nu}} e^{\alpha x} \, \Gamma(\lambda + 1)^{1 + \frac{1}{\nu}} \gamma^{*}(\lambda, \alpha x) \\ & - \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x^{\lambda - 1} y^{\nu} \, \lambda^{\frac{1}{\nu}} \nu \tau^{\lambda} e^{\alpha x} \Gamma(\lambda) \, \Gamma(\lambda + 1) \\ & + \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x^{\lambda - 1} y^{\nu} \, \lambda^{1 + \frac{1}{\nu}} \nu \, \tau^{\lambda} e^{\alpha x} \Gamma(\lambda) \, \gamma^{*}(\lambda, \alpha x) \\ & + \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x^{\lambda - 1} y^{\nu} \, \lambda^{1 + \frac{1}{\nu}} \nu \, e^{\alpha \tau x} \Gamma(\lambda) \, \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x) \right) \\ & \times \left[ \frac{e^{-\alpha \tau x - \alpha x - \gamma \lambda^{-\frac{1}{\nu}} y \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x)^{-\frac{1}{\nu}} \Gamma(\lambda + 1)^{\frac{1}{\nu}}}{y \, \Gamma(\lambda) \, \Gamma(\nu + 1) \, \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x)^{2}} \right], \quad x, y > 0, \end{split}$$

where  $\alpha, \gamma > 0$  and  $\tau \in [0, 1]$ . Thus the log-likelihood is:

$$\ell(\alpha, \lambda, \nu, \gamma, \tau) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left\{ \lambda \log \alpha + \nu \log \gamma - \left(1 + \frac{1}{\nu}\right) \log \lambda + (\lambda - 1) \log x_{i} + \nu \log y_{i} \right.$$

$$+ \log \left[ \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x_{i}^{\lambda - 1} y_{i}^{\nu} \gamma \tau^{\lambda} y_{i} \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x_{i})^{-\frac{1}{\nu}} e^{\alpha x_{i}} \Gamma(\lambda) \Gamma(\lambda + 1)^{1 + \frac{1}{\nu}} \right.$$

$$- \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x_{i}^{\lambda - 1} y_{i}^{\nu} \gamma \tau^{\lambda} y_{i} \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x_{i})^{-\frac{1}{\nu}} e^{\alpha x_{i}} \Gamma(\lambda + 1)^{1 + \frac{1}{\nu}} \gamma^{*}(\lambda, \alpha x_{i})$$

$$- \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x_{i}^{\lambda - 1} y_{i}^{\nu} \lambda^{\frac{1}{\nu}} \nu \tau^{\lambda} e^{\alpha x_{i}} \Gamma(\lambda) \Gamma(\lambda + 1)$$

$$+ \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x_{i}^{\lambda - 1} y_{i}^{\nu} \lambda^{1 + \frac{1}{\nu}} \nu \tau^{\lambda} e^{\alpha x_{i}} \Gamma(\lambda) \gamma^{*}(\lambda, \alpha x_{i})$$

$$+ \alpha^{\lambda} \gamma^{\nu} \lambda^{-1 - \frac{1}{\nu}} x_{i}^{\lambda - 1} y_{i}^{\nu} \lambda^{1 + \frac{1}{\nu}} \nu e^{\alpha \tau x_{i}} \Gamma(\lambda) \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x_{i}) \right]$$

$$- \alpha \tau x_{i} - \alpha x_{i} - \gamma \lambda^{-\frac{1}{\nu}} y_{i} \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x_{i})^{-\frac{1}{\nu}} \Gamma(\lambda + 1)^{\frac{1}{\nu}} - \log y_{i}$$

$$- \log \Gamma(\lambda) - \log \Gamma(\nu + 1) - 2 \log \Gamma(\lambda, \alpha \tau x_{i}) \right\}.$$

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