

Computing $l_s^B(q_s)$ in the general case requires the computation of a $T-s$ dimensional integral. Traditional quadrature algorithms have exponential complexity in dimensions, making such an integral unreasonable to compute. However, some conditions allow it to be reduced to $T-s$ integrals of fewer dimensions. Letting Φ be the (generally multivariate) distribution of forecast f_s :

$$\begin{aligned}
l_s^B(q_s) &= \mathbb{E}[H_s^B(q_s) \mid f_s] \\
&= \mathbb{E}\left\{ \sum_{j=s}^T h_j \left[q_s - \left(\sum_{i=s}^j u_i - X_s \right)^+ \right]^+ \mid f_s \right\} \\
&= \int_{u_s=0}^{\infty} \int_{u_{(s+1)}=0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{u_T=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=s}^T h_j \left[q_s - \left(\sum_{i=s}^j u_i - X_s \right)^+ \right]^+ d\Phi(u_s, u_{s+1}, \dots, u_T) \\
&= \sum_{j=s}^T \int_{u_s=0}^{\infty} \int_{u_{(s+1)}=0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{u_j=0}^{\infty} h_j \left[q_s - \left(\sum_{i=s}^j u_i - X_s \right)^+ \right]^+ d\Phi(u_s, u_{s+1}, \dots, u_T)
\end{aligned}$$

If the conditions allow for $D_{[s,j]} = \sum_{i=s}^j D_s$ to be expressed as a single variate distribution $\Phi_{[s,j]}$, then $l_s^B(q_s)$ can be expressed as $T-s$ integrals in one dimension:

$$l_s^B(q_s) = \sum_{j=s}^T \int_{u_j=X_s}^{X_s+q_s} h_j \left(q_s + X_s - u_j \right) d\Phi_{[s,j]}(u_j) \quad (1)$$

Under the same conditions, $\frac{d}{dq_s} l_s^B(q_s)$ can be expressed:

$$\frac{d}{dq_s} l_s^B(q_s) = \sum_{j=s}^T h_j (\Phi_{[s,j]}(X_s + q_s) - \Phi_{[s,j]}(X_s)) \quad (2)$$

This condition would hold for a series of independent random variables.