

Advanced Methods of Non-Life Insurance

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FORMULARY

PART A: FOUNDATIONS OF LOSS DATA ANALYTICS

Introduction non-life insurance

- **Expectation**

- **Definition:** Assume rv $X \sim F$ and $h : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ a sufficiently nice measurable function. The expected value of $h(X)$ is

$$E[h(X)] = \int_{\mathbb{R}} h(x) dF(x) = \begin{cases} \sum_{k \in \mathcal{A}} h(x) f(x) & X \text{ discrete} \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(x) f(x) dx & X \text{ continuous} \end{cases}$$

provided the right side converges absolutely.

- **Mean**, expectation or first moment of $X \sim F$

$$\mu_X = E[X] = \int_{\mathbb{R}} x dF(x)$$

- **Moment of order k** : measure of variation around 0

$$\alpha_k = E(X^k) = \begin{cases} \sum_x x^k f(x) & X \text{ discrete} \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^k f(x) dx & X \text{ continuous} \end{cases}$$

If $E[X^k]$ exists ($E[|X|^k] < \infty$), all lower order moments $E[X^l]$, $l \leq k$ exist.

- **Central moment order k** : measure of variation around μ

$$\mu_k = E[(X - \mu)^k] = \begin{cases} \sum_x (x - \mu)^k f(x) & X \text{ discrete} \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x - \mu)^k f(x) dx & X \text{ continuous} \end{cases}$$

- **Variance**: second central moment

$$\sigma_X^2 = \text{var}(X) = E[(X - \mu)^2]$$

and its square root σ is called the standard deviation.

- **Coefficient of variation** is ratio of σ to μ

$$\text{Vco}(X) = \frac{\sigma_X}{\mu_X}$$

- **Skewness**: if positive (negative), then long right (left) tail

$$\zeta_X = \frac{\mu_3}{\sigma^3} = E \left[\left(\frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^3 \right] = E[Z^3].$$

where $Z = \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma}$ is the so-called standardized rv.

- **(Excess) Kurtosis**: measure of peakedness (or thickness in the tails)

$$\gamma_X = \frac{\mu_4}{\sigma^4} = E[Z^4] - 3.$$

-3 sets $\gamma_X = 0$ for the normal distribution

- **Weak law of large numbers (LLN)**: Suppose:

- Probability space $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$
- Y_1, \dots, Y_n uncorrelated and identically distributed
- Finite mean $\mu = E(Y_1)$

then the weak law of large numbers is:

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P} \left(\left| \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i - \mu \right| \geq \epsilon \right) = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \bar{Y} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i \xrightarrow{P} \mu.$$

- **Central limit theorem (CLT)**: Suppose:

- Probability space $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$
- Y_1, \dots, Y_n independent and identically distributed (iid)
- Finite mean $\mu = E(Y_1)$ and finite variance $\sigma^2 = \text{var}(Y_1)$

then the central limit theorem provides the asymptotic limit distribution (convergence in distribution) as $n \rightarrow \infty$:

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i - n\mu}{\sqrt{n}\sigma} \xrightarrow{D} Z \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1) \quad \text{or} \quad P \left[\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i - n\mu}{\sqrt{n}\sigma} \right) \leq x \right] \xrightarrow{D} \Phi(x).$$

Practically, sums of rv's can often be approximated by those from normal distribution

$$\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i \approx N(n\mu, n\sigma^2) \quad \text{or} \quad \bar{Y} \approx N\left(\mu, \frac{1}{n}\sigma^2\right)$$

- **Moment generating function (mgf) of X**

- **Definition:**

$$M(r) = M_X(r) = E(e^{rX}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{rx} dF(x)$$

- Alternative: **characteristic function:**

$$\varphi_X(r) = E[e^{irX}].$$

- **Lemma:** Choose $X \sim F$ and assume that there exists $r_0 > 0$ such that $\forall r \in (-r_0, r_0) : M_X(r) < \infty$, then $M_X(r)$ has power series expansion for $r \in (-r_0, r_0)$ with

$$M_X(r) = \sum_{k \geq 0} \frac{r^k}{k!} E[X^k]$$

- **Property:** The derivatives at the origin are given by

$$\frac{d^k}{dr^k} M_X(r)|_{r=0} = E(X^r) < \infty$$

- **Cumulant generating function (cgf)**

- **Definition:**

$$\log M_X(r) = \log E[e^{rX}]$$

- **Lemma:** Assume that M_X is finite on $(-r_0, r_0)$ with $r_0 > 0$. Then $\log M_X(\cdot)$ is a convex function on $(-r_0, r_0)$.

- **Survival function**

$$\bar{F}(x) = 1 - F(X) = \Pr[X > x]$$

- **Property:** Assume that $X \sim F$ is non-negative, \mathbb{P} -a.s. and has finite first moment. Then

$$E(X) = \int_0^\infty x dF(x) = \int_0^\infty [1 - F(x)] dx = \int_0^\infty \mathbb{P}[X > x] dx = \int_0^\infty \bar{F}(x) dx$$

Moreover, the second moment $E[X^2]$ (when it exists) is

$$E[X^2] = \int_0^{+\infty} x^2 f_X(x) dx = \int_0^{+\infty} 2x \bar{F}(x) dx$$

- **Tower property or double expectation theorem:** For any sub- σ -algebra $\mathcal{G} \subset \mathcal{F}$ on our probability space $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \Pr)$ we have for any integrable rv $X \sim F$

$$E[X] = E[E[X|\mathcal{G}]]$$

In particular, if X and Y are rv's on $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$ we have

$$E[X] = E[E[X|Y]]$$

where $E[E[X|Y]]$ is an abbreviation for $E[X|\sigma(Y)]$ with $\sigma(Y) \subset \mathcal{F}$ denoting the σ -algebra generated by the random variable Y .

Assume that X is square integrable then the tower proper implies

$$\text{var}(X) = E[\text{var}(X|\mathcal{G})] + \text{var}(E[X|\mathcal{G}]).$$

- **Inverse of F or p -quantile of $X \sim F$:** Let F be right-continuous and non-decreasing. The **generalized inverse** of F for $p \in (0, 1)$ is then

$$F^{\leftarrow}(p) = \inf\{x; F(x) \geq p\}$$

where $\inf(\emptyset) = \infty$.

Properties:

1. $F^{\leftarrow}(p)$ is non-decreasing and left-continuous.
2. F is continuous iff $F^{\leftarrow}(p)$ is strictly increasing.
3. F is strictly increasing iff $F^{\leftarrow}(p)$ is continuous.
4. (If F is right-continuous then) $F(x) \geq p$ iff $F^{\leftarrow}(p) \leq x$.
5. $F^{\leftarrow}(F(x)) \leq x$.
6. $F(F^{\leftarrow}(p)) \geq p$.
7. If F is strictly increasing, then $F^{\leftarrow}(F(x)) = x$.
8. If F is continuous, then $F(F^{\leftarrow}(p)) = p$.

- **Popular distributions**

- Normal distribution: $X \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$ with $\mu \in \mathbb{R}, \sigma^2 > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} f_X(x) &= \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} & x \in \mathbb{R} \\ M_X(r) &= e^{r\mu + r^2\sigma^2/2} < \infty & r \in \mathbb{R} \\ E[X] &= \mu \\ \text{var}[X] &= \sigma^2 \end{aligned}$$

- Exponential distribution: $X \sim \text{Exp}(\lambda)$ with $\lambda > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} f_X(x) &= \lambda e^{-\lambda x} & x \in [0, +\infty[\\ M_X(r) &= \frac{\lambda}{\lambda - r} & r < \lambda \\ E[X] &= \frac{1}{\lambda} \\ \text{var}[X] &= \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \end{aligned}$$

- Geometric distribution: $X \sim \text{Geo}(p)$ with $0 < p \leq 1$

$$\begin{aligned} f_X(k) &= (1-p)^k p & k \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\} \\ M_X(r) &= \frac{p}{1 - (1-p)e^r} \\ E[X] &= \frac{1-p}{p} \\ \text{var}[X] &= \frac{1-p}{p^2} \end{aligned}$$

Introduction aggregate loss modelling

- **Compound distribution**

- **Model assumptions**

The total claim amount S is given by the following compound distribution

$$S = Y_1 + \dots + Y_N = \sum_{i=1}^N Y_i$$

with 3 standard assumptions

1. N is a discrete rv which only takes values in $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathbb{N}_0$
2. $Y_1, Y_2, \dots \stackrel{iid}{\sim} G$ with $G(0) = 0$.
3. N and (Y_1, Y_2, \dots) are independent.

- **Basic recognition features**

Assume S has a compound distribution. We have (whenever they exist)

$$\begin{aligned} E[S] &= E[N]E[Y_1] \\ \text{var}(S) &= \text{var}(N)E[Y_1]^2 + E[N] \text{var}(Y_1) \\ \text{Vco}(S) &= \sqrt{\text{Vco}(N)^2 + \frac{1}{E[N]} \text{Vco}(Y_1)^2} \\ M_S(r) &= M_N(\log(M_{Y_1}(r))) \quad \text{for } r \in \mathbb{R}. \end{aligned}$$

– If assumptions above hold, then distribution function of S can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} F_S(x) &= \Pr[S \leq x] = \sum_{k \in \mathcal{A}} \Pr \left[\sum_{i=1}^N Y_i \leq x \middle| N = k \right] \Pr[N = k] \\ &= \sum_{k \in \mathcal{A}} \Pr \left[\sum_{i=1}^k Y_i \leq x \right] \Pr[N = k] = \sum_{k \in \mathcal{A}} G^{*k}(x) \Pr[N = k] \end{aligned}$$

G^{*k} denotes the k -th convolution of the distribution function G .

In particular, we have for $Y_1, Y_2 \stackrel{iid}{\sim} G$

$$\begin{aligned} G^{*2}(x) &= \Pr[Y_1 + Y_2 \leq x] = \int G(x - y) dG(y) \\ G^{*k}(x) &= \int G^{*(k-1)}(x) dG(y) \end{aligned}$$

Modelling loss frequency

- **Binomial distribution**

– We choose fixed volume $v \in \mathbb{N}$ and fixed default probability $p \in (0, 1)$. We say N has a binomial distribution $N \sim \text{Binom}(v, p)$ if

$$p_k = \Pr(N = k) = \binom{v}{k} p^k (1 - p)^{v-k} \quad \forall k \in \{0, \dots, v\} = \mathcal{A}$$

- Assume $N \sim \text{Binom}(v, p)$ for fixed $v \in \mathbb{N}$ and $p \in (0, 1)$

$$\begin{aligned} E[N] &= vp \\ \text{var}(N) &= vp(1-p) \\ \text{Vco}(N) &= \sqrt{\frac{1-p}{vp}} \\ M_N(r) &= (pe^r + (1-p))^v \quad \forall r \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

- **Second characterisation of binomial distribution:**

Assume that $N \sim \text{Binom}(v, p)$ with given $v \in \mathbb{N}$ and $p \in (0, 1)$.

Choose $X_1, \dots, X_v \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Bernoulli}(p)$. Then we have

$$N \stackrel{(d)}{=} \sum_{i=1}^v X_i$$

- **Poisson distribution**

- We choose fixed volume $v > 0$ and fixed expected claims frequency $\lambda > 0$. N has Poisson distribution $N \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda v)$, if

$$p_k = \Pr[N = k] = e^{-\lambda v} \frac{(\lambda v)^k}{k!} \quad \forall k \in \mathcal{A} = \mathbb{N}$$

- Assume $N \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda v)$ for fixed $\lambda, v > 0$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} E[N] &= \lambda v \\ \text{var}(N) &= \lambda v \\ \text{Vco}(N) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{\lambda v}} \\ M_N(r) &= e^{\lambda v(e^r - 1)} \quad \forall r \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

- **Mixed poisson distribution**

- Assume $\Lambda \sim H$ with $H(0) = 0, E[\Lambda] = \lambda$ and $\text{var}(\Lambda) > 0$.
- Conditionally, given Λ , $N \sim \text{Poi}(\Lambda v)$ for fixed volume $v > 0$.
- If N satisfies this definition, then we have $E[N] < \text{var}(N)$.

- **Gamma distribution**

$X \sim \Gamma(\gamma, c)$ with shape parameter $\gamma > 0$ and scale parameter $c > 0$ if X is non-negative, absolutely continuous rv with density

$$f(x) = \frac{c^\gamma}{\Gamma(\gamma)} x^{\gamma-1} e^{-cx}$$

with Gamma function $\Gamma(\cdot)$ is defined as

$$\Gamma(\gamma) = \int_0^\infty x^{\gamma-1} e^{-x} dx \quad (\gamma > 0)$$

- $\Gamma(\gamma + 1) = \gamma \Gamma(\gamma)$

- $\Gamma(1) = \Gamma(2) = 1$ $\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) = \sqrt{\pi}$
- $\Gamma(n) = (n-1)!$

- **Negative-binomial distribution**

- **Definition:** $X \sim \text{NegBin}(\lambda v, \gamma)$ with volume $v > 0$, expected claims frequency $\lambda > 0$ and dispersion parameter $\gamma > 0$ if
 - * $\Theta \sim \Gamma(\gamma, \gamma)$
 - * Conditionally, given Θ , $N \sim \text{Poi}(\Theta \lambda v)$
- **Second definition:** Negative-binomial distribution satisfies for $k \in \mathcal{A} = \mathbb{N}_0$

$$p_k = \Pr[N = k] = \binom{k + \gamma - 1}{k} (1-p)^\gamma p^k$$

where we choose $p = (\lambda v)/(\gamma + \lambda v) \in (0, 1)$

- **Proposition:** Assume $N \sim \text{NegBin}(\lambda v, \gamma)$ for fixed $\lambda, v, \gamma > 0$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} E[N] &= \lambda v \\ \text{var}(N) &= \lambda v(1 + \lambda v/\gamma) > \lambda v \\ \text{Vco}(N) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{\lambda v}} \sqrt{1 + \lambda v/\gamma} > \gamma^{-1/2} > 0 \\ M_N(r) &= \left(\frac{1-p}{1-pe^r} \right)^\gamma \quad \forall r < -\log(p) \end{aligned}$$

where $p = (\lambda v)/(\gamma + \lambda v) \in (0, 1)$.

- **$(a, b, 0)$ class**

- N belongs to $(a, b, 0)$ class (or is a Panjer distribution) if there exist constants $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ such that for all $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ we have the recursion

$$p_k = p_{k-1} \left(a + \frac{b}{k} \right)$$
- **Lemma:** Assume N has a non-degenerate Panjer distribution or belongs to $(a, b, 0)$ class. N is either binomially, Poisson or negative-binomially distributed.

- **$(a, b, 1)$ class**

A count distribution belongs to $(a, b, 1)$ class if there exist constants $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ such that for all $k = 2, 3, \dots$ the probabilities p_k satisfy

$$p_k = p_{k-1} \left(a + \frac{b}{k} \right)$$

- **Zero truncation or modification**

- Consider p_k^0 to be a probability for this member of $(a, b, 0)$.
- Let p_k^M be the corresponding probability for a member of $(a, b, 1)$ where M stands for *modified*.
- Pick a new probability of a zero claim, p_0^M , and define $c = \frac{1-p_0^M}{1-p_0^0}$.

- We then calculate zero modified distribution as $p_k^M = cp_k^0$.
- Note that $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} p_k^M = 1$!

Assume that $p_0^M = 0$, so that probability of $N = 0$ is zero (*truncated at zero*). Then we get zero truncated probabilities (where we use T instead of M now):

$$p_k^T = \begin{cases} 0 & k = 0 \\ \frac{1}{1-p_0^0} p_k^0 & k \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Modelling loss severity

- **Empirical distribution function**

$$\hat{G}_n(y) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n 1_{\{Y_i \leq y\}}$$

- **Loss size index function and empirical version**

$$\mathcal{I}(G(y)) = \frac{\int_0^y z dG(z)}{\int_0^{\infty} z dG(z)} \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\mathcal{I}}_n(\alpha) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{\lfloor n\alpha \rfloor} Y_{(i)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i} \quad \text{for } \alpha \in [0, 1]$$

- **Tail analysis**

Assume that G has **infinite support** and that $\bar{G} = 1 - G$ is survival function.

- $\bar{G} \in \mathcal{R}_{-\alpha}$: $\bar{G} = 1 - G$ is **regularly varying at infinity** with (tail) index $\alpha > 0$ if

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\bar{G}(xt)}{\bar{G}(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - G(xt)}{1 - G(x)} = t^{-\alpha} \quad \forall t > 0$$

- If the above holds true for $\alpha = 0$ then $\bar{G} \in \mathcal{R}_0$.
- If the above holds true for $\alpha = \infty$ then \bar{G} is **rapidly varying at infinity**: $\bar{G} \in \mathcal{R}_{-\infty}$.
- **(empirical) mean excess plot**

$$u \mapsto e(u) = E[Y_i - u | Y > u] \quad \text{and} \quad u \mapsto \hat{e}_n(u) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - u) 1_{\{Y_i > u\}}}{\sum_{i=1}^n 1_{\{Y_i > u\}}}$$

- **(empirical) log-log plot**

$$y \mapsto (\log y, \log(1 - G(y))) \quad \text{and} \quad y \mapsto (\log y, \log(1 - \hat{G}_n(y)))$$

- **Parametric claim size distributions** We use following notation for rv $Y \sim G$:

- g : **density** of Y for G absolutely continuous
- $M_Y(r)$: **moment generating function** of Y in $r \in \mathbb{R}$, where it exists
- μ_Y : **expected value** of Y , if it exists
- σ_Y^2 : **variance** of Y , if it exists
- $V_{\text{co}}(Y)$: **coefficient of variation** of Y , if it exists

- ζ_Y : **skewness** of Y , if it exists
- $\overline{G} = 1 - G$: **survival function** of Y , i.e. $\overline{G}(y) = \Pr[Y > y]$

For the analysis of G also following quantities are of interest

- $E[Y1_{\{u_1 < Y \leq u_2\}}]$: **expected value of Y within layer** $(u_1, u_2]$
- $I(G(y)) = E[Y1_{\{Y \leq y\}}]/\mu_Y$: **loss size index function** for level y
- $e(u) = E[Y - u | Y > u]$: **mean excess function** of Y above u

• Gamma distribution

- $Y \sim \Gamma(\gamma, c)$: Gamma distribution with shape parameter $\gamma > 0$ and scale parameter $c > 0$

$$g(y) = \frac{c^\gamma}{\Gamma(\gamma)} y^{\gamma-1} e^{-cy} \quad \text{for } y \geq 0$$

- No closed form solution for distribution function G

$$G(y) = \int_0^y \frac{c^\gamma}{\Gamma(\gamma)} x^{\gamma-1} e^{-cx} dx = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\gamma)} \int_0^{cy} z^{\gamma-1} e^{-z} dz = \mathcal{G}(\gamma, cy) \quad y \geq 0$$

where $\mathcal{G}(\cdot, \cdot)$ is incomplete gamma function.

- Family of gamma distributions is closed towards multiplication with positive constant, that is, for $\rho > 0$ we have

$$\rho Y \sim \Gamma(\gamma, c/\rho)$$

- For mfg and moments we have

$$\begin{aligned} M_Y(r) &= \left(\frac{c}{c-r} \right)^\gamma & \text{for } r < c \\ \mu_Y &= \frac{\gamma}{c} \\ \sigma_Y^2 &= \frac{\gamma}{c^2} \\ \text{Vco}(Y) &= \gamma^{-1/2} \\ \zeta_Y &= 2\gamma^{-1/2} > 0 \end{aligned}$$

- For $0 \leq u_1 < u_2$ and $u, y > 0$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} E[Y1_{\{u_1 < Y \leq u_2\}}] &= \frac{\gamma}{c} [\mathcal{G}(\gamma+1, cu_2) - \mathcal{G}(\gamma+1, cu_1)] \\ I(G(y)) &= \mathcal{G}(\gamma+1, cy) \\ e(u) &= \frac{\gamma}{c} \left(\frac{1 - \mathcal{G}(\gamma+1, cu)}{1 - \mathcal{G}(\gamma, cu)} \right) - u \end{aligned}$$

- Gamma distribution does not have a regularly varying tail at infinity. In fact, $\overline{G}(y) = 1 - G(y)$ decays roughly as e^{-cy} to 0 as $y \rightarrow \infty$ because e^{-cy} gives asymptotic lower bound and $e^{-(c-\epsilon)y}$ as an asymptotic upper bound for any $\epsilon > 0$ on $\overline{G}(y)$.
- Method of moment estimators are given by

$$\hat{c}^{MM} = \frac{\hat{\mu}_n}{\hat{\sigma}_n^2} \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\gamma}^{MM} = \frac{\hat{\mu}_n^2}{\hat{\sigma}_n^2}$$

- For MLE we have log-likelihood function, set $\mathbf{Y} = (Y_1, \dots, Y_n)'$

$$\ell_{\mathbf{Y}}(\gamma, c) = \sum_{i=1}^n \gamma \log c - \log \Gamma(\gamma) + (\gamma - 1) \log Y_i - cY_i$$

Then MLE $\hat{\gamma}^{MLE}$ of γ is solution

$$\log \gamma - \log \hat{\mu}_n - \frac{\Gamma'(\gamma)}{\Gamma(\gamma)} + \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \log Y_i = 0$$

This is solved numerically and MLE for c is then given by

$$\hat{c}^{MLE} = \frac{\hat{\gamma}^{MLE}}{\hat{\mu}_n}$$

• Weibull distribution

- $Y \sim \text{Weibull}(\tau, c)$ Weibull distributed with shape parameter $\tau > 0$ and scale parameter $c > 0$

$$g(y) = (c\tau)(cy)^{\tau-1}e^{-(cy)^\tau}$$

- Survival function does not have regularly varying tail at infinity, but decay of

$$G(y) = 1 - e^{-(cy)^\tau} \quad \text{for } y \geq 0$$

is slower than in gamma case for $\tau < 1$. In fact $\overline{G}(y) = 1 - G(y)$ decays as $e^{-(cy)^\tau}$ to 0 for $y \rightarrow \infty$.

- Family of Weibull distributions is closed towards multiplication with $\rho > 0$

$$\rho Y \sim \text{Weibull}(\tau, c/\rho)$$

- Mgf does not exist for $\tau < 1$ and $r > 0$ and moments are

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_Y(r) &= \frac{\Gamma(1 + 1/\tau)}{c} \\ \sigma_Y^2 &= \frac{\Gamma(1 + 2/\tau)}{c^2} - \mu_Y^2 \\ \zeta_Y &= \frac{1}{\sigma_Y^3} \left[\frac{\Gamma(1 + 3/\tau)}{c^3} - 3\mu_Y \sigma_Y^2 - \mu_Y^3 \right] \end{aligned}$$

- For $0 \leq u_1 < u_2$ and $u, y > 0$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} E[Y 1_{u_1 < Y \leq u_2}] &= \frac{\Gamma(1 + 1/\tau)}{c} [\mathcal{G}(1 + 1/\tau, (cu_2)^\tau) - \mathcal{G}(1 + 1/\tau, (cu_1)^\tau)] \\ I(G(y)) &= \mathcal{G}(1 + 1/\tau, (cy)^\tau) \\ e(u) &= \frac{\Gamma(1 + 1/\tau)}{c} \left(\frac{1 - \mathcal{G}(1 + 1/\tau, (cu)^\tau)}{e^{-(cu)^\tau}} \right) - u \end{aligned}$$

- Generating Weibull random numbers by observing that we have identity $Y \stackrel{(d)}{=} \frac{1}{c} Z^{1/\tau}$ with $Z \sim \exp(1) \stackrel{(d)}{=} \Gamma(1, 1)$: `rgamma(n, shape=1, rate=1)`

- Method of moment estimators are given by

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{c}^{MM} &= \frac{\Gamma(1 + 1/\hat{\tau}^M M)}{\hat{\mu}_n} \\ \frac{\hat{\sigma}_n^2}{\hat{\mu}_n^2} + 1 &= \frac{1 + 2/\hat{\tau}^{MM}}{\Gamma(1 + 1/\hat{\tau}^M M)^2}\end{aligned}$$

which needs to be solved numerically in \mathbb{R}

- For MLE we need to solve system of equations

$$\begin{aligned}c &= \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^\tau \right)^{-1/\tau} \\ \tau \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \log(cY_i) ((cY_i)^\tau - 1) &= 1\end{aligned}$$

• Log-normal distribution

- $Y \sim \text{LN}(\mu, \sigma^2)$ log-normal distributed with mean parameter $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ and standard deviation parameter $\sigma > 0$

$$\begin{aligned}g(y) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \frac{1}{y} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \frac{(\log y - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2}} \quad \text{for } y \geq 0 \\ G(y) &= \Phi\left(\frac{\log y - \mu}{\sigma}\right)\end{aligned}$$

with $\Phi(\cdot)$ denoting standard Gaussian distribution function.

- Family of log-normal distributions is closed towards multiplication with positive constant, that is, for $\rho > 0$ we have

$$\rho Y \sim \text{log } n(\mu + \log \rho, \sigma^2)$$

- Mgf does not exist for $r > 0$ and we have following moments

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_Y &= e^{\mu + \sigma^2/2} \\ \sigma_Y^2 &= e^{2\mu + \sigma^2} (e^{\sigma^2} - 1) \\ \text{Vco}(Y) &= (e^{\sigma^2} - 1)^{1/2} \\ \zeta_Y &= (e^{\sigma^2} + 2) (e^{\sigma^2} - 1)^{1/2}\end{aligned}$$

- For $0 \leq u_1 < u_2$ and $u, y > 0$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}E[Y 1_{u_1 < Y \leq u_2}] &= \mu_Y \left[\Phi\left(\frac{\log u_2 - (\mu + \sigma^2)}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{\log u_1 - (\mu + \sigma^2)}{\sigma}\right) \right] \\ I(G(y)) &= \Phi\left(\frac{\log y - (\mu + \sigma^2)}{\sigma}\right) \\ e(u) &= \mu_Y \left(\frac{1 - \Phi\left(\frac{\log u - (\mu + \sigma^2)}{\sigma}\right)}{1 - \Phi\left(\frac{\log u - \mu}{\sigma}\right)} \right) - u\end{aligned}$$

- Log-normal distribution does not have regularly varying survival function at infinity.
- Generating log-normal random numbers
 - * Choose standard Gaussian numbers $Z \sim \Phi$
 - * Set $Y = e^{\mu + \sigma Z}$
- Method of moment estimators are given by

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\sigma}^{MM} &= \left[\log \left(\frac{\hat{\sigma}_n^2}{\hat{\mu}_n^2} + 1 \right) \right]^{1/2} \\ \hat{\mu}^{MM} &= \log \hat{m}u_n - (\hat{\sigma}^{MM})^2/2\end{aligned}$$

- MLE is given by

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\mu}^{MLE} &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \log Y_i \\ (\hat{\sigma}^{MLE})^2 &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n (\log Y_i - \hat{\mu}^{MLE})^2\end{aligned}$$

• Log-gamma distribution

- Log-gamma distribution is more heavy tailed than log-normal distribution.
- It is obtained by assuming $\log Y \sim \Gamma(\gamma, c)$ for positive parameters γ and c

$$\begin{aligned}g(y) &= \frac{c^\gamma}{\Gamma(\gamma)} (\log y)^{\gamma-1} y^{-(c+1)} \quad \text{for } y \geq 1 \\ G(y) &= \mathcal{G}(\gamma, c \log y)\end{aligned}$$

- Mgf does not exist for $r > 0$ and for moments we have

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_Y &= \left(\frac{c}{c-1} \right)^\gamma \quad \text{for } c > 1 \\ \sigma_Y^2 &= \left(\frac{c}{c-2} \right)^\gamma - \mu_Y^2 \quad \text{for } c > 2 \\ \zeta_Y &= \frac{1}{\sigma_Y^3} \left[\left(\frac{c}{c-3} \right)^\gamma - 3\mu_Y \sigma_Y^2 - \mu_Y^3 \right] \quad \text{for } c > 3\end{aligned}$$

- For $0 \leq u_1 < u_2$ and $u, y > 0$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}E[Y 1_{u_1 < Y \leq u_2}] &= \left(\frac{c}{c-1} \right)^\gamma [\mathcal{G}(\gamma, (c-1) \log u_2) - \mathcal{G}(\gamma, (c-1) \log u_1)] \\ I(G(y)) &= \mathcal{G}(\gamma, (c-1) \log y) \\ e(u) &= \left(\frac{c}{c-1} \right)^\gamma \left(\frac{1 - \mathcal{G}(\gamma, (c-1) \log u)}{1 - \mathcal{G}(\gamma, c \log u)} \right) - u\end{aligned}$$

- Log-gamma has regularly varying survival function at infinity with $c > 0$
- Method of moment estimators are given by (solved numerically)

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\gamma}^{MM} &= \frac{\log \hat{\mu}_n}{\log \frac{\hat{\sigma}_n^2}{\hat{\mu}_n^2 - 1}} \\ \frac{\log(\hat{\sigma}_n^2 + \hat{\mu}_n^2)}{\log \hat{\mu}_n} &= \frac{\log \hat{\sigma}_n^2 - \log(\hat{\sigma}_n^2 - 2)}{\log \hat{\sigma}_n^2 - \log(\hat{\sigma}_n^2 - 1)}\end{aligned}$$

- MLE is obtained analogously to MLE for gamma observations by simply replacing i by $\log Y_i$

• **Pareto distribution**

- $Y \sim \text{Pareto}(\theta, \alpha)$ with threshold $\theta > 0$ and tail index $\alpha > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} g(y) &= \frac{\alpha}{\theta} \left(\frac{y}{\theta}\right)^{-(\alpha+1)} \quad \text{for } y \geq \theta \\ G(y) &= 1 - \left(\frac{y}{\theta}\right)^{-\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

- Claims above threshold θ are assumed to have regularly varying tails with $\alpha > 0$.
- We have closedness towards multiplication with a positive constant $\rho > 0$

$$\rho Y \sim \text{Pareto}(\theta\rho, \alpha)$$

- Mgf does not exist for $r > 0$ and for moments we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_Y &= \theta \frac{\alpha}{\alpha - 1} \quad \text{for } \alpha > 1 \\ \sigma_Y^2 &= \theta^2 \frac{\alpha}{(\alpha - 1)^2(\alpha - 2)} \quad \text{for } \alpha > 2 \\ \zeta_Y &= \frac{2(1 + \alpha)}{\alpha - 3} \left(\frac{\alpha - 2}{\alpha}\right)^{1/2} \quad \text{for } \alpha > 3 \end{aligned}$$

- For $0 \leq u_1 < u_2$ and $u, y > 0$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} E[Y 1_{u_1 < Y \leq u_2}] &= \theta \frac{\alpha}{\alpha - 1} \left[\left(\frac{u_1}{\theta}\right)^{-\alpha+1} - \left(\frac{u_2}{\theta}\right)^{-\alpha+1} \right] \\ I(G(y)) &= 1 - \left(\frac{y}{\theta}\right)^{-\alpha+1} \\ e(u) &= \frac{1}{\alpha - 1} u \end{aligned}$$

- As soon as we only study tails of distributions we should use MLEs for parameter estimation (MM is not sufficiently robust against outliers). Since threshold θ has natural meaning we only need to estimate α

$$\hat{\alpha}^{MLE} = \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \log Y_i - \log \theta \right)^{-1}$$

- **Lemma:** Assume $Y_1, \dots, Y_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Pareto}(\theta, \alpha)$, then

$$\begin{aligned} E[\hat{\alpha}^{MLE}] &= \frac{n}{n-1} \alpha \\ \text{var}(\hat{\alpha}^{MLE}) &= \frac{n^2}{(n-1)^2(n-2)} \alpha^2 \end{aligned}$$

- We order claims accordingly to $Y_{(1)} \leq Y_{(2)} \leq \dots \leq Y_{(n)}$ and define **Hill estimator**

$$\hat{\alpha}_{k,n}^H = \left(\frac{1}{n-k+1} \sum_{i=k}^n \log Y_{(i)} - \log Y_{(k)} \right)^{-1} \quad \text{for } k < n$$

- Hill estimator is based on rationale that Pareto distribution is closed towards increasing thresholds, i.e. for $Y \sim \text{Pareto}(\theta_0, \gamma)$ and $\theta_1 > \theta_0$ we have

$$\Pr[Y > y | Y \geq \theta_1] = \frac{\left(\frac{y}{\theta_0}\right)^{-\alpha}}{\left(\frac{\theta_1}{\theta_0}\right)^{-\alpha}} = \left(\frac{y}{\theta_1}\right)^{-\alpha} \quad \text{for } y \geq \theta_1$$

- Therefore if data comes from Pareto distribution we should observe stability in $\hat{\alpha}_{k,n}^H$ for changing k .

• Creating new distributions

– Multiplication by a constant

Let X be a continuous r.v. with pdf $f_X(x)$ and cdf $F_X(x)$. Consider transformation $Y = cX$ with $c > 0$. Then

$$F_Y(y) = F_X\left(\frac{y}{c}\right) \quad \text{and} \quad f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{c} f_X\left(\frac{y}{c}\right)$$

– Raising to a power

Let X be a continuous r.v. with pdf $f_X(x)$ and cdf $F_X(x)$.

Let $Y = X^\tau$. Then, if $\tau > 0$,

$$F_Y(y) = F_X(y^{1/\tau}) \quad \text{and} \quad f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{\tau} y^{\frac{1}{\tau}-1} f_X(y^{1/\tau})$$

while, if $\tau < 0$,

$$F_Y(y) = 1 - F_X(y^{1/\tau}) \quad \text{and} \quad f_Y(y) = \left| \frac{1}{\tau} \right| y^{\frac{1}{\tau}-1} f_X(y^{1/\tau})$$

– Exponentiation

Let X be a continuous r.v. with pdf $f_X(x)$ and cdf $F_X(x)$ with $f_X(x) > 0$ for all real x .

Let $Y = \exp(X)$. Then, for $y > 0$,

$$F_Y(y) = F_X(\ln y), \quad \text{and} \quad f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{y} f_X(\ln y)$$

• Probability integral transformation (PIT)

We consider rv X with cdf F , where F is strictly increasing on some interval I , $F = 0$ to the left of I and $F = 1$ to the right of I . F^{-1} is well defined for $x \in I$.

1. Let $Y = F(X)$, then Y has a uniform distribution on $[0, 1]$.
2. Let U be uniform on $[0, 1]$ and let $Z = F^{-1}(U)$. Then the cdf of Z is F .

• k -point mixture distribution

- Consider rv X generated from k distinct subpopulations, where subpopulation i is modeled by the continuous distribution $f_{X_i}(x)$, then the pdf of X is given by

$$f_X(x) = \sum_{i=1}^k p_i f_{X_i}(x), \quad \text{with } 0 < p_i < 1, \quad \sum_{i=1}^k p_i = 1$$

- The cdf, k -th moment and moment generating function of the k -th point mixture are given as

$$F_X(x) = \sum_{i=1}^k p_i F_{X_i}(x)$$

$$\mathbb{E}(X^k) = \sum_{i=1}^k p_i \mathbb{E}(X_i^k)$$

$$M_X(r) = \sum_{i=1}^k p_i M_{X_i}(r)$$

- **Continuous mixture distribution**

- Let X have conditional distribution $f_X(x|\theta)$ at a particular value of θ and let $g(\theta)$ be the pdf of the unknown rv θ . The unconditional pdf of X is

$$f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(x|\theta)g(\theta)d\theta$$

The pdf $g(\theta)$ is known as the prior distribution of θ (prior information or expert opinion is used in the analysis).

- The cdf, k -moment and moment generating function of the continuous mixture are given as

$$F_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F_X(x|\theta)g(\theta)d\theta$$

$$\mathbb{E}(X^k) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mathbb{E}(X^k|\theta)g(\theta)d\theta = \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{E}(X^k|\theta)]$$

$$M_X(r) = \mathbb{E}(e^{rX}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mathbb{E}(e^{tX}|\theta)g(\theta)d\theta$$

- In particular the mean and variance of X are given by

$$\mathbb{E}(X) = \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{E}(X|\theta)]$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \mathbb{E}[\text{Var}(X|\theta)] + \text{Var}[\mathbb{E}(X|\theta)]$$

- **Kolmogorov-Smirnov (KS) test**

Assume an iid sequence Y_1, Y_2, \dots from unknown distribution function G and corresponding empirical distribution function \hat{G}_n of finite sample size n . The non-parametric KS test investigates whether the continuous distribution function G_0 fits to given sample Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n .

- **Glivenko-Cantelli theorem:** the empirical distribution function of an iid sample converges uniformly to true underlying distribution function \mathbb{P} -a.s. ($n \rightarrow \infty$).
- $H_0 : G = G_0$
- $H_1 : G \neq G_0$
- **KS test statistic:**

$$D_n = D_n(Y_1, \dots, Y_n) = \|\hat{G}_n - G_0\|_{\infty} = \sup_y |\hat{G}_n(y) - G_0(y)|$$

- $\sqrt{n}D_n \rightarrow$ **Kolmogorov distribution** K (as $n \rightarrow \infty$)

$$K(y) = 1 - 2 \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{j+1} e^{-2j^2 y^2} \quad (y \in \mathbb{R}_+).$$

- H_0 is rejected on significance level $q \in (0, 1)$ if

$$D_n > n^{-1/2} K^{\leftarrow}(1 - q)$$

where $K^{\leftarrow}(1 - q)$ denotes the $(1 - q)$ -quantile of the Kolmogorov distribution K .

| q | 20% | 10% | 5% | 2% | 1% |
|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| $K^{\leftarrow}(1 - q)$ | 1.07 | 1.22 | 1.36 | 1.52 | 1.63 |

- **Anderson-Darling (AD) test**

- **AD test statistic:**

$$\sup_y |\hat{G}_n(y) - G_0(y)| \sqrt{\psi(G_0(y))}$$

where $\psi : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$ is a weight function.

- $\psi(t(1 - y))^{-1}$ to investigate tails.

- **Pearson's χ^2 test**

- Splits support of G_0 into K disjoint intervals $I_k = [c_k, c_{k+1})$ and groups data accordingly.
- O_k counts the number of observed realisations Y_1, \dots, Y_n in I_k and E_k denotes the expected number of observations in I_k according to G_0 .
- **Test statistic of n observations:**

$$X_{n,K}^2 = \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{(O_k - E_k)^2}{E_k}$$

- If d parameters were estimated, then $X_{n,K}^2$ is compared to χ_{K-1-d}^2 distribution.
- Rule of thumb: $E_k > 4$

- **Information criteria**

Assume we want to compare different densities g_1 and g_2 that were fitted to $\mathbf{Y} = (Y_1, \dots, Y_n)'$. The **Akaike** and **Bayesian Information Criterion** are

$$\begin{aligned} AIC^{(i)} &= -2\ell_{\mathbf{Y}}^{(i)} + 2d^{(i)} \\ BIC^{(i)} &= -2\ell_{\mathbf{Y}}^{(i)} + \log(n)d^{(i)} \end{aligned}$$

where $\ell_{\mathbf{Y}}^{(i)}$ is **log-likelihood function** of density g_i for data \mathbf{Y} and $d^{(i)}$ denotes **number of estimated parameters** in g_i .

- **Re-insurance layers and deductibles**

- In this case the **pure risk premium for claim $Y \sim G$** is given by

$$\begin{aligned} E[(Y - d)_+] &= \int_d^\infty (y - d)dG(y) = E[Y1_{\{Y > d\}}] - dP[Y > d] \\ &= P[Y > d](E[Y|Y > d] - d) = P[Y > d]e(d) \end{aligned}$$

under the assumption that $P[Y > d] > 0$ and that the mean excess function $e(\cdot)$ of Y exists.

- Insurance company covers $(Y \wedge M)$ and pure risk premium for this (bounded) claim is given by

$$\begin{aligned} E[Y \wedge M] &= \int_0^M ydG(y) + MP[Y > M] = E[Y1_{\{Y \leq M\}}] + MP[Y > M] \\ &= E[Y] - (E[Y1_{\{Y > M\}}] - MP[Y > M]) \\ &= E[Y] - P[Y > M]e(M) = E[Y] - E[(Y - M)_+] \end{aligned}$$

- If we combine deductibles with maximal covers we obtain excess-of-loss (XL) (re-)insurance treaties. Assume we have deductible $u_1 > 0$. Insurance treaty “ u_2XLu_1 ” covers claims layer $(u_1, u_1 + u_2]$ that is, this contract covers maximal excess of u_2 above priority u_1 . The pure risk premium for such contracts is then given by

$$E[((Y - u_1)_+) \wedge u_2] = E[(Y - u_1)_+] - E[(Y - u_1 - u_2)_+]$$

- **Theorem: leverage effect of claims inflation:** Choose a fixed deductible $d > 0$ and assume that claim at time 0 is given by Y_0 . Assume that there is a deterministic inflation index $i > 0$ such that claim at time 1 can be represented by $Y_1 \stackrel{(d)}{=} (1 + i)Y_0$. We have

$$E[(Y_1 - d)_+] \geq (1 + i)E[(Y_0 - d)_+]$$

Aggregate loss models or compound distributions

• Compound binomial model

- The total claim amount S has a **compound binomial distribution**, write

$$S \sim \text{CompBinom}(v, p, G)$$

if S has a compound distribution with $N \sim \text{Binom}(v, p)$ for given $v \in \mathbb{N}$ and $p \in (0, 1)$ and individual claim size distribution G .

- **Proposition:** Assume $S \sim \text{CompBinom}(v, p, G)$. We have

$$\begin{aligned} E[S] &= vpE[Y_1] \\ \text{var}(S) &= vp(E[Y_1^2] - pE[Y_1]^2) \\ \text{Vco}(S) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{vp}} \sqrt{1 - p + \text{Vco}(Y_1)^2} \\ M_S(r) &= (pM_{Y_1}(r) + (1 - p))^v \quad r \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

whenever they exist.

- **Corollary - Aggregation property:** Assume that S_1, \dots, S_n are independent with $S_j \sim \text{CompBinom}(v_j, p, G)$ for all $j = 1, \dots, n$. The aggregated claim has a compound binomial distribution with

$$S = \sum_{j=1}^n S_j \sim \text{CompBinom}\left(\sum_{j=1}^n v_j, p, G\right)$$

- **Compound Poisson model**

- The total claim amount S has a **compound Poisson distribution**

$$S \sim \text{CompPoi}(\lambda v, G)$$

if S has compound distribution with $N \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda v)$ for given $\lambda, v > 0$ and individual claim size distribution G .

- **Proposition:** Assume $S \sim \text{CompPoi}(\lambda v, G)$. We have

$$\begin{aligned} E[S] &= \lambda v E[Y_1] \\ \text{var}(S) &= \lambda v E[Y_1^2] \\ \text{Vco}(S) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{\lambda v}} \sqrt{1 + \text{Vco}(Y_1)^2} \\ M_S(r) &= e^{\lambda v (M_{Y_1}(r) - 1)} \quad \text{for } r \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

whenever they exist.

- **Theorem - Aggregation of compound Poisson distributions:** Assume S_1, \dots, S_n are independent with $S_j \sim \text{CompPoi}(\lambda_j v_j, G_j) \forall j = 1, \dots, n$. The aggregated claim has compound Poisson distribution

$$S = \sum_{j=1}^n S_j \sim \text{CompPoi}(\lambda v, G)$$

with

$$v = \sum_{j=1}^n v_j \quad \lambda = \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{v_j}{v} \lambda_j \quad G = \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\lambda_j v_j}{\lambda v} G_j.$$

- **Extension of the compound poisson model**

- Let $(p_j^+)_{j=1, \dots, m}$ be a discrete probability distribution on finite set $\{1, \dots, m\}$. Assume $p_j^+ > 0$ for all j .
- Assume G_j corresponding claim size distributions of the sub-portfolios with $G_j(0) = 0$.
- Define mixture distribution

$$G(y) = \sum_{j=1}^m p_j^+ G_j(y) \quad \text{for } y \in \mathbb{R}$$

Former theorem exactly provides such a mixture distribution with $p_j^+ = \frac{\lambda_j v_j}{\lambda v}$ if we aggregate sub-portfolios.

- Define a discrete random variable I which indicates to which sub-portfolio particular claim Y belongs

$$\mathbb{P}[I = j] = p_j^+ \quad \text{for all } j \in \{1, \dots, m\}$$

- **Definition - Extended compound poisson model:** The total claim amount $S = \sum_{i=1}^N Y_i$ has a compound Poisson distribution as defined before. In addition, we assume that $(Y_i, I_i)_{i \geq 1}$ are iid and independent of N with Y_i having marginal distribution function G with $G(0) = 0$ and I_i having marginal distribution function given before.

- (Y_1, I_1) takes values in $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \{1, \dots, m\}$ and let A_1, \dots, A_n be a measurable disjoint decomposition of $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \{1, \dots, m\}$, i.e.

- * $A_k \cap A_l = \emptyset$ for all $k \neq l$
- * $\cup_{i=1}^n A_k = \mathbb{R}_+ \times \{1, \dots, m\}$

This measurable disjoint decomposition is called admissible for (Y_1, I_1) if for all $k = 1, \dots, n$

$$p^{(k)} = \Pr[(Y_1, I_1) \in A_k] > 0.$$

Note that $\sum_{k=1}^n p^{(k)} = 1$.

- **Theorem - Disjoint decomposition property:** Assume that S fulfils extended compound Poisson model assumptions. We choose an admissible, measurable disjoint decomposition A_1, \dots, A_n for (Y_1, I_1) . Define for $k = 1, \dots, n$ the random variables

$$S_k = \sum_{i=1}^N Y_i 1_{\{(Y_i, I_i) \in A_k\}}$$

S_k are independent and $\text{CompPoi}(\lambda_k v_k, G_k)$ distributed for $k = 1, \dots, n$ with

$$\lambda_k v_k = \lambda v p^{(k)} > 0 \text{ and } G_k(y) = \Pr[Y_1 \leq y | (Y_1, I_1) \in A_k]$$

• Compound negative-binomial model

- The total claim amount S has a **compound Negative-binomial distribution**

$$S \sim \text{CompNB}(\lambda v, \gamma, G)$$

if S has compound distribution with $N \sim \text{NegBin}(\lambda v, \gamma)$ for given $\lambda, v, \gamma > 0$ and individual claim size distribution G .

- **Proposition:** Assume $S \sim \text{CompNB}(\lambda v, \gamma, G)$. We have, whenever they exist

$$\begin{aligned} E[S] &= \lambda v E[Y_1] \\ \text{var}(S) &= \lambda v E[Y_1^2] + (\lambda v)^2 E[Y_1]^2 / \gamma \\ \text{Vco}(S) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{\lambda v} \sqrt{1 + \text{Vco}(Y_1)^2 + \lambda v / \gamma}} > \gamma^{-1/2} \\ M_S(r) &= \left(\frac{1 - p}{1 - p M_{Y_1}(r)} \right)^\gamma \quad \text{for } r \in \mathbb{R} \text{ such that } M_{Y_1}(r) < 1/p \end{aligned}$$

with $p = (\lambda v) / (\gamma + \lambda v) \in (0, 1)$.

Parameter estimation

- **Method of moments (specific case)**

- Assume that there exist strictly positive volumes v_1, \dots, v_T such that the components of $\mathbf{F} = (N_1/v_1, \dots, N_T/v_T)'$ are **independent** with

$$\lambda = E[N_t/v_t] \quad \text{and} \quad \tau_t^2 = \text{var}(N_t/v_t) \in (0, \infty)$$

- **Lemma:** (assumption above holds) Unbiased linear (in \mathbf{F}) estimator for λ with minimal variance is given by

$$\hat{\lambda}_T^{MV} = \left(\sum_{t=1}^T \frac{1}{\tau_t^2} \right)^{-1} \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{N_t/v_t}{\tau_t^2}$$

The variance of this estimator is given by

$$\text{var}(\hat{\lambda}_T^{MV}) = \left(\sum_{t=1}^T \frac{1}{\tau_t^2} \right)^{-1}$$

- **Maximum Likelihood Estimation (MLE) method**

Assume that the components of $\mathbf{N} = (N_1, \dots, N_T)'$ are independent with probability weights $p_k^{(t)}(\vartheta) = \Pr_{\vartheta}[N_t = k] = \Pr[N_t = k]$ which depend on common unknown parameter ϑ .

- **Joint likelihood function for observation \mathbf{N}**

$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathbf{N}}(\vartheta) = \prod_{t=1}^T p_{N_t}^{(t)}(\vartheta)$$

- **Joint log-likelihood function**

$$\ell_{\mathbf{N}}(\vartheta) = \sum_{t=1}^T \log p_{N_t}^{(t)}(\vartheta)$$

- $\hat{\vartheta}_T^{MLE}$ for ϑ based on observation \mathbf{N} is given by

$$\hat{\vartheta}_T^{MLE} = \underset{\vartheta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \mathcal{L}_{\mathbf{N}}(\vartheta) = \underset{\vartheta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \ell_{\mathbf{N}}(\vartheta)$$

- Under suitable regularity properties and real valued parameter, $\hat{\vartheta}_T^{MLE}$ is solution of

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \vartheta} \ell_{\mathbf{N}}(\vartheta) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \vartheta} \sum_{t=1}^T \log p_{N_t}^{(t)}(\vartheta) = 0$$

- **Statistical test - χ^2 goodness-of-fit test**

- $H_0 : N_t \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Poi}(\lambda v_t)$ for $t = 1, \dots, T$.

- **Test statistic**

$$\chi^* = \chi^*(\mathbf{N}) = \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{(N_t/v_t - \lambda)^2}{\lambda/v_t}$$

- Aggregation and disjoint decomposition theorems imply that $N_t \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda v_t)$ can be understood as a sum of v_t iid random variables $X_i \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda)$. Hence

$$N_t \stackrel{(d)}{=} \sum_{i=1}^{v_t} X_i$$

with $E[X_1] = \lambda$ and $\text{var}(X_1) = \lambda$. But then CLT applies as $v_t \rightarrow \infty$

$$\tilde{Z}_t = \frac{N_t/v_t - \lambda}{\sqrt{\lambda/v_t}} = \frac{N_t - \lambda v_t}{\sqrt{\lambda v_t}} \stackrel{(d)}{=} \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{v_t} X_i - \lambda v_t}{\sqrt{\lambda v_t}} \xrightarrow{D} Z_t \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

- Approximate \tilde{Z}_t by $Z_t \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$ for v_t sufficiently large.
- If $Z_1, \dots, Z_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$ then $\sum_{t=1}^T Z_t^2$ has χ_T^2 distribution. Therefore

$$\chi^* = \chi^*(\mathbf{N}) = \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{(N_t/v_t - \lambda)^2}{\lambda v_t} = \sum_{t=1}^T \tilde{Z}_t^2 \stackrel{(d)}{\approx} \sum_{t=1}^T Z_t^2 \sim \chi_T^2$$

- We replace unknown λ by $\hat{\lambda}_T^{MLE}$ and lose 1 df.

$$\hat{\chi}^* = \sum_{t=1}^T v_t \frac{(N_t/v_t - \hat{\lambda}_T^{MLE})^2}{\hat{\lambda}_T^{MLE}} \stackrel{(d)}{\approx} \chi_{T-1}^2$$

Approximations for compound distributions

• Compound distributions - distribution of S

- **Basic recognition features of compound distributions:** Assume S has a compound distribution. We have (whenever they exist)

$$\begin{aligned} E[S] &= E[N]E[Y_1] \\ \text{var}(S) &= \text{var}(N)E[Y_1]^2 + E[N]\text{var}(Y_1) \\ \text{Vco}(S) &= \sqrt{\text{Vco}(N)^2 + \frac{1}{E[N]}\text{Vco}(Y_1)^2} \\ M_S(r) &= M_N(\log(M_{Y_1(r)})) \quad \text{for } r \in \mathbb{R}. \end{aligned}$$

- If assumptions above hold, the **distribution function of S** can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} F_S(x) &= \mathbb{P}[S \leq x] = \sum_{k \in \mathcal{A}} \mathbb{P}\left[\sum_{i=1}^N Y_i \leq x \mid N = k\right] \mathbb{P}[N = k] \\ &= \sum_{k \in \mathcal{A}} \mathbb{P}\left[\sum_{i=1}^k Y_i \leq x\right] \mathbb{P}[N = k] = \sum_{k \in \mathcal{A}} G^{*k}(x) \mathbb{P}[N = k] \end{aligned}$$

G^{*k} denotes the k -th convolution of the distribution function G .
In particular, we have for $Y_1, Y_2 \stackrel{id}{\sim} G$

$$\begin{aligned} G^{*2}(x) &= \mathbb{P}[Y_1 + Y_2 \leq x] = \int G(x - y) dG(y) \\ G^{*k}(x) &= \int G^{*(k-1)}(x) dG(y) \end{aligned}$$

- **Normal approximation**

- **Theorem:** Assume $S \sim \text{CompPoi}(\lambda v, G)$ with G having a finite second moment. We have

$$\frac{S - \lambda v E[Y_1]}{\sqrt{\lambda v E[Y_1^2]}} \Rightarrow N(0, 1) \text{ as } v \rightarrow \infty$$

- **Approximation of the distribution function of S :**

$$P[S \leq x] = P\left[\frac{S - \lambda v E[Y_1]}{\sqrt{\lambda v E[Y_1^2]}} \leq \frac{x - \lambda v E[Y_1]}{\sqrt{\lambda v E[Y_1^2]}}\right] \approx \Phi\left(\frac{x - \lambda v E[Y_1]}{\sqrt{\lambda v E[Y_1^2]}}\right)$$

- **Translated gamma and log-normal approximation**

- We choose $k \in \mathbb{R}$ and define **translated or shifted** random variables

$$X = k + Z \quad \text{where } Z \sim \Gamma(\gamma, c) \quad \text{or} \quad Z \sim LN(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

| Translated gamma case | Translated log-normal case |
|------------------------------|--|
| $E[X] = k + \gamma/c$ | $E[X] = k + e^{\mu + \sigma^2/2}$ |
| $\text{var}(X) = \gamma/c^2$ | $\text{var}(X) = e^{2\mu + \sigma^2} (e^{\sigma^2} - 1)$ |
| $\zeta_X = 2\gamma^{-1/2}$ | $\zeta_X = (e^{\sigma^2} + 2) (e^{\sigma^2} - 1)^{1/2}$ |

- Assume S has a finite third moment. Then we choose

$$X = k + Z \quad \text{where } Z \sim \Gamma(\gamma, c) \quad \text{or} \quad Z \sim LN(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

such that the three parameters of X fulfill

$$E[X] = E[S] \quad \text{var}(X) = \text{var}(S) \quad \zeta_X = \zeta_S$$

- **Edgeworth approximation**

Assume S is compound Poisson distributed with claim size distribution G having a positive radius of convergence $\rho_0 > 0$.

- Normalized random variable

$$Z = \frac{S - \lambda v E[Y_1]}{\sqrt{\lambda v E[Y_1^2]}}$$

$$\Rightarrow E[Z] = 0, \text{var}(Z) = 1 \text{ and } \zeta_Z = \zeta_S.$$

- **Taylor expansion around origin, choose $n \geq 3$**

$$\log M_Z(r) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\frac{d^k}{dr^k} \log M_Z(r)|_{r=0}}{k!} r^k + o(r^n) \quad \text{as } r \rightarrow 0$$

- Set

$$a_k = \frac{\frac{d^k}{dr^k} \log M_Z(r)|_{r=0}}{k!}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_0 = \log M_Z(0) = 0, a_1 = E[Z] = 0 \text{ and } a_2 = \text{var}(Z)/2! = 1/2.$$

- **Approximation**

$$M_Z(r) \approx e^{\frac{1}{2}r^2 + \sum_{k=3}^n a_k r^k} = e^{\frac{1}{2}r^2} e^{\sum_{k=3}^n a_k r^k}$$

- Using second Taylor expansion for $e^x = 1 + x + x^2/2! + \dots$ applied to latter exponential function in last expression, **mgf of Z is approximated by**

$$M_Z(r) \approx e^{r^2/2} \left[1 + \sum_{k=3}^n a_k r^k + \frac{(\sum_{k=3}^n a_k r^k)^2}{2!} + \dots \right]$$

- For appropriate constants $b_k \in \mathbb{R}$ we get approximation (for small r)

$$M_Z(r) \approx e^{r^2/2} \left[1 + a_3 r^3 + \sum_{k \geq 4} b_k r^k \right] \quad (1)$$

- **Lemma:** Let Φ denote the standard Gaussian distribution function and $\Phi^{(k)}$ its k -th derivative. For $k \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and $r \in \mathbb{R}$ we have

$$r^k e^{r^2/2} = (-1)^k \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{rx} \Phi^{(k+1)}(x) dx$$

- Set $X \sim N(0, 1)$ and rewrite approximation (1) as (using the above Lemma):

$$\begin{aligned} M_Z(r) &\approx E[e^{rX}] - a_3 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{rx} \Phi^{(4)}(x) dx + \sum_{k \geq 4} b_k (-1)^k \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{rx} \Phi^{(k+1)}(x) dx \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{rx} \left[\Phi'(x) - a_3 \Phi^{(4)}(x) + \sum_{k \geq 4} b_k (-1)^k \Phi^{(k+1)}(x) \right] dx \end{aligned}$$

Let Z have distribution function F_Z , then the latter suggests approximation

$$dF_Z(z) \approx \left[\Phi'(z) - a_3 \Phi^{(4)}(z) + \sum_{k \geq 4} b_k (-1)^k \Phi^{(k+1)}(z) \right] dz$$

- Integration provides the **Edgeworth approximation** ($x = \sqrt{\lambda v E[Y_1^2]}z + \lambda v E[Y_1]$)

$$P[S \leq x] = F_Z(z) \approx EW(z) \stackrel{def}{=} \Phi(z) - a_3 \Phi^{(3)}(z) + \sum_{k \geq 4} b_k (-1)^k \Phi^{(k)}(z)$$

- The first order approximation of Φ is corrected by higher order terms involving skewness and other higher order terms reflected by a_3 and b_k .
- Consider derivatives $\Phi^{(k)}$ for $k \geq 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi'(z) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-z^2/2} \\ \Phi^{(k)}(z) &= \frac{d^{k-1}}{dz^{k-1}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-z^2/2} = \mathcal{O}\left(z^{k-1} e^{-z^2/2}\right) \quad \text{for } |z| \rightarrow \infty; k \geq 2 \end{aligned}$$

- From this it follows that

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow -\infty} EW(z) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} EW(z) = 1$$

PART B: COPULAS

- A copula C is supermodular (2-increasing) if the inequality

$$C(v_1, v_2) - C(u_1, v_2) - C(v_1, u_2) + C(u_1, u_2) \geq 0$$

is valid for any $u_1 \leq v_1$ and $u_2 \leq v_2$.

- Independence copula

$$C^{\text{ind}}(u_1, u_2) = u_1 u_2$$

- (Co-)monotonicity copula or Fréchet upper bound copula

$$C^{\text{M}}(u_1, u_2) = \min(u_1, u_2)$$

- Counter-monotonicity copula or Fréchet lower bound copula

$$C^{\text{CM}}(u_1, u_2) = \max(u_1 + u_2 - 1, 0)$$

- Gaussian copula

$$C_\rho^{\text{Gauss}}(u_1, u_2) = \int_{-\infty}^{\phi^{-1}(u_1)} \int_{-\infty}^{\phi^{-1}(u_2)} \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{1-\rho^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{s_1^2 - 2\rho s_1 s_2 + s_2^2}{2(1-\rho^2)}\right) ds_1 ds_2$$

- Probability density function of the Gaussian copula

$$\begin{aligned} c_\rho^{\text{Gauss}}(u_1, u_2) &= \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{1-\rho^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{\xi_1^2 - 2\rho\xi_1\xi_2 + \xi_2^2}{2(1-\rho^2)}\right) \frac{d}{du_1}\Phi^{-1}(u_1) \frac{d}{du_2}\Phi^{-1}(u_2) \\ &\stackrel{(*)}{=} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{\xi_1^2 - 2\rho\xi_1\xi_2 + \xi_2^2}{2(1-\rho^2)}\right) \exp\left(\frac{\xi_1^2 + \xi_2^2}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

where $\xi_1 = \Phi^{-1}(u_1)$ and $\xi_2 = \Phi^{-1}(u_2)$.

(*) Note that $\frac{d}{du_i}\Phi^{-1}(u_i) = \frac{1}{\phi(\Phi^{-1}(u_i))} = \sqrt{2\pi} \exp(\frac{\xi_i^2}{2})$.

- Univariate t -distribution with ν degrees of freedom: $Y_1 \sim t_\nu$

$$Y_1 = \frac{X_1}{\sqrt{\xi/\nu}} = \frac{\sqrt{\nu}X_1}{\sqrt{Z_1^2 + \dots + Z_\nu^2}}$$

where $X_1, Z_1, \dots, Z_\nu \sim \text{Normal}(0,1)$ and $\xi \sim \chi_\nu^2$, X_1 independent on \mathbf{Z}

- Bivariate t -distribution with mean $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and shape matrix $\frac{\nu}{\nu-2}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$:

$$(Y_1, Y_2) = \boldsymbol{\mu} + \left(\frac{X_1}{\sqrt{\xi/\nu}}, \frac{X_2}{\sqrt{\xi/\nu}} \right)$$

where $\mathbf{X} = (X_1, X_2) \sim \text{Normal}(\mathbf{0}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$

- Student copula

$$\begin{aligned}
C_{\rho,\nu}^{\text{Student}}(u_1, u_2) &= T_{\rho,\nu}(t_\nu^{-1}(u_1), t_\nu^{-1}(u_2)) \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^{t_\nu^{-1}(u_1)} \int_{-\infty}^{t_\nu^{-1}(u_2)} \frac{ds_1 ds_2}{2\pi\sqrt{1-\rho^2}} \left(1 + \frac{s_1^2 - 2\rho s_1 s_2 + s_2^2}{\nu(1-\rho^2)}\right)^{\frac{-(\nu+2)}{2}}
\end{aligned}$$

where $t_\nu \equiv$ univariate Student distribution with ν df and $T_{\rho,\nu} \equiv$ bivariate Student distribution with ν df and $0 \leq \rho \leq 1$.

- Form of an Archimedean copula

$$C(u_1, u_2) = \phi^{-1}(\phi(u_1) + \phi(u_2))$$

- Archimedean copulas

| Name | Generator | Bivariate copula |
|----------------|--|--|
| Frank copula | $\phi(t) = -\log \left(\frac{\exp(-\theta t) - 1}{\exp(-\theta) - 1} \right)$ ($-\infty < \theta < +\infty$) | $C^{\text{Fr}}(u_1, u_2) = \frac{-1}{\theta} \log \left(1 + \frac{(\exp(-\theta u_1) - 1)(\exp(-\theta u_2) - 1)}{\exp(-\theta) - 1} \right)$ |
| Clayton copula | $\phi(t) = \frac{t^{-\theta} - 1}{\theta}$ ($\theta > 0$) | $C^{\text{Cl}}(u_1, u_2) = \left(u_1^{-\theta} + u_2^{-\theta} - 1 \right)^{-1/\theta}$ |
| Gumbel copula | $\phi(t) = (-\log(t))^\theta$ ($\theta \geq 1$) | $C^{\text{Gu}}(u_1, u_2) = \exp \left(- \left\{ (-\log(u_1))^\theta + (-\log(u_2))^\theta \right\}^{1/\theta} \right)$ |

- Survival copula \bar{C} associated with C

$$\bar{C}(u_1, u_2) = C(1 - u_1, 1 - u_2) + u_1 + u_2 - 1$$

- The construction of the Marshall-Olkin survival copula leads to following copula family

$$\begin{aligned} C_{\alpha_1, \alpha_2}(u_1, u_2) &= \min(u_1^{1-\alpha_1} u_2, u_1 u_2^{1-\alpha_2}) \\ &= \begin{cases} u_1^{1-\alpha_1} u_2 & u_1^{\alpha_1} \geq u_2^{\alpha_2} \\ u_2^{1-\alpha_2} u_1 & u_1^{\alpha_1} < u_2^{\alpha_2} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

- The co-copula C^* and dual \tilde{C} are defined as

$$\begin{aligned} C^*(u_1, u_2) &= 1 - C(1 - u_1, 1 - u_2) \\ \tilde{C}(u_1, u_2) &= u_1 + u_2 - C(u_1, u_2) \end{aligned}$$

- $M_{X,Y} = M_C$ is measure of concordance between rvs X and Y (with copula C) \Leftrightarrow

1. it is defined for every pairs of rvs (completeness)
2. it is a relative (normalized) measure, i.e. $M_{X,Y} \in [-1, 1]$
3. it is symmetric, i.e. $M_{X,Y} = M_{Y,X}$
4. if X and Y are independent, then $M_{X,Y} = 0$
5. $M_{-X,Y} = M_{X,-Y} = -M_{X,Y}$
6. if $\{(X_n, Y_n)\}$ is sequence of continuous rvs with copula C_n and $\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} C_n(x, y) = C(x, y), \forall (x, y) \in [0, 1]^2$ then $\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} M_{X_n, Y_n} = M_{X,Y}$.
7. it respects concordance order: if $C_1 \prec C_2$, then $M_{C_1} \leq M_{C_2}$

- Pearson correlation coefficient between X_1 and X_2

$$\rho = \frac{\text{cov}(X_1, X_2)}{\sigma_{X_1} \sigma_{X_2}} = \frac{E[X_1 X_2] - E[X_1] E[X_2]}{\sigma_{X_1} \sigma_{X_2}}$$

- Kendall's tau

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_\tau(X_1, X_2) &= P \left((X_1^{(1)} - X_1^{(2)})(X_2^{(1)} - X_2^{(2)}) > 0 \right) \\ &\quad - P \left((X_1^{(1)} - X_1^{(2)})(X_2^{(1)} - X_2^{(2)}) < 0 \right) \\ &= E \left[\text{sign} \left((X_1^{(1)} - X_1^{(2)})(X_2^{(1)} - X_2^{(2)}) \right) \right] \\ &\quad \Updownarrow \\ \rho_\tau(X_1, X_2) &= 4 \int \int C_X(u, v) dC_X(u, v) - 1 \end{aligned}$$

- Sample Kendall's tau of a bivariate sample of size M

$$\hat{\rho}_\tau(X_1, X_2) = \binom{M}{2}^{-1} \sum_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq M} \text{sign} \left((X_1^{(i)} - X_1^{(j)})(X_2^{(i)} - X_2^{(j)}) \right)$$

where

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

- Spearman's rho

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_S(X_1, X_2) &= \text{Corr}(F_{X_1}(X_1), F_{X_2}(X_2)) \\ &\Updownarrow \\ \rho_S(X_1, X_2) &= 12 \int \int (C_X(u, v) - uv) du dv \end{aligned}$$

- Sample Spearman's rho of a bivariate sample of size M

$$\hat{\rho}_S(X_1, X_2) = \frac{12}{M(M^2-1)} \sum_{i=1}^M \left(\text{rank}(X_1^{(i)}) - \frac{M+1}{2} \right) \left(\text{rank}(X_2^{(i)}) - \frac{M+1}{2} \right)$$

- ρ_τ and ρ_S for Archimedean copulas

| Family | Kendall's tau | Spearman's rho |
|--------------|--|--|
| Independence | 0 | 0 |
| Clayton | $\frac{\theta}{\theta+2}$ | Complicated |
| Gumbel | $1 - \frac{1}{\theta}$ | No closed-form |
| Frank | $1 - \frac{4}{\theta}(D_1(-\theta) - 1)$ | $1 - \frac{12}{\theta}(D_2(-\theta) - D_1(-\theta))$ |

where the Debye function $D_k(\cdot)$ is defined as

$$D_k(x) = \frac{k}{x^k} \int_0^x \frac{t^k}{e^t - 1} dt, \quad k = 1, 2 \quad \text{and} \quad D_k(-x) = D_k(x) + \frac{kx}{k+1}$$

- **Theorem:** Let $\mathbf{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_N)$ have a meta-Gaussian distribution with continuous marginal cdfs and copula $C^{\text{Gauss}}(\cdot; \boldsymbol{\Omega})$, $(\boldsymbol{\Omega})_{ij} = \rho_{ij}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_\tau(X_i, X_j) &= \frac{2}{\pi} \arcsin(\rho_{ij}) \\ \rho_S(X_i, X_j) &= \frac{6}{\pi} \arcsin\left(\frac{\rho_{ij}}{2}\right) \approx \rho_{ij} \end{aligned}$$

- **Theorem:** Let $\mathbf{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_N)$ have a meta- t_ν distribution with continuous marginal cdfs and copula $C^{\text{Student}}(\cdot; \boldsymbol{\Omega}, \nu)$, then

$$\rho_\tau(X_i, X_j) = \frac{2}{\pi} \arcsin(\rho_{ij})$$

- If the limit $\lambda_u \in [0, 1]$ exists, the coefficient of upper tail dependence of X_1 and X_2 is defined by

$$\lambda_u = \lim_{q \rightarrow 1^-} P\left(X_2 > F_{X_2}^{-1}(q) | X_1 > F_{X_1}^{-1}(q)\right)$$

- If the limit $\lambda_\ell \in [0, 1]$ exists, the coefficient of lower tail dependence of X_1 and X_2 is defined by

$$\lambda_\ell = \lim_{q \rightarrow 0^+} P\left(X_2 \leq F_{X_2}^{-1}(q) | X_1 \leq F_{X_1}^{-1}(q)\right)$$

PART C: GENERALIZED LINEAR MODELS (GLMs)

Tariffication

- We focus on risk adjusted premia using the compound Poisson model $S \sim \text{CompPoi}(\lambda v, G)$ and consider

$$S = \sum_{i=1}^N Y_i = \sum_{\ell=1}^v \sum_{i=1}^{N^{(\ell)}} Y_i^{(\ell)} = \sum_{\ell=1}^v S_{\ell}$$

where $S_{\ell} = \sum_{i=1}^{N^{(\ell)}} Y_i^{(\ell)}$ models total claim amount of policy $\ell = 1, \dots, v$.

- This decoupling provides independent compound Poisson distributions S_{ℓ}

$$S_{\ell} \sim \text{CompPoi}(\lambda_{\ell}, G_{\ell})$$

where we set

- volume $v_{\ell} = 1$
- $\lambda_{\ell} > 0$ is expected number of claims of policy ℓ
- $Y_i^{(\ell)} \sim G_{\ell}$ describes claim size distribution of policy ℓ .
- This implies for mean value of S the following decomposition

$$E[S] = \sum_{\ell=1}^v E[S_{\ell}] = \sum_{\ell=1}^v \lambda_{\ell} E[Y_1^{(\ell)}] = \lambda E[Y_1] \sum_{\ell=1}^v \frac{\lambda_{\ell} E[Y_1^{(\ell)}]}{\lambda E[Y_1]} = \mu \sum_{\ell=1}^v \chi^{(\ell)}$$

where

- $\mu = E[S]/v = \lambda E[Y_1]$ is average claim over all policies
- $\chi^{(\ell)} > 0$ reflects risk characteristics of policy $\ell = 1, \dots, v$.
- **Multiplicative tariff**
We assume that we have only $k = 2$ tariff criteria but generalisation is straightforward. We set up a multiplicative tariff structure

- First criterion has I risk characteristics $i \in \{1, \dots, I\}$
Second criterion has J risk characteristics $j \in \{1, \dots, J\}$
- Thus we have $M = I \cdot J$ different risk classes
- Organize data with observations having **one index per rating factor**. This is suitable for displaying data in a table (tabular form).
- Assume policy ℓ belongs to risk class (i, j) , write $\chi^{(\ell)} = \chi^{(i,j)}$. Hence

$$E[S] = \mu \sum_{i,j} v_{i,j} \chi^{(i,j)}$$

where $v_{i,j}$ denotes number of policies belonging to risk class (i, j) .

- Our aim is to set up a multiplicative tariff structure for these $K = 2$ tariff criteria, i.e. we assume

$$\chi^{(i,j)} = \chi_{1,i}\chi_{2,j}$$

where χ_{k,ℓ_k} describes specifics of criterion k if it has risk characteristics ℓ_k .

We need to find appropriate multiplicative pricing factors $\chi_{1,i}$, $i \in \{1, \dots, I\}$ and $\chi_{2,j}$, $j \in \{1, \dots, J\}$ that describe risk classes (i, j) according to multiplicative tariff structure.

- $S_{i,j}$ is total claim of risk class (i, j) and $v_{i,j}$ is corresponding volume with

$$\sum_{i,j} v_{i,j} = v \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{i,j} S_{i,j} = S$$

- This implies that we need to study

$$E[S_{i,j}] = v_{i,j} \frac{E[S]}{v} \chi^{(i,j)} = v_{i,j} \mu \chi_{1,i} \chi_{2,j}$$

- * $\mu = \lambda E[Y_1]$ is average claim per policy over whole portfolio v
 $\Rightarrow E[S] = v\mu$.
- * $\chi^{(i,j)} = \chi_{1,i}\chi_{2,j}$ describes multiplicative tariff structure fro two tariff criteria.

Simple tariffication methods

• Bailey and Simon

- Specify $\mu, \chi_{1,i}$ and $\chi_{2,j} > 0$ such that following expression (which describes the test statistic of the χ^2 -goodness-of-fit test) is minimized:

$$X^2 = \sum_{i,j} \frac{(S_{i,j} - v_{i,j} \mu \chi_{1,i} \chi_{2,j})^2}{v_{i,j} \mu \chi_{1,i} \chi_{2,j}}$$

We denote the minimizers by $\hat{\mu}$, $\hat{\chi}_{1,i}$ and $\hat{\chi}_{2,j}$.

- **Lemma:** The minimizers have a (systematic) positive bias:

$$\sum_{i,j} v_{i,j} \hat{\mu} \hat{\chi}_{1,i} \hat{\chi}_{2,j} \geq \sum_{i,j} S_{i,j} = S$$

• Bailey and Jung

This method imposes unbiasedness of rows and columns by definition: choose $\mu, \chi_{1,i}$ and $\chi_{2,j} > 0$ such that rows i and columns j satisfy

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=1}^J v_{i,j} \mu \chi_{1,i} \chi_{2,j} &= \sum_{j=1}^J S_{i,j} \\ \sum_{i=1}^I v_{i,j} \mu \chi_{1,i} \chi_{2,j} &= \sum_{i=1}^I S_{i,j} \end{aligned}$$

Gaussian approximation

We consider claims ratio in risk class (i, j) defined by

$$R_{i,j} = S_{i,j}/v_{i,j}$$

- **Expected value for this claim ratio**

$$E[R_{i,j}] = \mu \chi_{1,i} \chi_{2,j}$$

- Model that we consider:

$$X_{i,j} \stackrel{def}{=} \log R_{i,j} \sim \mathcal{N}(\beta_0 + \beta_{1,i} + \beta_{2,j}, \sigma^2)$$

Consequently,

$$\begin{aligned} E[R_{i,j}] &= e^{\beta_0 + \sigma^2/2} e^{\beta_{1,i}} e^{\beta_{2,j}} \\ \text{var}(R_{i,j}) &= E[R_{i,j}]^2 (e^{\sigma^2} - 1) \end{aligned}$$

- The mean has a right multiplicative structure:

$$\text{Set } \mu = e^{\beta_0 + \sigma^2/2}, \chi_{1,i} = e^{\beta_{1,i}} \text{ and } \chi_{2,j} = e^{\beta_{2,j}}$$

- Set $M = I \cdot J$ and define for $X_{i,j} = \log R_{i,j} = \log(S_{i,j}/v_{i,j})$ the vector

$$\mathbf{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_M)' = (X_{1,1}, \dots, X_{1,J}, \dots, X_{I,1}, \dots, X_{I,J})' \in \mathbb{R}^M.$$

Index m will always refer to

$$m = m(i, j) = (i - 1)J + j \in \{1, \dots, M = I \cdot J\}$$

We assume that \mathbf{X} has a multivariate Gaussian distribution

$$\mathbf{X} \sim \mathcal{N}(Z\boldsymbol{\beta}, \Sigma)$$

with

- diagonal covariance matrix $\Sigma = \sigma^2 \text{diag}(w_1, \dots, w_M)$
- parameter vector $\boldsymbol{\beta} = (\beta_0, \beta_{1,2}, \dots, \beta_{1,I}, \beta_{2,2}, \dots, \beta_{2,J})' \in \mathbb{R}^{r+1}$
- design matrix $Z \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times (r+1)}$ with $r + 1 = I + J - 1$ (Z has full rank)

such that for $m = m(i, j)$

$$E[X_{i,j}] = (Z\boldsymbol{\beta})_m = \beta_0 + \beta_{1,i} + \beta_{2,j}$$

We initialize $\beta_{1,1} = \beta_{2,1} = 0$ and β_0 plays role of intercept.

For weights w_m , one often sets $w_m = v_{i,j}^{-1}$, because then for $v_{i,j}$ large:

$$\text{var}(R_{i,j}) = \text{var}(e^{X_{i,j}}) = E[R_{i,j}]^2 (e^{\sigma^2/v_{i,j}} - 1) \approx \frac{\sigma^2}{v_{i,j}} E[R_{i,j}]^2$$

- **Goodness-of-fit analysis**

We assume homoscedasticity, i.e. identical weights $w_{i,j} = w$ and $\Sigma = \sigma^2 w \mathcal{I}$ which implies $\hat{\beta}^{MLE} = (Z'Z)^{-1}Z'X$.

- **Total sum of squares:**

$$\begin{aligned} SS_{tot} &= \sum_m (X_m - \bar{X})^2 = \sum_m (\hat{X}_m - \bar{X})^2 + \sum_m (X_m - \hat{X}_m)^2 \\ &= SS_{reg} + SS_{err} \end{aligned}$$

with $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M X_m$ and $\hat{X} = Z\hat{\beta}^{MLE}$

- **Coefficient of determination R^2 :**

$$R^2 = \frac{SS_{reg}}{SS_{tot}} = 1 - \frac{SS_{err}}{SS_{tot}} \in [0, 1]$$

- **Adjusted coefficient of determination R_a^2 :**

$$R_a^2 = 1 - \frac{SS_{err}/(M - r - 1)}{SS_{tot}/(M - 1)} \in [0, 1]$$

- **The residual standard deviation σ is estimated by:**

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{M} \sum_m (X_m - \hat{X}_m)^2 = \frac{\hat{\epsilon}'\hat{\epsilon}}{M} = \frac{SS_{err}}{M}$$

- * Set $r = I + J - 2$, i.e. dimension of parameter β is $r + 1$

- * $\hat{\sigma}^2$ is MLE for σ^2 and $\frac{M\hat{\sigma}^2}{\sigma^2}$ follows χ_{M-r-1}^2 distribution.

- **Unbiased variance parameter estimator:**

$$\hat{s}^2 = \frac{M}{M - r - 1} \hat{\sigma}^2$$

- **Likelihood ratio test:**

- * We have $r + 1 = I + J - 1$ dimensional parameter vector given by

$$\beta = (\beta_0, \beta_{1,2}, \dots, \beta_{1,I}, \beta_{2,2}, \dots, \beta_{2,J})' \in \mathbb{R}^{r+1}$$

- * Note that model is invariant under permutation of parameters and components.

- * We define

$$\beta = (\beta_0, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_r)' \in \mathbb{R}^{r+1}$$

so that we have ordering of components that is appropriate for next layout.

- * $H_0 : \beta_0 = \dots = \beta_{p-1} = 0$ for given $p < r + 1$

1. Calculate residual differences SS_{err}^{full} and $\hat{\sigma}_{full}$ in **full model** with $r + 1$ dimensional parameter vector $\beta \in \mathbb{R}^{r+1}$

2. Calculate residual differences $SS_{err}^{H_0}$ and $\hat{\sigma}_{H_0}$ in **reduced model** $(\beta_p, \dots, \beta_r)' \in \mathbb{R}^{r+1-p}$

- * Denote the design matrix of the reduced model by Z_0 ; calculate the **likelihood ratio Λ**

$$\begin{aligned}\Lambda &= \frac{\hat{f}_{H_0}(\mathbf{X})}{\hat{f}_{full}(\mathbf{X})} = \left(\frac{\hat{\sigma}_{H_0}}{\hat{\sigma}_{full}} \right)^{-M} \frac{\exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2\hat{\sigma}_{H_0}^2} (\mathbf{X} - Z_0 \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{H_0}^{MLE})' (\mathbf{X} - Z_0 \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{H_0}^{MLE}) \right\}}{\exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2\hat{\sigma}_{full}^2} (\mathbf{X} - Z_0 \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{full}^{MLE})' (\mathbf{X} - Z_0 \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{full}^{MLE}) \right\}} \\ &= \left(\frac{\frac{SS_{err}^{H_0}}{M}}{\frac{SS_{err}^{full}}{M}} \right)^{-M/2} = \left(\frac{SS_{err}^{H_0}}{SS_{err}^{full}} \right)^{-M/2} = \left(1 + \frac{SS_{err}^{H_0} - SS_{err}^{full}}{SS_{err}^{full}} \right)^{-M/2}\end{aligned}$$

- Likelihood ratio test rejects null hypothesis for small values of Λ .
- This is equivalent to rejection for large values of $\frac{SS_{err}^{H_0} - SS_{err}^{full}}{SS_{err}^{full}}$.

- * This motivates to consider the following test statistic F

$$F = \frac{SS_{err}^{H_0} - SS_{err}^{full}}{SS_{err}^{full}} \frac{M - r - 1}{p} = \frac{SS_{err}^{H_0} - SS_{err}^{full}}{p \hat{s}_{full}^2}$$

F has F distribution with $df_1 = p$ and $df_2 = M - r - 1$ degrees of freedom, hence we reject H_0 on significance level $1 - \alpha$ if

$$F > F_{p, M-r-1}^{\leftarrow}(\alpha)$$

Generalized Linear Models (GLM) and tariffication

• Components of a GLM

Denote response Y_i and independent variables $X_i = (x_{i1}, \dots, x_{ik})$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$.

1. **Random component:** Y_i ($1 \leq i \leq n$) independent with density from the exponential family, i.e

$$f(y; \theta, \phi) = \exp \left(\frac{\theta y - b(\theta)}{a(\phi)} + c(y, \phi) \right).$$

ϕ is dispersion parameter and functions $b(\cdot)$, $a(\cdot)$ and $c(\cdot, \cdot)$ are known.

2. **Systematic component** (linear predictor):

$$\eta_i = \beta_1 x_{i1} + \dots + \beta_k x_{ik} = \mathbf{x}_i' \boldsymbol{\beta} \text{ with } \boldsymbol{\beta} = (\beta_1, \dots, \beta_k)$$

3. **Link function:** monotone and differentiable link function $g(\mu_i) = \eta_i = \mathbf{x}_i' \boldsymbol{\beta}$ which combines the linear predictor with the mean $\mu_i = E[Y_i]$ (link between random and systematic component).

g is chosen to ensure that the estimated parameter lies in the admissible space of values.

• Exponential dispersion family

$X \sim f_X$ belongs to exponential dispersion family if f_X is of the form

$$f_X(x; \theta, \phi) = e^{\frac{x\theta - b(\theta)}{\phi/w} + c(x, \phi, w)}$$

Write $X \sim EDF(\theta, \phi, w, b(.))$ where

- $w > 0$ is given weight
- $\phi > 0$ is dispersion parameter
- $\theta \in \Theta$ is unknown parameter of distribution
- $\Theta \subset \mathbb{R}$ is open set of possible parameters θ
- $b : \Theta \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is cumulant function
- $c(., ., .)$ is normalisation, not depending on θ

f_X can be a density in absolutely continuous sense, probability weights in discrete case or mixture.

- **Lemma - Moment generating function:** Choose fixed $b(.)$ and assume that $EDF(\theta, \phi, w, b(.))$ gives well-defined densities with identical supports for all θ in open set Θ . Assume that for any $\theta \in \Theta$ there exists neighbourhood of zero such that mgf $M_X(r)$ of $X \sim EDF(\theta, \phi, w, b(.))$ is finite in this neighbourhood of zero (for r). Then we have for all $\theta \in \Theta$ and r sufficiently close to zero

$$M_X(r) = e^{\frac{b(\theta + r\phi/w) - b(\theta)}{\phi/w}}$$

- **Corollary:** Same assumptions as in Lemma and in addition we assume that $b \in C^2$ in interior of Θ . Then we have

$$E[X] = b'(\theta) \quad \text{and} \quad \text{var}(X) = \frac{\phi}{w} b''(\theta)$$

- **Examples of link functions**

1. **log :**

$$g(\mu) = \log(\mu)$$

2. **logit:**

$$g(\mu) = \log \left\{ \frac{\mu}{1 - \mu} \right\}$$

3. **probit:**

$$g(\mu) = \Phi^{-1}(\mu)$$

where $\Phi(.)$ is the normal cumulative distribution function.

4. **log-log :**

$$g(\mu) = \log(-\log \mu)$$

5. **complementary log-log:**

$$g(\mu) = \log\{-\log(1 - \mu)\}.$$

- **Generalized linear models - goal**

Aim is to express expected claim of risk class (i, j) as expected number of claims times average claims

$$E[S_{i,j}] = E[N_{i,j}]E[Y_{i,j}^{(\ell)}]$$

- $N_{i,j}$ describes number of claims in risk class (i, j)

- $Y_{i,j}^{(\ell)}$ corresponding iid claim sizes for $\ell = 1, \dots, N_{i,j}$ in risk class (i, j)

- **GLM for Poisson claims counts**

We assume that $N_{i,j}$ are independent with $N_{i,j} \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda_{i,j} v_{i,j})$ and $v_{i,j}$ counting number of policies in risk class (i, j) .

- **Proposition:** Solution to MLE problem in Poisson case is given by solution of

$$Z'Ve^{Z\beta} = Z'V\mathbf{X}$$

- Poisson case is rewritten as

$$Z'Ve^{Z\beta^{MLE}} - Z'N = 0$$

- **GLM for gamma claim sizes**

We denote by $n_{i,j}$ number of observations $Y_{i,j}^\ell$ in risk class (i, j) .

- **Proposition:** Solution to MLE problem in gamma case is given by solution of

$$Z'Ve^{Z\beta} = Z'V_\theta\mathbf{X}$$

- **Variable reduction analysis**

- Having observations $\mathbf{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_M)'$ with independent components, we determine MLE $\hat{\beta}^{MLE}$ for $\beta \in \mathbb{R}^{r+1}$ within exponential dispersion family with log-link function g and design matrix $Z \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times (r+1)}$.
- This provides estimate for mean

$$\hat{\mu}_m = b'(\hat{\theta}_m) = e^{(Z\hat{\beta}^{MLE})_m}$$

- We define **inverse function** $h = (b')^{-1}$ which implies that $\hat{\theta}_m = h(\hat{\mu}_m)$.
- **Log-likelihood function** at this estimate is then

$$\ell_{\mathbf{X}}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}) = \sum_m \frac{X_m h(\hat{\mu}_m) - b(h(\hat{\mu}_m))}{\phi/w_m} + c(X_m, \phi, w_m)$$

where we assume that $\phi_m = \phi$ for all $m = 1, \dots, M$.

- Consider model $Z\beta$ and compare it to **saturated model** which has as many parameters as observations

$$\ell_{\mathbf{X}}(\mathbf{X}) = \sum_m \frac{X_m h(X_m) - b(h(X_m))}{\phi/w_m} + c(X_m, \phi, w_m)$$

- **Scaled deviance:**

$$\begin{aligned} D^*(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}) &= 2(\ell_{\mathbf{X}}(\mathbf{X}) - \ell_{\mathbf{X}}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}})) \\ &= \frac{2}{\phi} \sum_m w_m [X_m h(X_m) - b(h(X_m)) - X_m h(\hat{\mu}_m) + b(h(\hat{\mu}_m))] \end{aligned}$$

- **Deviance statistics:**

$$D(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}) = \phi D^*(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}) = 2\phi(\ell_{\mathbf{X}}(\mathbf{X}) - \ell_{\mathbf{X}}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}))$$

- $H_0 : \beta_0 = \dots = \beta_{p-1} = 0$ for given $p < r + 1$
 1. Calculate deviance statistics $D(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{full})$ in full model $\boldsymbol{\beta} \in \mathbb{R}^{r+1}$
 2. Calculate deviance statistics $D(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{H_0})$ under H_0

– **Test statistic F**

$$F = \frac{D(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{H_0}) - D(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{full})}{D(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{full})} \frac{M - r - 1}{p} \geq 0$$

- F is approximated by F -distribution with df given by $df_1 = p$ and $df_2 = M - r - 1$.
- **Second test statistic X^2**

$$X^2 = D^*(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{H_0}) - D^*(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{full}) \geq 0$$

- X^2 is approximately χ^2 -distributed with $df = p$
- For this test statistic, we need to estimate the dispersion parameter ϕ .

• **Dispersion parameter**

- Assume that θ_m was estimated by $\hat{\theta}_m$, then we can estimate ϕ from **Pearson residuals**

$$\hat{\phi}_P = \frac{1}{M - r - 1} \sum_m w_m \frac{(X_m - b'(\hat{\theta}_m))^2}{b''(\hat{\theta}_m)}$$

- Alternative is to use **deviances** and estimate

$$\hat{\phi} = \frac{D(\mathbf{X}, \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{full})}{M - r - 1}$$

• **Accuracy of the model**

- **Pearson's residuals**

$$r_{P,m} = \frac{X_m - b'(\hat{\theta}_m)}{\sqrt{b''(\hat{\theta}_m)/w_m}}$$

- **Deviance residuals**

$$r_{D,m} = \text{sgn}(X_m - b'(\hat{\theta}_m)) \sqrt{2w_m \left[X_m(h(X_m) - \hat{\theta}_m) - b(h(X_m)) + b(\hat{\theta}_m) \right]}$$

for $m = 1, \dots, M$.

Claims reserving

• **Notation:**

- i for accident year and j for development year (with $1 \leq i, j \leq n$).
- Y_{ij} incremental claim at end of development year j of accident year i .
- $C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^j Y_{ik}$ the cumulative claim.
- Outstanding claims reserves: $R_i = C_{in} - C_{i,n-i+1}$
where C_{in} is ultimate claim amount of accident year i .
- Outstanding overall reserve: $R = \sum_{i=1}^n R_i$

- **Chain ladder method:**

- Uses cumulative data and assumes existence of **development factors** $\{f_j | j = 2, \dots, n\}$ such that

$$E[C_{i,k+1} | C_{i1}, \dots, C_{ik}] = C_{ik} f_{k+1} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n, 1 \leq k \leq n-1.$$

and different accident years i are independent.

- Factors are estimated by the chain ladder method as

$$\hat{f}_j = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n-j+1} C_{ij}}{\sum_{i=1}^{n-j+1} C_{i,j-1}} \quad j = 2, \dots, n.$$

- Produce forecasts of future values of cumulative claims:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{C}_{i,n-i+2} &= C_{i,n-i+1} \hat{f}_{n-i+2} & i &= 2, \dots, n \\ \hat{C}_{i,k} &= \hat{C}_{i,k-1} \hat{f}_k & k &= n-i+3, \dots, n. \end{aligned}$$

- **Verbeek's algorithm:**

- First equalities

$$* \hat{\alpha}_1 \sum_{j=1}^n \hat{\beta}_j = RS_1 \rightarrow \hat{\alpha}_1 = RS_1$$

$$* \hat{\alpha}_1 \hat{\beta}_n = CS_n \rightarrow \hat{\beta}_n = \frac{CS_n}{\hat{\alpha}_1}$$

- Assume OK for $l < n$:

$\hat{\beta}_{l+1}, \dots, \hat{\beta}_n$ and $\hat{\alpha}_1, \dots, \hat{\alpha}_{n-l}$ are found, then

$$\begin{aligned} * \hat{\alpha}_{n-l+1} (\sum_{j=1}^l \hat{\beta}_j) &= RS_{n-l+1} \\ \rightarrow \hat{\alpha}_{n-l+1} &= \frac{RS_{n-l+1}}{1 - \sum_{j=l+1}^n \hat{\beta}_j} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} * \sum_{i=1}^{n-l+1} \hat{\alpha}_i \hat{\beta}_l &= CS_l \\ \rightarrow \hat{\beta}_l &= \frac{CS_l}{\sum_{i=1}^{n-l+1} \hat{\alpha}_i} \end{aligned}$$

- Repeat steps for $l+1, \dots, n$

PART D: PREMIUM CALCULATION PRINCIPLES

Simple risk-based principles

Consider 2 different portfolios S_1 and S_2 with same mean $E[S_1] = E[S_2]$ with

1. $S_1 \sim \Gamma(\gamma, c)$ with mean $E[S_1] = \gamma/c$
2. $S_2 \equiv \gamma/c$ a constant

- **Variance loading principle**

Choose a fixed constant $\alpha > 0$ and define the insurance premium π by

$$\pi = E[S] + \alpha \text{var}(S)$$

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$$\pi_1 = E[S_1] + \alpha \text{var}(S_1) = \frac{\gamma}{c} + \alpha \frac{\gamma}{c^2} > \frac{\gamma}{c} = E[S_2] + \alpha \text{var}(S_2) = \pi_2$$

- Assume that $r_{fx} > 0$ is the deterministic exchange rate between 2 different currencies, then we obtain ($r_{fx} \neq 0$)

$$\pi_{fx} = E[r_{fx}S] + \alpha \text{var}(r_{fx}S) = r_{fx}E[S] + r_{fx}^2 \alpha \text{var}(S) \neq r_{fx}\pi.$$

- **Standard deviation loading principle**

Choose fixed constant $\alpha > 0$ and define insurance premium π by

$$\pi = E[S] + \alpha \text{var}(S)^{1/2} = E[S](1 + \alpha \text{Vco}(S))$$

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$$\pi_1 = E[S_1] + \alpha \text{var}(S_1)^{1/2} = \frac{\gamma}{c} + \alpha \frac{\gamma^{1/2}}{c^2} > \frac{\gamma}{c} = E[S_2] + \alpha \text{var}(S_2)^{1/2} = \pi_2$$

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$$\pi_{fx} = E[r_{fx}S] + \alpha \text{var}(r_{fx}S)^{1/2} = r_{fx}E[S] + r_{fx}^2 \alpha \text{var}(S)^{1/2} = r_{fx}\pi.$$

Utility pricing principles

- **Definition preference ordering:** Assume $u : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ strictly increasing and strictly concave on $I \subset \mathbb{R}$, then we prefer position $X \in \chi$ over position $Y \in \chi$, write $X \succeq Y$ if

$$E[u(X)] \geq E[u(Y)].$$

- Strictly increasing implies that if $X \geq Y$ Pr-a.s. and $X > Y$ with positive Pr probability we have

$$E[u(X)] > E[u(Y)]$$

- Strict concavity implies that we can apply **Jensen's inequality**:

$$E[u(X)] \leq u(E[X])$$

- Thus, strict concavity and increasing property of u implies that the policyholder is willing to pay any premium π in non-empty interval

$$\pi \in (E[Y], c_0 - u^{-1}(E[u(c_0 - Y)]))$$

to improve his happiness position.

- **Popular utility functions**

- **Exponential utility function**, constant absolute risk-aversion (CARA) utility function (defined on $I = \mathbb{R}$)

$$u(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{\alpha} e^{-\alpha x} \quad \text{for } \alpha > 0$$

- **Power utility function**, constant relative risk-aversion (CRRA) utility function (defined on $I = \mathbb{R}_+$)

$$u(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^{1-\gamma}}{1-\gamma} & \gamma \neq 1 \\ \log x & \gamma = 1 \end{cases}$$

- **Definition utility indifference price:** Utility indifference price $\pi = \pi(u, F_S, c_0) \in \mathbb{R}$ for utility function u , initial capital $c_0 \in I$ and law of risky position S is given by solutions of

$$u(c_0) = E[u(c_0 + \pi - S)]$$

- **Corollary:** Utility indifference price $\pi = \pi(u, F_S, c_0)$ for initial capital c_0 , risk-averse utility function u and risky position S satisfies

$$\pi = \pi(u, F_S, c_0) > E[S]$$

- **Proposition:** Assume that $u \in C^2$ is a risk-averse utility function on \mathbb{R} . The following two are equivalent

- utility indifference prices $\pi = \pi(u, F_S, c_0)$ do not depend on c_0 for all S
- utility function is of the form

$$u(x) = a - be^{-cx} \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{R}; b, c > 0.$$

- **Insights into risk-aversion**

- **Absolute and relative risk-aversions of u :**

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_{ARA}(x) &= \rho_{ARA}^u(x) = -\frac{u''(x)}{u'(x)} \\ \rho_{RRA}(x) &= \rho_{RRA}^u(x) = -x \frac{u''(x)}{u'(x)} \end{aligned}$$

- The exponential utility function (CARA) with $\alpha > 0$ satisfies for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\rho_{ARA}(x) = \alpha$$

- The power utility function (CRRA) with $\gamma > 0$ satisfies for all $x \in \mathbb{R}_+$

$$\rho_{RRA}(x) = \gamma$$

- Assume u and v are two utility functions that are defined on same interval I . Then, u is more risk-averse than v if for any X with range I we have

$$u^{-1}(E[u(X)]) \leq v^{-1}(E[v(X)])$$

- **Proposition:** Assume that u and v are twice differentiable utility functions defined on same interval $I \subset \mathbb{R}$. Following are equivalent

- u is more risk-averse than v on I
- $\rho_{ARA}^u(x) \geq \rho_{ARA}^v(x)$ for all $x \in I$.

- **Corollary:** Assume u is more risk-averse than v . Then we have for the utility indifference prices

$$\pi(u, F_S, c_0) \geq \pi(v, S, c_0)$$

- **Theorem:** Assume $u \in C^3$ is risk-averse utility function on I . The following are equivalent

- $\pi(u, F_S, c_0)$ is decreasing in c_0 for all S
- ρ_{ARA}^u is decreasing for all $x \in I$.

Esscher premium

- **Esscher (probability) distribution F_α for $\alpha > 0$ of F**

$$F_\alpha(s) = \frac{1}{M_S(\alpha)} \int_{-\infty}^s e^{\alpha x} dF(x)$$

under the additional assumption that the mfg $M_S(\alpha)$ of S exists in α . Note that this defines a normalized distribution function F_α .

- **Esscher premium:** Choose $S \sim F$ and assume that there exists $r_0 > 0$ such that $M_S(r) < \infty$ for all $r \in (-r_0, r_0)$. The Esscher premium π_α of S in $\alpha \in (0, r_0)$ is defined by

$$\pi_\alpha = E_\alpha[S] = \int_{\mathbb{R}} s dF_\alpha(s)$$

- **Corollary:**

$$\pi_\alpha = \frac{d}{dr} \log M_S(r)|_{r=\alpha} \geq E[S]$$

where inequality is strict for non-deterministic S .

Probability distortion pricing principles

- Assume that $S \sim F$ with $S \geq 0$ Pr-a.s., then

$$E[S] = \int_0^\infty x dF(x) = \int_0^\infty \Pr[S > x] dx$$

- **Definition - probability distorted price:** Assume that $h : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is continuous, increasing and concave function with $h(0) = 1, h(1) = 1$ and $h(p) > p$ for all $p \in (0, 1)$. The probability distorted price π_h of $S \geq 0$ is defined by (subject to existence)

$$\pi_h = E_h[S] = \int_0^\infty h(\Pr[S > x]) dx$$

- We obtain risk loading that provides

$$E[S] = \int_0^\infty \Pr[S > x] dx \leq \int_0^\infty h(\Pr[S > x]) dx = E_h[S] = \pi_h$$

where inequality is strict for non-deterministic S .

Cost-of-capital principles

Denote by $\chi \subset L^1(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \Pr)$ the set of (risky) positions X of interest.

- A **risk measure** ϱ on χ is a mapping

$$\varrho : \chi \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{with } X \mapsto \varrho(X)$$

- **Shareholders'/investors' expected return is**

$$r_{CoC} \varrho(S - E[S]) > 0$$

on their investment $\varrho(S - E[S]) > 0$.

- **Cost-of-capital pricing principle**

$$\pi_{CoC} = E[S] + r_{CoC} \varrho(S - E[S]).$$

- **Properties of risk measures - Coherent measures**

Assume that χ is a convex cone containing \mathbb{R} , i.e. it satisfies

- $c \in \chi$ for all $c \in \mathbb{R}$
- $X + Y \in \chi$ for all $X, Y \in \chi$
- $\lambda X \in \chi$ for all $X \in \chi$ and $\lambda > 0$

Assume that ϱ is a risk measure on a convex cone χ containing \mathbb{R} . Then we define for $X, Y \in \chi, c \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\lambda > 0$

1. normalization: $\varrho(0) = 0$
2. monotonicity: for X, Y with $X \leq Y$ Pr-a.s., we have $\varrho(X) \leq \varrho(Y)$
3. translation invariance: for all X and every c we have $\varrho(X + c) = \varrho(X) + c$
4. positive homogeneity: for all X and for every $\lambda > 0$ we have $\varrho(\lambda X) = \lambda \varrho(X)$
5. subadditivity: for all X, Y we have $\varrho(X + Y) \leq \varrho(X) + \varrho(Y)$

Risk measure ϱ is called **coherent** if it satisfies all these properties 1-5.

- **Properties of risk measures - Translation invariance**

- If we hold risky position X and if we inject capital $c > 0$ then loss is reduced to $X - c$. This implies for risk measure ϱ that reduced position satisfies

$$\varrho(X - c) = \varrho(X) - c$$

- This justifies definition of regulatory risk measure as stated above.
- If we sell risky portfolio S and we collect pure risk premium $E[S]$, then risk of residual loss $S - E[S]$ is given by

$$\varrho(S - E[S]) = \varrho(S) - E[S]$$

- **Properties of risk measures - Normalisation and translation invariance**

- Balance sheet of insurance company is called acceptable if its (future) surplus $C_1 \in \chi$ satisfies $\varrho(-C_1) \leq 0$.
- Assume that insurance company sells policy S at price $\pi \geq E[S]$ and at same time it has initial capital $c_0 = \varrho(S - E[S]) \geq 0$. Then future surplus of company is given by $C_1 = c_0 + \pi - S$. Regulator then checks acceptability condition $\varrho(-C_1) = \varrho(-(c_0 + \pi - S)) = -c_0 - \pi + \varrho(S) = -\pi + E[S] \leq 0$.

- Assume that an initial capital $c_0 > 0$ is provided by investor who expects cost-of-capital rate $r_{CoC} > r_0$ on investment. Thus insurance company also needs to finance cost-of-capital cash flow $r_{CoC}c_0 = r_{CoC}\varrho(S - E[S])$ to investor. This can exactly be done with cost-of-capital premium π_{CoC} and insurance keeps its acceptable position if $r_{CoC}c_0$ is also considered as a liability of insurance company.

- **Properties of risk measures - Monotonicity and normalization**

- Imply that more risky positions are charged with higher capital requirements and, in particular, if we have only downside risks, i.e. $X \geq 0$ Pr-a.s., then we will have positive capital charges $\varrho(X) \geq \varrho(0) = 0$

- **Popular risk measures**

- The **standard deviation risk measure** is for S with finite second moment given by

$$\varrho(S) = \alpha\sigma(S) = \alpha \text{var}(S)^{1/2}$$

- The **Value-at-Risk (VaR)** of $S \sim F$ at security level $1 - q \in (0, 1)$ is given by left-continuous generalised inverse of F at $1 - q$

$$\varrho(S) = \text{VaR}_{1-q}(S) = F^{\leftarrow}(1 - q)$$

- The **expected shortfall** is for $S \sim F$ with F continuous

$$\varrho(S) = \text{TVaR}_{1-q}(S) = E[S | S \geq \text{VaR}_{1-q}(S)] = \frac{1}{q} \int_{1-q}^1 \text{VaR}_u(S) du = ES_{1-q}(S)$$

Here the cost-of-capital pricing principle is given by

$$\pi = E[S] + r_{CoC}ES_{1-q}(S - E[S]) = E[S] + r_{CoC}(ES_{1-q}(S) - E[S]).$$

Deflator based pricing principles

- Assume that φ is integral and strictly positive rv with

$$E[\varphi] = d_0 = \frac{1}{1 + r_0} \in (0, 1]$$

d_0 can be seen as deterministic discount factor and $r_0 \geq 0$ as deterministic risk-free rate.

- **Definition deflator based pricing:** Fix $\varphi \in L^1(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \text{Pr})$ strictly positive with $d_0 = 1$ and assume that φ and S are positively correlated. Then we can define the deflator based price by

$$\pi_\varphi^{(0)} = E[\varphi S] \geq E[\varphi]E[S] = E[S]$$

It can be understood as a probability distortion principle because φ allows to define equivalent probability measure Pr^* by Radon-Nikodym derivative as follows

$$\frac{d\text{Pr}^*}{d\text{Pr}} = \varphi$$

because φ is strictly positive density wrt Pr for $d_0 = 1$. Then, we price S under equivalent probability measure Pr^* by

$$\pi_\varphi^{(0)} = E[\varphi S] = E^*[S].$$