

Mimicking L'Aquila: Capturing Key Components of the Earthquake Sequence

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Setting Up

Load packages, and set the number of cores.

```
1 require(tidyverse)
2 require(knitr)
3 require(kableExtra)
4 require(factoextra)
5 require(cluster)
6 require(ETAS.inlabru)
7 require(ggplot2)
8 require(plotly)
9 require(dplyr)
10 require(magrittr)
11 require(tidyquant)
12 require(rnaturalearth)
13 require(terra)
14 require(sf)
15 require(ggspatial)
16 require(rnaturalearthdata)
17 require(lubridate)
18
19 num.cores <- 1
20 future::plan(future::multisession, workers = num.cores)
21 INLA::inla.setOption(num.threads = num.cores)
```

Prior Distributions

Prior distributions of the parameters are set up based on copula transformations.

```
1 # Copula transformations.
2 link.f <- list(
3   mu = \((x) gamma_t(x, .3, .6),
4   K = \((x) unif_t(x, 0, 10),
5   alpha = \((x) unif_t(x, 0, 10),
6   c_ = \((x) unif_t(x, 0, 10),
7   p = \((x) unif_t(x, 1, 10)
8 )
9
10 # Inverse copula transformations.
11 inv.link.f <- list(
12   mu = \((x) inv_gamma_t(x, .3, .6),
13   K = \((x) inv_unif_t(x, 0, 10),
14   alpha = \((x) inv_unif_t(x, 0, 10),
15   c_ = \((x) inv_unif_t(x, 0, 10),
16   p = \((x) inv_unif_t(x, 1, 10)
17 )
```

The prior distributions are sketched.

```
1 # Sample from standard normal distribution.
2 X <- rnorm(1000)
3
```

```

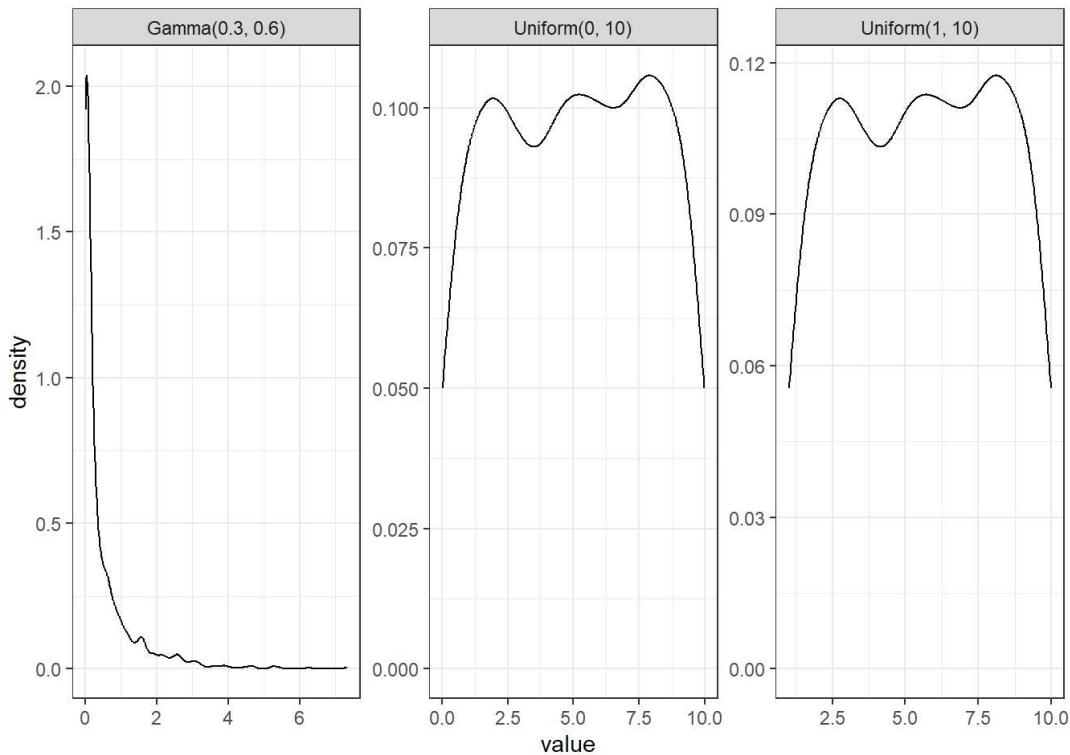
4 # Copula transformations.
5 gamma.X <- gamma_t(X, .3, .6)
6 unif.X <- unif_t(X, 0, 10)
7 unif.X.2 <- unif_t(X, 1, 10)
8
9 # Data frame for plotting.
10 df.to.plot <- rbind(
11   data.frame(
12     value = gamma.X,
13     distribution = "Gamma(0.3, 0.6)"
14   ),
15   data.frame(
16     value = unif.X,
17     distribution = "Uniform(0, 10)"
18   ),
19   data.frame(
20     value = unif.X.2,
21     distribution = "Uniform(1, 10)"
22   )
23 )

```

```

1 # Plot the priors.
2 ggplot(df.to.plot, aes(value)) +
3   geom_density() +
4   theme_bw() +
5   facet_wrap(~ distribution, scales = "free")

```



Prior Distributions of the Parameters

HORUS Data and L'Aquila Sequence

```

1 # Transform HORUS time string in `Date` object, using `UTC` time zone.
2 horus$time_date <- as.POSIXct(
3   horus$time_string,
4   format = "%Y-%m-%dT%H:%M:%OS",
5   tz = "UTC"
6 )
7

```

```

8 # Extract the L'Aquila sequence.
9 start.date <- as.POSIXct("2009-01-01T00:00:00",
10                         format = "%Y-%m-%dT%H:%M:%OS")
11 end.date <- as.POSIXct("2010-01-01T00:00:00", format = "%Y-%m-%dT%H:%M:%OS")
12 min.longitude <- 10.5
13 max.longitude <- 16
14 min.latitude <- 40.5
15 max.latitude <- 45
16 M0 <- 2.5 # Magnitude Cutoff.
17
18 # Conditions of selection.
19 aquila.sel <- (horus$time_date >= start.date) &
20   (horus$time_date < end.date) &
21   (horus$lon >= min.longitude) &
22   (horus$lon <= max.longitude) &
23   (horus$lat >= min.latitude) &
24   (horus$lat <= max.latitude) &
25   (horus$M >= M0)
26
27 # L'Aquila sequence.
28 aquila <- horus[aquila.sel, ]

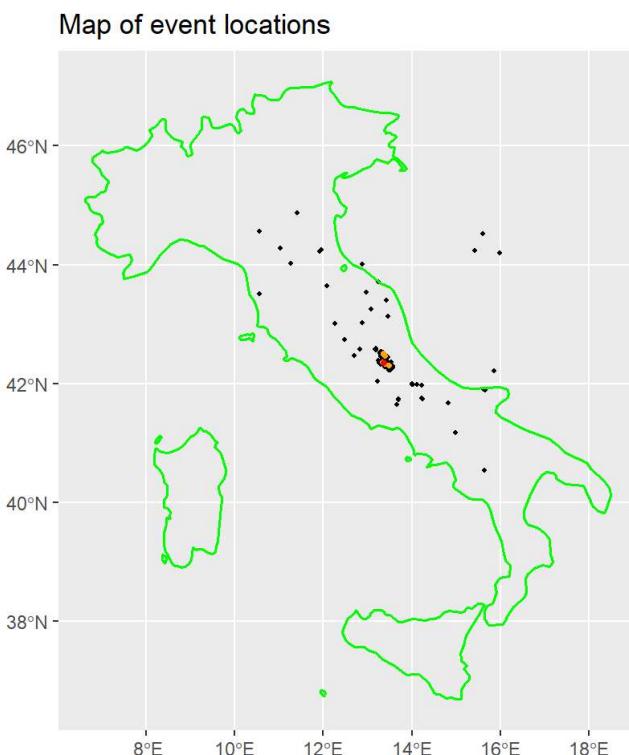
```

Plot the map showing earthquake in Italy in 2009. Magnitudes: 3-5(black dots), 5-6(orange dots), ≥ 6 (red dot)

```

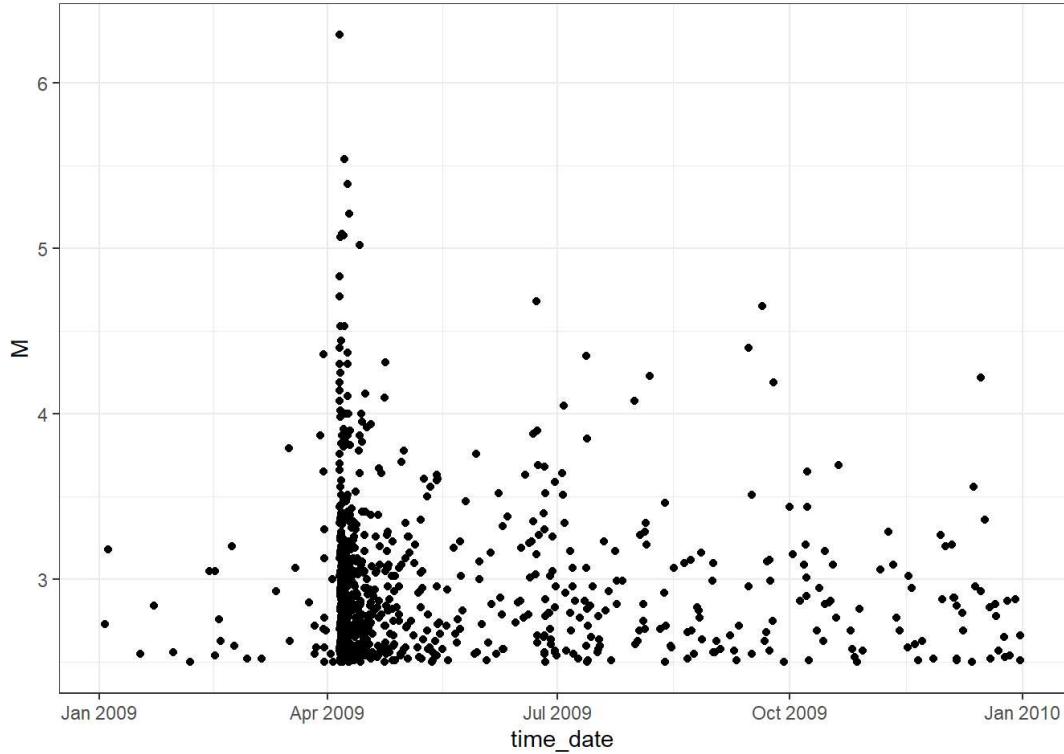
1 italy.map <- ne_countries(country = 'Italy', returnclass = "sf",
2                             scale = 'medium')
3
4 aquila.sf <- st_as_sf(aquila,
5                        coords = c("lon", "lat"),
6                        crs = st_crs('EPSG:4326'))
7
8 ggplot() +
9   geom_sf(data = aquila.sf[aquila$M > 3,], size = 0.8) +
10  geom_sf(data = italy.map, fill = alpha("lightgrey", 0), colour = 'green',
11         linewidth = 0.7) +
12  geom_sf(data = aquila.sf[aquila$M > 5,], size = 0.9, colour = 'orange') +
13  geom_sf(data = aquila.sf[aquila$M > 6,], size = 1, colour = 'red') +
14  ggtitle("Map of event locations")

```



L'Aquila sequence, time versus magnitudes.

```
1 ggplot(aquila, aes(time_date, M)) +  
2   geom_point() +  
3   theme_bw()
```



L'Aquila Seismic Sequence, times versus magnitudes

Other Setups before Modelling

L'Aquila data frame.

```
1 # Data frame of L'Aquila.  
2 aquila.bru <- data.frame(  
3   ts = as.numeric(  
4     difftime(aquila$time_date, start.date, units = "days")  
5   ),  
6   magnitudes = aquila$M,  
7   idx.p = 1 : nrow(aquila)  
8 )
```

Initial values.

```
1 # Initial values.  
2 th.init <- list(  
3   th.mu = inv.link.f$mu(.5),  
4   th.K = inv.link.f$K(.1),  
5   th.alpha = inv.link.f$alpha(1),  
6   th.c = inv.link.f$c_(.1),  
7   th.p = inv.link.f$p(1.1)  
8 )
```

Start and end time points.

```
1 # Set starting and time of the time interval used for model fitting.  
2 # In this case, we use the interval covered by the data.
```

```

3 T1 <- 0
4 T2 <- max(aquila.bru$ts) + .2

```

Bru options.

```

1 # Set up list of bru options.
2 bru.opt.list <- list(
3   bru_verbose = 3, # Type of visual output.
4   bru_max_iter = 70, # Maximum number of iterations.
5   bru_initial = th.init # Initial values.
6 )

```

ETAS Model

```

1 ETAS <- function(data = aquila.bru, m0 = M0, t1 = T1, t2 = T2,
2                     ncore = num.cores, Link.f = link.f,
3                     Bru.opt.list = bru.opt.list, n.samp = 1000,
4                     max.batch = 1000, mag = 4.5, n.breaks = 100,
5                     t.end.tri.post = 5, t.end.tri.prior = 10,
6                     t.end.omori.post = 5, t.end.omori.prior = 5){
7
8   # This function aims at constructing the ETAS model, and returns a list of
9   # modelling information.
10
11  # Maximum Likelihood estimator for theta.
12  beta.p <- 1 / (mean(data$magnitudes) - m0)
13
14  # Fit the model
15  model.fit <- Temporal.ETAS(
16    total.data = data,
17    M0 = m0,
18    T1 = t1,
19    T2 = t2,
20    link.functions = Link.f,
21    coef.t. = 1,
22    delta.t. = .1,
23    N.max. = 5,
24    bru.opt = Bru.opt.list
25  )
26
27  # Create input list to explore model output.
28  input_list <- list(
29    model.fit = model.fit,
30    link.functions = Link.f
31  )
32
33  # Get marginal posterior information.
34  post.list <- get_posterior_param(input.list = input_list)
35
36  # Plot marginal posteriors.
37  postplot <- post.list$post.plot
38
39  # Posterior sampling.
40  post.samp <- post_sampling(
41    input.list = input_list,
42    n.samp = n.samp,
43    max.batch = max.batch,
44    ncore = num.cores
45  )
46
47  # Take the averages of the posterior parameter estimates.
48  post.par <- apply(post.samp, 2, mean)
49
50  # Pair plot.
51  pair.plot <- post_pairs_plot(
52    post.samp = post.samp,

```

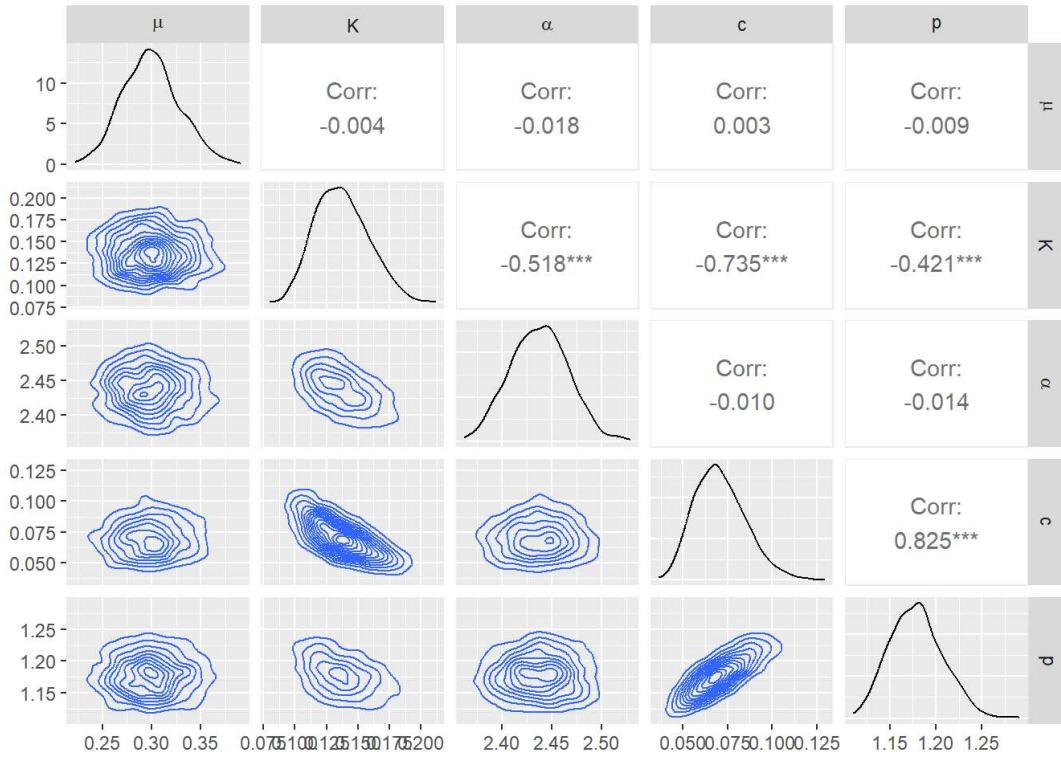
```

53     input.list = NULL,
54     n.samp = NULL,
55     max.batch = max.batch
56   )
57   pairplot <- pair.plot$pair.plot
58
59   # Set additional elements of the list.
60   input_list$T12 <- c(t1, t2)
61   input_list$M0 <- m0
62   input_list$catalog.bru <- data
63
64   # Posterior number of events.
65   N.post <- get_posterior_N(input.list = input_list)
66   Npostplot <- N.post$post.plot
67   Npostmean <- N.post$post.df[which.max(N.post$post.df$mean), 1]
68
69   # Number of Large events.
70   large_events <- data[data$magnitudes >= mag,]
71   Nlarge <- nrow(large_events)
72
73   # Mean absolute distance of the differences in magnitudes.
74   diff_mag <- diff(data$magnitudes)
75   abs_dist_mag <- mean(abs(diff_mag))
76
77   # Mean absolute distance of the inter-arrival time.
78   interarrival <- diff(data$ts)
79   abs_dist_int <- mean(abs(interarrival))
80
81   # Check if over-dispersion occurs.
82   m_int_time <- mean(interarrival)
83   v_int_time <- var(interarrival)
84   overdisp <- m_int_time ^ 2 < v_int_time
85
86   # Triggering function plots.
87   # Posterior plot.
88   triplotpost <- triggering_fun_plot(
89     input.list = input_list,
90     post.samp = post.samp,
91     n.samp = NULL, magnitude = mag,
92     t.end = t.end.tri.post, n.breaks = n.breaks
93   )
94
95   # Prior plot.
96   triplotprior <- triggering_fun_plot_prior(input.list = input_list,
97                                              magnitude = mag, n.samp = n.samp,
98                                              t.end = t.end.tri.prior)
99
100  # Omori plots.
101  # Posterior plot.
102  omoripost <- omori_plot_posterior(input.list = input_list,
103                                       post.samp = post.samp,
104                                       n.samp = NULL, t.end = t.end.omori.post)
105
106  # Prior plot.
107  omoriprior <- omori_plot_prior(input.list = input_list,
108                                   n.samp = n.samp,
109                                   t.end = t.end.omori.prior)
110
111  # Return the whole environment.
112  envir <- as.list(environment())
113  return(tibble::lst(envir))
114 }
115 etas <- ETAS()

```

Pair plot.

```
1 etas$envir$pairplot
```



Pair Plot for Parameters of the L'Aquila Sequence

Effects of mis-specifying parameters

```

1 Copula <- function(mu_a = .3, mu_b = .6,
2                         k_a = 0, k_b = 10,
3                         alp_a = 0, alp_b = 10,
4                         c_a = 0, c_b = 10,
5                         p_a = 1, p_b = 10){
6
7   # This function aims at changing parameters of the prior distributions,
8   # and outputs a list of all the information.
9
10  # Copula transformations.
11  linkf <- list(
12    mu = \((x) gamma_t(x, mu_a, mu_b),
13    K = \((x) unif_t(x, k_a, k_b),
14    alpha = \((x) unif_t(x, alp_a, alp_b),
15    c_ = \((x) unif_t(x, c_a, c_b),
16    p = \((x) unif_t(x, p_a, p_b)
17  )
18
19  # Inverse copula transformations.
20  invlinkf <- list(
21    mu = \((x) inv_gamma_t(x, mu_a, mu_b),
22    K = \((x) inv_unif_t(x, k_a, k_b),
23    alpha = \((x) inv_unif_t(x, alp_a, alp_b),
24    c_ = \((x) inv_unif_t(x, c_a, c_b),
25    p = \((x) inv_unif_t(x, p_a, p_b)
26  )
27
28  # Initial values.
29  thinit <- list(
30    th.mu = invlinkf$mu(.5),
31    th.K = invlinkf$K(1),
32    th.alpha = invlinkf$alpha(1),
33    th.c = invlinkf$c_(1),
34    th.p = invlinkf$p(5)
35  )

```

```

36
37 # Set up list of bru options.
38 bru.opt.list <- list(
39   bru_verbose = 3, # Type of visual output.
40   bru_max_iter = 70, # Maximum number of iterations.
41   bru_initial = th.init # Initial values.
42 )
43
44 # Returns the whole environment.
45 environ <- as.list(environment())
46 return(tibble::lst(environ))
47 }
48
49 # Mis-specify the parameters.
50 cop_mis_mu <- Copula(mu_a = 5, mu_b = 1)
51 cop_mis_K <- Copula(k_a = .99, k_b = 1.01)
52 cop_mis_alpha <- Copula(mu_a = .99, mu_b = 1.01)
53 cop_mis_c <- Copula(c_a = .99, c_b = 1.01)
54 cop_mis_p <- Copula(p_a = 4.9, p_b = 5.1)
55
56 # Fit the models.
57 etas_mis_mu <- ETAS(Link.f = cop_mis_mu$environ$linkf,
58                       Bru.opt.list = cop_mis_mu$environ$bruoptlist)
59 etas_mis_K <- ETAS(Link.f = cop_mis_K$environ$linkf,
60                      Bru.opt.list = cop_mis_K$environ$bruoptlist)
61 etas_mis_alpha <- ETAS(Link.f = cop_mis_alpha$environ$linkf,
62                        Bru.opt.list = cop_mis_alpha$environ$bruoptlist)
63 etas_mis_c <- ETAS(Link.f = cop_mis_c$environ$linkf,
64                      Bru.opt.list = cop_mis_c$environ$bruoptlist)
65 etas_mis_p <- ETAS(Link.f = cop_mis_p$environ$linkf,
66                      Bru.opt.list = cop_mis_p$environ$bruoptlist)

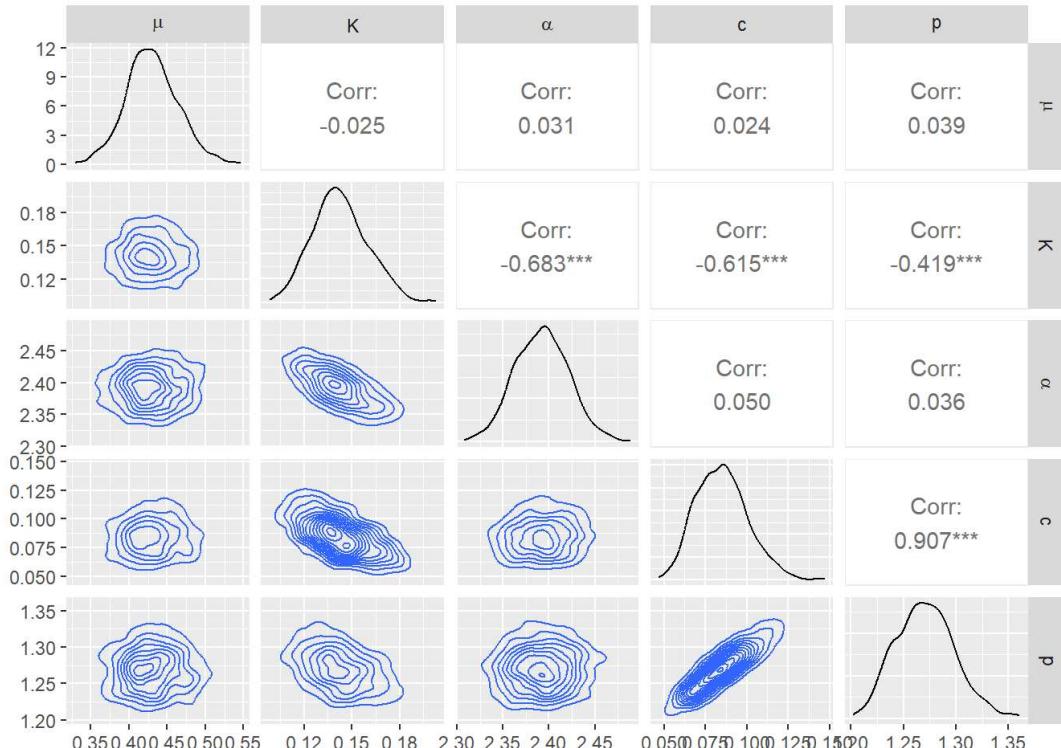
```

Pair plots.

```

1 # Mis-specifying  $\mu$ .
2 etas_mis_mu$envir$pairplot

```



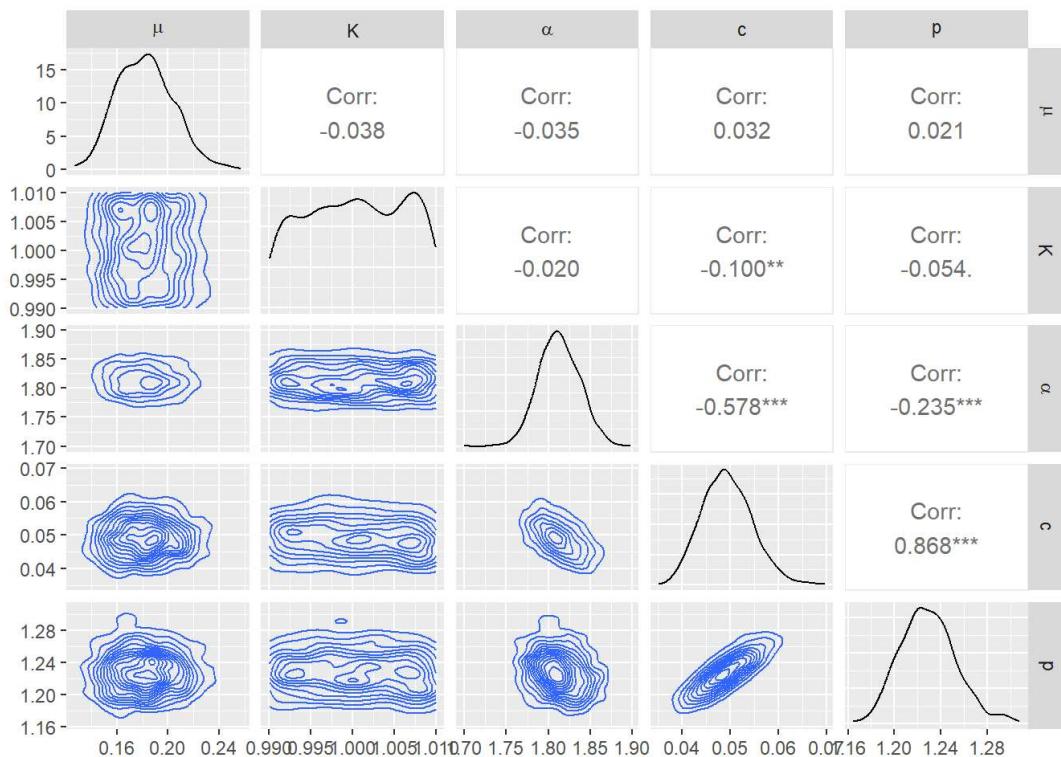
Pair Plots for Parameters of the L'Aquila Sequence, with μ Mis-specified

```

1 # Mis-specifying K.

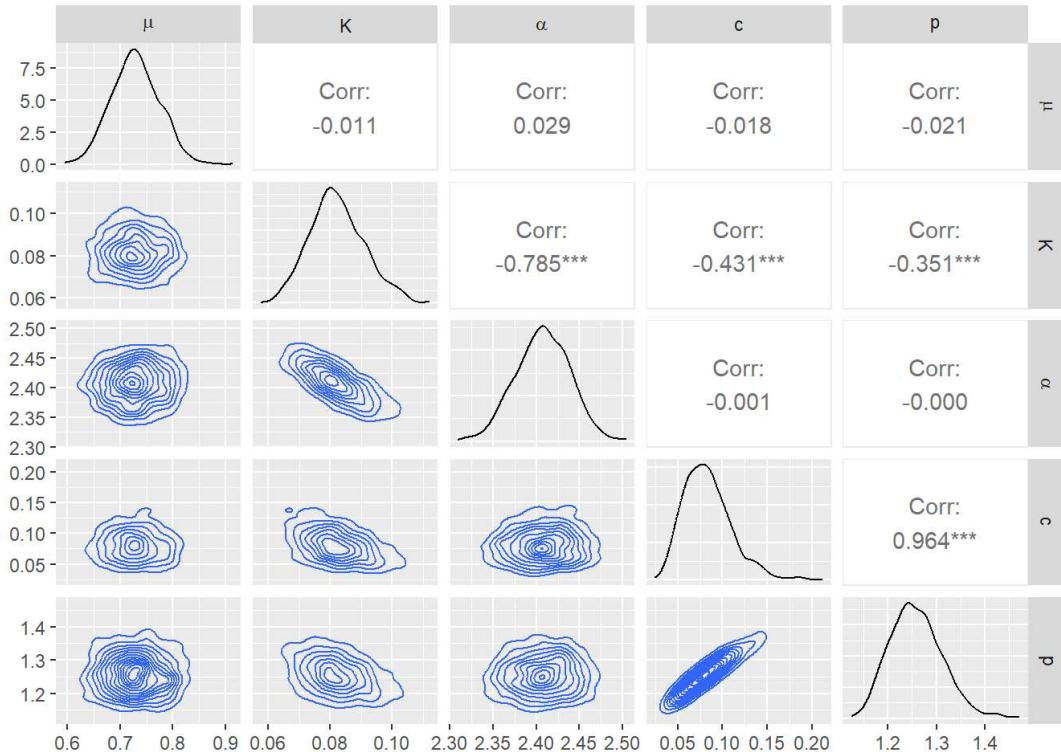
```

```
2 etas_mis_K$envir$pairplot
```



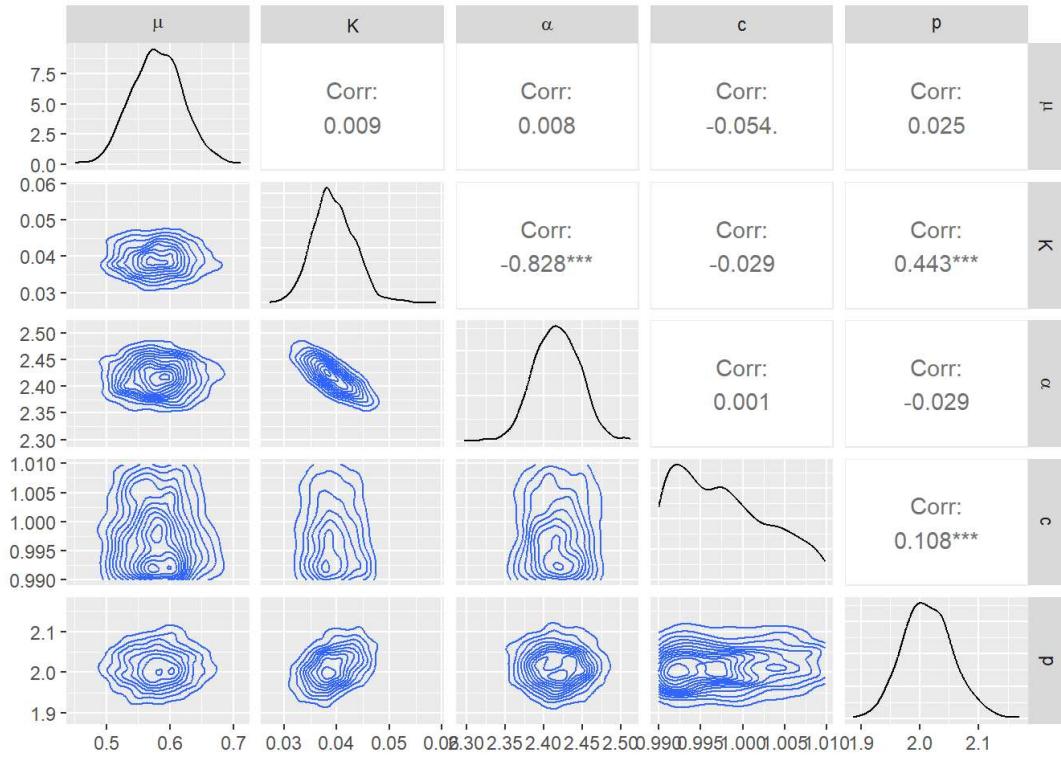
Pair Plots for Parameters of the L'Aquila Sequence, with K Mis-specified

```
1 # Mis-specifying  $\alpha$ .
2 etas_mis_alp$envir$pairplot
```



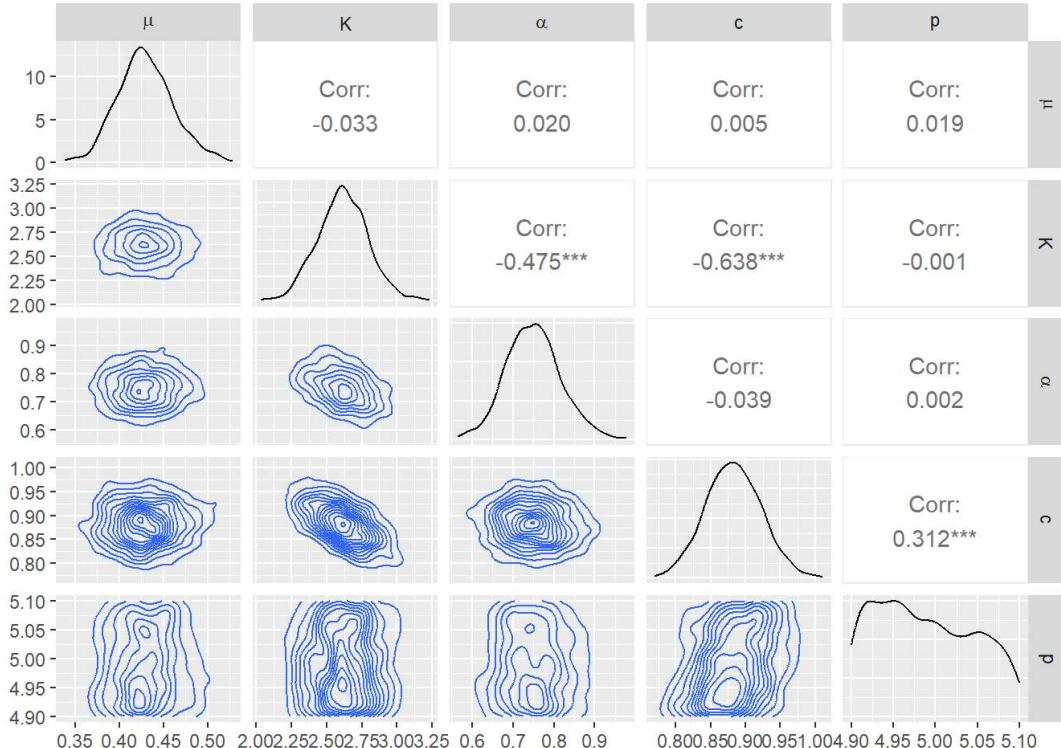
Pair Plots for Parameters of the L'Aquila Sequence, with α Mis-specified

```
1 # Mis-specifying  $c$ .
2 etas_mis_c$envir$pairplot
```



Pair Plots for Parameters of the L'Aquila Sequence, with c Mis-specified

```
1 # Mis-specifying p.
2 etas_mis_p$envir$pairplot
```



Pair Plots for Parameters of the L'Aquila Sequence, with p Mis-specified

Synthetic Catalogues Generation

```
1 mult.synth.ETAS <- function(t1 = NULL, t2 = NULL, n.cat = 1000,
2                               ht = NULL){
```

```

4  # This function aims at generating `n.cat` synthetic catalogues in
5  # between T1 and T2, and the imposed history is set in `ht`.
6
7  # Inherit the environment from the variable `etas`.
8  envir <- etas$envir
9
10 # Update environments if specified by users.
11 envir$t1 <- ifelse(!is.null(t1), t1, envir$t1)
12 envir$t2 <- ifelse(!is.null(t2), t2, envir$t2)
13
14 # Function to generate a synthetic catalogue.
15 synth.gen <- function(i){
16   iteration <- i
17   synth <- generate_temporal_ETAS_synthetic(
18     theta = envir$post.par %>% as.list,
19     beta.p = envir$beta.p,
20     M0 = envir$m0, T1 = envir$t1,
21     T2 = envir$t2, Ht = ht, ncore = num.cores)
22   return(synth)
23 }
24
25 # Generate catalogues as list of lists.
26 multi.synth.cat.list <- lapply(seq_len(n.cat), \((x)
27   synth.gen(x))
28
29 # Stores catalogues as a list of data frames.
30 multi.synth.cat.list.df <- lapply(multi.synth.cat.list,
31                                   \((x) do.call(rbind, x)))
32
33 # Count the number of events in each catalogue.
34 Nevents <- lapply(seq_len(n.cat), \((i) nrow(
35   multi.synth.cat.list.df[[i]])) %>% unlist
36
37 # Count the number of Large events in each catalogue.
38 mag <- etas$envir$mag
39 Nlarge <- lapply(seq_len(n.cat), \((i) sum(
40   multi.synth.cat.list.df[[i]]$magnitudes >= mag)) %>% unlist
41
42 # Extract the highest magnitude in each catalogue.
43 MaxMag <- lapply(seq_len(n.cat), \((i) max(
44   multi.synth.cat.list.df[[i]]$magnitudes)) %>% unlist
45
46 # Set catalogue identifiers.
47 multi.synth.cat.list.df <- lapply(seq_len(n.cat),
48                                   \((x) cbind(
49                                     multi.synth.cat.list.df[[x]],
50                                     cat.idx = x,
51                                     num_events = Nevents[x],
52                                     num_large = Nlarge[x],
53                                     max_mag = MaxMag[x] %>% round(2)))
54
55 # Merge catalogues in a unique data frame.
56 multi.synth.cat.df <- do.call(rbind, multi.synth.cat.list.df)
57
58 # Return the whole environment.
59 environ <- as.list(environment())
60 return(tibble::lst(environ))
61 }
62
63 mult.synth <- mult.synth.ETAS(ht = NULL)

```

Hierarchical Clustering and Sampling

```

1 hier_clu_samp <- function(syn = mult.synth, kmax = 30){
2

```

```

3  # This function aims at performing hierarchical clustering
4  # for the synthetic catalogues specified in `syn`, as well as
5  # selecting 1 sample in each of the `kmax` clusters.
6
7  # Extract the number of events, the number of large events, as well as
8  # the highest magnitude in each catalogue.
9  # Store them into a data frame, and rescale each column.
10 multi.synth.cat.list.df <- syn$environ$multi.synth.cat.list.df
11 syn.cat.info <- multi.synth.cat.list.df %>% length %>% seq_len %>%
12   lapply(\(i) multi.synth.cat.list.df[[i]][1, 5 : 7])
13 synth.df <- do.call(rbind, syn.cat.info)
14 synth.df.rescaled <- do.call(cbind, synth.df %>% ncol %>% seq_len %>%
15   lapply(\(x) (synth.df[, x] - min(synth.df[, x])) /
16             (max(synth.df[, x]) - min(synth.df[, x]))))
17 colnames(synth.df.rescaled) <- c('num_events_rescaled',
18                                     'num_large_rescaled',
19                                     'max_mag_rescaled')
20
21 # Calculate the agglomerative coefficients for different
22 # linkage methods, and select the method with the highest
23 # agglomerative coefficient.
24 link_m <- c('single', 'complete', 'average', 'ward')
25 agg_coef <- link_m %>%
26   sapply(\(i) (synth.df.rescaled %>% agnes(method = i))$ac)
27 method <- agg_coef %>% which.max %>% names
28 method <- ifelse(!(method == 'ward'), method, 'ward.D2')
29
30 # Plot the Dendrogram.
31 dendro <- synth.df.rescaled %>%
32   dist(method = 'euclidean') %>%
33   hclust(method = method) %>% as.dendrogram
34
35 # Determine the optimal number of clusters up to `kmax`.
36 opt_num <- clusGap(synth.df.rescaled, FUN = hcut,
37                     K.max = kmax, B = 20)$Tab[, 3] %>% which.max
38
39 # Add a new column specifying the numbers of clusters.
40 synth.final <- synth.df.rescaled %>%
41   cbind(
42     cluster = synth.df.rescaled %>%
43       dist(method = 'euclidean') %>%
44       hclust(method = method) %>%
45       cutree(k = opt_num)
46   )
47
48 # Plot a 3-dimensional scatter plot of the final data frame.
49 three_d_scatter <- plot_ly(x = synth.df[, 1],
50                             y = synth.df[, 2],
51                             z = synth.df[, 3],
52                             type = 'scatter3d', mode = 'markers',
53                             color = synth.final[, 4]) %>%
54   layout(scene =
55     list(xaxis = list(title = 'Number of Events'),
56          yaxis = list(title = 'Number of Large Events'),
57          zaxis = list(title = 'Maximum Magnitudes')),
58   legend =
59     list(title = list(text = 'Clusters')))
60
61 # Discard catalogues having over 1600 events, since these might
62 # make the models crash.
63 synth <- cbind(synth.df, synth.final[, 4])
64 colnames(synth)[4] <- 'clusters'
65 synth_1600 <- synth[synth$num_events <= 1600,]
66
67 # Select 1 sample from each cluster.
68 categories <- as.factor(synth_1600$clusters)
69 samp.id <- ((categories %>% levels %>% as.numeric) %>%

```

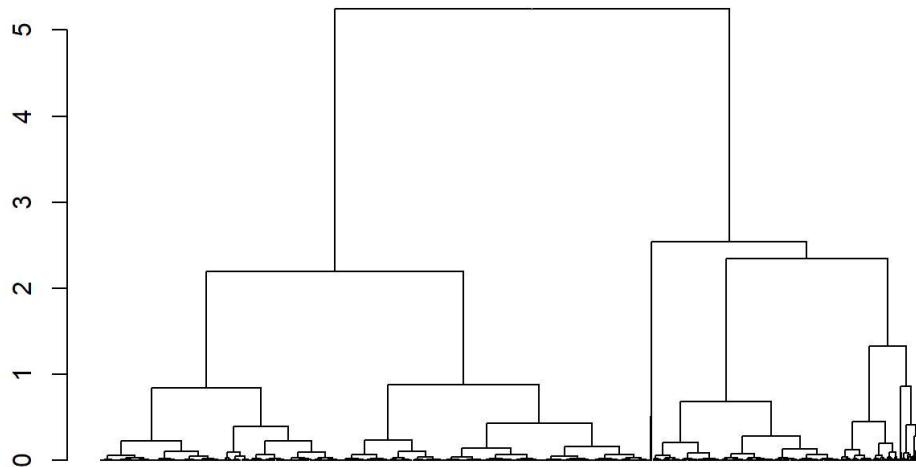
```

70     lapply(
71       \((i)\) (synth_1600$clusters == i) %>%
72         which %>% sample(1))) %>% unlist %>% sample
73
74   # Return the dendrogram, the 3D scatter plot, and the sample IDs.
75   return(tibble::lst(dendro, three_d_scatter, samp.id))
76 }
77 hier_c <- hier_clu_samp(mult.synth) # Hierarchical clustering.
78 sampid <- hier_c$samp.id # IDs of the samples.

```

Dendrogram of the Clustered Catalogues.

```
1 hier_c$dendro %>% plot(leaflab = 'none')
```



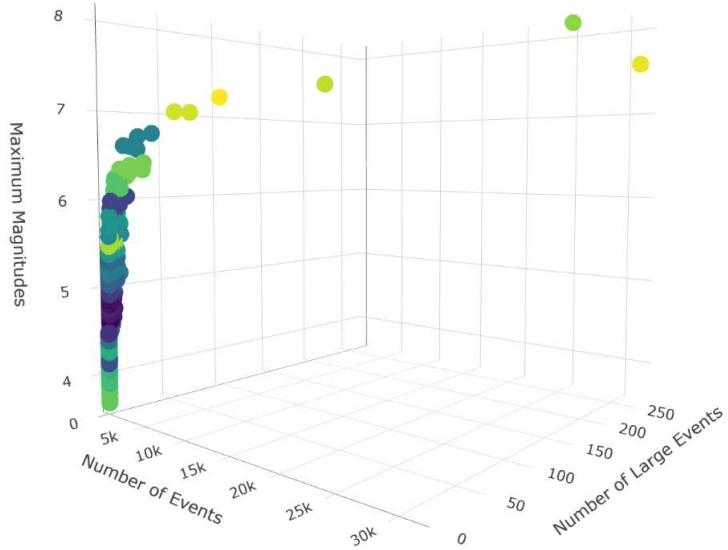
Dendrogram of the Clustered Catalogues

Run this chunk in `Rmarkdown` to get the 3D interactive scatter plot of the clustered catalogues.

```
1 hier_c$three_d_scatter
```

3D Scatter Plot (static) of the Clustered Catalogues.

```
1 knitr::include_graphics('cluster3d.png')
```



3D Scatter Plot of the Clustered Catalogues

```

1 synth.model <- function(syn = mult.synth,
2                           slice = seq(1, 5, by = 1)){
3
4   # This function aims at fitting an ETAS model on the synthetic catalogues
5   # specified in `syn`.
6
7   # Extract characteristics and sample IDs.
8   Nevents <- syn$environment$Nevents
9   Nlarge <- syn$environment$Nlarge
10  MaxMag <- syn$environment$MaxMag %>% round(2)
11  samp.id <- sampid[slice]
12
13  # Create a data frame of the catalogues to be plotted.
14  cat.df.for.plotting <- rbind(
15    syn$environment$multi.synth.cat.df[
16      which(
17        syn$environment$multi.synth.cat.df$cat.idx %in% samp.id),
18      ],
19      cbind(syn$environment$envir$data[, c("ts", "magnitudes")],
20        gen = NA, cat.idx = "observed", num_events = nrow(etas$envir$data),
21        num_large = etas$envir$Nlarge,
22        max_mag = max(etas$envir$data$magnitudes) %>% round(2)
23      )
24    )
25
26  # Plot synthetic catalogues.
27  multi.synth.cat.plot <- ggplot(cat.df.for.plotting,
28    aes(ts, magnitudes)) +
29    geom_point(size = 0.5) +
30    geom_point(
31      data = syn$environment$ht,
32      mapping = aes(ts, magnitudes), colour = "black"
33    ) +
34    facet_wrap(facets = vars(cat.idx, num_events, num_large, max_mag),
35               labeller = 'label_both', ncol = 6)
36
37  # ETAS model fitting.
38
39  post <- rep(list(NULL), samp.id %>% length) # Posterior list.
40  post.par <- matrix(rep(0, (samp.id %>% length) * 5),
41                     ncol = 5) # Posterior parameters.
42
43  for(i in samp.id %>% length %>% seq_len){

```

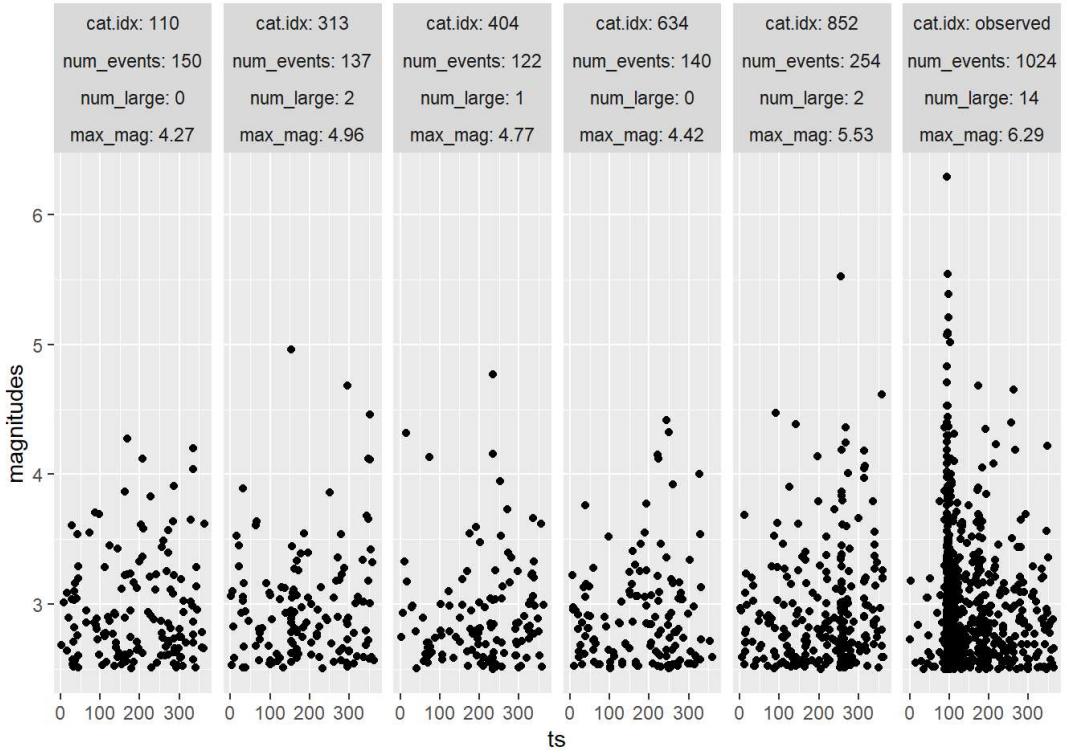
```

44      # Fit the ETAS model.
45      multi.synth.etas <- ETAS(data =
46          syn$environment$multi.synth.cat.list.df[[samp.id[i]]],
47          t1 = syn$environment$envir$t1,
48          t2 = syn$environment$envir$t2)
49
50      # Store the information.
51      post[[i]] <- multi.synth.etas$envir$post.list
52      post.par[i,] <- multi.synth.etas$envir$post.par
53
54      # Legends of the plots.
55      post[[i]]$post.df$Catalogues <-
56          paste('Random Catalogue', i, ':\n', Nevents[samp.id[i]],
57          'Events, with', Nlar[samp.id[i]], 'Large Events,\n',
58          'and the Highest Magnitude is', MaxMag[samp.id[i]])
59  }
60
61  # Define a data frame for true parameters.
62  df.true.param <- data.frame(x = etas$envir$post.par,
63                               param = names(etas$envir$post.par %>% as.list))
64
65  # Bind marginal posterior data frames.
66  bind.post.df <- do.call(rbind,
67                          lapply(samp.id %>% length %>% seq_len,
68                                 \((i) post[[i]]$post.df)))
69
70  # Plot the posterior parameter plots.
71  post.par.plot <- ggplot(bind.post.df,
72                          aes(x = x, y = y, colour = Catalogues)) +
73      geom_line() +
74      facet_wrap(facets = ~ param, scales = "free") +
75      xlab("param") +
76      ylab("pdf") +
77      geom_vline(
78          data = df.true.param,
79          mapping = aes(xintercept = x), linetype = 2
80      )
81
82  # Return the whole environment.
83  environ <- as.list(environment())
84  return(tibble::lst(environ))
85  }
86  # Fit the model of the sampled organic catalogues.
87  mult.synth.fit <- lapply(seq_len(5), \((i) synth.model(syn = mult.synth,
88                           slice = seq(5 * (i - 1) + 1, 5 * i, by = 1))))

```

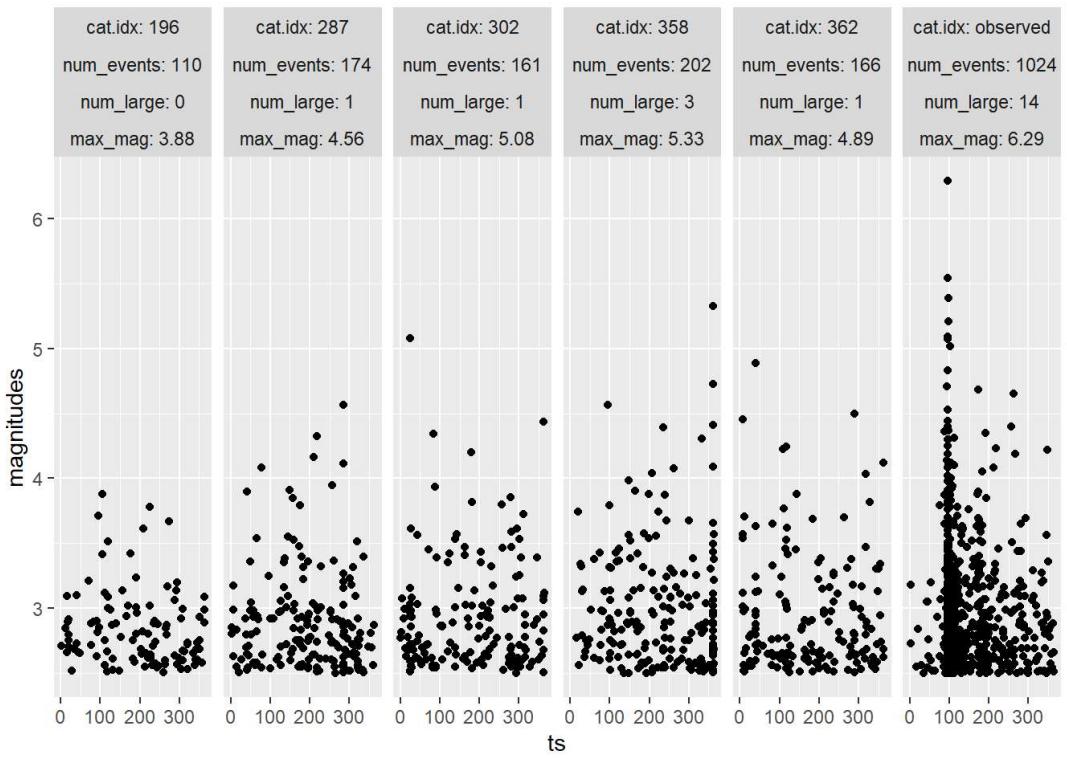
Synthetic catalogues, time vs magnitudes.

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[1]]$environment$multi.synth.cat.plot
```



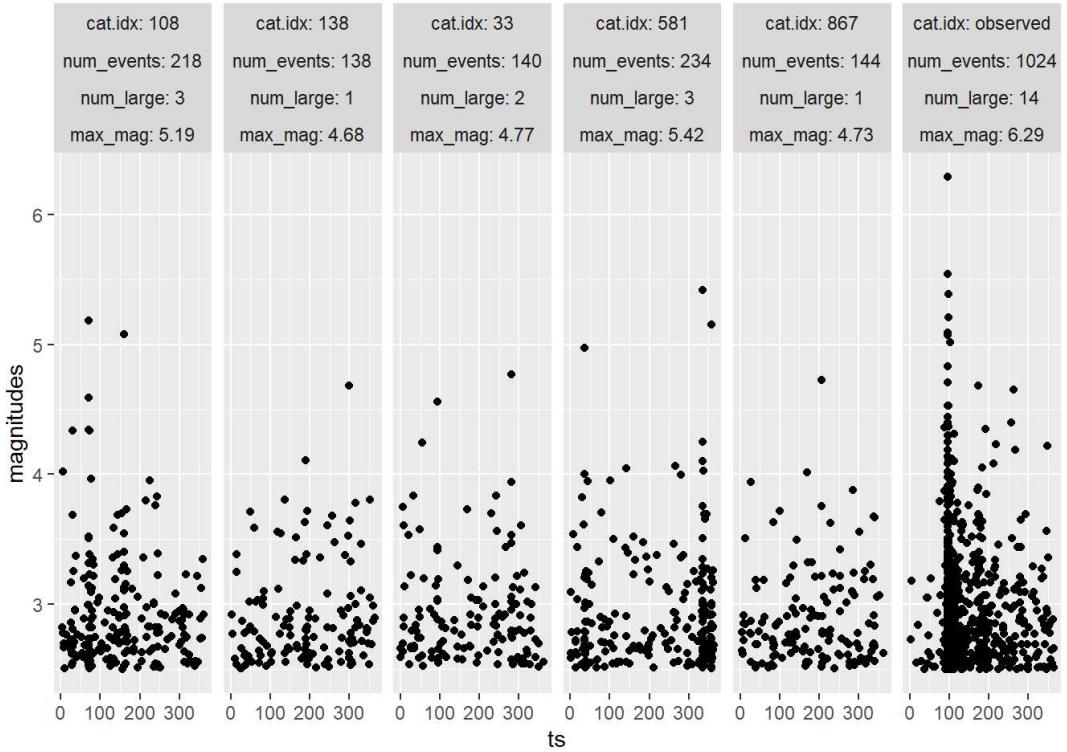
Synthetic Catalogues, Time vs Magnitudes

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[2]]$environ$multi.synth.cat.plot
```



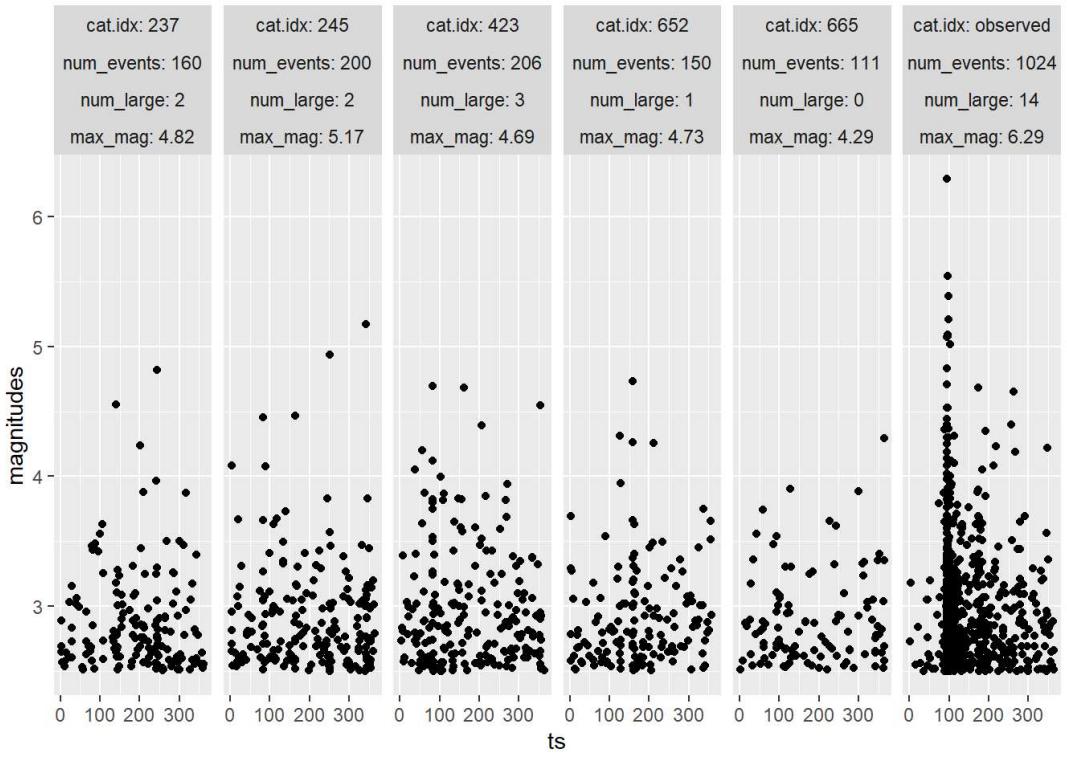
Synthetic Catalogues, Time vs Magnitudes

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[3]]$environ$multi.synth.cat.plot
```



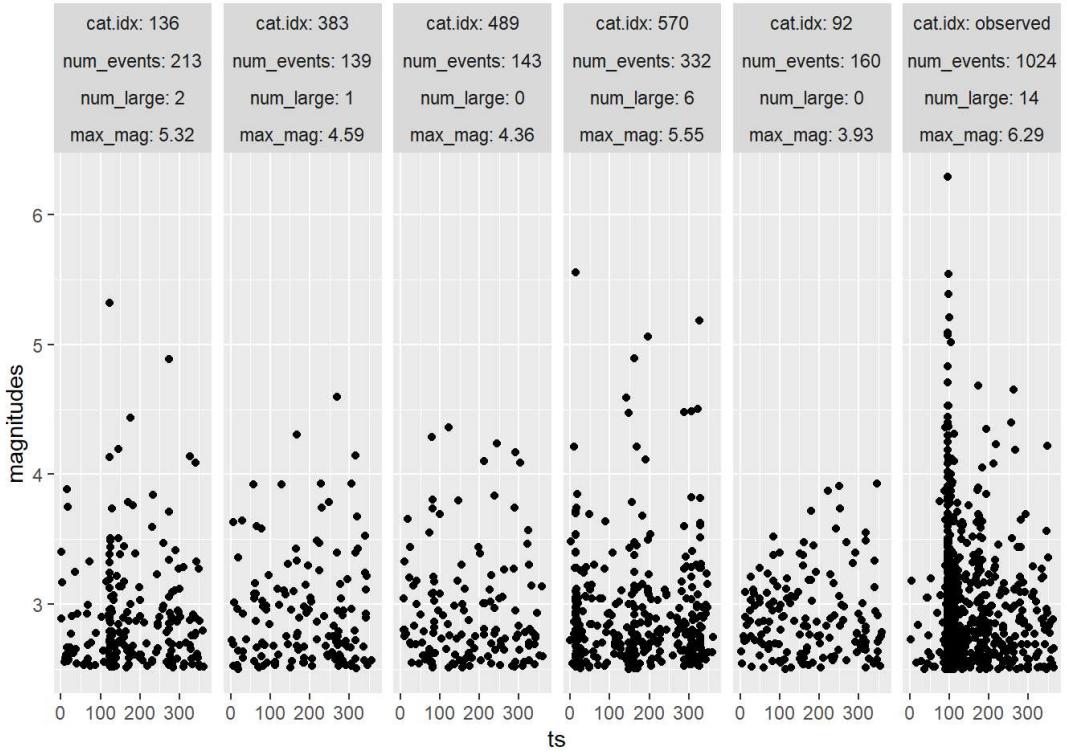
Synthetic Catalogues, Time vs Magnitudes

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[4]]$environ$multi.synth.cat.plot
```



Synthetic Catalogues, Time vs Magnitudes

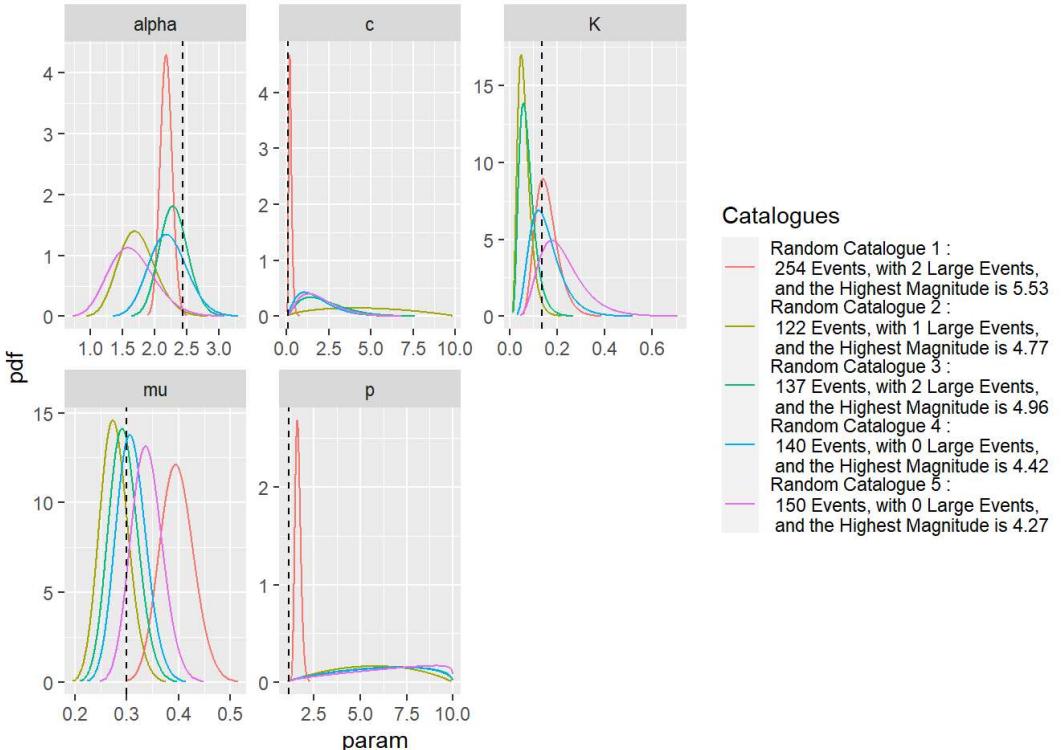
```
1 mult.synth.fit[[5]]$environ$multi.synth.cat.plot
```



Synthetic Catalogues, Time vs Magnitudes

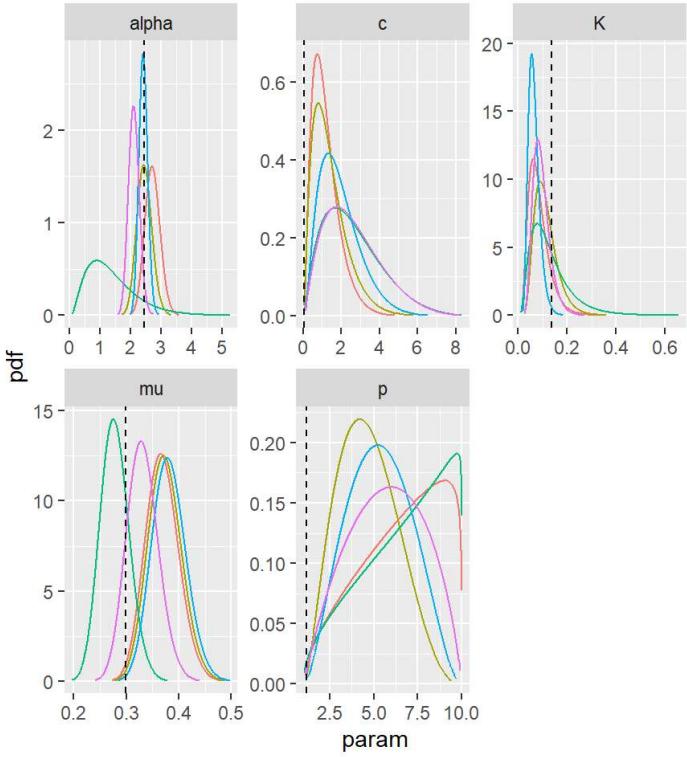
Posterior plots of the catalogues.

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[1]]$environ$post.par.plot
```



Posterior Plots for Parameters of Random Synthetic Catalogues

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[2]]$environ$post.par.plot
```

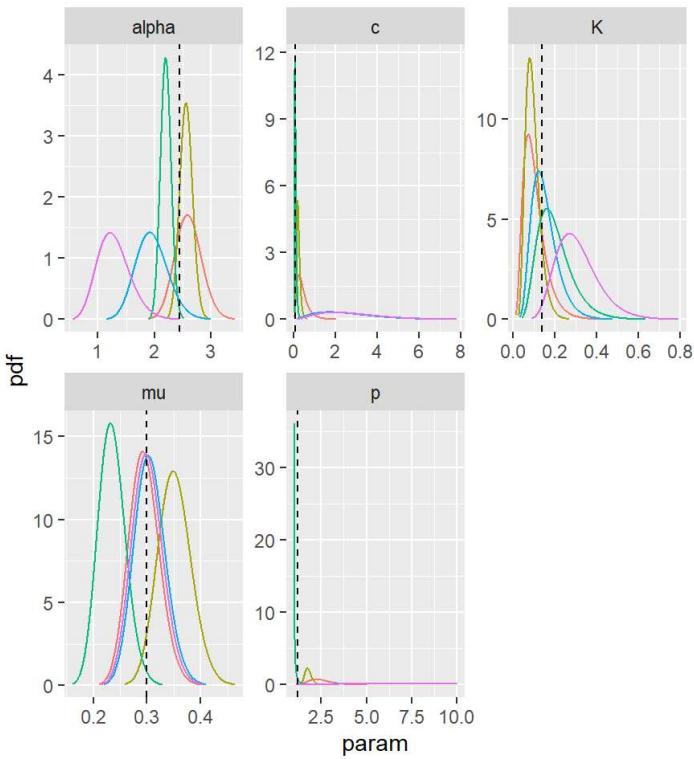


Catalogues

- Random Catalogue 1 :
166 Events, with 1 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 4.89
- Random Catalogue 2 :
174 Events, with 1 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 4.56
- Random Catalogue 3 :
110 Events, with 0 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 3.88
- Random Catalogue 4 :
202 Events, with 3 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 5.33
- Random Catalogue 5 :
161 Events, with 1 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 5.08

Posterior Plots for Parameters of Random Synthetic Catalogues

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[3]]$environ$post.par.plot
```

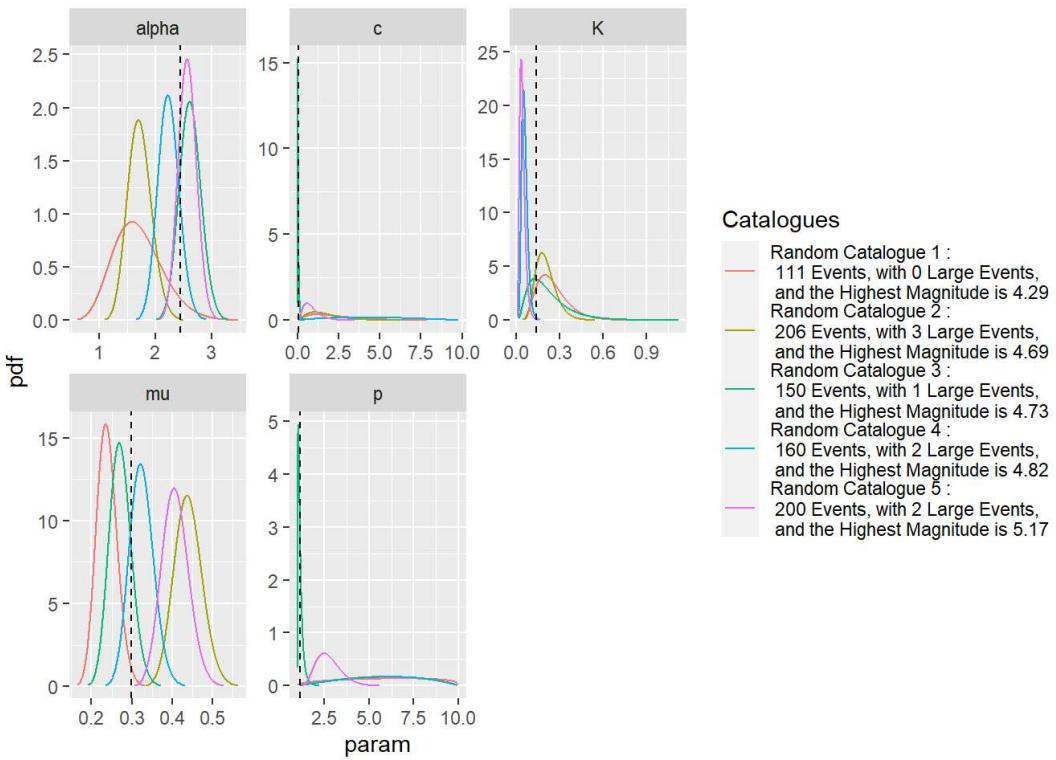


Catalogues

- Random Catalogue 1 :
140 Events, with 2 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 4.77
- Random Catalogue 2 :
234 Events, with 3 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 5.42
- Random Catalogue 3 :
218 Events, with 3 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 5.19
- Random Catalogue 4 :
138 Events, with 1 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 4.68
- Random Catalogue 5 :
144 Events, with 1 Large Events, and the Highest Magnitude is 4.73

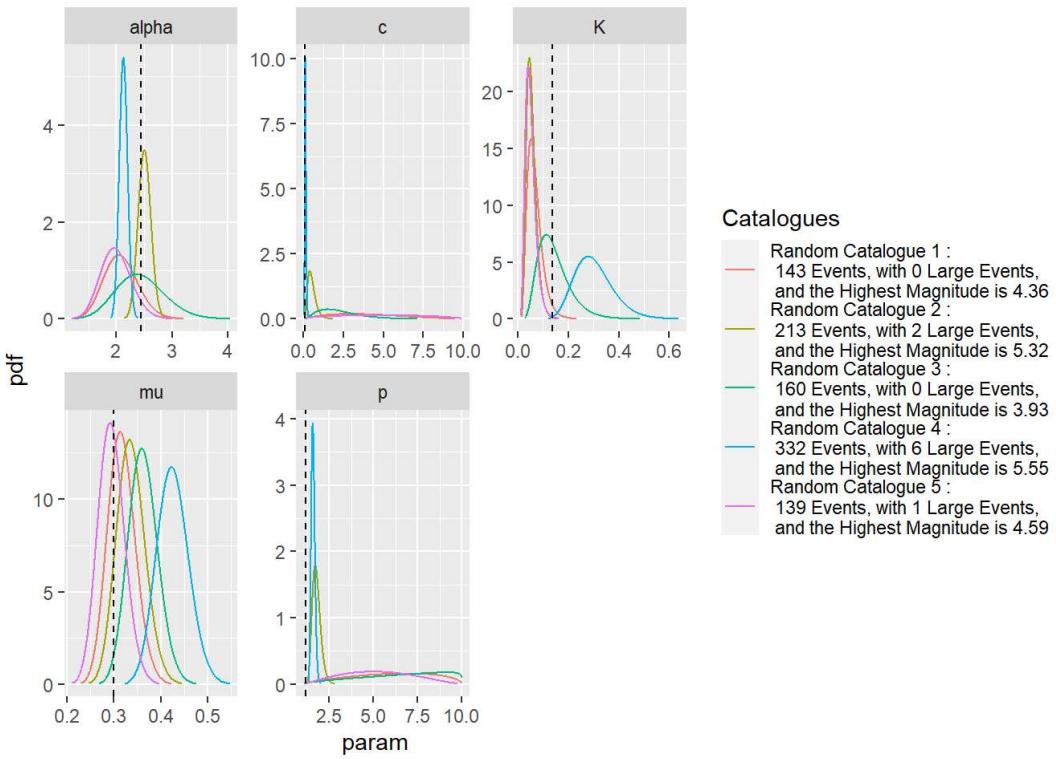
Posterior Plots for Parameters of Random Synthetic Catalogues

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[4]]$environ$post.par.plot
```



Posterior Plots for Parameters of Random Synthetic Catalogues

```
1 mult.synth.fit[[5]]$environ$post.par.plot
```



Posterior Plots for Parameters of Random Synthetic Catalogues

Analysis on the Behaviours of the Time-between-Events

For Organic Catalogues

```
1 ECDF.interarrival <- function(j){
2
```

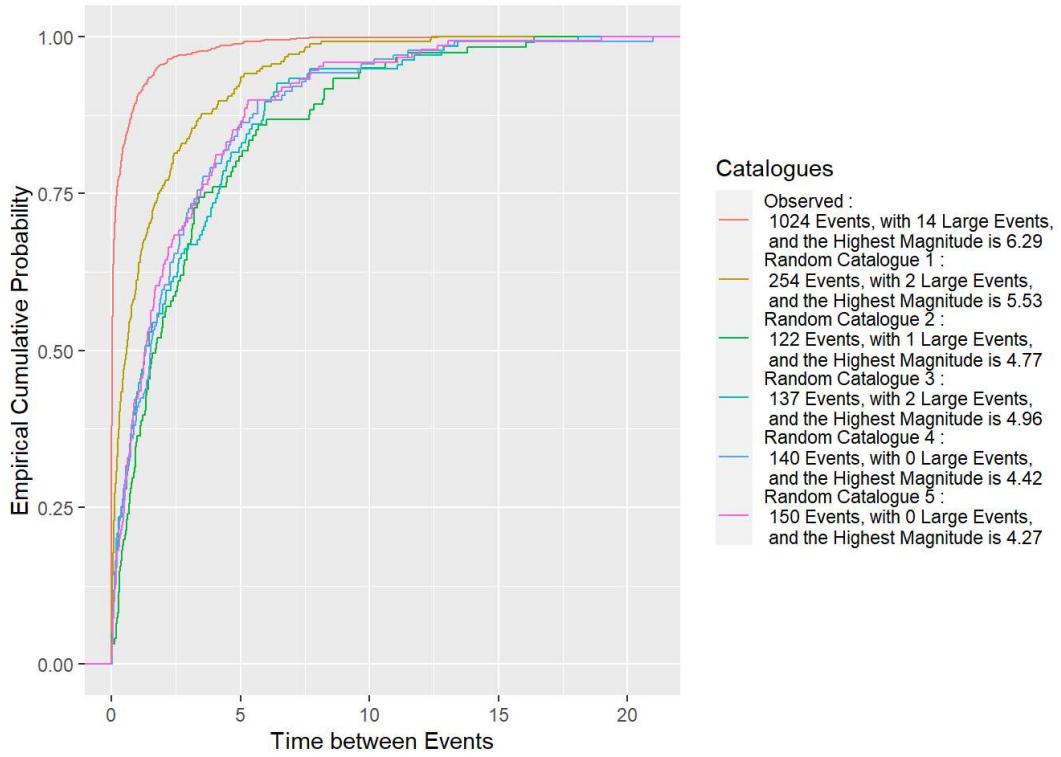
```

3  # This function aims at sketching ECDF and KS plots of the
4  # organic catalogues with a baseline of the L'Aquila sequence.
5
6  # Extract characteristics and sample IDs.
7  samp.id <- mult.synth.fit[[j]]$environ$samp.id
8  Nevents <- mult.synth.fit[[j]]$environ$Nevents
9  Nlar <- mult.synth.fit[[j]]$environ$Nlar
10 MaxMag <- mult.synth.fit[[j]]$environ$MaxMag
11
12 # Create a list of data frames specifying the time-between-events
13 # of each catalogue.
14 data.list <- lapply(samp.id %>% length %>% seq_len, \(i) data.frame(
15   Time_between_events =
16     mult.synth$environ$multi.synth.cat.list.df[[samp.id[i]]]$ts %>%
17       sort %>% diff,
18   Catalogues = paste('Random Catalogue', i, ':\n',
19     Nevents[samp.id[i]],
20     'Events, with', Nlar[samp.id[i]], 'Large Events,\n',
21     'and the Highest Magnitude is',
22     MaxMag[samp.id[i]] %>% round(2))
23 )
24 )
25
26 # Create a data frame specifying the time-between-events
27 # of the real sequence.
28 data.list[[length(samp.id) + 1]] <- data.frame(
29   Time_between_events = etas$envir$interarrival,
30   Catalogues = paste('Observed', ':\n', nrow(etas$envir$data),
31     'Events, with', etas$envir$Nlarge, 'Large Events,\n',
32     'and the Highest Magnitude is',
33     max(etas$envir$data$magnitudes) %>% round(2)))
34
35 # Bind the rows of the data frames.
36 df <- do.call(rbind, data.list)
37
38 # Plot ECDF.
39 ECDF.plot <- ggplot(df, aes(x = Time_between_events,
40                           colour = Catalogues)) +
41   stat_ecdf() +
42   xlab('Time between Events') +
43   ylab('Empirical Cumulative Probability')
44
45 # Plot KS.
46 KS.plot <- samp.id %>% length %>% seq_len %>% lapply(
47   \(i) data.list[[i]]$Time_between_events %>%
48     inla.ks.plot(
49       data.list[[samp.id %>% length + 1]]$Time_between_events %>%
50         ecdf))
51
52 return(tibble::lst(ECDF.plot, KS.plot))
53 }
54
55 ecdf_interarrival <- lapply(seq_len(5), \(j) ECDF.interarrival(j))

```

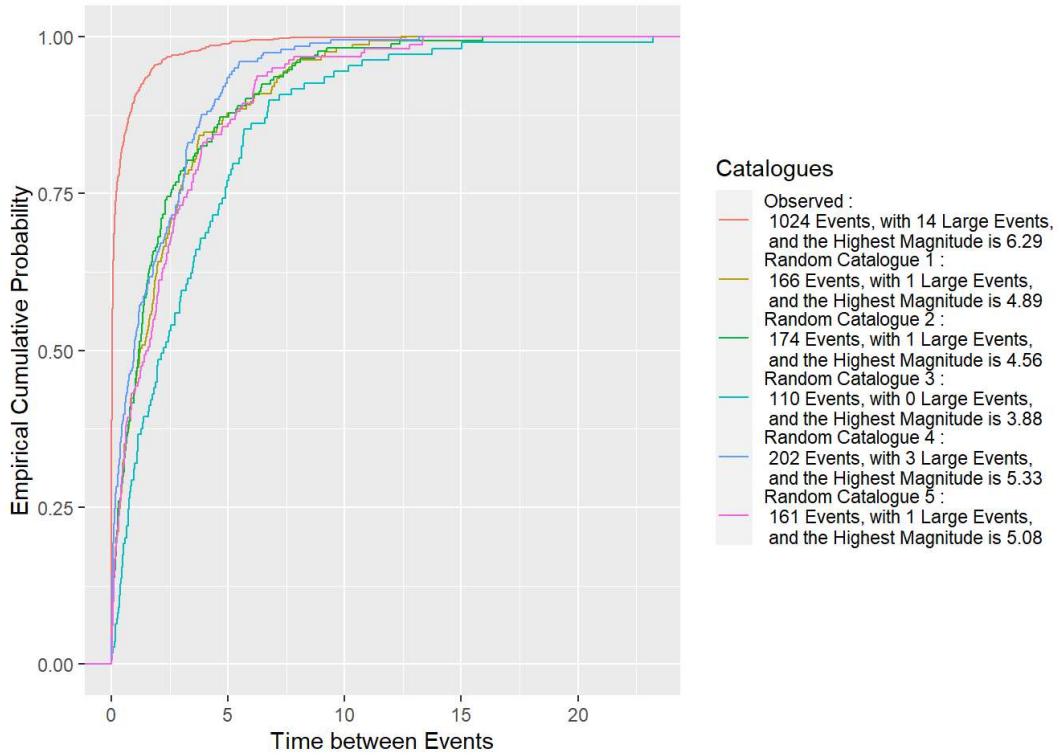
ECDF plots for organic catalogues.

```
1 ecdf_interarrival[[1]]$ECDF.plot
```



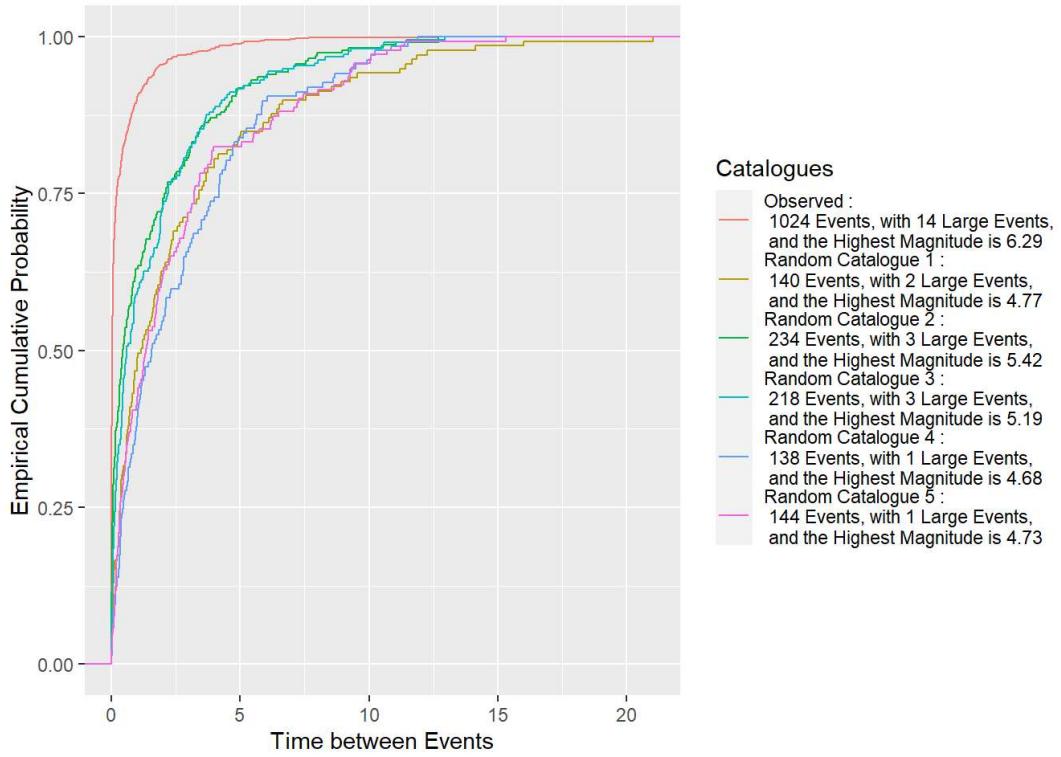
ECDF Plots of Time between Events, without Imposing History

```
1 ecdf_interarrival[[2]]$ECDF.plot
```



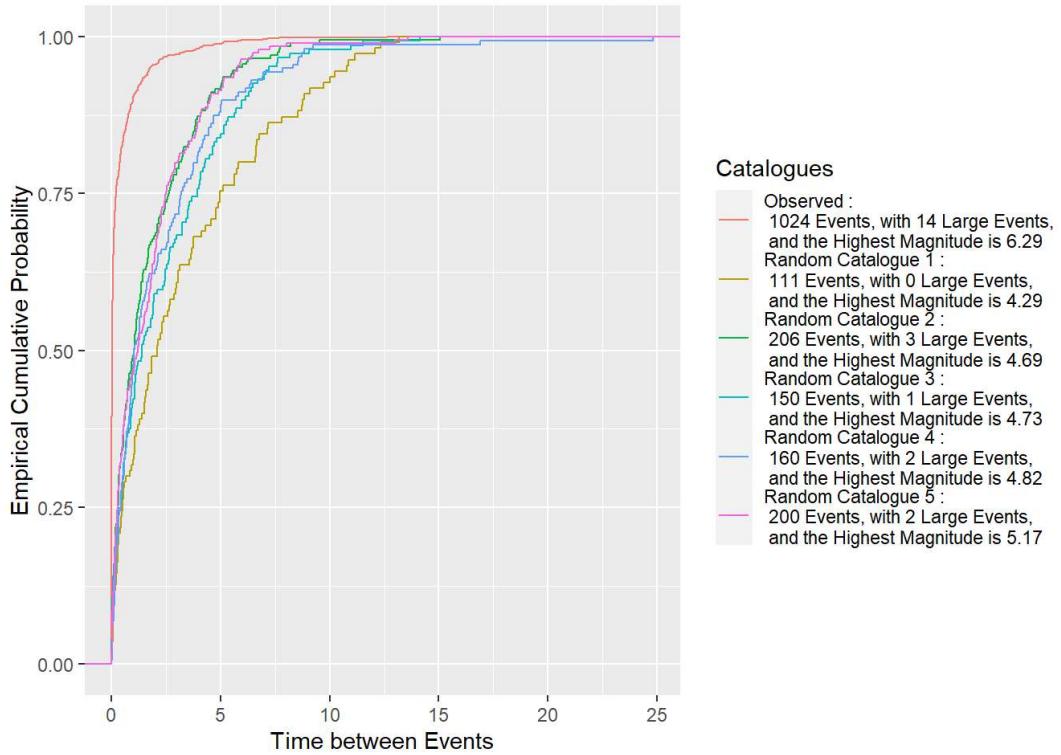
ECDF Plots of Time between Events, without Imposing History

```
1 ecdf_interarrival[[3]]$ECDF.plot
```



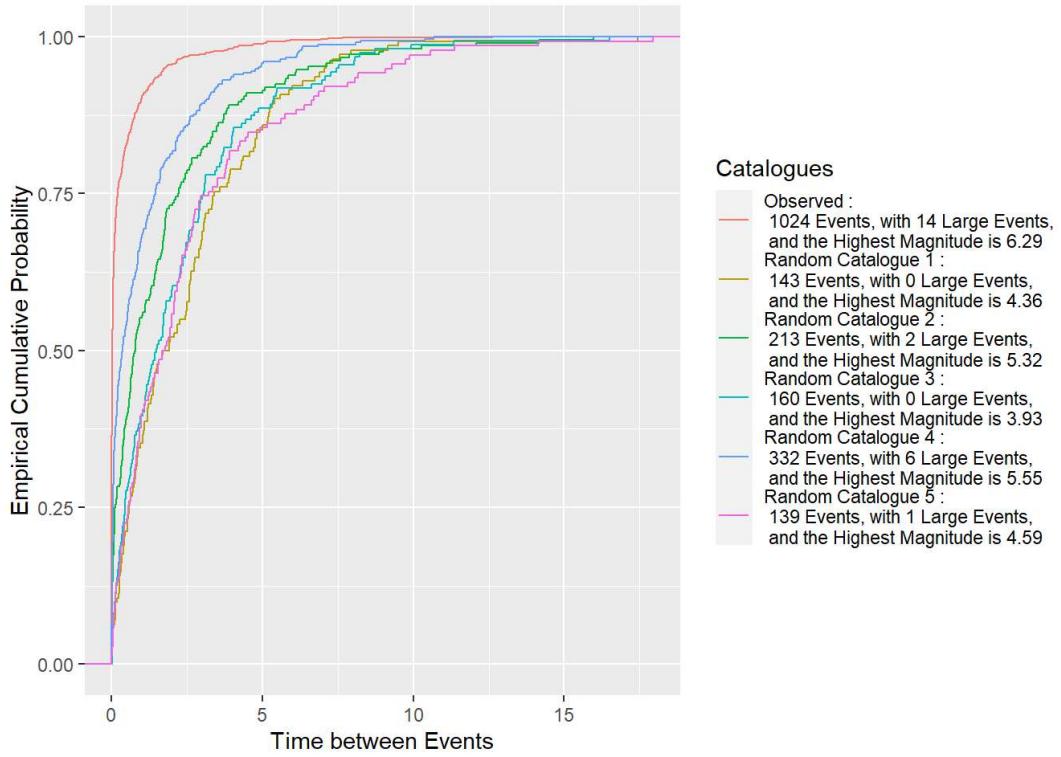
ECDF Plots of Time between Events, without Imposing History

```
1 ecdf_interarrival[[4]]$ECDF.plot
```



ECDF Plots of Time between Events, without Imposing History

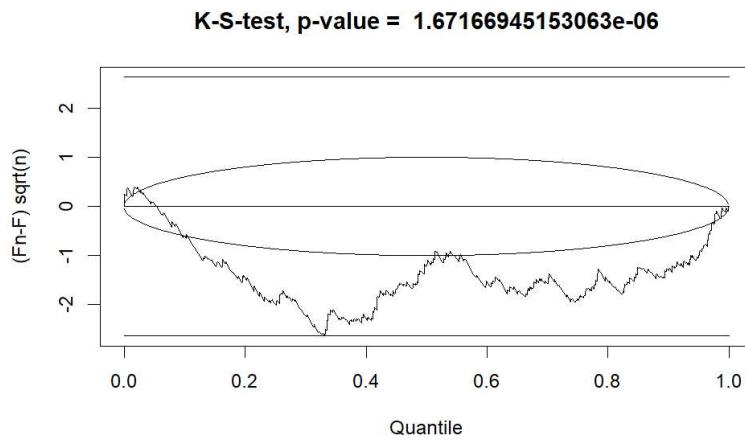
```
1 ecdf_interarrival[[5]]$ECDF.plot
```



ECDF Plots of Time between Events, without Imposing History

An example KS test plot for an organic catalogue.

```
1 knitr::include_graphics('ks_org_best.png')
```



An Example KS Plot of Time between Events, without Imposing History

For Catalogues with Imposed History

```
1 ECDF.interarrival.imp <- function(n.cat = 10, data = etas$envir$data){
2
3   # This function aims at sketching ECDF and KS plots of the catalogues
4   # with the maximum-magnitude event imposed with a baseline of the
5   # L'Aquila sequence.
6
7   # Generate synthetic catalogues, imposing history.
8   mult.synth.imp <- mult.synth.ETAS(n.cat = n.cat,
9                                     ht = data[which.max(data$magnitudes),])
10
11  # Extract characteristics and sample IDs.
12  Nevents <- mult.synth.imp$environment$Nevents
13  Nlar <- mult.synth.imp$environment$Nlar
```

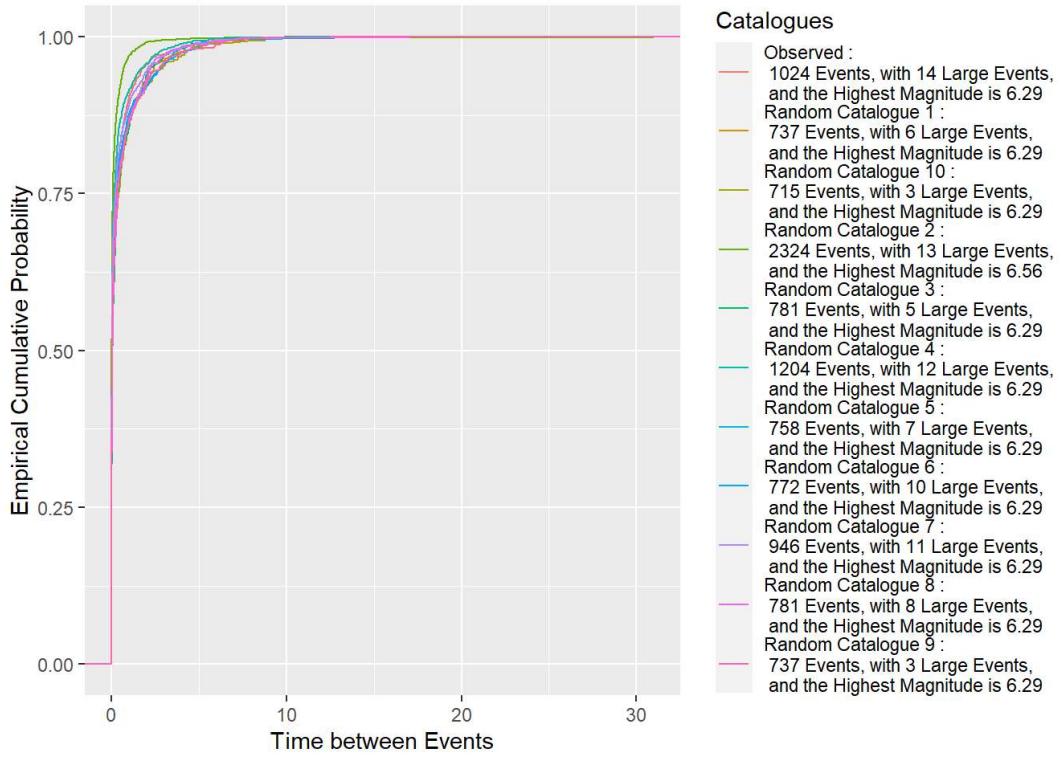
```

14 MaxMag <- mult.synth.imp$environ$MaxMag
15
16 # Create a list of data frames specifying the time-between-events
17 # of each catalogue.
18 data.list <- lapply(n.cat %>% seq_len, \i) data.frame(
19   Time_between_events =
20     mult.synth.imp$environ$multi.synth.cat.list.df[[i]]$ts %>%
21       sort %>% diff,
22     Catalogues = paste('Random Catalogue', i, ':\n', Nevents[i],
23       'Events, with', Nlar[i], 'Large Events,\n',
24       'and the Highest Magnitude is',
25       MaxMag[i] %>% round(2))
26   )
27 )
28
29 # Create a data frame specifying the time-between-events
30 # of the real sequence.
31 data.list[[n.cat + 1]] <- data.frame(
32   Time_between_events = etas$envir$interarrival,
33   Catalogues = paste('Observed', ':\n', nrow(etas$envir$data),
34     'Events, with', etas$envir$Nlarge, 'Large Events,\n',
35     'and the Highest Magnitude is',
36     max(etas$envir$data$magnitudes) %>% round(2)))
37
38
39 # Bind the rows of the data frames.
40 df <- do.call(rbind, data.list)
41
42 #Plot ECDF.
43 ECDF.plot <- ggplot(df, aes(x = Time_between_events,
44                           colour = Catalogues)) +
45   stat_ecdf() +
46   xlab('Time between Events') +
47   ylab('Empirical Cumulative Probability')
48
49 KS.plot <- n.cat %>% seq_len %>% lapply(
50   \i) data.list[[i]]$Time_between_events %>%
51     inla.ks.plot(data.list[[n.cat + 1]]$Time_between_events %>%
52       ecdf))
53
54 return(tibble::lst(ECDF.plot, KS.plot))
55 }
56
57 ecdf_interarrival_imp <- ECDF.interarrival.imp()

```

ECDF plots for catalogues imposing history.

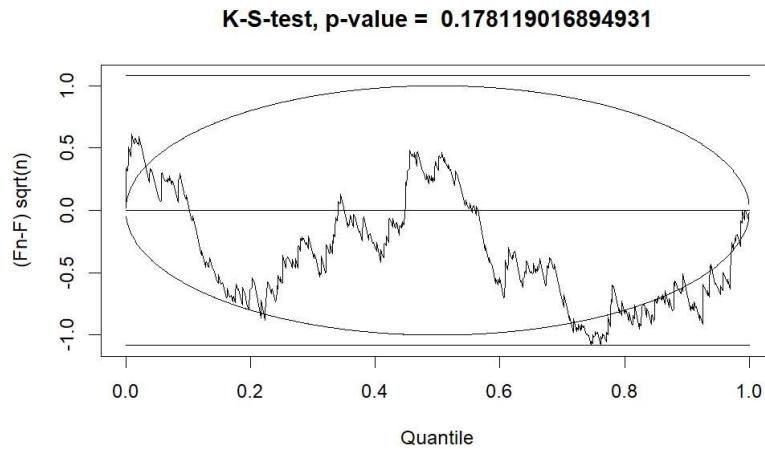
```
1 ecdf_interarrival_imp$ECDF.plot
```



ECDF Plots of Time between Events, Imposing History

An example KS test plot for a catalogue imposing history.

```
1 knitr::include_graphics('ks_imp_best.png')
```



An Example KS Plot of Time between Events, Imposing History