UCLA Biostatistics 285: Homework 2

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1 Problem 1

1.1 Part 1

The function `Sethu_jump` generates the jumps given a truncation option and a α. The `generate_DPH` uses a jump function (here we use the `Sethu_jump`) and takes input a base measure and its parameters along with α, truncation parameter K and number of samples to be generated. The final output is realizations of $\mathrm{DP}(\alpha, \mathcal{N}(0,1))$ approximated by finite truncation with 20 terms as described in Ishwaran and Zarepour (2002).
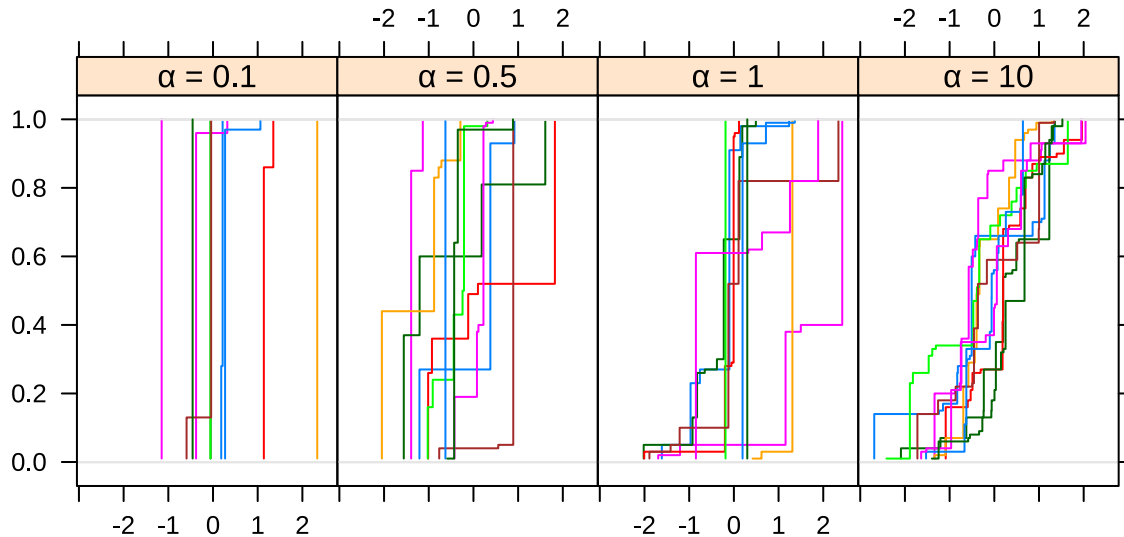
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