

**Likelihood of the Response Data**  
Production from system, s, in period t

I

$$prod_{st} \sim N(\hat{y}_{st}, \sigma)$$

**Decomposition of Fitted Data**

Intercept and slope that vary by system plus month-of-year dummies that control for seasonality and vary by county

II

$$\hat{y}_{st} = a_s + b_s months\_operation_{st} + \mathbf{mon}_c$$

**System level parameters and decomposition of slope term**

Slope terms modelled with location parameter that is a linear function of system-level variables

III

$$a_s \sim N(\mu^a, \sigma^a)$$

$$b_s \sim N(\mu_s^b, \sigma_s^b)$$

$$\mathbf{mon}_c \sim N(\mu^{mon}, \sigma^{mon})$$

$$\mu_s^b = \mu_l^{lease} + \mu_s^{sect} + \mu_m^{manuf} + \beta^{fy} first\_prod\_year_s + \beta^{size} csi\_rating_s + \beta^{cost} cost_s$$

**Meta-parameters**

Regularizing higher level distributions

IV

$$\mu^k \sim Cauchy(0,1) \quad k \in \{lease, sect, manuf, a, mon\}$$

$$\beta^i \sim Cauchy(0,1) \quad i \in \{fy, size, cost\}$$

$$\sigma_s^b \sim half - Cauchy(x_0, \gamma)$$

$$\sigma^f \sim half - Cauchy(0,5) \quad f \in \{a, \mu, \beta\}$$