



EARTHQUAKE



CATASTROPHIC

Pricing

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What

THE PROJECT IS ABOUT

Creating an interactive
earthquake insurance
pricing model



To promote fairness and
transparency in insurance
pricing

CHAPTERS TO *Apply*

- Interactive Visualization (chapter 3)
- Probabilistic Modelling (chapter 4)

DATA USED

Data is from the National Research Institute for Earth Science and Disaster Resilience (NIED)

Earthquake list from Jan 2023 to Mar 2023.

Origin Time / Latitude / Longitude / Depth / Magnitude / Number of K-NET sites / Number of KiK-net sites							
2023/03/29-17:39:00.00	37.52N	137.30E	013km	M3.4	002site	002site	
2023/03/29-12:42:00.00	37.52N	137.30E	013km	M3.5	003site	002site	
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2023/03/27-20:03:00.00	37.18N	141.45E	043km	M3.8	012site	007site	
2023/03/27-00:04:00.00	38.31N	141.62E	060km	M5.3	139site	118site	
2023/03/26-23:33:00.00	38.30N	141.60E	059km	M4.5	053site	051site	
2023/03/25-07:14:00.00	33.17N	132.31E	046km	M3.5	007site	011site	
2023/03/24-17:20:00.00	37.81N	141.76E	066km	M4.3	042site	033site	
2023/03/24-16:41:00.00	34.26N	135.43E	007km	M2.9	004site	001site	

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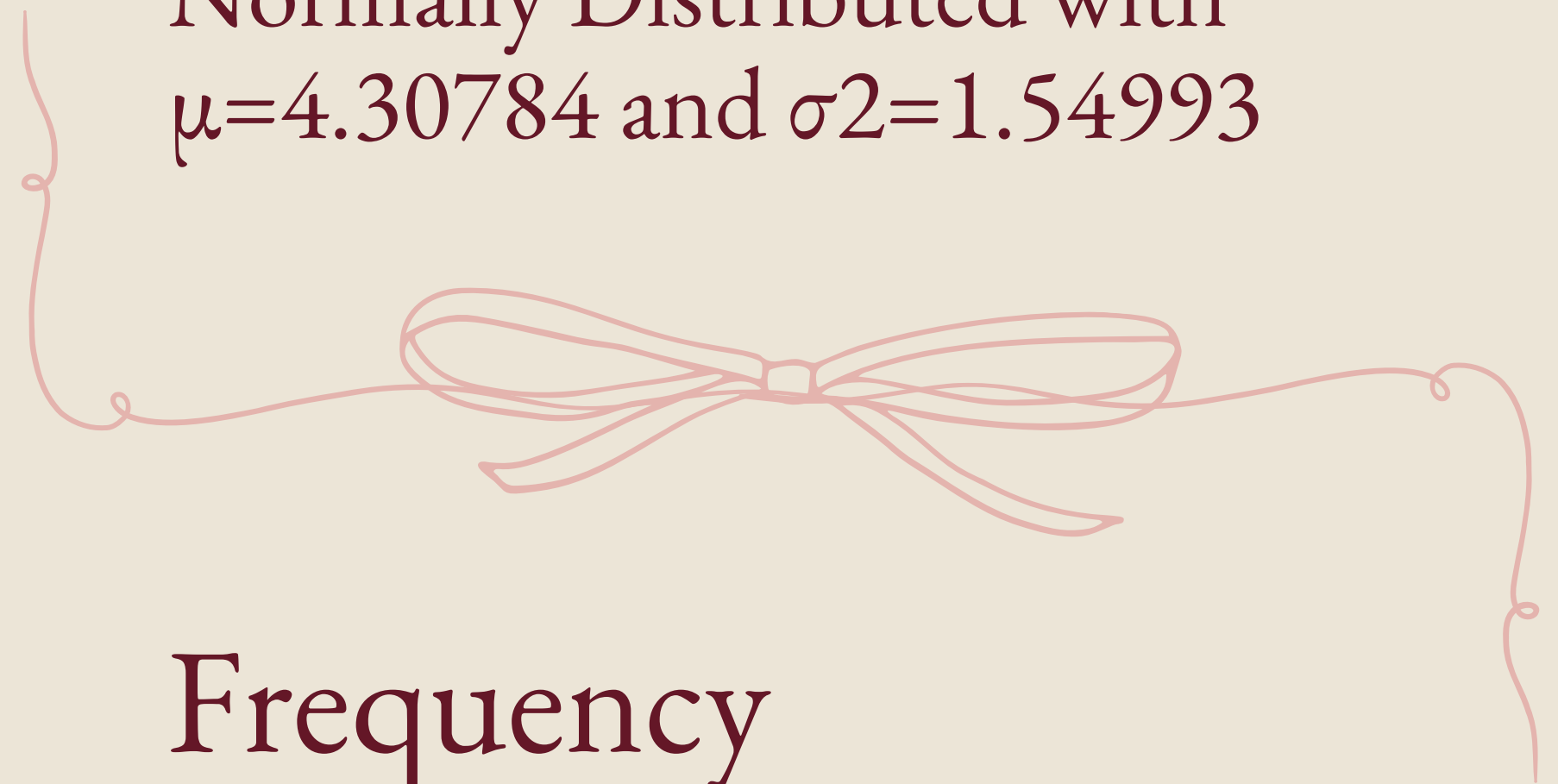
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METHODOLOGY

Find the distribution
of Magnitude and Its
Frequency

Magnitude

Normally Distributed with
 $\mu=4.30784$ and $\sigma^2=1.54993$



Frequency

Exponentially Distributed with
 $\lambda = 0.04842$

METHODOLOGY

Use Cramer-Lundberg Theory

To calculate the risk of insolvency (ruin) in the context of claims and premium income.

$$R(t) = u + ct - \sum_{i=1}^{N(t)} S_i$$

- $R(t)$: reserve of the insurer
- u : initial reserve of the insurer
- c : premium rate per unit of time.
- $N(t)$: Number of claims up to time (modeled as a Poisson process)
- S_i : Size of the i -th claim

METHODOLOGY

Expected Claim Size

So the insurer can predict the average cost of claims and set premiums that ensure they collect enough to cover payouts.

$$\mathbb{E}[S] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} S(x) \cdot f(x) dx$$

- $S(x)$: The claim size function
- $f(x)$: The probability density function (PDF) of the claim size S

METHODOLOGY

Expected Loss

To ensures that the collected premiums are at fair price and sufficient to cover claims.

$$E[\text{Loss}] = E[S] \times \lambda \times t$$

- $E[S]$: Expected claim size
- λ : Number of claims per unit time.
- t : Number of years

METHODOLOGY

Premium Calculation

To ensures that the collected premiums are at fair price and sufficient to cover claims.

$$\text{Premium} = (1 + \text{safetyLoading}) \times E[\text{Loss}]$$

- $E[\text{Loss}]$: Expected loss
- Safety Loading: Additional amount added to the expected loss or premium to ensure that the insurer can cover unexpected variations in claims

METHODOLOGY

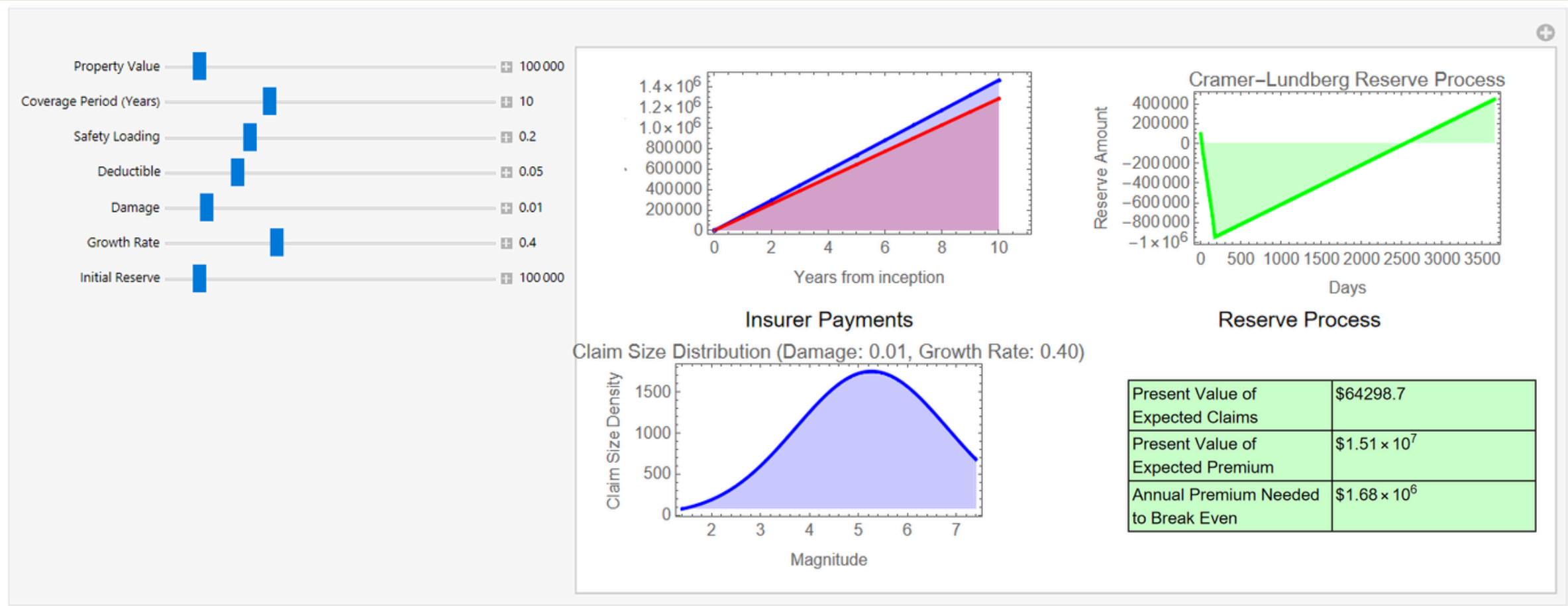
Assess Ruin Probability

Measures the likelihood that their financial reserves will be exhausted due to excessive claims.

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ruinProbability = Probability[reserve[t] < 0,  
    {t, 0, Infinity}, Method → "MonteCarlo"];
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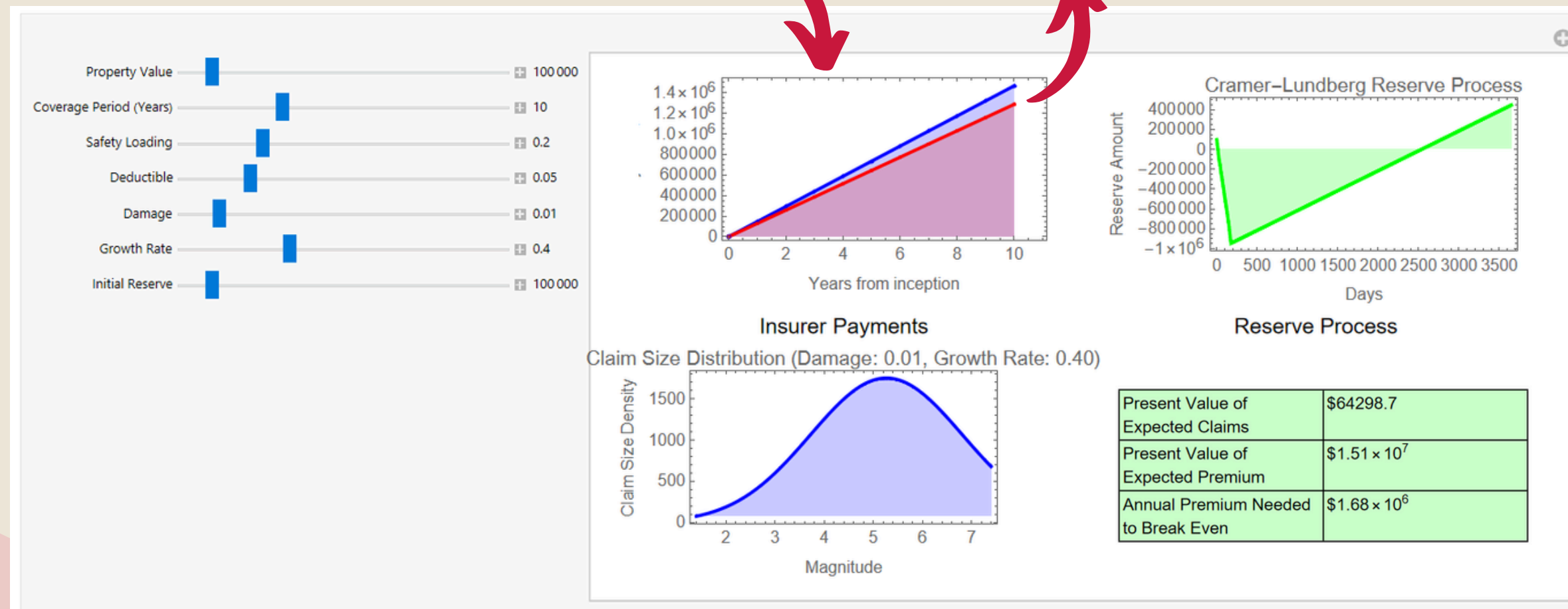
Interactive Visualization



KEY Findings

the blue line (premium) will always be greater than the red line (payout)

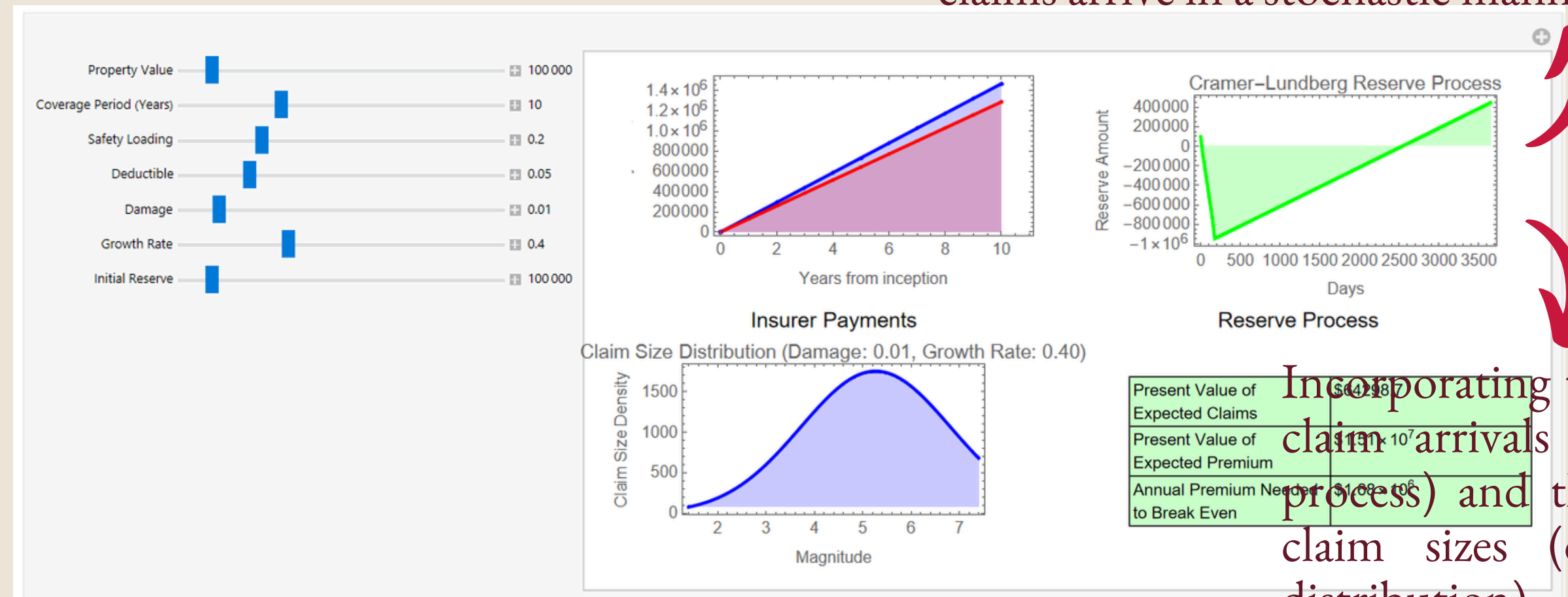
the area between the line is the profit for the insurer



the higher the Safety Loading, the higher the red line (payout)

KEY Findings

The reserve amount changes dynamically as claims arrive in a stochastic manner

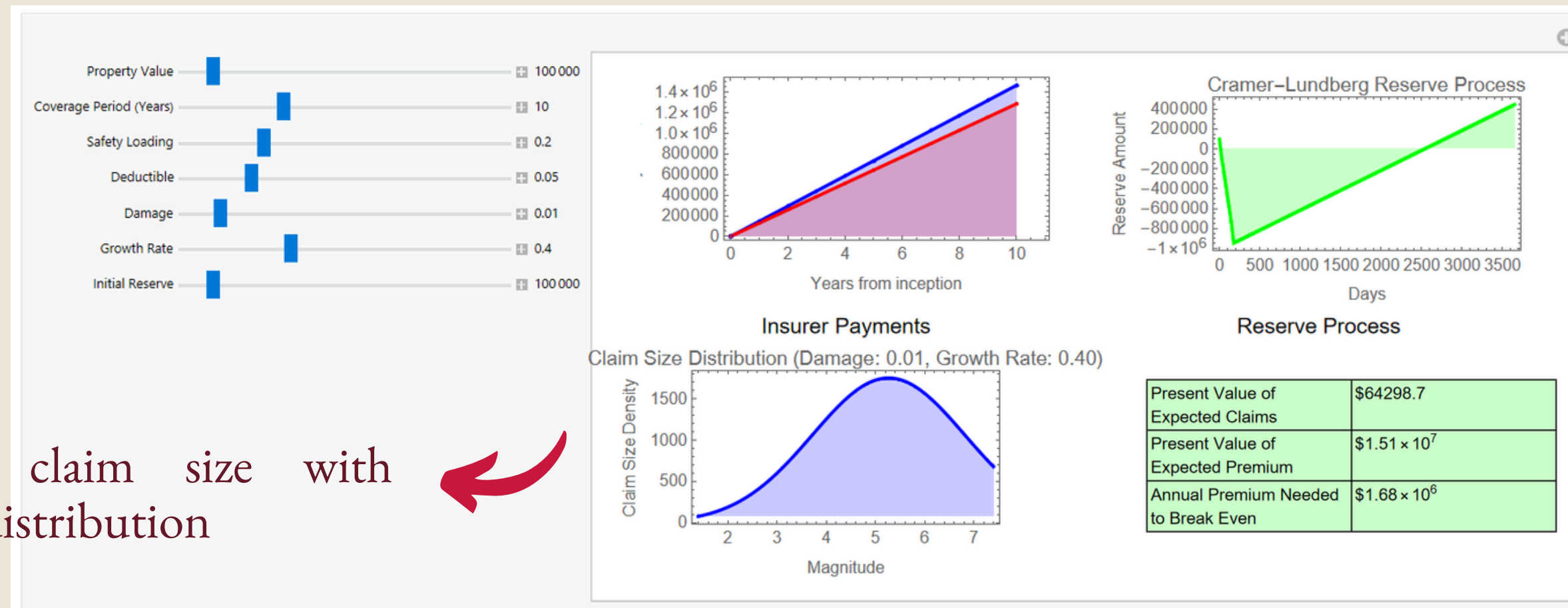


Incorporating the randomness of claim arrivals (using a Poisson process) and the randomness of claim sizes (drawn from the distribution).

The shaded area represents the time during which the reserves are negative, indicating insolvency risk

KEY Findings

Model the claim size with exponential distribution



Increased damage alone, increases all claims proportionally, while increasing the rate of growth creates a compounding effect where larger claims dominate the tail of the distribution.

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