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#### ABSTRACT

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The Cloud Layers Unified By Binormals (CLUBB) model plays a crucial role in simulating atmospheric phenomena. It uses the sum of two normal probability density functions (pdfs) to represent subgrid variability within a single grid layer. This binormal approach, while computationally efficient, restricts the model's ability to capture the full spectrum of potential shapes encountered in real-world atmospheric data.

This thesis proposes an innovative extension to the CLUBB model. We introduce a third normal pdf strategically positioned between the existing two, significantly enhancing the model's representational flexibility. This trinormal representation allows for a wider range of grid-layer shapes while permitting analytic solutions for certain higher order moments.

The core of this work lies in deriving the necessary mathematical transformations for incorporating the third normal pdf seamlessly into the CLUBB framework. This thesis lists all formulas, inputs, and outputs associated with the extended model. Additionally, it tries to describe certain asymptotic behavior of the trinormal pdf under various parameter settings.

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### LIST OF ACRONYMS

cas computer algebra system. 16, 46

**CLUBB** Cloud Layers Unified By Binormals. ii, 1, 2, 4, 5, 11, 18, 26, 28–30, 45–47

**lhs** left hand side. 11

**pde** partial differential equation. 1, 4, 5, 25

**pdf** probability density function. ii, 1, 6, 8, 10–14, 17, 18, 20, 23–25, 27, 28, 30, 31, 41, 42, 46

rhs right hand side. 5, 11, 42

## LIST OF SYMBOLS

- $\theta_l'$  Standardized liquid water potential temperature  $(\theta_l'=\theta_l-\overline{\theta_l}).$  15
- $r_t'$  Standardized total water mixing ratio  $(r_t' = r_t \overline{r_t})$ . 15
- w' Standardized upward wind  $(w'=w-\overline{w}).$  15, 19

#### 1 Introduction

The CLUBB model is a powerful tool used to simulate atmospheric behavior within climate models. This document explores an extension to the current CLUBB framework. Currently, CLUBB utilizes the sum of two normal pdfs to represent a single atmospheric grid layer. While effective, this approach limits the model's ability to capture the full spectrum of potential cloud layer shapes. This work proposes an innovative solution: incorporating a third normal pdf into the CLUBB framework. This addition aims to enhance the model's representational capabilities while maintaining computational efficiency and numerical stability. To achieve this, the document dives into the details of the proposed method.

We begin by outlining the core problem we aim to address (chapter 2) by starting with the motivation, proceeding with a short explanation on how to close turbulence partial differential equations (pdes) (section 2.2) and explaining how we derive the transformation from the formulas given by the paper "Using probability density functions to derive consistent closure relationships among higher-order moments" [LG05] (section 2.3). After that, we define the goal of this thesis (section 2.4), talk about the inputs and outputs (section 2.5) and provide steps for checking those formulas (section 2.6).

Following this motivational chapter, we establish a foundation with clear definitions of the relevant concepts, including normal distributions and the thermodynamic scalars crucial for atmospheric modeling (chapter 3).

Chapter 4 forms the heart of this work, presenting the actual formulas associated with the extended CLUBB model. This chapter details the introduction of the third normal pdf (section 4.1) and the derivation of key moments within the model (section 4.3 - section 4.4).

Additionally, section 4.6 proposes a diagnostic approach to account for the skewness of heat and moisture, while section 4.7 introduces analytic closure relations for higher-order moments based on the newly formed mixture of three normal distributions.

To handle the mathematical integrations required by the model, chapter 5 explores both exact parametric and numerical integration techniques of verifying the integrals, utilizing the SymPy library (section 5.1 & section 5.2).

Finally, chapter 6 investigates the asymptotic behavior of the extended model, providing valuable insights into its performance under various conditions.

Having talked about the trinormal representation within the CLUBB model, chapter 7 provides a concise recap of the key findings. This summary serves as a comprehensive overview of the essential concepts explored throughout this thesis.

The document concludes with an outlook in chapter 8, outlining potential future directions for research and exploration based on the findings presented here.

#### 2 Problem

#### 2.1 Motivation to add a third normal component

As is said in chapter 1, we try to describe more possible shapes by adding a third normal component. To illustrate that, we plot some of the shapes which are now possible with three normals but were not possible with only two. To be able to draw those plots, we are just using two variables, w, the upward wind, and  $\theta_l$ , the liquid water potential temperature. To show how the binormal model handles strong winds, let us consider a scenario with a strong updraft at  $w_1$ , as well as a strong downdraft at  $w_2$ . The way the current binormal model would handle this could look like figure 2.1. However, this binormal distribution (figure 2.1)

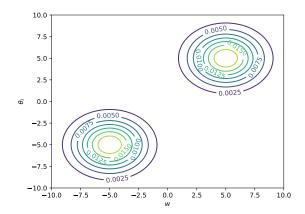


Figure 2.1: Binormal plot for two strong up-/downdrafts  $w_1 = 5, w_2 = -5, \theta_{l1} = 5, \theta_{l2} = -5, \alpha = 0.5, \sigma_w = 2, \sigma_{\theta_{l1}} = 2, \sigma_{\theta_{l1}} = 2.$ 

does not accurately reflect reality. In nature, we would not expect such strong bimodality between the strong up- and downdrafts at  $w_1$  and  $w_2$ . There would most likely be some weaker drafts present in-between. The current binormal model can attempt to capture this smoother transition by simply increasing the standard deviations of both wind, and liquid

water potential temperature distributions. This results in a broader distribution with a connection between the two peaks, as shown in figure 2.2. Seeing figure 2.2, the issue with



Figure 2.2: Binormal plot for two strong up-/downdrafts with increased standard deviations  $w_1 = 5, w_2 = -5, \theta_{l1} = 5, \theta_{l2} = -5, \alpha = 0.5, \sigma_w = 5, \sigma_{\theta_{l1}} = 5, \sigma_{\theta_{l1}} = 5.$ 

having some values in the middle is mitigated but the general width of the normals was increased, too. Since CLUBB also has the simplification that there is no correlation between w and  $\theta_l$ , and w and  $r_t$  – obviously – one cannot just increase it. Therefore, the idea is to add this third normal distribution, which actually has correlation between all three variables and especially in the bivariate case, between w and  $\theta_l$ . Figure 2.2 would then change to figure 2.3. Now, one can easily model something like the described shape, as illustrated in figure 2.3. Also, some other (maybe weird) shapes are now possible, just like the one in figure 2.4.

#### 2.2 Closing turbulence pdes by integration over a pdf

The CLUBB model relies on a set of pdes to represent atmospheric processes. These equations require closure, implying the expression of all terms solely in terms of known quantities. This closure process often involves integrals, and verifying their analytical solutions

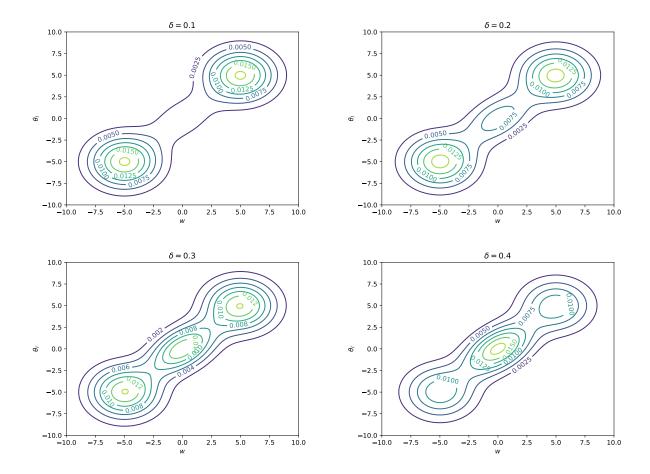


Figure 2.3: Trinormal plot for two strong up-/downdrafts with varying  $\delta$   $w_1=5,~w_2=-5,~\theta_{l1}=5,~\theta_{l2}=-5,~\alpha=0.5,~\sigma_w=2,~\sigma_{\theta_{l1}}=2,~\sigma_{\theta_{l2}}=2,~\sigma_{w3}=2,~\sigma_{3\theta_l}=2,~\rho_{w\theta_l}=0.5.$ 

ensures the model's mathematical integrity. For instance, consider the following prognostic pde[Lar22, p. 21]:

$$\frac{\partial \overline{w'\theta'_l}}{\partial t} = -\overline{w}\frac{\partial \overline{w'\theta'_l}}{\partial z} - \frac{1}{\rho_s}\frac{\partial \rho_s \overline{w'^2\theta'_l}}{\partial z} - \overline{w'^2}\frac{\partial \overline{\theta'_l}}{\partial z} - \overline{w'\theta'_l}\frac{\partial \overline{w}}{\partial z} + \dots$$

While the details of initial and boundary conditions are essential for formally closing the prognostic equations in CLUBB (omitted for brevity), this section emphasizes the importance of efficiently calculating moments on the right hand side (rhs) of these equations. That is because the model steps forward in time and therefore needs the repeated calculation of moments for each unclosed prognostic equation at every time step. Those already expensive computational steps need to use mathematically simpler moment representations



Figure 2.4: Trinormal plot for two strong up-/downdrafts with a third peak in the middle  $w_1 = 5, w_2 = -5, \theta_{l1} = 5, \theta_{l2} = -5, \alpha = 0.5, \delta = 0.5, \sigma_w = 2, \sigma_{\theta_{l1}} = 2, \sigma_{\theta_{l2}} = 2, \sigma_{w3} = 2, \sigma_{\theta_{l3}} = 2, \rho_{w\theta_{l}} = 0.5.$ 

of e.g.  $\overline{w'^2\theta'_l}$ , even if they introduce slight limitations in capturing the full variability of the underlying atmospheric state.

# 2.3 Derivation of trinormal closures by transformation of binormal closures

Analytic closures between higher and lower order moments for the binormal case are available (see CLUBB-SILHS[Lar22]). We wish to derive similar analytic closures for the proposed trinormal pdf. Deriving an analytic closure for a general trinormal pdf is difficult. However, doing so is tractable in the special case that the third normal component is located at the mean of the binormal pdf. In fact, the trinormal closures can be derived by making a simple transformation of the binormal closures[LG05], e.g.

$$\overline{w'^2} = \alpha [(w_1 - \overline{w})^2 + \sigma_w^2] + (1 - \alpha)[(w_2 - \overline{w})^2 + \sigma_w^2]. \tag{2.3.1}$$

This section will demonstrate that the following transformations, denoted by the subscript "dGn" for the binormal case, successfully achieve this conversion.

$$\overline{w'^2} \frac{1 - \delta \lambda_w}{1 - \delta} = \overline{w'^2}_{dGn}, \tag{2.3.2}$$

$$\overline{w'^3} \frac{1}{1-\delta} = \overline{w'^3}_{dGn},\tag{2.3.3}$$

$$\frac{\overline{w'^3}}{\overline{w'^2}^{3/2}} \frac{(1-\delta)^{1/2}}{(1-\lambda_w \delta)^{3/2}} = \frac{\overline{w'^3}_{dGn}}{\overline{w'^2}_{dGn}^{3/2}},$$
(2.3.4)

$$\overline{\theta_l'^2} \frac{1 - \delta \lambda_\theta}{1 - \delta} = \overline{\theta_l'^2}_{dGn}, \tag{2.3.5}$$

$$\overline{w'\theta_l'} \frac{1 - \delta \lambda_{w\theta}}{1 - \delta} = \overline{w'\theta_{ldGn}'}, \tag{2.3.6}$$

$$\left(\overline{w'^4} - 3\delta\lambda_w^2 \left(\overline{w'^2}\right)^2\right) \frac{1}{1 - \delta} = \overline{w'^4}_{dGn}$$
(2.3.7)

$$\left(\frac{\overline{w'^4}}{(\overline{w'^2})^2} - 3\delta\lambda_w^2\right) \frac{1 - \delta}{(1 - \lambda_w \delta)^2} = \frac{\overline{w'^4}_{dGn}}{(\overline{w'^2}_{dGn})^2}$$
(2.3.8)

To get a sense of what those transformations mean and why they should work, we pick e.g. equation (2.3.2). If we substitute in the already defined formula for  $\lambda_w$  (equation (4.1.4)), we get

$$\overline{w'^2} \left( 1 - \delta \frac{\sigma_{w3}^2}{\overline{w'^2}} \right) = (1 - \delta) \overline{w'^2}_{dGn}$$

$$\overline{w'^2} - \delta \sigma_{w3}^2 = (1 - \delta) \overline{w'^2}_{dGn}$$

$$\overline{w'^2} = \overline{w'^2}_{dGn} - \delta \overline{w'^2}_{dGn} + \delta \sigma_{w3}^2$$

$$\overline{w'^2} = \overline{w'^2}_{dGn} - \delta \left( \overline{w'^2}_{dGn} - \sigma_{w3}^2 \right). \tag{2.3.9}$$

Our analysis reveals a key relationship between the parameter  $\delta$  and the overall variance (often referred to as "width") of the trinormal distribution. As the value of  $\delta$  approaches 1

(but strictly remains less than 1), the standard deviation of the third normal distribution has a progressively stronger influence on the overall variance of the combined distribution. This intuitively makes sense because a larger weight assigned to the third normal distribution through  $\delta$  will contribute more significantly to the spread of the combined pdf.

Also, if we look at equation (2.3.3), we see that there is no more  $\lambda_w$  present. It makes sense graphically, that as  $\delta$  grows, which means that the normal pdf in the middle is growing, the overall skewness of all three normals has to change also, depending on the value of  $\sigma_{w3}$ . We can see this, as well as the relationship between the variance in table 2.1. Table 2.1 offers a visual representation of how the parameter  $\delta$  influences the shape of the trinormal distribution. Each plot illustrates pdfs for different combinations of  $\sigma_{w3}$  (standard deviation of the third normal distribution) and  $\delta$ . The row values in the table correspond to  $\sigma_{w3}$ , while the column values represent  $\delta$ . We can observe two key trends within these plots:

- 1. Influence of  $\sigma_{w3}$ : As expected, varying  $\sigma_{w3}$  primarily affects the "width" or overall variance of the combined distribution. When  $\sigma_{w3}$  is larger than the width of the original binormal sum (orange/red line), choosing a larger  $\delta$  allows the overall variance to increase significantly, as predicted by equation (2.3.2).
- 2. Decreasing skewness with increasing  $\delta$ : The plots also reveal a distinct relationship between  $\delta$  and the skewness of the resulting distribution. As  $\delta$  increases, the skewness of the combined trinormal distribution (green line) progressively reduces. This phenomenon can be attributed to the placement of the third normal distribution. Placed directly between the two original normal distributions, the third normal distribution acts as a centralizing force. As the weight of the third normal distribution (controlled by  $\delta$ ) grows, its symmetric nature counteracts the potential skewness of the initial binormal sum. This effect is particularly strong in the bottom three plots, where a larger value of  $\sigma_{w3} = 10$  is used. We observe a clear reduction in the skewness of the

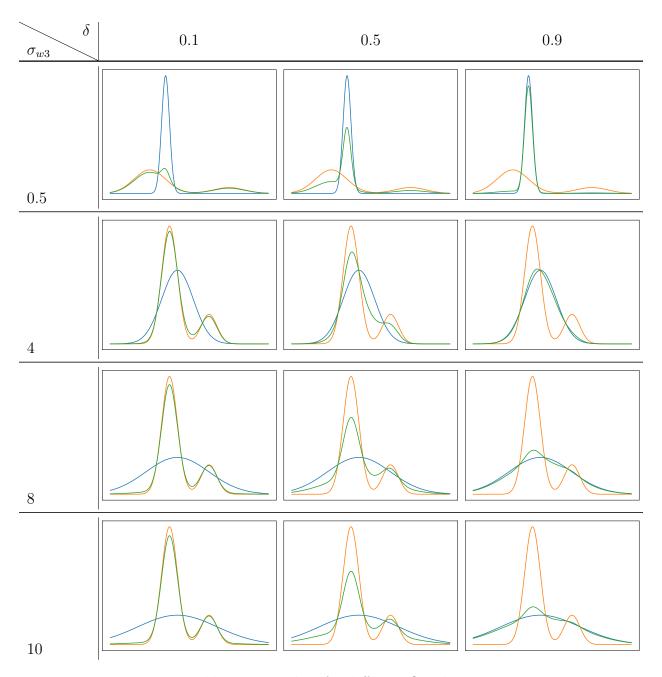


Table 2.1: 1D Plots for different  $\delta$  and  $\sigma_{w3}$   $w_1=5, w_2=-5, \alpha=0.2, \sigma_w=2$ . The blue plot represents the third normal, the orange/red one represents the binormal, and the green one represents the mixture. The x and y labels and ticks are omitted for clarity.

green plot (mixture) as  $\delta$  approaches 1.

#### 2.4 Goal of this thesis

The goal of this thesis is to verify closure for higher-order moments, such as the third order moment  $\overline{w'^2\theta'_l}$  and others like it. This closure is achieved by expressing these higher-order moments – i.e. equation (4.7.3), equation (4.7.5), and equation (4.7.7) – analytically in terms of readily calculable lower-order moments. This analytic approach uses the relationships between moments within a normal distribution, enabling efficient model updates during the time-stepping process.

#### 2.5 Inputs and outputs of the verification procedure

While defining inputs and outputs can seem challenging at first glance, it is a crucial step towards understanding a system.

#### 2.5.1 Inputs and outputs of a forward run

When forecasting the weather ("forward run"), the code provides us with a set of moment terms:  $\overline{w}$ ,  $\overline{w'^2}$ ,  $\overline{w'^3}$ ,  $\overline{\theta_l}$ ,  $\overline{w'\theta_l'}$ ,  $\overline{r_t}$ ,  $\overline{w'r_t'}$ ,  $\overline{\theta_l'^2}$ ,  $\overline{r_t'^2}$ ,  $\overline{r_t'\theta_l'}$ . These are the inputs. From these inputs, we want to determine certain parameters which describe the shape of the underlying pdf. Those pdf parameters are standardized and some also normalized. So we try to solve these pdf parameters (13), namely  $\alpha$ ,  $\widehat{w}_1$ ,  $\widehat{w}_2$ ,  $\widetilde{\theta}_{l1}$ ,  $\widetilde{\theta}_{l2}$ ,  $\widetilde{r}_{t1}$ ,  $\widetilde{r}_{t2}$ ,  $\widetilde{\sigma}_w$ ,  $\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_{l1}}$ ,  $\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_{l2}}$ ,  $\widetilde{\sigma}_{r_{t1}}$ ,  $\widetilde{\sigma}_{r_{t2}}$ , and  $r_{r_t\theta_l}$ . All the formulas are listed in chapter 4. Ultimately, the code needs to express even higher order moments such as  $\overline{w'^2\theta_l'}$  in terms of the lower order moments. These higher order moments are the outputs in the "forward run".

#### 2.5.2 Inputs and outputs of a backward run (verification direction)

Although a "forward run" models the higher order moments in terms of the lower order moments, we want to verify these formulas, namely equation (4.7.3), equation (4.7.5), and equation (4.7.7). To achieve this, we will take a more traditional approach, working in the "backward" direction. This means we will:

- 1. Specify the pdf parameters: Start by explicitly defining the parameters that characterize the underlying pdf.
- 2. Calculate the moments: Once the pdf is defined, we can then calculate the desired moments, such as  $\overline{w}$ , through integration.

This can be done, e.g. by calculating the integral:

$$\overline{w} = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} w \cdot P_{tmg} \, dw dr_t d\theta_l, \qquad (2.5.1)$$

where  $P_{tmg}$  (Trivariate Mixture of Gaussians) is the pdf of the sum of all three normal distributions. Since some integrals are challenging to verify symbolically with SymPy, we are using the quadrature method of SymPy to calculate the integrals and choose arbitrary values for the inputs. All of this can be seen in section 5.2.

#### 2.6 Steps for checking the formulas

This section outlines a general approach for verifying all of those integral expressions employed within the CLUBB model. This approach ensures the accuracy of the computed moment relationships. Chapter 5 discusses some actual examples. We verify the expressions using the following method where the order is crucial. We always want to check if left hand side (lhs) equals rhs:

- 1. Choose dimensional parameters (parameters without any tilde or hat) that determine the pdf, i.e. choose dimensional pdf parameters, e.g.  $\sigma_{w3}$ . Then the pdf is known and any moments of it can be calculated by integration.
- 2. Calculate the means, e.g.  $\overline{w} = \mathbb{E}[w]$  by integration over the pdf. The formula for  $\overline{w}$  (equation (4.3.1)) in terms of the pdf parameters can be checked.
- 3. Once the means are known, we calculate the central variances, e.g.  $\overline{w'^2} = \overline{(w \overline{w})^2}$  by integration over the pdf. The formula for  $\overline{w'^2}$  (equation (4.3.3)) in terms of the pdf parameters can be checked.
- 4. Once the variances, e.g.  $\overline{w'^2}$ , are known, then the non-dimensional pdf parameters such as  $\lambda_w$  (equation (4.1.4)) can be calculated by their definitions.
- 5. We can also calculate the covariances by 2D integration over a 2D pdf. Again, our formulas in terms of pdf parameters can be checked.
- 6. Finally, we can calculate the higher order moments, i.e.  $\overline{w'^4}$  (equation (4.7.3)) or  $\overline{w'^2\theta'_l}$  (equation (4.7.5)) or  $\overline{w'\theta'_l^2}$  (equation (4.7.7)), by integration over the pdf.

#### 3 Definitions

For better understanding of the topics covered in this thesis, it follows a brief introduction of all formulas and terms used.

#### 3.1 Normal distribution

We say that a random variable X is distributed according to a normal distribution  $(X \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2))$  when it has the following pdf:

Definition 1 (pdf of a normal distribution)

$$f(x|\mu,\sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2\right).$$
(3.1.1)

#### 3.1.1 Multivariate normal distribution

We say that a random vector X (r × r) is distributed according to a multivariate normal distribution when it has the following joint density function [Ize08, p. 59]:

Definition 2 (pdf of a multivariate normal distribution)

$$f(\boldsymbol{x}|\boldsymbol{\mu},\boldsymbol{\Sigma}) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{r}{2}} |\boldsymbol{\Sigma}|^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(x-\boldsymbol{\mu})^{\top} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(x-\boldsymbol{\mu})\right), \boldsymbol{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{r},$$
(3.1.2)

where

$$\boldsymbol{\mu} = \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mu_r \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^r \tag{3.1.3}$$

is the mean vector, and

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1^2 & \rho_{12}\sigma_1\sigma_2 & \rho_{13}\sigma_1\sigma_3 & \dots & \rho_{1r}\sigma_1\sigma_r \\ \rho_{12}\sigma_1\sigma_2 & \sigma_2^2 & \rho_{23}\sigma_2\sigma_3 & \dots & \vdots \\ \rho_{13}\sigma_1\sigma_3 & \rho_{23}\sigma_2\sigma_3 & \sigma_3^2 & \dots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & \dots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \rho_{1r}\sigma_1\sigma_r & \dots & \dots & \dots & \sigma_r^2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{r \times r}$$
(3.1.4)

is the (symmetric, positive definite) covariance matrix. This is also often expressed as  $X \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \Sigma)$ , meaning that X (r × r random vector) is distributed according to a multivariate normal distribution with the given parameters.

#### 3.1.2 Moments

Especially for this thesis, we are interested in the moments of the given multivariate normal distribution. We can express the first order moment as the mean, denoted as  $\overline{X} = \mathbb{E}[X]$ , where X is a random variable. The second order moment is  $\mathbb{E}[X^2]$ , also denoted as the variance if it is a central moment. The standardized third and fourth order moments have special names, so called skewness and kurtosis respectively. We denote this by the following:

$$\mathbb{E}[X^3] = \mathbb{E}\left[\left(\frac{X-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^3\right] = \frac{\mu_3}{\sigma^3} = \frac{\mathbb{E}[(X-\mu)^3]}{(\mathbb{E}[(X-\mu)^2])^{3/2}},\tag{3.1.5}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X^4] = \mathbb{E}\left[\left(\frac{X-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^4\right] = \frac{\mathbb{E}[(X-\mu)^4]}{(\mathbb{E}[(X-\mu)^2])^2} = \frac{\mu_4}{\sigma^4}.$$
 (3.1.6)

#### 3.2 Variates of the pdf

We denote the variates of the pdf by w,  $r_t$ , and  $\theta_l$ , where w is the upward wind,  $r_t$  is the liquid water potential temperature and  $\theta_l$  is the liquid water potential temperature [Lar22,

p. 10]. Variables denoted by w' are defined by  $w - \overline{w}$  where  $\overline{w}$  is the mean of w over the whole pdf. We define  $r'_t$  and  $\theta'_l$  in the same way.

# 4 Formulas that define the shape of the pdf and moments in terms of pdf parameters

This chapter lists all formulas which are derived from the binormal model to this model with an additional normal. All formulas listed are either tested by using a computer algebra system (cas) and calculating the integrals analytically with ranges  $-\infty$  to  $\infty$  or using the quadrature procedure with large enough ranges such that the error is (numerically) zero. Those two procedures are explained in chapter 5.

#### 4.1 Definition of the trinormal distribution, $P_{tmg}$

We would like to add a third normal to the already existing two trivariate normals, which is placed right in the middle between those two. For our proposed mixture of normals we then have

$$P_{tmg}(w, \theta_l, r_t) = \alpha(1 - \delta)\mathcal{N}(\mu_1, \Sigma_1) + (1 - \alpha)(1 - \delta)\mathcal{N}(\mu_2, \Sigma_2) + \delta\mathcal{N}(\mu_3, \Sigma_3),$$
 (4.1.1)

where  $\mathcal{N}$  denotes the multivariate normal distribution,  $\alpha \in (0,1)$  is the mixture fraction of the binormal, and  $\delta \in [0,1)$  is the weight of the third normal. The mean vectors and the covariance matrices are defined in the following.

We define the mean vectors of the first and second normal distributions as  $\mu_1 = (w_1, \theta_{l1}, r_{t1})^{\top}$ , and  $\mu_1 = (w_2, \theta_{l2}, r_{t2})^{\top}$ , where  $w_1 > w_2$  (due to a convention in the code) and the covariance

matrices as

$$\Sigma_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{w}^{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_{\theta_{l1}}^{2} & \rho_{\theta_{l}r_{t}}\sigma_{\theta_{l}3}\sigma_{r_{t}3} \\ 0 & \rho_{\theta_{l}r_{t}}\sigma_{\theta_{l}3}\sigma_{r_{t}3} & \sigma_{r_{t1}}^{2} \end{pmatrix}, \text{ and } \Sigma_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{w}^{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_{\theta_{l2}}^{2} & \rho_{\theta_{l}r_{t}}\sigma_{\theta_{l}3}\sigma_{r_{t}3} \\ 0 & \rho_{\theta_{l}r_{t}}\sigma_{\theta_{l}3}\sigma_{r_{t}3} & \sigma_{r_{t2}}^{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$(4.1.2)$$

It might be of interest that there is no correlation between w and  $\theta_l$  or w and  $r_t$ . That is to make the pdfs mathematically more tractable by therefore also taking away some variability. This is not the case for the third normal, though.

It has already been said, that we would like to place the third normal right at the mean, therefore  $\mu_3$  and  $\Sigma_3$  are defined as

$$\mu_{3} = \begin{pmatrix} \overline{w} \\ \overline{\theta_{l}} \\ \overline{r_{t}} \end{pmatrix}, \text{ and } \Sigma_{3} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{w3}^{2} & \rho_{w\theta_{l}3}\sigma_{w3}\sigma_{\theta_{l}3} & \rho_{wr_{t}3}\sigma_{w3}\sigma_{r_{t}3} \\ \rho_{w\theta_{l}3}\sigma_{w3}\sigma_{\theta_{l}3} & \sigma_{\theta_{l}3}^{2} & \rho_{\theta_{l}r_{t}3}\sigma_{\theta_{l}3}\sigma_{r_{t}3} \\ \rho_{wr_{t}3}\sigma_{w3}\sigma_{r_{t}3} & \rho_{\theta_{l}r_{t}3}\sigma_{\theta_{l}3}\sigma_{r_{t}3} & \sigma_{r_{t}3}^{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$(4.1.3)$$

The advantage over just two normal pdfs is that we can now express a greater variety of shapes. We also define some additional relationships for this third normal distribution.

$$\lambda_w \equiv \frac{\sigma_{w3}^2}{\overline{w'^2}}, \quad \lambda_\theta \equiv \frac{\sigma_{\theta_l 3}^2}{\overline{\theta_l'^2}}, \quad \lambda_r \equiv \frac{\sigma_{r_t 3}^2}{\overline{r_t'^2}},$$
 (4.1.4)

$$\lambda_{\theta r} \equiv \frac{\rho_{\theta_l r_t} \sigma_{\theta_l 3} \sigma_{r_t 3}}{\overline{r_t' \theta_l'}}, \quad \lambda_{w \theta} \equiv \frac{\rho_{w \theta_l} \sigma_{w 3} \sigma_{\theta_l 3}}{\overline{w' \theta_l'}}, \quad \lambda_{w r} \equiv \frac{\rho_{w r_t} \sigma_{w 3} \sigma_{r_t 3}}{\overline{w' r_t'}}. \tag{4.1.5}$$

Hence, we can rewrite  $\Sigma_3$  as

$$\Sigma_{3} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{w3}^{2} & \overline{w'\theta_{l}'} \cdot \lambda_{w\theta} & \overline{w'r_{t}'} \cdot \lambda_{wr} \\ \overline{w'\theta_{l}'} \cdot \lambda_{w\theta} & \sigma_{\theta_{l}3}^{2} & \overline{r_{t}'\theta_{l}'} \cdot \lambda_{\theta r} \\ \overline{w'r_{t}'} \cdot \lambda_{wr} & \overline{r_{t}'\theta_{l}'} \cdot \lambda_{\theta r} & \sigma_{r_{t}3}^{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$(4.1.6)$$

#### 4.2 Normalized variables

Since CLUBB is mostly using "normalized variables", we are going to list those, which are given in standard form. We are also doing that for making the transformations easier.

$$\tilde{\theta}'_l \equiv \frac{\theta_l - \overline{\theta_l}}{\sqrt{\overline{\theta_l'^2}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \delta \lambda_{\theta}}{1 - \delta}}},\tag{4.2.1}$$

$$\tilde{r}_t' \equiv \frac{r_t - \overline{r_t}}{\sqrt{\overline{r_t'^2}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \delta \lambda_r}{1 - \delta}}},\tag{4.2.2}$$

where  $\overline{\theta_l}$  and  $\overline{r_t}$  are the means for the full summed up pdf and  $\overline{\theta_l'^2}$  as well as  $\overline{r_t'^2}$  are the variances for  $\theta_l$  and  $r_t$ .

For the standard deviations, we define

$$\tilde{\sigma}_w \equiv \frac{\sigma_w}{\sqrt{\overline{w'^2}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1-\delta\lambda_w}{1-\delta}}},\tag{4.2.3}$$

where  $\sigma_w$  denotes the standard deviation of the w-component,  $\overline{w'^2}$  is the variance for w,

$$\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l i} \equiv \frac{\sigma_{\theta_l i}}{\sqrt{\overline{\theta_l'^2}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \delta \lambda_{\theta}}{1 - \delta}}},\tag{4.2.4}$$

where  $\sigma_{\theta_l i}$  denotes the standard deviation of the  $i^{th}$   $\theta_l$ -component, and

$$\tilde{\sigma}_{r_t i} \equiv \frac{\sigma_{r_t i}}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{r_t'^2}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \delta \lambda_r}{1 - \delta}}}.$$
(4.2.5)

where  $\sigma_{r_t i}$  denotes the standard deviation of the  $i^{th}$   $\sigma_{r_t}$ -component,

# 4.3 A list of lower order moments expressed in terms of pdf parameters

We start by outlining the equations capturing lower-order moments, expressed in terms of pdf parameters. These equations can be presented in either dimensional or non-dimensional

form. While both representations are mathematically valid, the *non-dimensional* form offers a distinct advantage: it highlights the underlying connection to the bivariate case.

#### **4.3.1** Moments for w

The relationship for  $\overline{w}$  is given as follows:

$$\overline{w} = (1 - \delta)\alpha w_1 + (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)w_2 + \delta w_3, \tag{4.3.1}$$

where  $w_3 \equiv \alpha w_1 + (1 - \alpha)w_2$ . Therefore the mean of w stays the same as in the bivariate case. The relationship for the *non-dimensional* form is:

$$0 = \alpha \widehat{w}_1 + (1 - \alpha)\widehat{w}_2 \tag{4.3.2}$$

For all other moments – except for the mean – we are using the standardized versions of the variables, written as w'.

The second order moment is given as:

$$\overline{w'^2} = (1 - \delta)\alpha[(w_1 - \overline{w})^2 + \sigma_w^2]$$

$$+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)[(w_2 - \overline{w})^2 + \sigma_w^2]$$

$$+ \delta\sigma_{w3}^2,$$
(4.3.3)

where  $\sigma_{w3}$  is defined as  $\lambda_w \overline{w'^2}$ . This moment is also the variance of w at the same time, since

$$\overline{w'^2} = \mathbb{E}[w'^2] = \mathbb{E}[(w - \overline{w})^2] = \mathbb{E}[(w - \mathbb{E}[w])^2] = \mathbb{E}[w^2 - 2w\mathbb{E}[w] + \mathbb{E}[w]^2]$$

$$= \mathbb{E}[w^2] - 2\mathbb{E}[w\mathbb{E}[w]] + \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{E}[w]^2] = \mathbb{E}[w^2] - 2\mathbb{E}[w]\mathbb{E}[w] + \mathbb{E}[w]^2$$

$$= \mathbb{E}[w^2] - \mathbb{E}[w]^2 = \text{Var}[w].$$

The non-dimensional relationship would then be:

$$\frac{1}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2)} = \alpha \left( \hat{w}_1^2 + \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_w^2}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w)^2} \right) + (1 - \alpha) \left( \hat{w}_2^2 + \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_w^2}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2)} \right). \tag{4.3.4}$$

The third order moment is given as:

$$\overline{w'^3} = (1 - \delta)\alpha[(w_1 - \overline{w})^3 + 3\sigma_w^2(w_1 - \overline{w})]$$

$$+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)[(w_2 - \overline{w})^3 + 3\sigma_w^2(w_2 - \overline{w})]$$

$$(4.3.5)$$

Since we want to make use of the specific shape of the pdf, we also have a relationship for  $\overline{w'^3}$ , which is called  $\widehat{Sk}_w$ , meaning the skewness of the variable w:

$$\widehat{Sk}_w \equiv \frac{1}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2)^{3/2}} \frac{\overline{w'^3}}{\left(\overline{w'^2}\right)^{3/2}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1 - \delta \lambda_w}{1 - \delta}\right)^{3/2}} \frac{1}{1 - \delta}$$

$$= \alpha \left(\widehat{w}_1^3 + 3\widehat{w}_1 \frac{\widetilde{\sigma}_w^2}{(1 - \widetilde{\sigma}_w^2)}\right) + (1 - \alpha) \left(\widehat{w}_2^3 + 3\widehat{w}_2 \frac{\widetilde{\sigma}_w^2}{(1 - \widetilde{\sigma}_w^2)}\right)$$
(4.3.6)

#### **4.3.2** Moments for $\theta_l$

For  $\theta_l$  we have a similar non-dimensional relationship:

$$0 = \alpha \tilde{\theta}_{l1} + (1 - \alpha)\tilde{\theta}_{l2} \tag{4.3.7}$$

Similarly but with a different standard deviation,  $\overline{\theta_l'^2}$  is given as:

$$\overline{\theta_l^{\prime 2}} = (1 - \delta)\alpha[(\theta_{l1} - \overline{\theta_l})^2 + \sigma_{\theta_{l1}}^2] 
+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)[(\theta_{l2} - \overline{\theta_l})^2 + \sigma_{\theta_{l2}}^2] 
+ \delta\sigma_{\theta_l 3}^2,$$
(4.3.8)

where  $\sigma_{\theta_l 3}$  is defined as  $\lambda_{\theta_l} \overline{\theta_l'^2}$ . This can also be expressed as the variance following the same approach as the one for  $\overline{w'^2}$ .

The third order moment is given as:

$$\overline{\theta_l'^3} = (1 - \delta)\alpha[(\theta_{l1} - \overline{\theta_l})^3 + 3\sigma_{\theta_{l1}}^2(\theta_{l1} - \overline{\theta_l})] 
+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)[(\theta_{l2} - \overline{\theta_l})^3 + 3\sigma_{\theta_{l2}}^2(\theta_{l2} - \overline{\theta_l})]$$
(4.3.9)

Similarly to equation (4.3.6), we also list a moment which is more diagnosed than prognosed:

$$\widehat{Sk_{\theta_l}} \equiv \frac{\overline{\theta_l'^3}}{\left(\overline{\theta_l'^2}\right)^{3/2}} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{1-\delta\lambda_{\theta}}{1-\delta}}\right)^{3/2} \frac{1}{1-\delta} 
= \alpha \left(\widetilde{\theta}_{l1}^3 + 3\widetilde{\theta}_{l1}\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l1}^2\right) + (1-\alpha) \left(\widetilde{\theta}_{l2}^3 + 3\widetilde{\theta}_{l2}\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l2}^2\right).$$
(4.3.10)

#### 4.3.3 Moments for $r_t$

The relationships for  $r_t$  and  $\overline{r_t'^2}$  are given as follows

$$0 = \alpha \tilde{r}_{t1} + (1 - \alpha)\tilde{r}_{t2}, \tag{4.3.11}$$

and

$$1 = \alpha \left( \tilde{r}_{t1}^2 + \tilde{\sigma}_{r_{t1}}^2 \right) + (1 - \alpha) \left( \tilde{r}_{t2}^2 + \tilde{\sigma}_{r_{t2}}^2 \right). \tag{4.3.12}$$

Since this relationship is similar to the relationships of  $\theta_l$  and  $\theta_l^{\prime 2}$ , we are using nearly the same formulas:

$$\overline{r_t'^2} = (1 - \delta)\alpha[(r_{t1} - \overline{r_t})^2 + \sigma_{r_{t1}}^2] 
+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)[(r_{t2} - \overline{r_t})^2 + \sigma_{\theta_{t2}}^2] 
+ \delta\sigma_{r_t3}^2,$$
(4.3.13)

and

$$\overline{r_t'^3} = (1 - \delta)\alpha[(r_{t1} - \overline{r_t})^3 + 3\sigma_{r_{t1}}^2(r_{t1} - \overline{r_t})]$$

$$+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)[(r_{t2} - \overline{r_t})^3 + 3\sigma_{r_{t2}}^2(r_{t2} - \overline{r_t})]$$
(4.3.14)

#### 4.3.4 Mixed moments

There are also equations for two or even three variables, which are listed in the following.

$$\overline{w'\theta_l'} = (1 - \delta)\alpha[(w_1 - \overline{w})(\theta_{l1} - \overline{\theta_l})]$$

$$+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)[(w_2 - \overline{w})(\theta_{l2} - \overline{\theta_l})]$$

$$+ \delta\lambda_{w\theta}\overline{w'\theta_l'},$$
(4.3.15)

$$\overline{w'r_t'} = (1 - \delta)\alpha[(w_1 - \overline{w})(r_{t1} - \overline{r_t})]$$

$$+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)[(w_2 - \overline{w})(r_{t2} - \overline{r_t})]$$

$$+ \delta\lambda_{wr}\overline{w'r_t'}, \qquad (4.3.16)$$

and

$$\overline{r_t'\theta_l'} = (1 - \delta)\alpha \left[ (r_{t1} - \overline{r_t}) \left( \theta_{l1} - \overline{\theta_l} \right) + r_{r_t\theta_l}\sigma_{r_{t1}}\sigma_{\theta_{l1}} \right] 
+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha) \left[ (r_{t2} - \overline{r_t}) \left( \theta_{l2} - \overline{\theta_l} \right) + r_{r_t\theta_l}\sigma_{r_{t2}}\sigma_{\theta_{l2}} \right] 
+ \delta\lambda_{r\theta}\overline{r_t'\theta_l'}.$$
(4.3.17)

We have the non-dimensional relationship for those moments given as

$$\widehat{c}_{w\theta_{l}} \equiv \frac{1}{\left(1 - \widetilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2}\right)^{1/2}} \frac{\overline{w'\theta_{l}'}}{\sqrt{\overline{w'^{2}}} \sqrt{\overline{\theta_{l}'^{2}}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \delta\lambda_{w}}{1 - \delta}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \delta\lambda_{w}}{1 - \delta}}} \frac{1 - \delta\lambda_{w\theta}}{1 - \delta}$$

$$= \alpha \widehat{w}_{1} \widetilde{\theta}_{l1} + (1 - \alpha) \widehat{w}_{2} \widetilde{\theta}_{l2}, \tag{4.3.18}$$

$$\widehat{c}_{wr_t} \equiv \frac{1}{(1 - \widetilde{\sigma}_w^2)^{1/2}} \frac{\overline{w'r_t'}}{\sqrt{\overline{w'^2}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \delta \lambda_w}{1 - \delta}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \delta \lambda_w}{1 - \delta}}} \frac{1 - \delta \lambda_{wr}}{1 - \delta}$$

$$= \alpha \widehat{w}_1 \widetilde{r}_{t1} + (1 - \alpha) \widehat{w}_2 \widetilde{r}_{t2}, \tag{4.3.19}$$

and

$$\widehat{c}_{r_{t}\theta_{l}} \equiv \frac{\overline{r_{t}'\theta_{l}'}}{\sqrt{\overline{r_{t}'^{2}}}\sqrt{\overline{\theta_{l}'^{2}}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1-\delta\lambda_{q}}{1-\delta}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1-\delta\lambda_{\theta}}{1-\delta}}} \frac{1-\delta\lambda_{\theta r}}{1-\delta} 
= \alpha \left(\widetilde{r}_{t1}\widetilde{\theta}_{l1} + r_{r_{t}\theta_{l}}\widetilde{\sigma}_{q_{t1}}\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_{l1}}\right) + (1-\alpha) \left(\widetilde{r}_{t2}\widetilde{\theta}_{l2} + r_{r_{t}\theta_{l}}\widetilde{\sigma}_{r_{t2}}\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_{l2}}\right), \tag{4.3.20}$$

where we can think about  $\hat{c}$  as the correlation.

We also list a trivariate moment  $(\overline{w'r'_t\theta'_l})$ , given by:

$$\overline{w'r_t'\theta_l'} = (1 - \delta)\alpha(w_1 - \overline{w}) \left[ (r_{t1} - \overline{r_t}) \left( \theta_{l1} - \overline{\theta_l} \right) + r_{r_t\theta_l}\sigma_{r_{t1}}\sigma_{\theta_{l1}} \right]$$

$$+ (1 - \delta)(1 - \alpha)(w_2 - \overline{w}) \left[ (r_{t2} - \overline{r_t}) \left( \theta_{l2} - \overline{\theta_l} \right) + r_{r_t\theta_l}\sigma_{r_{t2}}\sigma_{\theta_{l2}} \right].$$

$$(4.3.21)$$

#### 4.4 Solving for pdf parameters by using the moment terms

Having established the prognosed moments for the desired pdf, we now try to retrieve the specific pdf that generates these moments. This process essentially involves inverting the relationship between the moments and the parameters that define the pdf.

In our case, we refer back to the normal mixture family of pdfs (equation (4.1.1)), which offers a representation for atmospheric grid layers. To select a particular member within this family that best aligns with the prognosed moments, we perform a parameter retrieval step.

This retrieval is achieved by inverting equations (4.3.2) to (4.3.20). These equations express the prognosed moments (mean, variance, covariances, etc.) as functions of the underlying pdf parameters (weights, means, and standard deviations). By inverting these relationships, we aim to find a set of pdf parameters that produces a distribution with moments matching the prognosed values.

However, it is important to mention that this inversion is not a straightforward process. That is because the equations are non-linear with respect to the pdf parameters. Despite this non-linearity, the relatively simple structure of the normal mixture pdf (equation (4.1.1)) allows for an analytical solution to the inversion problem. This analytical solution enables

us to efficiently map the prognosed moments back to the corresponding pdf parameters.

The proposed solution procedure [LG05] is as follows.

1. Solve for  $\alpha$ ,  $\widehat{w}_1$ , and  $\widehat{w}_2$  from the equations for  $\overline{w}$  (equation (4.3.2)),  $\overline{w'^2}$  (equation (4.3.4)),  $\overline{w'^3}$  (equation (4.3.6)):

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 - \widehat{Sk}_w \sqrt{\frac{1}{4 + \widehat{Sk}_w^2}} \right], \tag{4.4.1}$$

$$\widehat{w}_1 = \sqrt{\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}},\tag{4.4.2}$$

$$\widehat{w}_2 = -\sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha}}. (4.4.3)$$

Without loss of generality, it has been chosen to set  $\widehat{w}_1 > \widehat{w}_2$ .

2. Looking at equation equation (4.4.1), we see that  $\widehat{Sk}_w$  is determined only by  $\alpha$ :

$$\widehat{Sk}_w = \frac{1 - 2\alpha}{\sqrt{\alpha(1 - \alpha)}}. (4.4.4)$$

3.  $\tilde{\theta}_{l1}$  and  $\tilde{\theta}_{l2}$  are taken from solving equation (4.3.7) for  $\overline{\theta_l}$ , and equation (4.3.18) for  $\overline{w'\theta_l}$ :

$$\tilde{\theta}_{l1} = -\frac{\widehat{c}_{w\theta_l}}{\widehat{w}_2},\tag{4.4.5}$$

$$\tilde{\theta}_{l2} = -\frac{\hat{c}_{w\theta_l}}{\hat{w}_1}.\tag{4.4.6}$$

4. We can get  $\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 1}$  and  $\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 2}$  by fulfilling equation (4.3.8) for  $\overline{\theta_l'^2}$ , and equation (4.3.9) for  $\overline{\theta_l'^3}$ :

$$\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 1}^2 = \left(1 - \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2\right) + \left(\sqrt{\frac{1 - \alpha}{\alpha}}\right) \frac{1}{3\hat{c}_{w\theta_l}} \left(\widehat{Sk_{\theta_l}} - \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}^3 \widehat{Sk}_w\right), \tag{4.4.7}$$

$$\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 2}^2 = \left(1 - \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2\right) - \left(\sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{1 - \alpha}}\right) \frac{1}{3\hat{c}_{w\theta_l}} \left(\widehat{Sk_{\theta_l}} - \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}^3 \widehat{Sk_w}\right). \tag{4.4.8}$$

 $Sk_{\theta_l}$  represents the skewness of  $\theta_l$ , which has to be provided by an equation such as equation (4.3.10) below.

- 5. Finding formulas for  $\tilde{r}_{t1}$ ,  $\tilde{r}_{t2}$ ,  $\tilde{\sigma}_{r_{t1}}^2$ , and  $\tilde{\sigma}_{r_{t2}}^2$  can be done by replacing  $\theta_l$  by  $r_t$  everywhere in the equations (4.4.5), (4.4.6), (4.4.7), and (4.4.8).
- 6. The last step is to get a relationship between  $r_{r_t\theta_l}$ , the in-between normal correlation and  $c_{r_t\theta_l}$ , the total correlation. This can be done by using equation (4.3.17):

$$r_{r_t\theta_l} = \frac{\widehat{c}_{r_t\theta_l} - \widehat{c}_{wr_t}\widehat{c}_{w\theta_l}}{\alpha\widetilde{\sigma}_{r_t1}\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l1} + (1 - \alpha)\widetilde{\sigma}_{r_t2}\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l2}}.$$
(4.4.9)

# 4.5 Leveraging the pdf for higher-order moment calculations

Upon determining the pdf parameters, we gain the ability to compute all higher-order moments associated with the distribution. These moments play a crucial role for closing the already described pdes. The symbolic calculation of higher-order moments can be achieved through integration over the specified pdf. Formulas for calculating various higher-order moments within the context of a binormal pdf are readily available in the literature [LG05].

We state the transformed formulas needed for closure in the following.

$$\frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})^{2}} \frac{(1-\delta)}{(1-\delta\lambda_{w})^{2}} \frac{\overline{w'^{4}}}{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{2}} = \alpha \left[ \widehat{w}_{1}^{4} + 6\widehat{w}_{1}^{2} \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2}}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})} + 3 \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{4}}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})^{2}} \right] + (1-\alpha) \left[ \widehat{w}_{2}^{4} + 6\widehat{w}_{2}^{2} \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2}}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})} + 3 \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{4}}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})^{2}} \right] + \frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})^{2}} \frac{(1-\delta)}{(1-\delta\lambda_{w})^{2}} \delta 3\lambda_{w}^{2}, \tag{4.5.1}$$

$$\frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})} \frac{(1-\delta)^{1/2}}{(1-\delta\lambda_{w})(1-\delta\lambda_{\theta})^{1/2}} \frac{\overline{w'^{2}\theta'_{l}}}{\overline{w'^{2}} \left(\overline{\theta'_{l}^{2}}\right)^{1/2}} = \alpha \left[\widehat{w}_{1}^{2} + \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2}}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})}\right] \tilde{\theta}_{l1} + (1-\alpha) \left[\widehat{w}_{2}^{2} + \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2}}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})}\right] \tilde{\theta}_{l2}, \tag{4.5.2}$$

$$\frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})^{1/2}} \frac{(1-\delta)^{1/2}}{(1-\delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}(1-\delta\lambda_{\theta})} \frac{\overline{w'\theta_{l}'^{2}}}{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{1/2} \overline{\theta_{l}'^{2}}} = \alpha \widehat{w}_{1} \left(\tilde{\theta}_{l1}^{2} + \tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_{l1}}^{2}\right) + (1-\alpha)\widehat{w}_{2} \left(\tilde{\theta}_{l2}^{2} + \tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_{l2}}^{2}\right), \tag{4.5.3}$$

$$\frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})^{1/2}} \frac{(1-\delta)^{1/2}}{(1-\delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}(1-\delta\lambda_{\theta})^{1/2}(1-\delta\lambda_{q_{t}})^{1/2}} \frac{\overline{w'r'_{t}\theta'_{l}}}{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{1/2}\left(\overline{r''_{t}^{2}}\right)^{1/2}\left(\overline{\theta''_{l}^{2}}\right)^{1/2}} \\
= \alpha\widehat{w}_{1}\left(\widetilde{r}_{t1}\widetilde{\theta}_{l1} + r_{r_{t}\theta_{l}}\widetilde{\sigma}_{r_{t1}}\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_{l1}}\right) + (1-\alpha)\widehat{w}_{2}\left(\widetilde{r}_{t2}\widetilde{\theta}_{l2} + r_{r_{t}\theta_{l}}\widetilde{\sigma}_{r_{t2}}\widetilde{\sigma}_{\theta_{l2}}\right) \tag{4.5.4}$$

Equations for  $\overline{w'^2r'_t}$  and  $\overline{w'r'^2_t}$  are similar to equation (4.5.2) and equation (4.5.3) by replacing  $\theta_l$  with  $r_t$  everywhere.

#### 4.6 Addressing skewness and achieving closure

Closing the system of prognostic equations within CLUBB needs the specification of the skewness terms  $Sk_{\theta_l}$  and  $Sk_{r_t}$ . These skewness values appear in the solutions for  $\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 1}$  (equation (4.4.7)) and  $\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 2}$  (equation (4.4.8)), respectively. Traditionally, these skewness terms

could be treated as prognostic variables, requiring their own prognostic equations and adding to the overall intense computation.

Therefore, the paper[LG05] which this work is based on, proposes an alternative approach that uses a diagnostic formula for skewness. The formula provides a reasonable estimate of the skewness terms based on the readily available prognostic moments, avoiding the need for dedicated prognostic equations for skewness. This strategy results in closure of the system of equations while maintaining a computationally tractable model. The proposed formula is the following:

$$\widehat{Sk}_{\theta_l} = \widehat{Sk}_w \widehat{c}_{w\theta_l} \left[ \beta + (1 - \beta)\widehat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2 \right], \tag{4.6.1}$$

which is similar for  $\widehat{Sk}_{r_t}$  by again just replacing  $r_t$  with  $\theta_l$ . They define a parameter  $\beta$  which is dimensionless. We also solve for  $\beta$  because we are going to need the equation later on to show that other equations are true.

$$\implies \beta = \frac{\widehat{Sk}_{\theta_l}}{\widehat{Sk}_w \widehat{c}_{w\theta_l}} - \widehat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2}{1 - \widehat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2}$$

$$(4.6.2)$$

Equation (4.6.1) presents a diagnostic formula for estimating the skewness of  $\theta_l$ . This formula offers a physically intuitive relationship. It proposes a proportionality between  $Sk_{\theta_l}$  and  $Sk_w$ . However, it's crucial to acknowledge the limitations in this diagnostic. The formula suggests that an increase in the parameter  $\beta$  leads to a larger magnitude of  $Sk_{\theta_l}$ . This translates to a pdf with a more extended tail in the  $\theta_l$  domain. Furthermore, the formula captures the behavior when w and  $\theta_l$  are correlated. That is, positive skewness in w leads to positive skewness in  $\theta_l$  (positive correlation), and vice versa (negative correlation). However, it is important to mention that real-world large eddy simulations may show deviations from this simplified relationship.

Another limitation appears when either  $Sk_w$  or the covariance between w and  $\theta_l$   $(c_{w\theta_l})$  approaches zero. The formula predicts a vanishing  $Sk_{\theta_l}$  in these scenarios, which may not always be true.

Finally, the diagnostic approach allows for the magnitude of  $|Sk_{\theta_l}|$  to be either smaller or larger than  $|Sk_w|$ . This behavior depends on the interplay between the variance of w ( $\tilde{\sigma}_w^2$ ), the covariance  $(c_{w\theta_l})$ , and the parameter  $\beta$ . This highlights the potential for discrepancies between the estimated skewness and the actual skewness observed in real-world atmospheric data.

To summarize, equation (4.6.1) offers a computationally efficient method for skewness estimation, but it comes with limitations. While it captures some key aspects of the relationship between the skewness in w and the skewness in  $\theta_l$ , one should be aware of deviations from its predictions.

We proceed with using equation (4.3.10) for  $\widehat{Sk}_{\theta_l}$  and find the following relationships[LG05] for  $\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 1}^2$  and  $\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 2}^2$ :

$$\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 1}^2 = \frac{\left(1 - \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2\right)}{\alpha} \left[ \frac{1}{3}\beta + \alpha \left(1 - \frac{2}{3}\beta\right) \right],\tag{4.6.3}$$

and

$$\tilde{\sigma}_{\theta_l 2}^2 = \frac{\left(1 - \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2\right)}{1 - \alpha} \left\{ 1 - \left[\frac{1}{3}\beta + \alpha \left(1 - \frac{2}{3}\beta\right)\right] \right\}. \tag{4.6.4}$$

By using the previously stated expressions for the standard deviations (equations (4.6.3) and (4.6.4), with their  $r_t$  counterparts), we can substitute them into the formula for the correlation between  $r_t$  and  $\theta_l$  (equation (4.4.9)). This substitution leads to a more concise representation.

$$r_{r_t\theta_l} = \frac{c_{r_t\theta_l} - \hat{c}_{wr_t}\hat{c}_{w\theta_l}}{\left(1 - \hat{c}_{wr_t}^2\right)^{1/2} \left(1 - \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2\right)^{1/2}},\tag{4.6.5}$$

where the correlation of  $r_t$  and  $\theta_l$  within the individual normal distributions is  $r_{r_t\theta_l}$ , and  $c_{r_t\theta_l}$  represents the total correlation across the entire trinormal pdf.

CLUBB chooses a specific formula for the w-"width" of the individual normals, which is the

following.

$$\tilde{\sigma}_w^2 = \gamma \left[ 1 - \max(c_{w\theta_l}^2, c_{wr_t}^2) \right]. \tag{4.6.6}$$

The stated formula incorporates the covariances  $-c_{wr_t}^2$  and  $c_{w\theta_l}^2$  – and ensures that  $\tilde{\sigma}_w^2$  is bounded between 0 and 1. That is because a new dimensionless parameter  $\gamma$  was introduced whose domain is [0,1). This mathematical safeguard guarantees that even when the original covariances  $(c_{wr_t}^2$  and  $c_{w\theta_l}^2)$  become large in magnitude, the derived variance remains within a realistic and mathematically tractable bound  $(0 \le \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2, \hat{c}_{wr_t}^2 \mid 1)$ . It also follows, that  $\tilde{\sigma}_{r_{ti}}$ , and  $r_{r_t\theta_l}$  remain in a realistic bound.

# 4.7 Formulating closure relationships for higher-order moments in terms of lower-order moments

This section delves into the derivation of closure relationships for crucial higher-order moments employed within the CLUBB parameterization.

Our focus here lies on achieving closure for the following terms:

- $\overline{w'^4}$ : The fourth-order moment of up-/downdrafts,
- $\overline{w'^2\theta'_l}$ : the so called flux of flux,
- $\overline{w'\theta_l'^2}$ : the flux of variance,
- $\overline{w'r'_t\theta'_l}$ : and the flux of covariance.

Closure, in this context, refers to expressing these higher-order moments completely in terms of known quantities, typically lower-order moments that are directly prognosed by the model.

The approach to derive those formulas is based on the previously established expressions for the pdf parameters (equations (4.4.1) to (4.4.9)). By substituting those derived pdf parameter expressions into the relevant equations for the higher-order moments (equations (4.5.1) to (4.5.4)), we find the desired closure relationships.

We first present the equation for the third moment of  $\theta'_l$ ,  $\overline{\theta''_l}$  This expression is derived by dimensionalizing equation (4.6.1), which relates the skewness of  $\theta_l$  to the skewness of w and other model parameters.

$$\overline{\theta_l'^3} = \frac{(1 - \delta \lambda_{w\theta})(1 - \delta \lambda_{\theta})}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2)^2 (1 - \delta \lambda_w)^2} \frac{\overline{w'^3}}{\left(\overline{w'^2}\right)^2} \overline{\theta_l'^2} \, \overline{w'\theta_l'} \left(\beta + (1 - \beta) \frac{(1 - \delta \lambda_{w\theta})^2}{1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2 (1 - \delta \lambda_w)(1 - \delta \lambda_{\theta})} \frac{\left(\overline{w'\theta_l'}\right)^2}{\overline{w'^2} \, \overline{\theta_l'^2}}\right). \tag{4.7.1}$$

While the scalar third moments (e.g.,  $\overline{\theta_l^{\prime 3}}$ ) may not directly participate in solving the prognostic equations within CLUBB, they hold an indirect yet crucial role in shaping cloud properties within atmospheric simulations. This influence is coming from the connection between the pdf and the cloud formation.

Cumulus cloud formation mostly occurs at the edges, or "tails" of the pdf for a specific variable. These tails represent regions where the probability of encountering extreme values of the variable is relatively higher. As the relative "width" of the normal distribution representing w increases  $(\tilde{\sigma}_w)$ , the magnitude of  $\overline{\theta_l'^3}$  also grows (refer to (4.7.1) for details). In simpler terms, a larger value of  $\overline{\theta_l'^3}$  corresponds to a broader pdf for the up-/downdraft variable. This broader pdf deviates more significantly from a double delta function, which is a construct with two spikes at zero.

Unlike the scalar third moment,  $\overline{w'^4}$  does not depend on the thermodynamic scalar moments (such as  $\overline{\theta_l'^3}$ ). Consequently, it is independent of the parameter  $\beta$ . To derive the explicit formula for  $\overline{w'^4}$ , we can substitute the previously stated expressions for  $\widehat{w_1}$  (equation (4.4.2))

and  $\widehat{w}_2$  (equation (4.4.3)) into equation (4.5.1).

$$\frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_w^2)^2} \frac{(1-\delta)}{(1-\delta\lambda_w)^2} \frac{\overline{w'^4}}{\left(\overline{w'^2}\right)^2} = 3 \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_w^4}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_w^2)^2} + 6 \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_w^2}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_w^2)} + 1 + \widehat{Sk}_w^2 + \frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_w^2)^2} \frac{(1-\delta)}{(1-\delta\lambda_w)^2} \delta 3\lambda_w^2, \tag{4.7.2}$$

and also

$$\overline{w'^4} = \left(\overline{w'^2}\right)^2 \frac{(1 - \delta\lambda_w)^2}{(1 - \delta)} \left(3\tilde{\sigma}_w^4 + 6\left(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2\right)\tilde{\sigma}_w^2 + \left(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2\right)^2\right)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2)} \frac{1}{(1 - \delta\lambda_w)} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^3}\right)^2}{\overline{w'^2}}$$

$$+ \delta 3\lambda_w^2 \left(\overline{w'^2}\right)^2. \tag{4.7.3}$$

As observed with  $\overline{w'^4}$ ,  $\overline{w'^2\theta'_l}$  displays independence from the parameter  $\beta$  within the context of the chosen pdf.

To proceed, we can substitute the previously derived expressions for  $\widehat{w_1}$  (equation (4.4.2)),  $\widehat{w_2}$  (equation (4.4.3)),  $\widehat{Sk}_w$  (equation (4.3.6)),  $\widehat{\theta_{l1}}$  (equation (4.4.5)), and  $\widehat{\widetilde{\theta}_{l2}}$  (equation (4.4.6)) into equation (4.5.2). This substitution process will yield an explicit formula for  $\overline{w'^2\theta'_l}$  that solely relies on known quantities, such as the prognostic moments directly calculated by the model.

$$\frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_w^2)} \frac{(1-\delta)^{1/2}}{(1-\delta\lambda_w)(1-\delta\lambda_\theta)^{1/2}} \frac{\overline{w'^2\theta_l'}}{\overline{w'^2} \left(\overline{\theta_l'^2}\right)^{1/2}} = \widehat{c}_{w\theta_l} \widehat{Sk}_w, \tag{4.7.4}$$

and

$$\overline{w'^2\theta'_l} = \frac{1}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2)} \frac{1 - \delta \lambda_{w\theta}}{1 - \delta \lambda_w} \frac{\overline{w'^3}}{\overline{w'^2}} \overline{w'\theta'_l}.$$
(4.7.5)

 $\overline{w'\theta_l'^2}$  depends explicitly on  $Sk_{\theta_l}$ . Substituting equation (4.4.2) - equation (4.4.8) into equation (4.5.4) yields

$$\frac{1}{(1-\tilde{\sigma}_w^2)^{1/2}} \frac{(1-\delta)^{1/2}}{(1-\delta\lambda_w)^{1/2}(1-\delta\lambda_\theta)} \frac{\overline{w'\theta_l'^2}}{\left(\overline{w'^2}\right)^{1/2} \overline{\theta_l'^2}} = \frac{2}{3} \widehat{c}_{w\theta_l}^2 \widehat{Sk}_w + \frac{1}{3} \frac{\widehat{Sk}_{\theta_l}}{\widehat{c}_{w\theta_l}}, \tag{4.7.6}$$

and

$$\overline{w'\theta_l'^2} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{(1 - \delta \lambda_{w\theta})^2}{(1 - \delta \lambda_w)^2} \frac{1}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2)^2} \frac{\overline{w'^3}}{\left(\overline{w'^2}\right)^2} \left(\overline{w'\theta_l'}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{3} \frac{(1 - \delta \lambda_w)}{(1 - \delta \lambda_{w\theta})} \left(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2\right) \frac{\overline{w'^2}}{\overline{w'\theta_l'}} \frac{\overline{\theta_l'^3}}{\overline{w'\theta_l'}}.$$
(4.7.7)

# 5 Integration using SymPy

Throughout this thesis, symbolic manipulation plays a crucial role in verifying mathematical expressions, particularly integrals. To achieve this, we rely on SymPy[Meu+17] – a powerful Python library for symbolic mathematics. This chapter dives into the world of SymPy, showcasing its capabilities through a detailed example.

We begin by demonstrating the analytical approach to solving an integral. Next, we will explore the numerical side of integration. We are going to demonstrate how SymPy can be seamlessly integrated with numerical computing libraries to evaluate the integral for specific input values. This combined approach allows us to not only verify our analytical solution but also gain valuable insights into the integral's behavior for different scenarios. By following this step-by-step example, the reader will gain a solid understanding of how SymPy can be used, not only for this thesis.

## 5.1 Analytic integration

For simplicity and readability, we choose the check for the formula of  $\overline{w'^2}$  (this is item 3 from section 2.6). One starts by importing and – obviously – installing the packages if they are not there yet. Importing the package display is useful for later on printing the equations. Thus, this results in the code in listing 5.1. In this listing, sympy was defined to be called sp and from sympy we directly imported some packages, too, which are needed later on.

Next, we define all symbols which are needed to calculate the given integral and therefore also to print the equations nicely. Since we are checking  $\overline{w'^2}$ , we need the (self-defined)

#### Listing 5.1: Import statements

```
import sympy as sp
from IPython.display import display
from sympy import abc, oo, Symbol, Integral
from sympy.stats import Normal, density
```

symbols listed in listing 5.2. Having defined the symbols, we can proceed with defining

Listing 5.2: Defining symbols

```
sigma_w = Symbol('\sigma_w')
w_1 = Symbol('w_1')
w_2 = Symbol('w_2')
w_bar = Symbol('\overline{w}')
sigma_lambda_w = Symbol('\sigma_{\lambda w}')
w_prime_2_bar = Symbol('\overline{w\'^2}')
```

the marginal distribution. Now, we are also using sympy.abc for displaying some standard symbols (listing 5.3). Having done that we can actually display the integral which we want

Listing 5.3: Defining the marginals

to compute (listing 5.4). Looking at figure 5.1, this is exactly the integral which we

Listing 5.4: Defining and displaying the needed integral

```
w_prime_2_bar_int = sp.Integral((sp.abc.w - w_bar) ** 2 * G_w, [sp.abc.w, -oo, oo])
display(sp.Eq(w_prime_2_bar, w_prime_2_bar_int))
```

want to compute. Using the command .doit(conds='none') in listing 5.5, we can actually

Figure 5.1: Output of listing 5.4

$$\overline{w'^{2}} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (-\overline{w} + w)^{2} \left( \frac{\sqrt{2}\delta e^{-\frac{(-\overline{w} + w)^{2}}{2\sigma_{\lambda w}^{2}}}}{2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma_{\lambda w}} + \frac{\sqrt{2}\alpha (1 - \delta) e^{-\frac{(w - w_{1})^{2}}{2\sigma_{w}^{2}}}}{2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma_{w}} + \frac{\sqrt{2}\cdot (1 - \alpha) (1 - \delta) e^{-\frac{(w - w_{2})^{2}}{2\sigma_{w}^{2}}}}{2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma_{w}} \right) dw$$

calculate the given integral, where we assume that all given constants are real. We are also using .simplify() here to make the output more readable as well as more comparable to the actual function we want to check. We can now compare figure 5.2 to the given equation.

Listing 5.5: Calculating and printing the integral

```
w_prime_2_bar_int_val = w_prime_2_bar_int.doit(conds='none').simplify()
display(sp.Eq(w_prime_2_bar, w_prime_2_bar_int_val))
```

Figure 5.2: Output of listing 5.5

$$\overline{w'^2} = -\overline{w}^2\delta + \overline{w}^2 + 2\overline{w}\alpha\delta w_1 - 2\overline{w}\alpha\delta w_2 - 2\overline{w}\alpha w_1 + 2\overline{w}\alpha w_2 + 2\overline{w}\delta w_2 - 2\overline{w}w_2 - \sigma_w^2\delta + \sigma_w^2 + \sigma_{\lambda w}^2\delta - \alpha\delta w_1^2 + \alpha\delta w_2^2 + \alpha w_1^2 - \alpha w_2^2 - \delta w_2^2 + w_2^2,$$

To do this, we first need to define the equation for equation (4.3.3) in listing 5.6. We can

Listing 5.6: Python function for the second order moment

```
def w_prime_2_bar_check(delta=sp.abc.delta, alpha=sp.abc.alpha, w_1=w_1, w_2=w_2,
w_bar=w_bar, sigma_w=sigma_w, sigma_lambda_w=sigma_lambda_w):
    return (((1 - delta) * alpha * ((w_1 - w_bar) ** 2 + sigma_w ** 2))
        + ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * ((w_2 - w_bar) ** 2 + sigma_w ** 2))
        + (delta * sigma_lambda_w ** 2))
```

print this equation using display again (listing 5.7). The last step is to check if those two

Listing 5.7: Printing the symbolic equation

```
display(sp.Eq(w_prime_2_bar, w_prime_2_bar_check()))
```

Figure 5.3: Output of listing 5.7

$$\overline{w'^2} = \sigma_{\lambda w}^2 \delta + \alpha \left(1 - \delta\right) \left(\sigma_w^2 + \left(-\overline{w} + w_1\right)^2\right) + \left(1 - \alpha\right) \left(1 - \delta\right) \left(\sigma_w^2 + \left(-\overline{w} + w_2\right)^2\right)$$

formulas are equivalent to each other. We can do this by using Eq(..) from the package SymPy. factor(..) tries to factor the given variables to make the comparison easier. All of this can be seen in listing 5.8. This code (listing 5.8) just displays True, which is exactly

Listing 5.8: Check if the integral and the given formula are the same

what we wanted to have.

## 5.2 Numeric integration

Again, for better readability, we choose to check the formula for  $\overline{w'^2\theta'_l}$  (this is item 6 from section 2.6). As in section 5.2, there needs to be some packages imported. We are importing the same packages as in listing 5.1 together with some more (listing 5.9). Since we are going

Listing 5.9: Import statements

```
from itertools import product import pandas as pd import numpy as np
```

to need some more symbols, we also need to define those. We still use the symbols as in

listing 5.2, together with the ones in listing 5.10.

Listing 5.10: Defining symbols

```
sigma_lambda_theta_1 = Symbol('\sigma_{\lambda\\theta_1}')
theta_1_1 = Symbol('\\theta_{11}')
theta_1_2 = Symbol('\\theta_{12}')
theta_1_bar = Symbol('\overline{\\theta_1}')
sigma_theta_1_1 = Symbol('\\sigma_{\\theta_{11}}')
sigma_theta_1_2 = Symbol('\\sigma_{\\theta_{11}}')
rho_w_theta_1 = Symbol('\\rho_{w\\theta_1}')
w_prime_3_bar = Symbol('\overline{w\'^3}')
w_prime_theta_1_prime_bar = Symbol('\overline{w\'\\theta\'_1}')
w_prime_2_theta_prime_1_bar = Symbol('\overline{w\'\^2\\theta\'_1}')
sigma_tilde_w = Symbol('\Tilde{\\sigma_w'})
lambda_w_theta = Symbol('\lambda_{w\\theta}')
lambda_w = Symbol('\lambda_w')
```

We start defining the integral by defining the marginals (listing 5.11).

Listing 5.11: Defining the marginals

```
G_1_w_theta = Normal(name='G_1_w_theta', mean=sp.Matrix([w_1, theta_1_1]),
    std=sp.Matrix([[sigma_w ** 2, 0], [0, sigma_theta_l_1 ** 2]]))
G_1_w_theta_density = density(G_1_w_theta)(sp.abc.w, sp.abc.theta)
G_2_w_theta = Normal(name='G_2_w_theta', mean=sp.Matrix([w_2, theta_1_2]),
    std=sp.Matrix([[sigma_w ** 2, 0], [0, sigma_theta_1_2 ** 2]]))
G_2_w_theta_density = density(G_2_w_theta)(sp.abc.w, sp.abc.theta)
G_3_w_theta = Normal(name='G_3_w_theta', mean=sp.Matrix([w_bar, theta_l_bar]),
    std=sp.Matrix([[sigma_lambda_w ** 2,
        rho_w_theta_l * sigma_lambda_w * sigma_lambda_theta_l],
        [rho_w_theta_l * sigma_lambda_w * sigma_lambda_theta_l,
        sigma_lambda_theta_1 ** 2]]))
G_3_w_theta_density = sp.simplify(density(G_3_w_theta)(sp.abc.w, sp.abc.theta))
G_w_{theta} = (
(1 - sp.abc.delta) * sp.abc.alpha * density(G_1_w_theta)(sp.abc.w, sp.abc.theta)
+ (1 - sp.abc.delta) * (1 - sp.abc.alpha) * density(G_2_w_theta)(sp.abc.w, sp.abc.theta)
+ sp.abc.delta * G_3_w_theta_density)
```

The integral which needs to be computed is then defined as in listing 5.12.

Here (listing 5.12), the output is omitted for better readability. We do not yet compute the integral, because due to the complexity, unfortunately this is not working with SymPy.

Listing 5.12: Defining and displaying the needed integral

Since there is still the equation to check needed, we proceed by defining a function for that in listing 5.13. Looking at figure 5.4, there are some other equations needed like

Listing 5.13: Python function for  $\overline{w'^2\theta_l}$ 

```
def w_prime_2_theta_l_prime_bar_check(sigma_tilde_w = sigma_tilde_w,
    delta = sp.abc.delta, lambda_w_theta = lambda_w_theta, lambda_w = lambda_w,
    w_prime_3_bar = w_prime_3_bar, w_prime_2_bar = w_prime_2_bar,
    w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar = w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar):
    return ((1 / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2)) *
        ((1 - delta * lambda_w_theta) / (1 - delta * lambda_w)) *
        (w_prime_3_bar / w_prime_2_bar) *
        w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar)
display(sp.Eq(w_prime_2_theta_prime_l_bar, w_prime_2_theta_l_prime_bar_check()))
```

Figure 5.4: Output of listing 5.13

$$\overline{w'^{2}\theta'_{l}} = \frac{\overline{w'\theta'_{l}} \cdot \overline{w'^{3}} \left(-\lambda_{w\theta}\delta + 1\right)}{\overline{w'^{2}} \cdot \left(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2}\right) \left(-\lambda_{w}\delta + 1\right)}$$

equation (4.3.15), equation (4.3.5), equation (4.3.3), equation (4.2.3), and equation (4.1.4). We do not list the functions to those equations here, because they are defined the same way like the other equations are defined as functions.

Instead, since we cannot compute the integral analytically, we can create a dataframe using pandas[McK10]. The columns for this dataframe are going to be all the inputs we have. To get all permutations, this code (listing 5.14) is also using product(...) from the itertools package.

Listing 5.14: Create a dataframe and putting in arbitrary numbers

We append another column which is called "checkval" and lists the values for the given equation to check. This code also uses the function defined in listing 5.13, where all other

Listing 5.15: Attaching the "checkval" column to the dataframe

```
df['checkval'] = (df.apply(lambda x: w_prime_2_theta_l_prime_bar_check_val.subs({
    w_1: x[w_1], w_2: x[w_2], theta_l_1: x[theta_l_1], theta_l_2: x[theta_l_2],
    sigma_theta_l_1: x[sigma_theta_l_1], sigma_theta_l_2: x[sigma_theta_l_2],
    sigma_lambda_theta_l: x[sigma_lambda_theta_l], sigma_w: x[sigma_w],
    sigma_lambda_w: x[sigma_lambda_w], sp.abc.alpha: x[sp.abc.alpha],
    sp.abc.delta: x[sp.abc.delta], rho_w_theta_l: x[rho_w_theta_l]}), axis=1))
```

equations are substituted into. The function df.apply(..) is used to apply the function given in the parenthesis to all rows of the dataframe by specifying a lambda x, where x is corresponding to the given dataframe, df. Lastly, there is also the axis=1 parameter, which specifies the direction of applying the function.

Next, we are actually computing  $\overline{w'^2\theta_l}$  numerically by using the quadrature method and applying the values of this integrals to a new column in the dataframe (listing 5.16). Here, we

Listing 5.16: Attaching the "numint" column to the dataframe

```
df['numint'] = (df.apply(lambda x: Rational(w_prime_2_theta_l_prime_bar.subs({
    w_1: x[w_1],w_2: x[w_2], theta_l_1: x[theta_l_1], theta_l_2: x[theta_l_2],
    sigma_theta_l_1: x[sigma_theta_l_1], sigma_theta_l_2: x[sigma_theta_l_2],
    sigma_lambda_theta_l: x[sigma_lambda_theta_l], sigma_w: x[sigma_w],
    sigma_lambda_w: x[sigma_lambda_w], sp.abc.alpha: x[sp.abc.alpha],
    sp.abc.delta: x[sp.abc.delta], rho_w_theta_l: x[rho_w_theta_l]
}).doit(conds='none', method='quad').evalf()), axis=1))
```

are using the integral which has been specified earlier and adding the parameter method='quad'

to the function .doit(...). After that, .evalf(...) just gives the numerical value. We try to prove that the integral value equals the function value, hence we are computing the error between those two columns (listing 5.17) and take the mean (numpy.mean(...) from the package NumPy[Har+20]) of these new columns (listing 5.18) to see if the error is actually numerically 0.

Listing 5.17: Attaching the "diffnum" column to the dataframe

```
df['diffnum'] = abs(df['checkval'].astype(float) - df['numint'].astype(float))
```

Listing 5.18: Calculating the mean difference

```
print('The mean error between the rhs and the lhs is:', np.mean(df['diffnum']))
```

Figure 5.5: Output of listing 5.18
The mean error between the rhs and the lhs is: 1.3753423344481015e-124

In figure 5.5, we see that the mean error is basically 0 which we wanted. It should be noted that based on the configuration of each individual computer, the solutions can slightly differ due to floating point arithmetic.

## 6 Asymptotics

Once we defined all functions, we see that we want certain behaviors for certain values as well as there is a need to restrict some parameter values.

We start with the "obvious" restrictions for the pdf parameters. The mixture fractions  $\alpha$  and  $\delta$  are meant to be  $\alpha \in [0,1]$  and  $\delta \in [0,1)$ . But since the code tries to simplify a lot of things, the binormal representation also does not revert back to a single normal distribution. Therefore we have  $\alpha \in (0,1)$  due to the code. The restriction to  $\delta$  makes sense in a way that we do not really want just the third normal to predict the whole shape. Also, most of the formulas, e.g. equation (4.3.6) have a  $1 - \delta$  in the denominator.

In section 2.3, we saw, how the transformation between the sum of two normal distributions and the sum of three normal distributions are working. From those transformations, we see that we want That is, for instance, that the variance of w over the whole pdf has to be strictly

$$0 < \delta \lambda_w < 1, \qquad 0 < \delta \lambda_\theta < 1, \qquad 0 < \delta \lambda_r < 1,$$

$$\iff 0 < \delta \frac{\sigma_{w3}^2}{w'^2} < 1, \qquad 0 < \delta \frac{\sigma_{\theta_l 3}^2}{\overline{\theta_l'^2}} < 1, \qquad 0 < \delta \frac{\sigma_{r_t 3}^2}{\overline{r_t'^2}} < 1,$$

$$\iff 0 < \delta \sigma_{w3}^2 < \overline{w'^2}, \quad 0 < \delta \sigma_{\theta_l 3}^2 < \overline{\theta_l'^2}, \quad 0 < \delta \sigma_{r_t 3}^2 < \overline{r_t'^2}.$$

greater than  $\delta$  times the squared standard deviation in w of the third normal distribution.

For realizability, it turns out that we want  $-1 < \hat{c}_{w\theta_l}, \hat{c}_{wr_t}, \hat{c}_{r_t\theta_l} < 1$ . This is for instance:

$$c_{wr_t}^2 < \left(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_w^2\right) \left(\frac{(1 - \delta\lambda_w)(1 - \delta\lambda_r)}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{wr})^2}\right) \tag{6.0.1}$$

So it might be safer to set

$$\lambda_w, \lambda_r < \lambda_{wr} \iff \frac{\sigma_{w3}^2}{\overline{w'^2}}, \frac{\sigma_{r_t3}^2}{\overline{r_t'^2}} < \frac{\rho_{wr_t}\sigma_{w3}\sigma_{r_t3}}{\overline{w'r_t'}}$$

$$(6.0.2)$$

so that the rhs is greater and the bound is less restrictive. If we assume  $\lambda_{\theta} = \lambda_r$  and  $\lambda_{w\theta} = \lambda_{wr}$ , then we have 5 new pdf parameters:  $\delta$ ,  $\lambda_w$ ,  $\lambda_{\theta}$ ,  $\lambda_{w\theta}$ ,  $\lambda_{\theta r}$ . If we want the pdf to revert to a single normal distribution in the limit of zero skewness, then we need

$$\delta, \lambda_w, \lambda_r, \lambda_\theta, \lambda_{wr}, \lambda_{w\theta}, \lambda_{\theta r} \to 1,$$
 (6.0.3)

as  $Sk_w \to 0$ . That being said, we can have a look at equation (4.3.6) and take the limit.

$$\begin{split} & \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{1}{(1 - \tilde{\sigma}_{w}^{2})^{3/2}} \frac{\overline{w'^{3}}}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{3/2}} \frac{1}{(\frac{1 - \delta_{w}}{1 - \delta_{w}})^{3/2}} \frac{1}{1 - \delta} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{1}{(1 - \frac{\sigma_{w}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}})^{3/2}} \frac{\overline{w'^{3}}}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{3/2}} \frac{(1 - \delta)^{3/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/2}} \frac{1}{1 - \delta} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{1}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2} - \sigma_{w}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}} \frac{\overline{w'^{3}}}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{3/2}} \frac{(1 - \delta)^{1/2}}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{3/2}} \frac{1}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/2}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2} - \sigma_{w}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{3/2}} \frac{\overline{w'^{3}}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/2}} \frac{(1 - \delta)^{1/2}}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{3/2}} \frac{1}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/2}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/4}}{(\overline{w'^{2}})^{3/4}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/4}} \frac{\overline{w'^{3}}}{(1 - \delta)^{1/2}} \frac{\overline{w'^{3}}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/2}} \frac{(1 - \delta)^{1/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/2}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/4}\left(\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{2} - \frac{(1 - \delta)^{1/2}\sigma_{w}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}}\right)} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}\left(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2} - \frac{(1 - \delta)^{1/2}\sigma_{w}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}}\right)} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}\sigma_{w}}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}\sigma_{w}}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}\sigma_{w}}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1/2}(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}\sigma_{w}}{(1 - \delta\lambda_{w})^{1/2}\sigma_{w}}} \\ &= \lim_{\delta \to 1, \lambda_{w} \to 1} \frac{\left(\overline{w'^{2}}\right)^{3/4}\overline{w'^{3}}(1 - \delta)^{1$$

Hence, if  $\delta \to 1$  we get  $Sk_w \to 0$ . Of course, one needs to pay attention when computing those equations in the code, since we could run into a division by zero error, depending on

which values are computed first.

# Summary

In this thesis we saw how adding a third normal distribution to the CLUBB model would improve the representation of certain shapes. While it is not entirely clear at first why this is an actual improvement, there are some plots describing certain behaviors in section 2.1. Once we saw the graphical advantages,

## 8 Outlook

We have seen that adding a third normal distribution right in the middle of the two defined (simplified) normal distributions does not change the "closed" formulas too much, neither it makes it too complicated. So for CLUBB there are new parameters, e.g.  $\delta$  or  $\lambda_w$ , which can be chosen to "tweak" the representation of the underlying pdf for the prognosed moments. Ultimately one would like to fit this resulting pdf to real data, to get better relationships, as well as thresholds for some variables. To do this there are some approaches which unfortunately have not been discussed. A following thesis could e.g. incorporate some machine learning approach to learn optimal values for certain parameters.

The methodology established in chapter 5 extends far beyond the immediate application within the CLUBB model. This chapter serves as a blueprint for a generalizable approach to verifying and analyzing integral expressions. Its core strength lies in the utilization of SymPy, a powerful and well-supported cas. SymPy's community-driven nature provides continuous development and a vast library of mathematical capabilities. By leveraging this versatile tool, we can tackle a wide range of integral expressions, both analytically and numerically. This approach offers several advantages:

- Symbolic Verification: SymPy allows us to perform symbolic manipulations, enabling the derivation of exact solutions for integrals whenever possible.
- Numerical Approximation: For integrals that are analytically intractable, SymPy seamlessly integrates with numerical computing libraries. This allows us to efficiently approximate the integral's value for specific parameter choices. This combined approach ensures we can handle a broader range of integral expressions.

• Generalizability and Reusability: The framework outlined in chapter 5 is not specific to the context of CLUBB. By focusing on the core functionalities of SymPy, this approach can be adapted to various scientific disciplines.

Overall, the methods we developed in this thesis using SymPy are not just useful for the CLUBB model. These methods can be applied to many other scientific problems because they can both solve integrals exactly (symbolically) and get close answers (numerically) for a wide range of equations. SymPy, being a powerful and widely-used tool, makes this possible.

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## A Code

#### A.1 User Guide

#### A.1.1 Accessing the code

The code used for checking functions mentioned in the thesis is attached and can be accessed alongside this document.

#### A.1.2 Key files and their purposes

- checked\_functions.py: This file houses the definitions of all functions used for checking integrals.
- symbols.py: This file contains definitions of all symbols employed for computations with SymPy, a powerful library for symbolic mathematics.

## A.1.3 Working with functions

To obtain a function with symbols already incorporated, call it with an empty list of arguments (e.g., function\_name()).

#### A.1.4 Displaying equations effectively

- 1. Import the display function from IPython.display.
- 2. Use display(...) to present statements or even equations visually.

#### A.1.5 Handling integrals

1. Displaying an integral: Use sympy.Integral(..) and put it into display(..) to visualize the integral.

- 2. Computing an integral symbolically: Apply .doit(..) to the integral object for symbolic computation.
- 3. Approximating an integral numerically: Add the option "method=quad" within the .doit(..) call to calculate the integral using the quadrature approximation method.

## A.2 symbols.py

```
from sympy import Symbol, symbols
2
    # siqma
3
    sigma_w = Symbol('\sigma_w')
4
5
    sigma_r_t_i, sigma_r_t_1, sigma_r_t_2 = (
6
7
        symbols('\sigma_{r_{ti}} \sigma_{r_{t1}} \sigma_{r_{t2}}'))
    sigma_theta_l_i, sigma_theta_l_1, sigma_theta_l_2 = (
9
        symbols('\sigma_{\theta_{11}} \sigma_{\theta_{12}}'))
10
11
    sigma_tilde_r_t_i, sigma_tilde_r_t_1, sigma_tilde_r_t_2 = (
12
        symbols('\\tilde{\\sigma}_{r_ti} \\tilde{\\sigma}_{r_t1} \\\tilde{\\sigma}_{r_t2}')
13
14
15
    sigma_tilde_theta_l_i, sigma_tilde_theta_l_1, sigma_tilde_theta_l_2 = (
16
        symbols(
17
18
             '\\tilde{\\sigma}_{\\theta_li} \\tilde{\\sigma}_{\\theta_l1}
             → \\tilde{\\sigma}_{\\theta_12}')
    )
19
20
    sigma_tilde_lambda_w = Symbol('\\tilde{\sigma}_{\lambda_w}')
21
    sigma_tilde_w = Symbol('\\tilde{\sigma}_w')
22
    sigma_lambda_w = Symbol('\sigma_{\lambda_w}')
23
    sigma_lambda_theta_1 = Symbol('\sigma_{\lambda\\theta_1}')
24
    sigma_lambda_r_t = Symbol('\sigma_{{\lambda}r_t}')
25
26
    # w
27
    w_bar = Symbol('\overline{w}')
28
    w_prime = Symbol('w\'')
29
    w_i, w_1, w_2 = symbols('w_i w_1 w_2')
30
31
    w_hat_i, w_hat_1, w_hat_2, w_hat_3, w_hat_prime = (
32
        symbols('\hat{w}_i \hat{w}_1 \hat{w}_2 \hat{w}_3 \hat{w}'')
33
34
35
    w_prime_2_bar, w_prime_3_bar, w_prime_4_bar = symbols(
36
         \label{lower-line} $$ \operatorname{w}^2 \operatorname{w}^3 \operatorname{w}^3$ \operatorname{w}^4$'
37
38
39
    w_prime_r_t_prime_bar = Symbol('\overline{w\'r\'_t}')
40
```

```
w_prime_2_theta_prime_1_bar = Symbol('\overline{w\'^2\\theta\'_1}')
    w_prime_theta_prime_l_2_bar = Symbol('\overline{w\'\\theta\'^2_l}')
42
    w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar = Symbol('\overline{w\'\\theta\'_1}')
43
44
    w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar = Symbol('\overline\{w\'\{r_t\}\'\{\\theta_l\}\'\}')
45
46
47
    r_t = Symbol('r_t')
48
49
    r_t_bar, r_t_prime_2_bar = symbols(
50
        '\overline{r_t} \overline{r_t\'^2}'
51
52
53
    r_t_i, r_t_1, r_t_2 = symbols('r_{ti} r_{t1} r_{t2}')
54
55
    r_t_tilde_prime, r_t_i_tilde, r_t_1_tilde, r_t_2_tilde = symbols(
56
        57
58
59
    # theta
60
    theta_1 = Symbol('\\theta_1')
61
62
    theta_l_bar, theta_l_prime_2_bar, theta_l_prime_3_bar = symbols(
63
        '\overline{\\theta_1\'^2} \overline{\\theta_1\'^3}'
64
    )
65
66
    theta_l_prime_r_t_prime_bar = Symbol('\overline{\\theta_l\'r_t\'}')
67
68
    theta_l_i, theta_l_1, theta_l_2 = symbols(
69
        '\\theta_{li} \\theta_{l1} \\theta_{l2}'
70
    )
71
72
    theta_tilde_prime_l = Symbol('\\tilde{\\theta}_l\'')
73
74
    theta_tilde_l_i, theta_tilde_l_1, theta_tilde_l_2 = symbols(
75
        \label{li} $$  \(\theta)_{1i} \tilde{\theta}_{11} \tilde{\theta}_{12}' 
76
    )
77
78
    # lambda
79
    lambda_theta = Symbol('\lambda_\\theta')
80
    lambda_theta_r = Symbol('\lambda_\\theta_r')
81
    lambda_r = Symbol('\lambda_r')
82
    lambda_w = Symbol('\lambda_w')
83
    lambda_w_theta = Symbol('\lambda_{w\\theta}')
84
    lambda_w_r = Symbol('\lambda_{wr}')
85
86
    r_r_t_t = Symbol('r_{r_t})
87
    triple_gaussian = Symbol('P_{tmg}(\hat{w\'}, \\tilde{\\theta\'_l}, \\tilde{r\'_t})')
88
    sk_hat_w = Symbol('\widehat{Sk}_w')
89
    sk_theta_l_hat = Symbol('\widehat{Sk}_{\\theta_l}')
90
    c_w_theta_l_hat = Symbol('\hat{c}_{w\\theta_l}')
91
    G_3 = Symbol('G_3')
92
    G_3_hat = Symbol('\hat{G_3}')
93
94
```

```
G_w, G_1_w, G_2_w, G_3_w = symbols(
          'G_{w}(w) G_{1w}(w) G_{2w}(w) G_{3w}(w)'
96
97
98
     G_w_1_2 = Symbol('G_{w_{12}}')
99
100
101
     G_w_theta = Symbol('G_{w\\theta}(w,\\theta)')
     G_1_w_theta = Symbol('G_{1w\\theta}(w,\\theta)')
102
     G_2_w_theta = Symbol('G_{2w}\wedge theta)(w, \wedge theta)')
103
     G_3_w_theta = Symbol('G_{3w\\theta}(w,\\theta)')
104
105
     G_{theta_r} = Symbol('G_{(theta_r)((theta_r)')})
106
     G_1_{theta_r} = Symbol('G_{1} + r)(\theta, r)')
107
     G_2_{theta_r} = Symbol('G_{2} + r)(\theta, r)')
108
     G_3_{theta_r} = Symbol('G_{3}\backslash r)(\backslash r)'
109
110
     G_{w_theta_l_r_t} = Symbol('G_{w_{theta_l}_{r_t}}(w, {\hat l}, r_t))')
111
     G_1_w_{theta_1_r_t} = Symbol('G_{1w{\cdot theta_1}{r_t}}(w,{\cdot theta_1},{r_t})')
      G_2_w_{theta_l_r_t} = Symbol('G_{2w}(\theta_1)_{r_t})(w, (\theta_1), \{r_t\})') 
113
     G_3_w_theta_1_r_t = Symbol('G_{3w}(\theta_1)_{r_t})(w,{\theta_1},{r_t})')
114
115
     G_theta, G_1_theta, G_2_theta, G_3_theta = symbols(
116
          G_{\theta}(\theta) G_{1\theta}(\theta) G_{2\theta}(\theta)
117
          \hookrightarrow G_{3\\theta}(\\theta)'
     )
118
119
     rho_w_theta_1 = Symbol('\\rho_{w\\theta_1}')
120
     rho_w_r_t = Symbol('\\rho_{\wr_t}')
121
     rho_theta_l_r_t = Symbol('\\rho_{\\theta_lr_t}')
122
```

Listing A.1: symbols.py

## A.3 checked\_functions.py

```
import sympy as sp
    from sympy import Rational
2
    from sympy.stats import Normal, density
3
4
    import symbols as sym
5
6
7
8
    # w equations
9
10
    def w_bar(alpha=sp.abc.alpha, delta=sp.abc.delta, w_1=sym.w_1, w_2=sym.w_2):
11
12
        return ((1 - delta) * alpha * w_1
                + (1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * w_2
13
                 + delta * (alpha * w_1 + (1 - alpha) * w_2))
14
15
```

```
16
    def w_prime_2_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta, alpha=sp.abc.alpha, w_1=sym.w_1, w_2=sym.w_2,
17
                       w_bar=sym.w_bar, sigma_w=sym.sigma_w,
18

    sigma_lambda_w=sym.sigma_lambda_w):

        return (((1 - delta) * alpha * ((w_1 - w_bar) ** 2 + sigma_w ** 2)) +
19
                 ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * ((w_2 - w_bar) ** 2 + sigma_w ** 2)) +
20
                 (delta * sigma_lambda_w ** 2))
21
22
23
    def w_prime_3_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta, alpha=sp.abc.alpha, w_1=sym.w_1, w_2=sym.w_2,
24
                       w_bar=sym.w_bar, sigma_w=sym.sigma_w):
25
        return (((1 - delta) * alpha * ((w_1 - w_bar) ** 3 +
26
                                          3 * sigma_w ** 2 * (w_1 - w_bar))) +
27
                 ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * ((w_2 - w_bar) ** 3 +
28
                                                 3 * sigma_w ** 2 * (w_2 - w_bar))))
29
30
31
    def w_prime_4_bar(w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar,
32
                       w_prime_3_bar=sym.w_prime_3_bar,
33
                       delta=sp.abc.delta,
34
                       sigma_tilde_w=sym.sigma_tilde_w,
35
36
                       sigma_lambda_w=sym.sigma_lambda_w):
        return (w_prime_2_bar ** 2 *
37
                 ((1 - delta * (sigma_lambda_w ** 2 / w_prime_2_bar)) ** 2 / (1 - delta)) *
38
                 (3 * sigma_tilde_w ** 4 +
39
                  6 * (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2) *
40
                  sigma_tilde_w ** 2 +
41
                  (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2) ** 2) +
42
                 ((1 / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2)) *
43
                  (1 / (1 - delta * (sigma_lambda_w ** 2 / w_prime_2_bar))) *
44
                  (w_prime_3_bar ** 2 / w_prime_2_bar)) +
45
                 (delta * 3 * sigma_lambda_w ** 4))
46
47
48
49
50
    # theta_l equations
51
52
53
    def theta_l_bar(alpha=sp.abc.alpha, delta=sp.abc.delta,
54
                     theta_l_1=sym.theta_l_1, theta_l_2=sym.theta_l_2):
55
        return ((1 - delta) * alpha * theta_l_1
56
                 + (1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * theta_1_2
57
                 + delta * (alpha * theta_l_1 + (1 - alpha) * theta_l_2))
58
59
60
    def theta_l_prime_2_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta,
61
                              alpha=sp.abc.alpha,
62
                              theta_1_1=sym.theta_1_1,
63
                             theta_1_2=sym.theta_1_2,
64
                             theta_l_bar=sym.theta_l_bar,
65
                              sigma_theta_l_1=sym.sigma_theta_l_1,
66
                              sigma_theta_1_2=sym.sigma_theta_1_2,
67
68
                              sigma_lambda_theta_l=sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l):
```

```
return (((1 - delta) * alpha * ((theta_l_1 - theta_l_bar) ** 2 + sigma_theta_l_1 **

→ 2)) +

                  ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) *
70
                   ((theta_1_2 - theta_1_bar) ** 2 + sigma_theta_1_2 ** 2)) +
71
                  (delta * sigma_lambda_theta_l ** 2))
72
73
74
     def theta_l_prime_3_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta,
75
                              alpha=sp.abc.alpha,
76
                              theta_l_1=sym.theta_l_1,
77
                              theta_1_2=sym.theta_1_2,
78
79
                              theta_l_bar=sym.theta_l_bar,
                               sigma_theta_l_1=sym.sigma_theta_l_1,
80
                               sigma_theta_1_2=sym.sigma_theta_1_2):
81
         return (((1 - delta) * alpha *
82
                   ((theta_l_1 - theta_l_bar) ** 3 +
83
                    3 * sigma_theta_l_1 ** 2 * (theta_l_1 - theta_l_bar))) +
84
                  ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) *
85
                   ((theta_l_2 - theta_l_bar) ** 3 +
86
                    3 * sigma_theta_1_2 ** 2 * (theta_1_2 - theta_1_bar))))
87
88
89
90
91
     \# r_t = equations
92
93
94
     def r_t_bar(alpha=sp.abc.alpha, delta=sp.abc.delta, r_t_1=sym.r_t_1, r_t_2=sym.r_t_2):
95
         return ((1 - delta) * alpha * r_t_1
96
                  + (1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * r_t_2
97
                  + delta * (alpha * r_t_1 + (1 - alpha) * r_t_2))
98
99
100
     def r_t_prime_2_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta,
101
                          alpha=sp.abc.alpha,
102
                          r_t_1=sym.r_t_1,
103
                          r_t_2=sym.r_t_2,
104
                          r_t_bar=sym.r_t_bar,
105
                          sigma_r_t_1=sym.sigma_r_t_1,
106
                          sigma_r_t_2=sym.sigma_r_t_2,
107
                          sigma_lambda_r_t=sym.sigma_lambda_r_t):
108
         return (((1 - delta) * alpha * ((r_t_1 - r_t_bar) ** 2 + sigma_r_t_1 ** 2)) +
109
                  ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * ((r_t_2 - r_t_bar) ** 2 + sigma_r_t_2 ** 2)) +
110
                  (delta * sigma_lambda_r_t ** 2))
111
112
113
114
115
     # Mixed equations
116
117
118
     def w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta,
119
                                     alpha=sp.abc.alpha,
120
121
                                     w_1=sym.w_1,
```

```
122
                                     w_2=sym.w_2,
                                     w_bar=sym.w_bar,
123
                                     theta_l_1=sym.theta_l_1,
124
                                     theta_1_2=sym.theta_1_2,
125
                                     theta_l_bar=sym.theta_l_bar,
126
                                     cov_lambda_w_theta=sym.rho_w_theta_l * sym.sigma_lambda_w
127
                                                         sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l):
128
         return (((1 - delta) * alpha * ((w_1 - w_bar) * (theta_l_1 - theta_l_bar))) +
129
                  ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * ((w_2 - w_bar) * (theta_l_2 - theta_l_bar)))
130
                  + delta * cov_lambda_w_theta)
131
132
133
     def w_prime_r_t_prime_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta,
134
                                 alpha=sp.abc.alpha,
135
                                w_1=sym.w_1,
136
                                 w_2 = sym.w_2,
137
                                 w_bar=sym.w_bar,
138
                                r_t_1=sym.r_t_1,
139
                                r_t_2=sym.r_t_2,
140
                                r_t_bar=sym.r_t_bar,
141
142
                                 cov_lambda_w_r=sym.rho_w_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_w *
                                                sym.sigma_lambda_r_t):
143
         return (((1 - delta) * alpha * ((w_1 - w_bar) * (r_t_1 - r_t_bar))) +
144
                  ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * ((w_2 - w_bar) * (r_t_2 - r_t_bar)))
145
                  + delta * cov_lambda_w_r)
146
147
148
     def w_prime_2_theta_l_prime_bar(sigma_tilde_w=sym.sigma_tilde_w,
149
                                       delta=sp.abc.delta,
150
                                       lambda_w_theta=sym.lambda_w_theta,
151
                                       lambda_w=sym.lambda_w,
152
                                       w_prime_3_bar=sym.w_prime_3_bar,
                                       w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar,
154
                                       w_prime_theta_l_prime=sym.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar):
155
         return ((1 / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2)) *
156
                  ((1 - delta * lambda_w_theta) / (1 - delta * lambda_w)) *
157
                  (w_prime_3_bar / w_prime_2_bar) *
158
                  w_prime_theta_l_prime)
159
160
161
     def w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta,
162
                                       lambda_w_theta=sym.lambda_w_theta,
163
                                       lambda_w=sym.lambda_w,
164
                                       sigma_tilde_w=sym.sigma_tilde_w,
165
                                       w_prime_3_bar=sym.w_prime_3_bar,
166
                                       w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar,
167
                                       w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar=sym.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar,
                                       theta_l_prime_3_bar=sym.theta_l_prime_3_bar):
169
         return (Rational(2, 3) *
170
                  ((1 - delta * lambda_w_theta) ** 2 / (1 - delta * lambda_w) ** 2) *
171
                  (1 / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2) ** 2) *
                  (w_prime_3_bar / w_prime_2_bar ** 2) *
173
174
                  w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar ** 2 +
```

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175
                  Rational(1, 3) *
                  ((1 - delta * lambda_w) / (1 - delta * lambda_w_theta)) *
176
                  (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2) *
177
                  ((w_prime_2_bar * theta_l_prime_3_bar) / w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar))
178
179
180
     def w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar_beta(
181
             sigma_tilde_w=sym.sigma_tilde_w,
182
             delta=sp.abc.delta,
183
             lambda_theta=sym.lambda_theta,
             lambda_w=sym.lambda_w,
185
             w_prime_3_bar=sym.w_prime_3_bar,
             w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar,
187
             beta=sp.abc.beta,
             theta_l_prime_2_bar=sym.theta_l_prime_2_bar,
189
             lambda_w_theta=sym.lambda_w_theta,
             w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar=sym.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar):
191
         from sympy import Rational
192
         return (
193
                  (1 / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2)) *
194
                  ((1 - delta * lambda_theta) / (1 - delta * lambda_w)) *
195
                  (w_prime_3_bar / w_prime_2_bar) *
196
                  (
197
                          Rational(1, 3) * beta * theta_l_prime_2_bar +
198
                                   ((1 - Rational(1, 3) * beta) / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2)) *
200
                                   ((1 - delta * lambda_w_theta) ** 2 /
201
                                    ((1 - delta * lambda_w) * (1 - delta * lambda_theta))) *
202
                                   (w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar ** 2 / w_prime_2_bar)
                          )
204
                  )
205
206
208
     def w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar(delta=sp.abc.delta,
209
                                                alpha=sp.abc.alpha,
210
                                                w_1=sym.w_1,
211
                                                w_2=sym.w_2,
212
                                                w_bar=sym.w_bar,
213
                                                r_t_1=sym.r_t_1,
214
                                                r_t_2=sym.r_t_2,
215
                                                r_t_bar=sym.r_t_bar,
216
217
                                                theta_l_1=sym.theta_l_1,
                                                theta_1_2=sym.theta_1_2,
^{218}
                                                theta_l_bar=sym.theta_l_bar,
219
                                                r_r_t_theta_l=sym.r_r_t_theta_l,
220
                                                sigma_r_t_1=sym.sigma_r_t_1,
221
                                                sigma_r_t_2=sym.sigma_r_t_2,
222
                                                sigma_theta_l_1=sym.sigma_theta_l_1,
223
                                                sigma_theta_1_2=sym.sigma_theta_1_2):
224
         return (((1 - delta) * alpha * (w_1 - w_bar) *
225
                            (r_t_1 - r_t_bar) * (theta_l_1 - theta_l_bar) +
227
228
                           r_r_t_theta_l * sigma_r_t_1 * sigma_theta_l_1
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)) +
229
                  ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * (w_2 - w_bar) *
230
231
                            (r_t_2 - r_t_bar) * (theta_l_2 - theta_l_bar) +
232
                            r_r_t_theta_1 * sigma_r_t_2 * sigma_theta_1_2
233
                   )))
234
235
236
     def w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar_beta(
237
              beta=sp.abc.beta,
238
              sigma_tilde_w=sym.sigma_tilde_w,
239
              delta=sp.abc.delta,
240
              lambda_theta_r=sym.lambda_theta_r,
241
              lambda_w=sym.lambda_w,
242
              theta_l_prime_r_t_prime_bar=sym.theta_l_prime_r_t_prime_bar,
243
              w_prime_3_bar=sym.w_prime_3_bar,
244
              w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar,
245
              lambda_w_r=sym.lambda_w_r,
              lambda_w_theta=sym.lambda_w_theta,
247
              w_prime_r_t_prime_bar=sym.w_prime_r_t_prime_bar,
248
              w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar=sym.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar):
249
250
         from sympy import Rational
         return (
251
252
                           ((Rational(1, 3) * beta) / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2)) *
253
                           ((1 - delta * lambda_theta_r) / (1 - delta * lambda_w)) *
254
                           theta_l_prime_r_t_prime_bar *
255
                           (w_prime_3_bar / w_prime_2_bar)
256
                  ) +
257
258
                           ((1 - Rational(1, 3) * beta) / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2) ** 2) *
259
                           (((1 - delta * lambda_w_r) * (1 - delta * lambda_w_theta)) /
260
                            ((1 - delta * lambda_w) ** 2)) *
                           w_prime_r_t_prime_bar *
262
                           w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar *
263
                           (w_prime_3_bar / w_prime_2_bar ** 2)
264
                  )
265
266
267
268
     def r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar(alpha=sp.abc.alpha, delta=sp.abc.delta,
269
                                       r_t_1=sym.r_t_1, r_t_2=sym.r_t_2,
270
                                        \hookrightarrow r_t_prime_bar=sym.r_t_bar,
                                        theta_l_1=sym.theta_l_1, theta_l_2=sym.theta_l_2,
271
                                        theta_l_bar=sym.theta_l_bar,
272
                                        r_r_t_theta_l=sym.r_r_t_theta_l,
273
                                        sigma_r_t_1=sym.sigma_r_t_1,
274
                                        \rightarrow sigma_r_t_2=sym.sigma_r_t_2,
                                        sigma_theta_l_1=sym.sigma_theta_l_1,
275
                                        sigma_theta_1_2=sym.sigma_theta_1_2,
276
                                        cov_lambda_r_theta=sym.rho_theta_l_r_t *
277
                                                            sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l *
                                                            sym.sigma_lambda_r_t):
279
         return ((1 - delta) * alpha * (
280
```

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281
                  (r_t_1 - r_t_prime_bar) * (theta_l_1 - theta_l_bar) +
                 r_r_t_theta_l * sigma_r_t_1 * sigma_theta_l_1) +
282
                  ((1 - delta) * (1 - alpha) * (
283
                          (r_t_2 - r_t_prime_bar) * (theta_l_2 - theta_l_bar) +
284
                          r_r_t_theta_1 * sigma_r_t_2 * sigma_theta_1_2)) +
285
                  delta * cov_lambda_r_theta)
286
287
288
289
290
291
     # Distributions
292
293
     G_1_theta_1 = Normal(name='G_1_theta_1', mean=sym.theta_1_1, std=sym.sigma_theta_1_1)
294
     G_1_theta_l_density = density(G_1_theta_l)(sym.theta_l)
295
296
     G_2_theta_1 = Normal(name='G_2_theta_1', mean=sym.theta_1_2, std=sym.sigma_theta_1_2)
297
     G_2_theta_l_density = density(G_2_theta_l)(sym.theta_l)
298
299
     G_3_theta_1 = Normal(name='G_3_theta_1', mean=sym.theta_1_bar,
300

    std=sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l)

     G_3_theta_l_density = density(G_3_theta_1)(sym.theta_1)
301
302
     G_theta = ((1 - sp.abc.delta) * sp.abc.alpha * G_1_theta_l_density +
303
                (1 - sp.abc.delta) * (1 - sp.abc.alpha) * G_2_theta_l_density +
304
                sp.abc.delta * G_3_theta_l_density)
305
306
307
308
     G_1_w = Normal(name='G_1_w', mean=sym.w_1, std=sym.sigma_w)
309
     G_1_w_density = density(G_1_w)(sp.abc.w)
310
311
     G_2_w = Normal(name='G_2_w', mean=sym.w_2, std=sym.sigma_w)
312
     G_2_w_density = density(G_2_w)(sp.abc.w)
313
314
     G_3_w = Normal(name='G_3_w', mean=sym.w_bar, std=sym.sigma_lambda_w)
315
     G_3_w_density = density(G_3_w)(sp.abc.w)
316
317
     G_w = ((1 - sp.abc.delta) * sp.abc.alpha * G_1_w_density +
318
            (1 - sp.abc.delta) * (1 - sp.abc.alpha) * G_2_w_density +
319
            sp.abc.delta * G_3_w_density)
320
321
322
323
     G_1_w_theta = Normal(name='G_1_w_theta', mean=sp.Matrix([sym.w_1, sym.theta_l_1]),
324
                           std=sp.Matrix([[sym.sigma_w ** 2, 0], [0, sym.sigma_theta_l_1 **
325
     G_1_w_theta_density = density(G_1_w_theta)(sp.abc.w, sp.abc.theta)
326
327
     G_2_w_theta = Normal(name='G_2_w_theta', mean=sp.Matrix([sym.w_2, sym.theta_1_2]),
328
                           std=sp.Matrix([[sym.sigma_w ** 2, 0], [0, sym.sigma_theta_1_2 **
329

→ 2]]))
     G_2_w_theta_density = density(G_2_w_theta)(sp.abc.w, sp.abc.theta)
330
331
```

```
G_3_w_theta = Normal(name='G_3_w_theta', mean=sp.Matrix([sym.w_bar, sym.theta_l_bar]),
332
                           std=sp.Matrix([
333
                               [sym.sigma_lambda_w ** 2,
334
                                sym.rho_w_theta_l * sym.sigma_lambda_w *
335
                                 [sym.rho_w_theta_l * sym.sigma_lambda_w *
336

→ sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l,

                                sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l ** 2]
337
                           ]))
338
     G_3_w_theta_density = sp.simplify(density(G_3_w_theta)(sp.abc.w, sp.abc.theta))
339
340
     G_w_theta = ((1 - sp.abc.delta) * sp.abc.alpha * G_1_w_theta_density +
341
                   (1 - sp.abc.delta) * (1 - sp.abc.alpha) * G_2_w_theta_density +
342
                   sp.abc.delta * G_3_w_theta_density)
343
344
345
346
     mu_1_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix([sym.theta_l_1, sym.r_t_1])
     Sigma_1_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix([[sym.sigma_theta_l_1 ** 2,
348
                                         sym.r_r_t_theta_l * sym.sigma_theta_l_1 *
349
                                         \rightarrow sym.sigma_r_t_1],
                                        [sym.r_r_t_theta_l * sym.sigma_theta_l_1 *
350
                                        \rightarrow sym.sigma_r_t_1,
                                         sym.sigma_r_t_1 ** 2]])
351
352
     G_1_theta_l_r_t = Normal(name='G_1_theta_l_r_t',
353
                               mean=mu_1_theta_l_r_t,
354
                               std=Sigma_1_theta_l_r_t)
355
356
     G_1_theta_l_r_t_density = density(G_1_theta_l_r_t)(sym.theta_l, sym.r_t)
357
358
     mu_2_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix([sym.theta_l_2, sym.r_t_2])
359
     Sigma_2_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix(
360
         [[sym.sigma_theta_1_2 ** 2,
361
           sym.r_r_t_theta_1 * sym.sigma_theta_1_2 * sym.sigma_r_t_2],
362
          [sym.r_r_t_theta_1 * sym.sigma_theta_1_2 * sym.sigma_r_t_2,
363
           sym.sigma_r_t_2 ** 2]])
364
365
     G_2_theta_l_r_t = Normal(name='G_2_theta_l_r_t',
366
                               mean=mu_2_theta_l_r_t,
367
                               std=Sigma_2_theta_l_r_t)
368
369
     G_2_theta_l_r_t_density = density(G_2_theta_l_r_t)(sym.theta_l, sym.r_t)
370
371
     mu_3_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix([sym.theta_l_bar, sym.r_t_bar])
372
     Sigma_3_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix(
373
         [[sym.sigma_lambda_theta_1 ** 2,
374
           sym.rho_theta_l_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l * sym.sigma_lambda_r_t],
375
          Γ
376
              sym.rho_theta_l_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l * sym.sigma_lambda_r_t,
377
              sym.sigma_lambda_r_t ** 2]])
378
379
     G_3_theta_l_r_t = Normal(name='G_3_theta_l_r_t',
380
381
                               mean=mu_3_theta_l_r_t,
```

```
std=Sigma_2_theta_l_r_t)
382
     G_3_theta_l_r_t_density = density(G_3_theta_l_r_t)(sym.theta_l, sym.r_t)
383
384
     G_theta_l_r_t = ((1 - sp.abc.delta) * sp.abc.alpha * G_1_theta_l_r_t_density +
385
                       (1 - sp.abc.delta) * (1 - sp.abc.alpha) * G_2_theta_l_r_t_density +
386
                       sp.abc.delta * G_3_theta_l_r_t_density)
387
388
389
390
     mu_1_w_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix([sym.w_1, sym.theta_l_1, sym.r_t_1])
391
     Sigma_1_w_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix(
392
          [[sym.sigma_w ** 2,
393
           0,
394
           0],
395
           [0,
396
           sym.sigma_theta_l_1 ** 2,
397
           sym.r_r_t_theta_l * sym.sigma_theta_l_1 * sym.sigma_r_t_1],
398
           sym.r_r_t_theta_l * sym.sigma_theta_l_1 * sym.sigma_r_t_1,
400
           sym.sigma_r_t_1 ** 2]])
401
402
     G_1_w_theta_l_r_t = Normal(name='G_1_w_theta_l_r_t',
403
                                  mean=mu_1_w_theta_l_r_t,
404
                                  std=Sigma_1_w_theta_l_r_t)
405
406
     G_1_w_theta_l_r_t_density = density(G_1_w_theta_l_r_t)(sp.abc.w, sym.theta_l, sym.r_t)
407
408
     mu_2_w_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix([sym.w_2, sym.theta_l_2, sym.r_t_2])
409
     Sigma_2_w_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix([[sym.sigma_w ** 2,
410
411
                                            0],
412
                                           [0,
413
                                            sym.sigma_theta_1_2 ** 2,
414
                                            sym.r_r_t_theta_l * sym.sigma_theta_l_2 *
415
                                            \rightarrow sym.sigma_r_t_2],
                                           [0,
416
                                            sym.r_r_t_theta_l * sym.sigma_theta_l_2 *
417
                                            \rightarrow sym.sigma_r_t_2,
                                            sym.sigma_r_t_2 ** 2]])
418
419
     G_2_w_theta_l_r_t = Normal(name='G_2_w_theta_l_r_t',
420
                                  mean=mu_2_w_theta_l_r_t,
421
                                  std=Sigma_2_w_theta_l_r_t)
422
423
     G_2_w_theta_l_r_t_density = density(G_2_w_theta_l_r_t)(sp.abc.w, sym.theta_l, sym.r_t)
424
425
     mu_3_w_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix([sym.w_bar, sym.theta_l_bar, sym.r_t_bar])
426
     Sigma_3_w_theta_l_r_t = sp.Matrix(
427
          [[sym.sigma_lambda_w ** 2,
428
           sym.rho_w_theta_1 * sym.sigma_lambda_w * sym.sigma_lambda_theta_1,
429
           sym.rho_w_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l * sym.sigma_lambda_r_t],
430
               sym.rho_w_theta_l * sym.sigma_lambda_w * sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l,
432
433
               sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l ** 2,
```

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434
               sym.rho_theta_l_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_w * sym.sigma_lambda_r_t],
          [sym.rho_w_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l * sym.sigma_lambda_r_t,
435
           sym.rho_theta_l_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_w * sym.sigma_lambda_r_t,
436
           sym.sigma_lambda_r_t ** 2]])
437
438
     G_3_w_theta_l_r_t = Normal(name='G_3_w_theta_l_r_t',
439
                                 mean=mu_3_w_theta_l_r_t,
440
                                 std=Sigma_2_w_theta_l_r_t)
441
     G_3_w_theta_l_r_t_density = density(G_3_w_theta_l_r_t)(sp.abc.w, sym.theta_l, sym.r_t)
442
443
     G_w_theta_l_r_t = ((1 - sp.abc.delta) * sp.abc.alpha * G_1_w_theta_l_r_t_density +
444
                         (1 - sp.abc.delta) * (1 - sp.abc.alpha) * G_2_w_theta_l_r_t_density +
445
                         sp.abc.delta * G_3_w_theta_l_r_t_density)
446
447
448
449
450
     # sigma equations
451
452
453
     def sigma_tilde_w(sigma_w=sym.sigma_w, w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar,
454
                        delta=sp.abc.delta, lambda_w=sym.lambda_w):
455
         from sympy import sqrt
456
         return ((sigma_w / sqrt(w_prime_2_bar)) *
457
                  (1 / sqrt((1 - delta * lambda_w) / (1 - delta))))
458
459
460
461
     # lambda equations
463
464
465
     def lambda_w(sigma_lambda_w=sym.sigma_lambda_w, w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar):
466
         return sigma_lambda_w ** 2 / w_prime_2_bar
467
468
469
     def lambda_theta(sigma_lambda_theta=sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l,
470
                       theta_l_prime_2_bar=sym.theta_l_prime_2_bar):
471
         return sigma_lambda_theta ** 2 / theta_l_prime_2_bar
472
473
474
     def lambda_r(sigma_lambda_r=sym.sigma_lambda_r_t,
475
                   r_t_prime_2_bar=sym.r_t_prime_2_bar):
476
         return sigma_lambda_r ** 2 / r_t_prime_2_bar
477
478
479
     def lambda_w_theta(cov_lambda_w_theta=
480
                         sym.rho_w_theta_1 * sym.sigma_lambda_w * sym.sigma_lambda_theta_1,
481
                         w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar=sym.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar):
482
         return cov_lambda_w_theta / w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar
483
484
485
     def lambda_w_r(cov_lambda_w_r=
486
487
                     sym.rho_w_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_w * sym.sigma_lambda_r_t,
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488
                     w_prime_r_t_prime_bar=sym.w_prime_r_t_prime_bar):
         return cov_lambda_w_r / w_prime_r_t_prime_bar
489
490
491
     def lambda_r_theta(cov_lambda_r_theta=
492
                         sym.rho_theta_l_r_t * sym.sigma_lambda_r_t *
493
                         r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar=sym.theta_l_prime_r_t_prime_bar):
494
         return cov_lambda_r_theta / r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar
495
496
497
498
499
     # sk
500
501
502
     def sk_theta_l_hat_beta(sk_hat_w=sym.sk_hat_w, c_hat_w_theta_l=sym.c_w_theta_l_hat,
503
                              beta=sp.abc.beta):
504
         return sk_hat_w * c_hat_w_theta_l * (beta + (1 - beta) * c_hat_w_theta_l ** 2)
505
506
507
     def sk_theta_l_hat(theta_l_prime_3_bar=sym.theta_l_prime_3_bar,
508
                         theta_l_prime_2_bar=sym.theta_l_prime_2_bar,
509
                         delta=sp.abc.delta,
510
                         lambda_theta=sym.lambda_theta):
511
         from sympy import Rational
512
         return ((theta_1_prime_3_bar / theta_1_prime_2_bar ** Rational(3, 2)) *
513
                  (1 / ((1 - delta * lambda_theta) / (1 - delta)) ** Rational(3, 2)) *
514
                  (1 / (1 - delta)))
516
517
     def sk_w_hat(sigma_tilde_w=sym.sigma_tilde_w,
518
                  w_prime_3_bar=sym.w_prime_3_bar,
                  w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar,
520
                  delta=sp.abc.delta,
521
                  lambda_w=sym.lambda_w):
522
         from sympy import Rational
523
         return ((1 / (1 - sigma_tilde_w ** 2) ** Rational(3, 2)) *
524
                  (w_prime_3_bar / (w_prime_2_bar ** Rational(3, 2))) *
525
                  (1 / ((1 - delta * lambda_w) / (1 - delta)) ** Rational(3, 2)) *
526
                  (1 / (1 - delta)))
527
528
529
     def c_w_theta_l_hat(sigma_w_tilde=sym.sigma_tilde_w,
530
                          w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar=sym.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar,
531
                          w_prime_2_bar=sym.w_prime_2_bar,
532
                          theta_l_prime_2_bar=sym.theta_l_prime_2_bar,
533
                          delta=sp.abc.delta,
534
                          lambda_w=sym.lambda_w,
535
                          lambda_theta=sym.lambda_theta,
536
                          lambda_w_theta=sym.lambda_w_theta):
537
         from sympy import sqrt
538
         return ((1 / sqrt(1 - sigma_w_tilde ** 2)) *
539
```

```
(w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar / ((sqrt(w_prime_2_bar)) *
540
                  \rightarrow sqrt(theta_l_prime_2_bar))) *
                  (1 / sqrt((1 - delta * lambda_w) / (1 - delta))) *
541
                  (1 / sqrt((1 - delta * lambda_theta) / (1 - delta))) *
542
                  ((1 - delta * lambda_w_theta) / (1 - delta)))
543
544
545
546
547
     # sk
548
549
550
     def beta(c_w_theta_l_hat=sym.c_w_theta_l_hat,
551
               sk_w_hat=sym.sk_hat_w,
552
               sk_theta_l_hat=sym.sk_theta_l_hat):
553
         return (((c_w_theta_l_hat ** 3 * sk_w_hat) - sk_theta_l_hat) /
554
                  (c_w_theta_l_hat * sk_w_hat * (c_w_theta_l_hat ** 2 - 1)))
555
556
557
```

Listing A.2: checked\_functions.py

## A.4 w\_prime\_4\_bar.py

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
2
    # coding: utf-8
3
    # In[2]:
4
5
6
    import sympy as sp
7
    from IPython.display import display
8
    from sympy import abc, oo
9
10
    import checked_functions as c_f
11
    import symbols as sym
12
13
    # # This document aims to analytically check f\setminus \{w'^4\}
14
15
    # ## Define the marginal distributions with those parameters.
16
17
    # In[2]:
18
19
20
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_1_w, c_f.G_1_theta_l_density))
21
22
    # In[3]:
23
24
25
```

```
display(sp.Eq(sym.G_2_w, c_f.G_2_theta_l_density))
26
27
    # In[4]:
28
29
30
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_3_w, c_f.G_3_theta_l_density))
31
32
    # In[5]:
33
34
35
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_w, c_f.G_w))
36
37
38
    # Calculate the moment analytically:
39
    # In[6]:
40
41
42
43
    w_prime_4_bar_int = sp.Integral((sp.abc.w - sym.w_bar) ** 4 * c_f.G_w, [sp.abc.w, -oo,
     → oo])
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_4_bar, w_prime_4_bar_int))
44
45
    # In[7]:
46
47
48
    w_prime_4_bar_int_val = w_prime_4_bar_int.doit(conds='none').simplify()
49
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_4_bar, w_prime_4_bar_int_val))
50
51
    # The equation in the document is:
52
53
    # In[8]:
54
55
56
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_4_bar, c_f.w_prime_4_bar()))
57
58
    # where
59
60
    # In[9]:
61
62
63
    display(sp.Eq(sym.sigma_tilde_w, c_f.sigma_tilde_w()))
64
65
    # and
66
67
    # In[10]:
68
69
70
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_2_bar, c_f.w_prime_2_bar()))
71
72
    # and
73
74
    # In [117:
75
76
77
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_3_bar, c_f.w_prime_2_bar()))
```

```
79
     # So,
80
81
     # In[12]:
82
83
84
85
     lambda_w_val = c_f.lambda_w().subs({
         sym.w_prime_2_bar: c_f.w_prime_2_bar()
86
     })
87
     display(sp.Eq(sym.lambda_w, lambda_w_val))
88
89
90
     # In[13]:
91
92
     w_prime_4_bar_check_val = c_f.w_prime_4_bar().subs({
93
         sym.w_prime_2_bar: c_f.w_prime_2_bar(),
94
         sym.w_prime_3_bar: c_f.w_prime_3_bar(),
95
         sym.sigma_tilde_w: c_f.sigma_tilde_w().subs({
96
              sym.w_prime_2_bar: c_f.w_prime_2_bar(),
97
              sym.lambda_w: c_f.lambda_w()
98
         })
99
     })
100
101
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_4_bar, w_prime_4_bar_check_val))
102
103
     # In[14]:
104
105
106
     display(sp.Eq(w_prime_4_bar_int_val, w_prime_4_bar_check_val, evaluate=True)
107
              .subs({sym.w_bar: c_f.w_bar()}).simplify())
108
```

Listing A.3: w\_prime\_4\_bar.py

## A.5 w\_prime\_2\_theta\_l\_prime\_bar.py

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
    # coding: utf-8
2
3
    # In[2]:
4
5
6
    import sympy as sp
7
    from IPython.display import display
8
    from sympy import abc, oo
9
10
    import checked_functions as c_f
11
    import symbols as sym
12
13
    # # This document aims to analytically check f\overline{w'^4}f
14
```

```
15
    # ## Define the marginal distributions with those parameters.
16
17
    # In[2]:
18
19
20
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_1_w, c_f.G_1_theta_l_density))
21
^{22}
    # In[3]:
23
24
25
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_2_w, c_f.G_2_theta_l_density))
26
27
    # In[4]:
28
29
30
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_3_w, c_f.G_3_theta_l_density))
31
32
    # In [5]:
33
34
35
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_w, c_f.G_w))
36
37
    # Calculate the moment analytically:
38
39
    # In[6]:
40
41
42
    w_prime_4_bar_int = sp.Integral((sp.abc.w - sym.w_bar) ** 4 * c_f.G_w, [sp.abc.w, -oo,
43
     \rightarrow oo])
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_4_bar, w_prime_4_bar_int))
44
45
    # In[7]:
46
47
48
    w_prime_4_bar_int_val = w_prime_4_bar_int.doit(conds='none').simplify()
49
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_4_bar, w_prime_4_bar_int_val))
50
51
    # The equation in the document is:
52
53
    # In[8]:
54
55
56
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_4_bar, c_f.w_prime_4_bar()))
57
58
    # where
59
60
    # In[9]:
61
62
63
    display(sp.Eq(sym.sigma_tilde_w, c_f.sigma_tilde_w()))
64
65
    # and
66
67
```

```
# In[10]:
68
69
70
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_2_bar, c_f.w_prime_2_bar()))
71
72
     # and
73
74
     # In[11]:
75
76
77
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_3_bar, c_f.w_prime_2_bar()))
78
79
     # So,
80
81
     # In[12]:
82
83
84
     lambda_w_val = c_f.lambda_w().subs({
85
         sym.w_prime_2_bar: c_f.w_prime_2_bar()
86
87
     display(sp.Eq(sym.lambda_w, lambda_w_val))
88
89
     # In[13]:
90
91
92
     w_prime_4_bar_check_val = c_f.w_prime_4_bar().subs({
93
         sym.w_prime_2_bar: c_f.w_prime_2_bar(),
94
         sym.w_prime_3_bar: c_f.w_prime_3_bar(),
95
         sym.sigma_tilde_w: c_f.sigma_tilde_w().subs({
96
              sym.w_prime_2_bar: c_f.w_prime_2_bar(),
97
              sym.lambda_w: c_f.lambda_w()
98
         })
99
     })
100
101
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_4_bar, w_prime_4_bar_check_val))
102
103
     # In[14]:
104
105
106
     display(sp.Eq(w_prime_4_bar_int_val, w_prime_4_bar_check_val, evaluate=True)
107
              .subs({sym.w_bar: c_f.w_bar()}).simplify())
108
```

Listing A.4: w\_prime\_2\_theta\_l\_prime\_bar.py

## A.6 w\_prime\_theta\_l\_prime\_2\_bar.py

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
coding: utf-8
```

```
# In[1]:
4
5
6
    from itertools import product
7
8
    import pandas as pd
9
10
    pd.set_option('display.max_columns', None)
11
    pd.set_option('display.max_rows', None)
12
13
    import sympy as sp
14
15
    from IPython.display import display
    from sympy import abc, oo, Rational
16
17
    import checked_functions as c_f
18
    import symbols as sym
19
20
    # # This document aims to numerically check f\overline{w'\theta_l'^2}f
21
22
    # ## Define the marginal distributions.
23
24
    # In[2]:
25
26
27
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_1_w_theta, c_f.G_1_w_theta_density))
28
29
    # In[3]:
30
31
32
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_2_w_theta, c_f.G_2_w_theta_density))
33
34
    # In[4]:
35
36
37
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_3_w_theta, c_f.G_3_w_theta_density))
38
39
    # In[5]:
40
41
42
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_w_theta, c_f.G_w_theta, evaluate=False))
43
44
    # In[6]:
45
46
47
    w_prime_theta_l_2_prime_bar = sp.Integral(
48
         (sp.abc.w - sym.w_bar) * (sp.abc.theta - sym.theta_l_bar) ** 2 * c_f.G_w_theta,
49
         [sp.abc.w, -oo, oo],
50
         [sp.abc.theta, -oo, oo])
51
52
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_theta_prime_l_2_bar, w_prime_theta_l_2_prime_bar))
53
54
    # In[7]:
55
56
57
```

```
w_prime_theta_1_2_prime_bar = w_prime_theta_1_2_prime_bar.subs({
          sym.w_bar: c_f.w_bar(),
59
          sym.theta_l_bar: c_f.theta_l_bar()
60
     })
61
62
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_theta_prime_l_2_bar, w_prime_theta_l_2_prime_bar))
63
64
     # The equation in the document is:
65
66
     # In[8]:
67
68
69
70
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_theta_prime_l_2_bar, c_f.w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar()))
71
     # For this we still need f\tilde{\sigma_w}f:
72
73
     # In [9]:
74
75
76
     display(sp.Eq(sym.sigma_tilde_w, c_f.sigma_tilde_w()))
77
78
     # And £\overline{w'^{2}}£:
79
80
     # In[10]:
81
82
83
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_2_bar, c_f.w_prime_2_bar()))
84
85
     # And £\overline{w'^{3}}£:
86
87
     # In[11]:
88
89
90
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_3_bar, c_f.w_prime_3_bar()))
91
92
     # And f\overline{w'\theta'_l}f:
93
94
     # In[12]:
95
96
97
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar, c_f.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar()))
98
99
     # And £ \setminus lambda_w£:
100
101
     # In[13]:
102
103
104
     display(sp.Eq(sym.lambda_w, c_f.lambda_w()))
105
106
     # And \mathcal{L} \subset \mathcal{L}_{w \in \mathcal{L}_{\varepsilon}}
107
108
     # In[14]:
109
110
111
```

```
display(sp.Eq(sym.lambda_w_theta, c_f.lambda_w_theta()))
112
113
     # And f\overline{\theta_l'^3}f:
114
115
     # In[15]:
116
117
118
     display(sp.Eq(sym.theta_l_prime_3_bar, c_f.theta_l_prime_3_bar()))
119
120
     # Putting those all together yields:
121
122
123
     # In[16]:
124
125
     w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar_check_val = c_f.w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar().subs({
126
         sym.theta_l_prime_3_bar: c_f.theta_l_prime_3_bar(),
127
         sym.sigma_tilde_w: c_f.sigma_tilde_w(),
128
         sym.lambda_w: c_f.lambda_w(),
129
         sym.w_prime_2_bar: c_f.w_prime_2_bar(),
130
         sym.w_prime_3_bar: c_f.w_prime_3_bar(),
131
         sym.lambda_w_theta: c_f.lambda_w_theta(),
132
         sym.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar: c_f.w_prime_theta_l_prime_bar()
133
     })
134
135
     w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar_check_val = w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar_check_val.subs({
136
         sym.w_prime_2_bar: c_f.w_prime_2_bar(),
137
         sym.lambda_w: c_f.lambda_w(),
138
         sym.w_bar: c_f.w_bar(),
139
         sym.theta_l_bar: c_f.theta_l_bar()
140
     })
141
142
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_theta_prime_l_2_bar, w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar_check_val))
143
144
     # Since the integral is too difficult to be calculated analytically, at least with
145
      → sympy, we try to put in some arbitrary numbers for the pdf parameters, to simplify
        the equations.
146
     # We create a dataframe to get all possible permutations and therefore also all possible
147
      \rightarrow evaluations of the integrals.
148
     # In[17]:
149
150
151
     df = pd.DataFrame(
152
         product([0, 1],
153
                  [-2, 2],
154
                  [-1, 2],
155
                  [0, 3],
                  [Rational(1, 10)],
157
                  [Rational(3, 10)],
                  [Rational(4, 10)],
159
                  [Rational(7, 10)],
160
                  [Rational(6, 10)],
161
                  [Rational(5, 10)],
162
```

```
[Rational(1, 10), Rational(5, 10)],
163
                  [Rational(5, 10)]),
164
         columns=[sym.w_1,
165
                   sym.w_2,
166
                   sym.theta_l_1,
167
168
                   sym.theta_1_2,
                   sym.sigma_theta_l_1,
169
                   sym.sigma_theta_1_2,
170
                   sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l,
171
                   sym.sigma_w,
172
                   sym.sigma_lambda_w,
173
                   sp.abc.alpha,
174
                   sp.abc.delta,
175
                   sym.rho_w_theta_l])
176
177
     # In[18]:
178
179
180
     df['check_val'] = (
181
         df.apply(lambda x:
182
                   w_prime_theta_l_prime_2_bar_check_val.subs({
183
                        sym.w_1: x[sym.w_1],
184
                        sym.w_2: x[sym.w_2],
185
                        sym.theta_l_1: x[sym.theta_l_1],
186
                        sym.theta_1_2: x[sym.theta_1_2],
                        sym.sigma_theta_l_1: x[sym.sigma_theta_l_1],
188
                        sym.sigma_theta_1_2: x[sym.sigma_theta_1_2],
189
                        sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l: x[sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l],
190
                        sym.sigma_w: x[sym.sigma_w],
                        sym.sigma_lambda_w: x[sym.sigma_lambda_w],
192
                        sp.abc.alpha: x[sp.abc.alpha],
193
                        sp.abc.delta: x[sp.abc.delta],
194
                        sym.rho_w_theta_l: x[sym.rho_w_theta_l]
195
                   }).evalf(), axis=1))
196
197
     # Calculate the moment analytically:
198
199
     # In[19]:
200
201
202
     df['num_int'] = (
203
         df.apply(lambda x: w_prime_theta_1_2_prime_bar.subs({
204
              sym.w_1: x[sym.w_1],
205
206
              sym.w_2: x[sym.w_2],
              sym.theta_l_1: x[sym.theta_l_1],
207
              sym.theta_1_2: x[sym.theta_1_2],
208
              sym.sigma_theta_l_1: x[sym.sigma_theta_l_1],
209
              sym.sigma_theta_1_2: x[sym.sigma_theta_1_2],
210
              sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l: x[sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l],
211
              sym.sigma_w: x[sym.sigma_w],
212
              sym.sigma_lambda_w: x[sym.sigma_lambda_w],
213
              sp.abc.alpha: x[sp.abc.alpha],
214
              sp.abc.delta: x[sp.abc.delta],
215
              sym.rho_w_theta_1: x[sym.rho_w_theta_1]
216
```

```
}).doit(conds='none', method='quad').evalf(), axis=1))
217
218
     # In[20]:
219
220
221
     df['diff'] = abs(df['check_val'] - df['num_int'])
222
223
     # In[21]:
224
225
226
     df['diff_num'] = abs(df['check_val'].astype(float) - df['num_int'].astype(float))
227
228
229
     # In[22]:
230
231
     display(df)
232
233
     # In[23]:
234
235
236
     import numpy as np
237
     print('The mean error between the rhs and the lhs is:', np.mean(df['diff_num']))
239
```

Listing A.5: w\_prime\_theta\_l\_prime\_2\_bar.py

## A.7 w\_prime\_r\_t\_prime\_theta\_l\_prime\_bar.py

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
    # coding: utf-8
2
3
    # In[1]:
4
5
6
    from itertools import product
7
8
    import pandas as pd
9
10
    pd.set_option('display.max_columns', None)
11
    pd.set_option('display.max_rows', None)
12
13
    import sympy as sp
14
    from IPython.display import display
15
    from sympy import abc, oo, Rational
16
17
    import checked_functions as c_f
18
    import symbols as sym
19
20
    # # This document aims to numerically check f\overline{w'r_t'\theta_l'}f
21
```

```
22
    # ## Define the normal distributions.
23
24
    # In[2]:
25
26
27
    display(sp.Eq(sp.symbols('\mu_1'), c_f.mu_1_w_theta_l_r_t, evaluate=False))
28
    display(sp.Eq(sp.symbols('\Sigma_1'), c_f.Sigma_1_w_theta_l_r_t, evaluate=False))
29
    \# display(sp.Eq(sym.G_1\_w\_theta\_l\_r\_t, c\_f.G_1\_w\_theta\_l\_r\_t\_density))
30
31
32
    # In[3]:
33
34
35
    display(sp.Eq(sp.symbols('\mu_2'), c_f.mu_2_w_theta_l_r_t, evaluate=False))
36
    display(sp.Eq(sp.symbols('\Sigma_2'), c_f.Sigma_2_w_theta_l_r_t, evaluate=False))
37
    \# display(sp.Eq(sym.G_2\_w\_theta\_l\_r\_t, c\_f.G_2\_w\_theta\_l\_r\_t\_density))
38
40
    # In[4]:
41
42
43
    display(sp.Eq(sp.symbols('\mu_3'), c_f.mu_3_w_theta_l_r_t, evaluate=False))
44
    display(sp.Eq(sp.symbols('\Sigma_3'), c_f.Sigma_3_w_theta_l_r_t, evaluate=False))
45
    \# display(sp.Eq(sym.G_3_w_theta_l_r_t, c_f.G_3_w_theta_l_r_t_density))
46
47
48
    # In[5]:
49
50
51
    display(sp.Eq(sym.G_w_theta_l_r_t, c_f.G_w_theta_l_r_t))
52
53
    # In[6]:
54
55
56
    w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar = sp.Integral(
57
         (sp.abc.w - sym.w_bar) * (sym.r_t - sym.r_t_bar) * (
58
                      sp.abc.theta - sym.theta_l_bar) * c_f.G_w_theta_l_r_t,
59
         [sp.abc.w, -oo, oo],
60
         [sym.theta_1, -oo, oo],
61
         [sym.r_t, -oo, oo])
62
    display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar,
63
       w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar))
64
    # In[7]:
65
66
67
    w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar = (
68
         w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar.subs({
69
             sym.w_bar: c_f.w_bar(),
70
             sym.r_t_bar: c_f.r_t_bar(),
71
             sym.theta_l_bar: c_f.theta_l_bar()
72
         }))
73
```

```
display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar,
74

    w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar))

75
     # The equation in the document is:
76
77
     # In[8]:
78
79
80
     display(sp.Eq(sym.w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar,
81
        c_f.w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar()))
82
     # Since the integral is too difficult to be calculated analytically, at least with
83
      → sympy, we try to put in some arbitrary numbers for the pdf parameters, to simplify
        the equations.
84
     # We also use a the method `nquad(..)` from `sympy` to get a numerical evaluation of the
85
     \rightarrow 3d integral.
86
     # We create a dataframe to get all possible permutations and therefore also all possible
87
      → evaluations of the integrals.
88
     # In[9]:
89
90
91
     df = pd.DataFrame(
92
          product([3, 1],
93
                  [-2],
94
                   [-1, 3],
95
                  [2],
96
                   [1, 4],
97
                  [2],
98
                   [1.1],
99
                  [1.3],
100
                  [1.4],
101
102
                  [1.7],
                  [1.2],
103
                  [1.5],
104
                  [1.9],
105
                  [1.6],
106
                  [.55],
107
                  [.8],
108
                  [.65],
109
                  [.45],
110
                  [.35],
111
                  [.5]),
112
          columns=[sym.w_1,
113
114
                   sym.w_2,
                   sym.theta_l_1,
115
                   sym.theta_1_2,
116
                   sym.r_t_1,
117
                   sym.r_t_2,
118
                   sym.sigma_theta_l_1,
119
                   sym.sigma_theta_1_2,
120
                   sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l,
121
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122
                   sym.sigma_w,
                   sym.sigma_r_t_1,
123
                   sym.sigma_r_t_2,
124
                   sym.sigma_lambda_r_t,
125
                   sym.sigma_lambda_w,
126
                   sp.abc.alpha,
127
                   sp.abc.delta,
128
                   sym.rho_w_theta_l,
129
                   sym.rho_w_r_t,
130
                   sym.rho_theta_l_r_t,
131
                   sym.r_r_t_theta_l])
132
133
     # In[10]:
134
135
136
     w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar_check_sym_val = (
137
          c_f.w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar().subs({
138
              sym.w_bar: c_f.w_bar(),
139
              sym.r_t_bar: c_f.r_t_bar(),
140
              sym.theta_l_bar: c_f.theta_l_bar()
141
         }))
142
     # In[11]:
144
145
146
     df['check_val'] = (
147
          df.apply(lambda x: Rational(c_f.w_prime_r_t_prime_theta_l_prime_bar().subs({
148
              sym.w_bar: c_f.w_bar(),
149
              sym.theta_l_bar: c_f.theta_l_bar(),
150
              sym.r_t_bar: c_f.r_t_bar(),
151
              sym.w_1: x[sym.w_1],
152
              sym.w_2: x[sym.w_2],
153
              sym.theta_l_1: x[sym.theta_l_1],
              sym.theta_1_2: x[sym.theta_1_2],
155
              sym.r_t_1: x[sym.r_t_1],
156
              sym.r_t_2: x[sym.r_t_2],
157
              sym.sigma_theta_l_1: x[sym.sigma_theta_l_1],
158
              sym.sigma_theta_1_2: x[sym.sigma_theta_1_2],
159
              sym.sigma_r_t_1: x[sym.sigma_r_t_1],
160
              sym.sigma_r_t_2: x[sym.sigma_r_t_2],
161
              sp.abc.alpha: x[sp.abc.alpha],
162
              sp.abc.delta: x[sp.abc.delta],
163
              sym.r_r_t_theta_l: x[sym.r_r_t_theta_l]
164
          }).evalf()), axis=1))
165
166
     # Calculate the moment numerically:
167
168
     # In[12]:
169
170
171
     import scipy
172
173
     df['num_int'] = df.apply(lambda x: scipy.integrate.nquad(
174
175
          sp.lambdify(
```

```
[sp.abc.w, sym.r_t, sym.theta_1],
176
              (((sp.abc.w - c_f.w_bar()) *
177
                (sym.r_t - c_f.r_t_bar()) *
178
                (sym.theta_l - c_f.theta_l_bar()) *
179
                c_f.G_w_theta_l_r_t))
180
              .subs({
181
                  sym.w_bar: c_f.w_bar(),
182
                  sym.r_t_bar: c_f.r_t_bar(),
183
                  sym.theta_l_bar: c_f.theta_l_bar(),
184
                  sym.w_1: x[sym.w_1],
185
                  sym.w_2: x[sym.w_2],
186
                  sym.theta_l_1: x[sym.theta_l_1],
187
                  sym.theta_1_2: x[sym.theta_1_2],
188
                  sym.r_t_1: x[sym.r_t_1],
                  sym.r_t_2: x[sym.r_t_2],
190
                  sym.sigma_w: x[sym.sigma_w],
191
                  sym.sigma_theta_l_1: x[sym.sigma_theta_l_1],
192
                  sym.sigma_theta_1_2: x[sym.sigma_theta_1_2],
193
                  sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l: x[sym.sigma_lambda_theta_l],
194
                  sym.sigma_lambda_w: x[sym.sigma_lambda_w],
195
                  sym.sigma_lambda_r_t: x[sym.sigma_lambda_r_t],
196
                  sym.sigma_r_t_1: x[sym.sigma_r_t_1],
197
                  sym.sigma_r_t_2: x[sym.sigma_r_t_2],
198
                  sp.abc.alpha: x[sp.abc.alpha],
199
                  sp.abc.delta: x[sp.abc.delta],
200
                  sym.rho_w_theta_l: x[sym.rho_w_theta_l],
201
                  sym.rho_w_r_t: x[sym.rho_w_r_t],
202
                  sym.rho_theta_l_r_t: x[sym.rho_theta_l_r_t],
203
                  sym.r_r_t_theta_l: x[sym.r_r_t_theta_l]
204
              })),
205
          ranges=[[-30, 30], [-30, 30], [-30, 30]])[0],
206
                                axis=1)
207
208
     # In [13]:
209
210
211
     df['diff'] = abs(df['check_val'] - df['num_int'])
212
213
     # In[14]:
214
215
216
     df['diff_num'] = abs(df['check_val'].astype(float) - df['num_int'])
217
218
     # In[15]:
^{219}
220
221
222
     display(df)
223
     # In[16]:
224
225
226
227
     import numpy as np
228
```

```
print('The mean error between the rhs and the lhs is:', np.mean(df['diff_num']))
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Listing A.6: w\_prime\_r\_t\_prime\_theta\_l\_prime\_bar.py