

Joint sum-max stability and continuous time random maxima

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Definition of the Coupled CTRM

For $i = 1, 2, \dots$

(W_i, J_i)

iid random variables on $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}$,

W_i and J_i can be dependent;

J_i

jumps of a particle;

W_i

waiting times between the jumps.

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We are interested in the long-time behaviour of the process:

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Interesting case

The **waiting times** have **infinite mean!**

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- ▶ **Geophysics:** [Benson et al, 2007]
 - raindrop release and arrival on the ground
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It follows by projection on either coordinate:

- ▶ D is strictly β -stable with $0 < \beta < 1$,
- ▶ A Fréchet or Weibull distributed.

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→ For analysing these questions we use
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the usual Laplace transform on \mathbb{R}_+ .

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$$F_\mu(y) = \int_{[-\infty, \infty]} \tau_y(x)\mu(dx) = \int_{[-\infty, \infty]} 1_{[-\infty, y]}(x)\mu(dx) = \mu([-\infty, y]).$$

CDF = Laplace transformation on the max-semigroup.

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We get for a probability measure μ on $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \bar{\mathbb{R}}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(\mu)(s, y) &= \int_{[0, \infty)} \int_{[-\infty, \infty]} \rho_{s,y}(t, x) \mu(dt, dx) \\ &= \int_{[0, \infty)} \int_{[-\infty, \infty]} e^{-st} 1_{[-\infty, y]}(x) \mu(dt, dx). \end{aligned}$$

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$$\mathcal{L}(\mu)(0, y) = \mu(\mathbb{R}_+ \times [-\infty, y]) = P\{J \leq y\} = F_J(y),$$

the **distribution function** of J .

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$$\mathcal{L}(\mu)(s, \infty) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} \mu(dt, \overline{\mathbb{R}}) = E[e^{-sW}],$$

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(i) **Convolution:**

$$\mathcal{L}(\mu_1 \star \mu_2)(s, y) = \mathcal{L}(\mu_1)(s, y) \cdot \mathcal{L}(\mu_2)(s, y) \text{ for all } (s, y) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \overline{\mathbb{R}}.$$

(ii) **Uniqueness Theorem:**

$$\mu_1 = \mu_2 \iff \mathcal{L}(\mu_1)(s, y) = \mathcal{L}(\mu_2)(s, y) \text{ for all } (s, y) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \overline{\mathbb{R}}.$$

(iii) **Continuity Theorem:**

$$\mu_n \xrightarrow{w} \mu \iff \mathcal{L}(\mu_n)(s, y) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}(\mu)(s, y) \text{ for all continuity points } (s, y) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \overline{\mathbb{R}} \text{ of the limit.}$$

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Lemma 4

Let μ_n, μ be probability measures on $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \overline{\mathbb{R}}$ for all $n \geq 1$.

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Our sum-max stable distributions are $\overset{+}{\vee}$ -infinite divisible.

C-L-Exponent

Definition 5

We call the function $\Psi : \mathbb{R}_+ \times \bar{\mathbb{R}} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ with

$$\mathcal{L}(\mu)(s, y) = \exp(-\Psi(s, y)),$$

C-L-Exponent.

Remark

Let μ be the distribution of the random vector (D, A) , then we call x_0 the **left endpoint** of A , that is $x_0 = \inf\{x \in [-\infty, \infty) : F_A(x) > 0\}$. In the following we only consider the case $x_0 = 0$ and $F_A(0) = 0$.

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$$\Psi(s, y) = \begin{cases} as + \int_{\mathbb{R}_+} \int_{[0, \infty]} (1 - e^{-st} 1_{[0, y]}(x)) \eta(dt, dx) & \forall y > 0 \\ \infty & \forall y \leq 0. \end{cases}$$

and $s \geq 0$. We write $\mu \sim [a, \eta]$ and call η the **Lévy measure of μ** .

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" $\mu_n \xrightarrow{v} \mu$ " means:

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Let (D_1, A_1) be i.i.d. copies of the limit (D, A) in Theorem 7 above. Then there exist $0 < \beta < 1$ and $\alpha > 0$ such that

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Let η be the Lévy measure of (D, A) . Moreover, let $E = \text{diag}(1/\beta, 1/\alpha)$ so that $t^{-E} = \text{diag}(t^{-1/\beta}, t^{-1/\alpha})$. Then we have for all Borel sets $B \subset \mathbb{R}_+^2$ which are bounded away from $(0, 0)$ that

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Corollary 9

The random variables A and D are independent **if and only if** we have $C > 0$ and $\omega = \varepsilon_0$ in the representation of the Lévy measure.

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that is $C = 0, \alpha = \beta$ and $\omega = \varepsilon_1$. \longrightarrow **complete dependence**

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Then

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where the C-L-Transform of the fdds of $\{(D(t), A(t))\}_{t>0}$ are given by

$$\mathcal{L}(P_{(D(t_j), A(t_j))_{j=1, \dots, m}})(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{y}) = \prod_{j=1}^m \varphi_{(D, A)}(\sum_{k=j}^m \mathbf{s}_k, \min(v_j, \dots, v_m))^{(t_j - t_{j-1})}$$

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where the C-L-Transform of the fdds of $\{(D(t), A(t))\}_{t>0}$ are given by

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$\mathbf{s} := (s_1, \dots, s_m), \mathbf{y} := (y_1, \dots, y_m).$

- ▶ $\{D(t)\}_{t>0}$ β -stable subordinator.
- ▶ $\{A(t)\}_{t>0}$ **F-Extremal process**, $P\{A(t) \leq x\} = F(x)^t$ and F is the CDF of an α -Fréchet distribution.

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- ▶ $E(t) := \inf\{x \geq 0 : D(x) > t\}$ inverse of stable subordinator.

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$$\int_0^\infty e^{-\xi t} P\{A(E(t)-)^+ \leq x\} dt = \frac{1}{\xi} \frac{\Psi_D(\xi)}{\Psi(\xi, x)}.$$

- ▶ $\Phi_D(dt)$ is the (usual) Lévy measure of $\{D(t)\}_{t \geq 0}$
- ▶ Ψ is the C-L-Exponent of $\{(D(t), A(t))\}_{t > 0}$
- ▶ Ψ_D denotes the (usual) Laplace-Exponent of $\{D(t)\}_{t \geq 0}$.

Example

$(W_i, J_i)_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ i.i.d. as (W, J) with

- ▶ $W \in \text{DONA}(D)$, D β -stable ($0 < \beta < 1$) with $E(e^{-sD}) = \exp(-s^\beta)$.
- ▶ $J := W^{1/\gamma}Z$ with Z γ -Fréchet, Z and W **independent**.

Then we have

$$\left(n^{-1/\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n W_i, n^{-1/(\beta\gamma)} \bigvee_{i=1}^n J_i \right) \Longrightarrow (D, A) \sim [0, \eta]$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, where the Lévy measure is

$$\eta(dt, dx) = (t^{1/\gamma} P_Z)(dx) \frac{\beta}{\Gamma(1-\beta)} t^{-\beta-1} dt,$$

that is we have $C = 0$, $\alpha = \beta\gamma$ and $\omega = P_Z$ in the representation of the Lévy measure.

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The C-L exponent in this example is given by

$$\Psi(\xi, x) = (\xi + x^{-\gamma})^\beta.$$

If we set $G(t, x) = P\{A(E(t)-)^+ \leq x\}$ we have

$$L(G(\cdot, x))(\xi) = \int_0^\infty e^{-\xi t} G(t, x) dt = \frac{1}{\xi} \frac{\psi_D(\xi)}{\psi(\xi, x)} = \frac{\xi^{\beta-1}}{(\xi + x^{-\gamma})^\beta}.$$

Inverting the Laplace transform yields

$$G(t, x) = \int_0^t e^{-x^{-\gamma}u} \frac{u^{\beta-1}}{\Gamma(\beta)} \cdot \frac{(t-u)^{-\beta}}{\Gamma(1-\beta)} du$$

Observe that

$$A(E(t)-)^+ \stackrel{d}{=} (tB)^{1/\gamma} Y$$

where B has a β -distribution, Y is standard γ -Fréchet, independent of B .

Example

Moreover

$$(\xi + x^{-\gamma})^\beta L(G(\cdot, x))(\xi) = \xi^{\beta-1}.$$

and an application of the inverse Laplace transform on both sides yields the **governing equation**

$$\partial_t^\beta [e^{tx^{-\gamma}} G(t, x)] = e^{tx^{-\gamma}} \frac{t^{-\beta}}{\Gamma(1-\beta)};$$

where we have used that

- ▶ $L(\partial_t^\beta f(s))(t) = t^\beta L(f(s))(t)$ (Riemann-Liouville fractional derivative)
- ▶ $L(e^{-as} f(s))(t) = L(f(s))(t + a)$.

$G(\cdot, x)$ is called the **mild solution** of this equation.

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