

Insurance Math

• The first insurance starting in 1681 is the first insurance due to the great fire in London.

• Next, we will use compound Poisson process to model the arrivals of claims with random claim sizes.

suppose the rate of claim arrival is λ .

each claim (X_k) are i.i.d. with mean μ .

So the total value of claims in $[0, t]$ is:

$$S(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{N(t)} X_k \quad \text{where } N(t) \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda t), \quad X_k \sim F$$

Risk: i) The main weakness here is "indep".

ii) By Wald's: $E(S(t)) = \lambda \mu t$.

• Next, we consider the Ruin Problem:

The initial capital from the company is u .

The premium income comes in from the policy holders at const. rate c .

\Rightarrow The total capital is $ct + u$ at time t .

Denote W_i is the inter-claim waiting time.

$$Z_i \stackrel{\Delta}{=} X_i - cW_i. \quad \mathbb{E}(Z_i) = \mu - c/\lambda.$$

By SLLN, to avoid bankruptcy, we require:

$$\mathbb{E}(Z_i) < 0, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad c > \lambda \mu \quad \dots \quad (\text{NPC})$$

We call it Net profit condition (NPC).

Premium Calculation:

First, we evaluate safety loading $(SL) \epsilon > 0$.

$$\text{Set } c = (1+\epsilon) \mathbb{E}(X_k) / \mathbb{E}(W_k) = (1+\epsilon) \lambda \mu.$$

Remark: $\epsilon = \frac{c - \lambda \mu}{\lambda \mu} > 0. \quad (\Leftrightarrow) \quad \text{NPC holds.}$

① Lundberg's Ineq.:

$$\text{Set } M(s) = \mathbb{E}(e^{sx}), \quad \text{Assume:}$$

i) Small claim condition (SCC), $\exists s_0 > 0$ s.t.

$$M(s) < \infty \quad \text{for } \forall |s| < s_0.$$

Remark: i) It implies $P(X_1 > x) \leq M(s_0) / e^{s_0 x}$. Heavy exponentially on tail prob.

ii) $M(s)$ is smooth, convex. $M(0) = 1$.

ii) Lundberg coefficient $r > 0$ exists, defined by

$$r > 0. \quad M_{Z_i}(r) = \mathbb{E}(e^{r(X_i - cW_i)}) = 1. \quad \text{i.e.}$$

$$M(r) = 1 + \frac{cr}{\lambda}.$$

emp: The bigger r means the bigger ψ_0 .

\Rightarrow The better.

Thm. If NPC, SCC, LC holds. Then the ruin prob. $\psi(u)$ with initial capital u satisfy:

$$\psi(u) \leq e^{-ru}$$

Pf: Denote $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n Z_k$.

$$\psi_n(u) := \mathbb{P}(\max_{1 \leq k \leq n} S_k > u) \uparrow \psi(u).$$

\Rightarrow Next, we prove: $\psi_n(u) \leq e^{-ru} \forall n$.

by induction on n .

$n=1$. by Chebyshev: $\psi_1(u) \leq M_{Z_1}(r) / e^{ru} = e^{-ru}$

$n=n+1$: By one-step argument:

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_{n+1}(u) &= \mathbb{P}(Z_1 > u) + \mathbb{P}(Z_1 \leq u, \max_{2 \leq k \leq n+1} (S_k - Z_1) > u - Z_1) \\ &\stackrel{\Delta}{=} P_1 + P_2. \end{aligned}$$

$$P_1 \leq \int_{(u, \infty)} e^{r(x-u)} \wedge F(x)$$

$$P_2 \stackrel{m.p.}{=} \int_{(-\infty, u)} \mathbb{P}(\max_{1 \leq k \leq n} (X + S_k) > u) \wedge F(x)$$

$$= \int_{(-\infty, u)} \psi_n(u-x) \wedge F(x)$$

$$\stackrel{hyp.}{\leq} \int_{(-\infty, u)} e^{r(u-x)} \wedge F(x).$$

$$\psi_0 = \psi_{n+1}(u) \leq e^{-ru} M(r) = e^{-ru}$$

$$\text{Set } n \rightarrow \infty. \quad \psi_0 = \psi(u) \leq e^{-ru}$$

② Renewal Equation:

Recall renewal equation for \tilde{F} and $z_0(t)$ is

$$z(t) = z_0(t) + \int_0^t z(t-u) \lambda \tilde{F}(u) du.$$

Next, we will show $\psi(u)$ almost satisfies renewal-type equation.

Note: $\mu = \mathbb{E}(X) = \int_0^\infty (1-F(x)) \lambda x dx.$

Set $\lambda h(x) = \frac{1-F(x)}{\mu} \lambda x$ is also a density.

$\phi(u) = 1 - \psi(u)$, the prob. of non ruin.

$$\phi(u) = \mathbb{E}(I_{\{z_1 \leq u\}} \mathbb{E}(I_{\{S_n - z_1 \leq u - z_1, \forall n \geq 2\}} | z_1))$$

$$\stackrel{\text{M.P.}}{=} \int_0^\infty \lambda e^{-\lambda w} \lambda w \int_0^{u+w} \phi(u+w-x) \lambda F(x) dx$$

$$\stackrel{z=u+w}{=} \frac{\lambda e^{-\lambda u/c}}{c} \int_u^\infty e^{-\lambda z/c} \phi(z) \lambda z dz.$$

where $\gamma(z) = \int_0^z \phi(z-x) \lambda F(x) dx$

Diff $\Rightarrow \phi'(u) = \frac{\lambda}{c} \phi(u) - \frac{\lambda}{c} \int_0^u \phi(u-x) \lambda F(x) dx.$

integrate $\Rightarrow \phi(t) - \phi(0) = \frac{\lambda}{c} \int_0^t \phi \lambda w - \frac{\lambda}{c} \phi(0) \int_0^t F + \frac{\lambda}{c} \int_0^t \lambda w \int_0^u F(x) \phi(x-w) \lambda x dx.$

$$= \frac{\lambda}{c} \int_0^t \phi(t-x) (1-F(x)) \lambda x dx$$

$$= (1+c)^{-1} \int_0^t \phi(t-x) \lambda h(x) dx.$$

Note: $\phi(u) \uparrow 1$ as $u \rightarrow \infty$. by SLLN. $S_n \rightarrow -\infty$.

Set $u \rightarrow \infty$. We can find $\phi(0) = \frac{c}{1+c}$.

$$So: \phi(u) = \frac{c}{1+c} + \frac{1}{1+c} \int_0^u \phi(u-x) \frac{1-F(x)}{m} \lambda x$$

$$i.e. \psi(u) = \frac{1}{1+c} \int_u^\infty \frac{(1-F(x))}{m} \lambda x + \frac{1}{1+c} \int_0^u \psi(u-x) \frac{1-F}{m} \lambda x$$

③ Cramér's estimate of ruin:

By LC and integrate by part: $\int_0^\infty (1-F) e^{rx} = \frac{c}{\lambda} = m(1+c)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\lambda}{c} (1-F(x)) e^{rx} \lambda x$ is density on \mathbb{R}^+ . Which is called Esscher transform.

Thm. Under MPL, SCC, LC, we have:

$$e^{ru} \psi(u) \xrightarrow{u \rightarrow \infty} \text{const.} = (c - \lambda m) / \lambda r \int_0^\infty x e^{rx} (1-F(x)) \lambda x.$$

Pf: It's direct from key renewal thm.

$$\lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} z(u) = \tilde{m}^{-1} \int_0^\infty z_0(u) \tilde{m} = E(\tilde{F}).$$

So we only need to calculate:

$$\int_0^\infty e^{ru} \lambda u \int_u^\infty (1-F(x)) \lambda x = \frac{c - \lambda m}{\lambda r}$$

follows from integrate by part.

$$\text{Besides, } \tilde{m} = \frac{\lambda}{c} \int_0^\infty x e^{rx} (1-F(x)) \lambda x$$

follows from the observation below.

Note $\psi(u) e^{ru}$ satisfies (RE):

$$(\psi(u) e^{ru}) = e^{ru} \int_u^\infty \frac{(1-F(x))}{(1+c)m} \lambda x + \int_0^u (\psi(u-x) e^{r(u-x)}) \frac{e^{rx} (1-F(x))}{(1+c)m} \lambda x.$$