Modelling Multiple Guarantees on a Household level in Motor Insurance using Multivariate Credibility

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Introduction

- In non-life insurance, Risk classification generally confined to univariate analysis: Each product/guarantee is considered in isolation.
- Independence between policyholders is generally assumed.
- Generally, consists of two parts:
 - 1. A priori risk classification: Use the available covariates (e.g. Age of the driver, place of residence, split of the premium) to classify the policyholders into risk classes. Policyholder belonging to the same risk class are given the same claim frequency.
 - 2. A posteriori risk classification: As time passes, the claim experience reveals information about some hidden, latent risk factors. The a priori claim frequency is adapted thanks to credibility theory.

The two main guarantees in Motor insurance are **Third-Party Liability (TPL)** insurance and **Material Damage (MD)** insurance.

- TPL is compulsory and covers a third-party's loss caused by the insured car.
- MD is an optional guarantee that covers the cost of repairing or replacing the insured's own vehicle. The policyholder will typically trigger this guarantee when he is liable for the claim, or could not identify the liable person.

Main Idea of this presentation: Show how we can estimate the claim frequencies in both guarantees while **taking into account the dependencies** that may exist:

- between both guarantees;
- between policyholders from the same household.

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1. **Dependence between guarantees :** Due to the nature of the guarantees, one single event can sometimes trigger both guarantees at the same time.

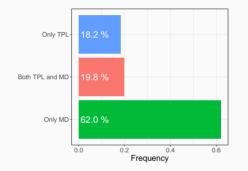


Figure 1: Relative occurrence according to the type of claims.

Dependence between policyholders : Some latent (unobserved) important risk factors are not observed (e.g. driving in dangerous conditions). These latent risk factors may be shared across guarantees and/or policyholders from the same household.

Let us introduce the following claim count variables :

- $N_{h(i),t}^{TPL}$: Number of claims of policyholder *i* from household *h* that triggered **only TPL** during year *t*;
- $N_{h(i),t}^{MD}$: Number of claims of policyholder *i* from household *h* that triggered **only MD** during year *t*; - $N_{h(i),t}^{MD:TPL}$: Number of claims of policyholder *i* from household *h* that triggered **both TPL and MD**

simultaneously during year *t*.

The **total the number of claims** for policyholder *i* from household *h* during year *t* that trigger

- TPL is $N_{h(i),t}^{TPL} + N_{h(i),t}^{MD:TPL}$; MD is $N_{h(i),t}^{MD} + N_{h(i),t}^{MD:TPL}$.

The corresponding a priori claim frequencies are given by

$$\begin{cases} \lambda_{h(i),t}^{TPL} &= \mathbb{E} \left[N_{h(i),t}^{TPL} \right] \\ \lambda_{h(i),t}^{MD} &= \mathbb{E} \left[N_{h(i),t}^{MD} \right] \\ \lambda_{h(i),t}^{MD:TPL} &= \mathbb{E} \left[N_{h(i),t}^{MD:TPL} \right] \end{cases}$$

The claim frequencies can be estimated with a Poisson regression, for instance, using GAMs (Generalized Additive Models).

 \implies We account for claims that trigger both guarantees at the same time.

Introduce **random effects** that account for unobserved heterogeneity (*over-dispersion*): Some important risk factors are not observed; they will be represented by these random effects.

$$\begin{cases} \lambda_{h(1),\bullet}^{TPL} \Theta_{h(1)}^{TPL} &= \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta)\Theta_{h(1)}^{TPL} = \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta + \epsilon_{h(1)}^{TPL}) \\ \lambda_{h(1),\bullet}^{MD} \Theta_{h(1)}^{MD} &= \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta)\Theta_{h(1)}^{MD} = \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta + \epsilon_{h(1)}^{MD}) \\ \lambda_{h(1),\bullet}^{MD:TPL} \Theta_{h(1)}^{MD:TPL} &= \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta)\Theta_{h(1)}^{MD:TPL} = \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta + \epsilon_{h(1)}^{MD:TPL}) \end{cases} \\ \begin{cases} \lambda_{h(2),\bullet}^{TPL} \Theta_{h(2)}^{TPL} &= \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta)\Theta_{h(2)}^{TPL} = \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta + \epsilon_{h(2)}^{TPL}) \\ \lambda_{h(2),\bullet}^{MD} \Theta_{h(2)}^{MD} &= \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta)\Theta_{h(2)}^{MD} = \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta + \epsilon_{h(2)}^{MD:TPL}) \\ \lambda_{h(2),\bullet}^{MD:TPL} \Theta_{h(2)}^{MD:TPL} &= \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta)\Theta_{h(2)}^{MD:TPL} = \exp(\mathbf{X}'\beta + \epsilon_{h(2)}^{MD:TPL}) \end{cases} \end{cases}$$

Let $\Theta_{h} = (\Theta_{h(1)}^{TPL}, \Theta_{h(1)}^{MD}, \Theta_{h(1)}^{MD:TPL}, \Theta_{h(2)}^{TPL}, \Theta_{h(2)}^{MD}, \Theta_{h(2)}^{MD:TPL})$. We will assume that Θ_{h} has a **multivariate LogNormal distribution**.

Let
$$\Theta_{\boldsymbol{h}} = (\Theta_{\boldsymbol{h}(1)}^{TPL}, \Theta_{\boldsymbol{h}(1)}^{MD}, \Theta_{\boldsymbol{h}(1)}^{MD:TPL}, \Theta_{\boldsymbol{h}(2)}^{TPL}, \Theta_{\boldsymbol{h}(2)}^{MD}, \Theta_{\boldsymbol{h}(2)}^{MD:TPL}).$$

- We need $\mathbb{E}[\Theta_h] = 1$.
- We impose that

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$$\mathbb{V}\left[\log \Theta_{h(i)}^{g}\right] = \sigma_{g}^{2} \ \forall g \in \mathcal{G} := \{TPL, MD, MD : TPL\} \text{ and } i = 1, 2.$$

$$\mathbb{C}orr[\log \Theta_{h}] = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \rho^{TPL,MD} & \rho^{TPL,MD:TPL} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} \\ \rho^{TPL,MD} & 1 & \rho^{MD,MD:TPL} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} \\ \rho^{TPL,MD:TPL} & \rho^{MD,MD:TPL} & 1 & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} \\ \hline \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & 1 & \rho^{TPL,MD} & \rho^{TPL,MD:TPL} \\ \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho^{TPL,MD} & 1 & \rho^{MD,MD:TPL} \\ \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho_{12} & \rho^{TPL,MD:TPL} & \rho^{MD,MD:TPL} & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

We rely on **maximum likelihood** to estimate the variance-covariance matrix. We used the R package **MultiGHQuad** to perform numerical integration. The integrand has been written in C++ thanks to the R package **Rcpp**.

	Estimate
$\widehat{\mathbb{V}}(\log \Theta^{TPL})$	0.55843
$\widehat{\mathbb{V}}(\log \Theta^{MD})$	0.36473
$\widehat{\mathbb{V}}(\log \Theta^{MD:TPL})$	0.31750
$\widehat{\mathbb{C}orr}(\log \Theta^{TPL}, \log \Theta^{MD})$	0.52414
$\widehat{\mathbb{C}orr}(\log \Theta^{TPL}, \log \Theta^{MD:TPL})$	0.69405
$\widehat{\mathbb{C}orr}(\log \Theta^{MD}, \log \Theta^{MD:TPL})$	0.51272
$\widehat{ ho_{12}}$	0.44117

Table 1: Maximum likelihood estimates of the variances and correlations of the underlying Normal random variables, i.e. $\log \Theta$, where the log is taken on each component of the vector.

Applications

Some applications are displayed hereafter.

- Correct the a priori claim frequency.
- Identify profitable (new) policyholders using the past claims of the rest of the household.

Let us show the impact of claims on the a priori claim frequency.

We assume that we have observed a household with a single policyholder, with a median a priori risk profile, over the past T years.

The conditional expectations of the random effects can be computed using the **Bayes formula** and numerical integration.

We can compute the ratios

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{\lambda_{h(1),T+1}^{TPL}\Theta_{h(1)}^{TPL} + \lambda_{h(1),T+1}^{MD:TPL}\Theta_{h(1)}^{MD:TPL}}{\lambda_{h(1),T+1}^{TPL} + \lambda_{h(1),T+1}^{MD:TPL}}|N_{h(1),\bullet}^{\tilde{g}} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{\tilde{g}}, \forall \tilde{g} \in \mathcal{G}\right]$$

and

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{\lambda_{h(1),T+1}^{MD}\Theta_{h(1)}^{MD} + \lambda_{h(1),T+1}^{MD:TPL}\Theta_{h(1)}^{MD:TPL}}{\lambda_{h(1),T+1}^{MD} + \lambda_{h(1),T+1}^{MD:TPL}}|N_{h(1),\bullet}^{\tilde{g}} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{\tilde{g}}, \forall \tilde{g} \in \mathcal{G}\right]$$

Correction factors when no claim is reported

We can compute the correction to apply to policyholder h(1). We assume

- No claim has been reported in any of the two guarantees.
- *h*(1) is the only policyholder from the household.

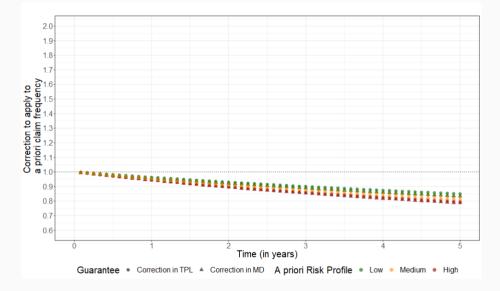


Figure 2: Correction to apply to TPL and MD for a household with a single policyholder. No claim in any guarantee.

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- One claim triggering TPL only occurred at some time *t*.
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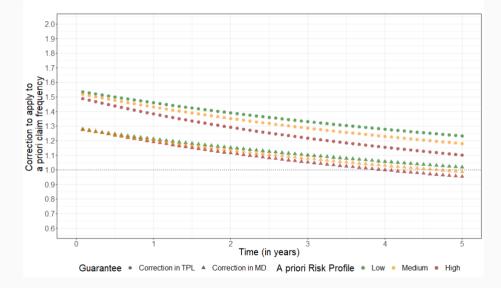


Figure 3: Correction to apply to TPL and MD for a household with a single policyholder. No claim in any other guarantee.

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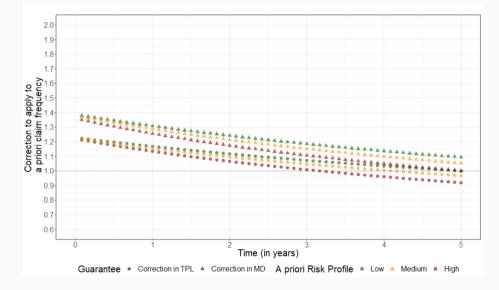


Figure 4: Correction to apply to TPL and MD for a household with a single policyholder. No claim in any other guarantee.

One single event or two claims ?

We assume that the policyholder has a **median** a priori risk profile. We compare two cases:

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\begin{cases} (N_{h(1),\bullet}^{TPL}, N_{h(1),\bullet}^{MD}, N_{h(1),\bullet}^{MD:TPL}) = (0,0,1) \\ (N_{h(1),\bullet}^{TPL}, N_{h(1),\bullet}^{MD}, N_{h(1),\bullet}^{MD:TPL}) = (1,1,0) \end{cases}
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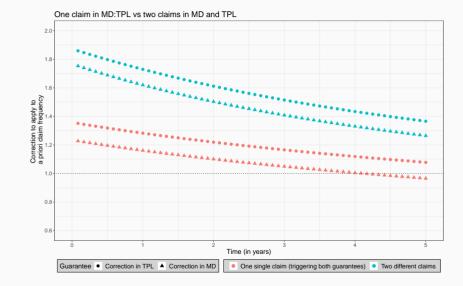


Figure 5: Correction to apply to TPL and MD for a household with a single policyholder. Comparison when a claim triggered both guarantees with two claims (one in each guarantee).

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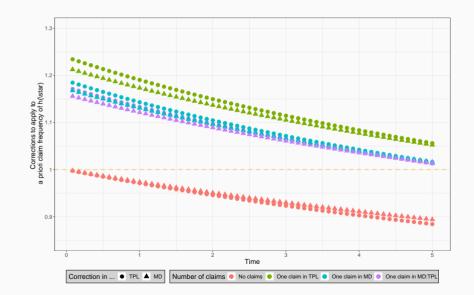
$$= \lambda_{h(\star),T+1}^{TPL} \frac{\int_{0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{0}^{\infty} \theta_{h(\star)}^{TPL} P\left[N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}|\Theta_{h} = \theta\right] f_{\Theta_{h}}(\theta)}{P\left[N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}\right]} + \lambda_{h(\star),T+1}^{MD:TPL} \frac{\int_{0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{0}^{\infty} \theta_{h(\star)}^{MD:TPL} P\left[N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}|\Theta_{h} = \theta\right] f_{\Theta_{h}}(\theta)}{P\left[N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}\right]}$$

and

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\lambda_{h(*),T+1}^{MD}\Theta_{h(*)}^{MD} + \lambda_{h(*),T+1}^{MD:TPL}\Theta_{h(*)}^{MD:TPL}|N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}\right]$$

$$= \lambda_{h(*),T+1}^{MD} \frac{\int_{0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{0}^{\infty} \theta_{h(*)}^{MD} P\left[N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}|\Theta_{h} = \theta\right] f_{\Theta_{h}}(\theta)}{P\left[N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}\right]} + \lambda_{h(*),T+1}^{MD:TPL} \frac{\int_{0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{0}^{\infty} \theta_{h(*)}^{MD:TPL} P\left[N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}|\Theta_{h} = \theta\right] f_{\Theta_{h}}(\theta)}{P\left[N_{h(1),\bullet}^{g} = n_{h(1),\bullet}^{g}\forall g \in \mathcal{G}\right]}$$

- We can discuss the number of claims reported by h(1).
- We assume that we don't have any information related to the past claims experience of *h*(*).
- We assume a **median** a priori risk profile.



Conclusions

- We showed how to account for the dependencies between the guarantees and the policyholders in motor insurance.
- Dependency between guarantees arises from two different aspects:
 - One claim can trigger both guarantees at the same time;
 - Latent (unobserved) risk factors affecting the claim frequency appear to be correlated.
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Thank you!