

Non-parametric and semi-parametric estimation of Archimedean copula parameter

Application to real time series - MOPI daily observations. Standard error estimation included.

Initial settings

```
<< Statistics`MultiDescriptiveStatistics`
<< Statistics`StatisticsPlots`
<< Statistics`NonlinearFit`
<< Graphics`Graphics3D`
```

■ system settings

```
SetDirectory["d:\\Math\\Analyza CR\\copula"];
SetOptions[ListPlot, PlotJoined → True, PlotRange → All, DisplayFunction → Identity];
SetOptions[{Histogram, Plot, QuantilePlot, ContourPlot, Plot3D}, PlotRange → All, DisplayFunction → Identity];
Off[General::spell1];
```

■ commonly-used functions

fShow causes visibility of graphic objects, that are set to DisplayFunction→Identity. fNShow, on the contrary, sets this option to prevent visibility. These functions come useful when grouping several graphic objects.

```
fShow[plot___, options___] := Show[plot, DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction, options];
```

■ data

Setting $y = -y$ causes positive dependence between "x" and "y". Next, the couples are being ordered according to increasing values of "y" for later easy handling with extremes if needed.

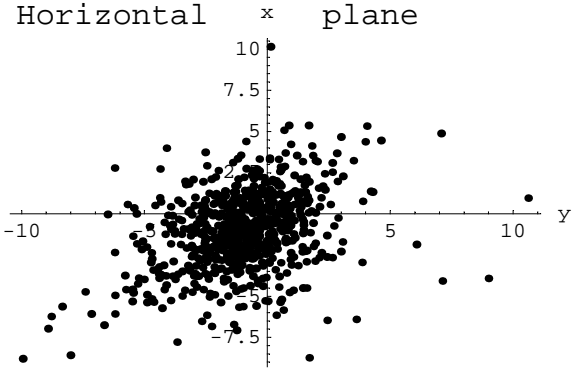
```
{x, y} = Transpose[ReadList["data\\mopi_nt.dat", Number, RecordLists → True]];
{y = -y};

Ordering[y];
x = Part[x, %];
y = Part[y, %%];
xy = Transpose[{x, y}];
n = Length[xy]

728
```

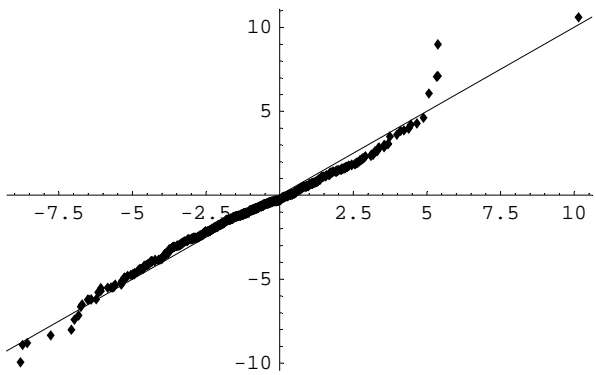
First look

```
ListPlot[Transpose[{y, x}], PlotLabel → StyleForm["Horizontal plane", FontSize → 15],
  AxesLabel → {"y", "x"}, PlotJoined → False, PlotStyle → {PointSize[0.015]}] // fShow;
```

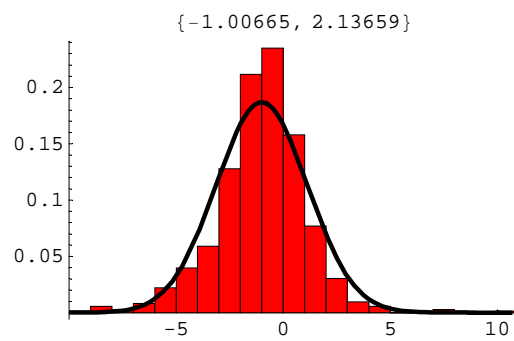
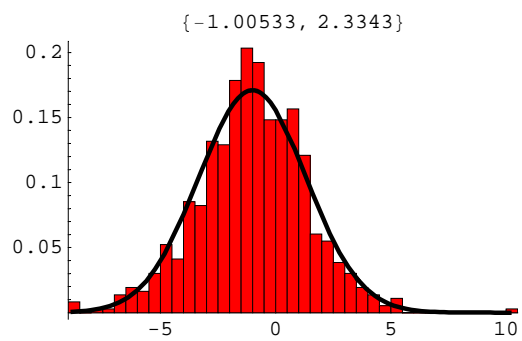


```
{corr = Correlation[x, y], ρ = SpearmanRankCorrelation[x, y], τ = KendallRankCorrelation[x, y]} // N
{0.367013, 0.331438, 0.234636}
```

```
QuantilePlot[x, y] // fShow;
```



```
Module[{μ, σ}, GraphicsArray[ Show[
  Histogram[#, HistogramScale → 1],
  Plot[PDF[NormalDistribution[μ = Mean[#], σ = StandardDeviation[#]], x],
    {x, Min[#], Max[#]}, PlotStyle → {Thickness[0.01]}],
  PlotLabel → StyleForm[{μ, σ}]
] & /@ {x, y}] // fShow;
```



Nonparametric estimation of copula parameter

Procedure by Genest & Rivest (1993). Described in Frees & Valdez (1998) and Abid & Naifar (2005) }

■ Nonparametric estimate Kn

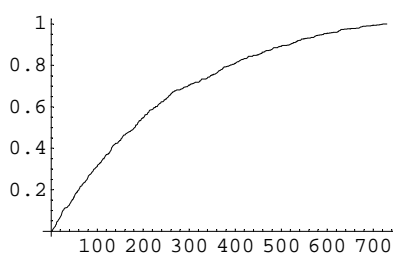
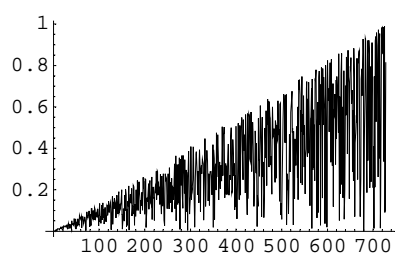
unobserved variable $Z = H(x, y)$

```
fZ[i_] := Sum[If[x[[j]] < x[[i]] && y[[j]] < y[[i]], 1., 0], {j, n}] / (n - 1)
Z = Table[fZ[i], {i, n}];
```

distribution function of Z

```
fKn[z_] := Sum[If[Z[[i]] ≤ z, 1, 0], {i, n}] / n
Kn = Table[fKn[z], {z, 0, 1, 1/n}];
```

```
GraphicsArray[{ListPlot[Z], ListPlot[Kn]}] // fShow;
```



■ Parametric estimate K_ϕ

$$K_\phi(z) = z - \frac{\phi(z)}{\phi'(z)} \quad \text{using relation} \quad \tau = 1 + 4 \int_0^1 \frac{\phi(t)}{\phi'(t)} dt$$

Procedure: $\tau \rightarrow \theta \rightarrow \phi \rightarrow K_\phi$.

Independence copula (no parameter)

```
fKi[t_] := If[t ≠ 0, t (1 - Log[t]), 0];
Ki = Table[fKi[z], {z, 0, 1, 1/n}];
```

Gumbel copula

```
θg = t /. NSolve[τ == (t - 1) / t][[1]];
fKg[t_] := If[t ≠ 0, t - t Log[t] / θg, 0];
```

Clayton copula

```
θc = t /. NSolve[τ == t / (t + 2)][[1]];
fKc[t_] := t - (tθc+1 - t) / θc;
```

Frank copula

```
fD1[x_] := 1/x Integrate[t / (Exp[t] - 1), {t, 0, x}];
θf = Re[t /. FindRoot[τ == 1 + 4/t (fD1[t] - 1), {t, 2.2}]];
fKf[t_] := If[t == 0, 0, t - Log[(Exp[-θf t] - 1) / (Exp[-θf] - 1)] * (Exp[θf t] - 1) / θf]

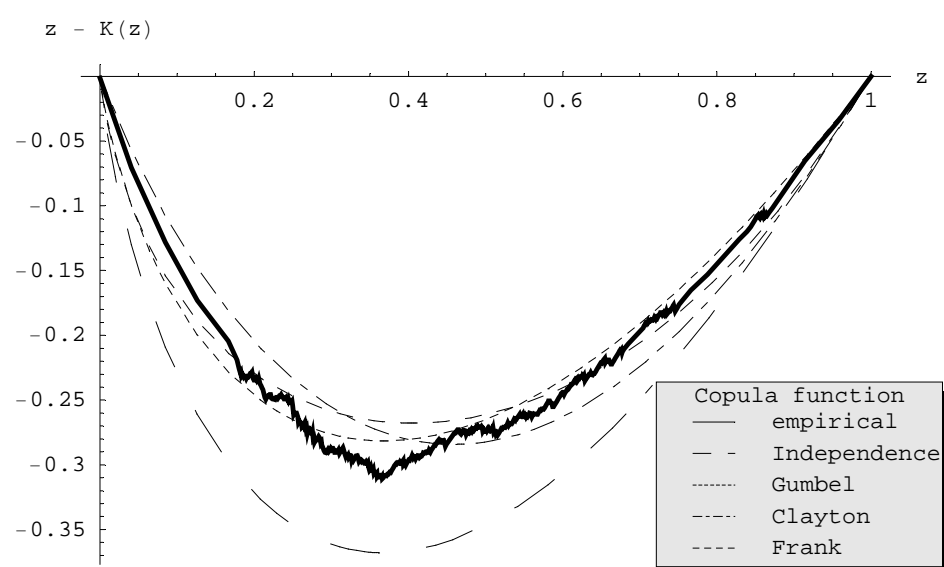
{Ki, Kg, Kc, Kf} = Table[# [z], {z, 0, 1, 1/n}] & /@ {fKi, fKg, fKc, fKf};
{θg, θc, θf}

{1.30657, 0.613135, 2.21169}
```

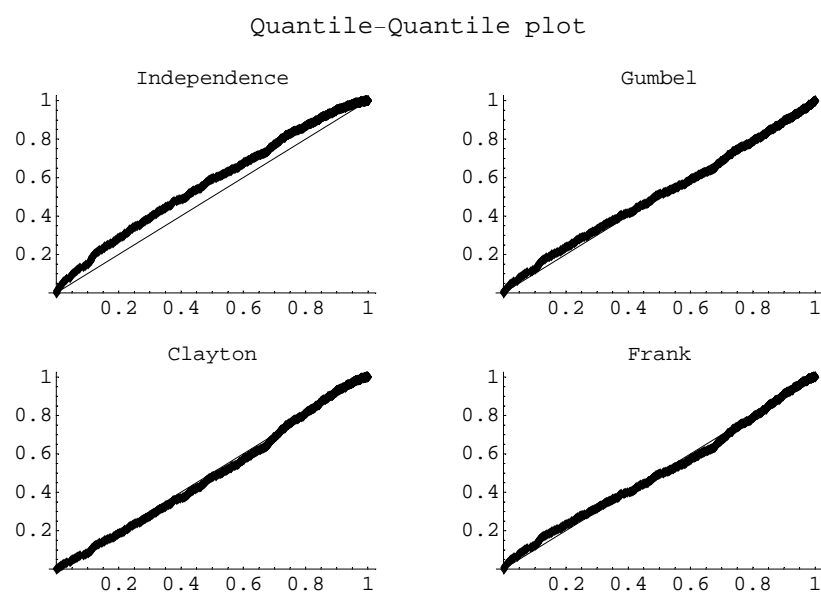
■ Comparing K's

□ Graphically

```
gK = Plot[{z - fKn[z], z - fKi[z], z - fKg[z], z - fKc[z], z - fKf[z]}, {z, 0, 1},
  PlotStyle -> {Thickness[0.006], Dashing[{.06}], Dashing[{.01}], Dashing[{.03, 0.015, 0.01, 0.015}], Dashing[{.02}]},
  TextStyle -> {FontSize -> 11}, AxesLabel -> {"z", "z - K(z)"}, LegendLabel -> "Copula function",
  PlotLegend -> {"empirical", "Independence", "Gumbel", "Clayton", "Frank"},
  LegendSize -> {0.62, 0.4}, LegendPosition -> {.4, -.6}, LegendTextSpace -> 2.0, LegendLabelSpace -> 0.8,
  LegendOrientation -> Vertical, LegendBackground -> GrayLevel[.9], LegendShadow -> {.02, -.02}] // fShow;
```



```
gQQ = GraphicsArray[{
  {QuantilePlot[Kn, Ki, PlotLabel -> "Independence"], QuantilePlot[Kn, Kg, PlotLabel -> "Gumbel"]},
  {QuantilePlot[Kn, Kc, PlotLabel -> "Clayton"], QuantilePlot[Kn, Kf, PlotLabel -> "Frank"]}},
  PlotLabel -> StyleForm["Quantile-Quantile plot", FontSize -> 12]] // fShow;
```



□ Numerically

L2 norm distance $\sqrt{(K_\phi - K_n)^2}$

```
Norm[# - Kn] & /@ {Ki, Kg, Kc, Kf} // N

{1.72375, 0.445571, 0.54291, 0.49252}
```

Semi-parametric estimation of copula parameter

■ Distribution and copula functions

▣ Empirical marginal distribution function (rescaled)

$$\text{CDF}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbb{P}(X \leq \mathbf{x})$$

$$\text{fCDFe}[\mathbf{x}_-, \mathbf{x}_-] := \frac{1}{n+1} \text{Sum}[\text{If}[\mathbf{x}[[i]] \leq \mathbf{x}, 1, 0], \{i, 1, n\}]$$

empirical "probability integral transform" vectors of original univariate data

```
xT = Table[fCDFe[x, x[[i]]], {i, 1, n}];
yT = Table[fCDFe[y, y[[i]]], {i, 1, n}];
```

ranks

```
xR = Ordering[x] / (n + 1);
yR = Ordering[y] / (n + 1);
```

▣ Empirical copula

$$\text{Deheuvels (1979), } C_n[u, v] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{1}_{(F_n[x_i] \leq u)} \mathbb{1}_{(F_n[y_i] \leq v)} \text{ or } C_n[u, v] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{1}_{(xR_i \leq u)} \mathbb{1}_{(yR_i \leq v)}$$

empirical copula function (illustrative but slow)

$$\text{fCe}[u_-, v_-] := \frac{1}{n} \text{Sum}[\text{If}[\mathbf{xT}[[i]] \leq u \wedge \mathbf{yT}[[i]] \leq v, 1, 0], \{i, 1, n\}]$$

empirical copula; regular grid

```
xRM = Table[If[xR[[i]] ≤ u, 1, 0], {u, 0, 1, 1/n}, {i, 1, n}];
yRM = Table[If[yR[[j]] ≤ v, 1, 0], {v, 0, 1, 1/n}, {j, 1, n}];
Timing[Ce = Table[ $\frac{1}{n} \text{Sum}[\mathbf{xRM}[[i, k]] * \mathbf{yRM}[[j, k]], \{k, 1, n\}]$ , {i, 1, n+1}, {j, 1, n+1}];]
{1605.57 Second, Null}
```

storing or loading large data

```
Ce >> Cempir.txt

Ce = (<< "Cempir.txt");
```

▣ Archimedean copula

$$C(u, v) = \phi^{-1}[\phi(u) + \phi(v)]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{fCg}[u_-, v_-, \theta_-] &= e^{-((- \log[u])^\theta + (- \log[v])^\theta)^{1/\theta}}; \\ \text{fCc}[u_-, v_-, \theta_-] &= (u^{-\theta} + v^{-\theta} - 1)^{-1/\theta}; \\ \text{fCf}[u_-, v_-, \theta_-] &= - \frac{\text{Log}\left[\frac{(e^{-\theta} v - 1)(e^{-\theta} u - 1)}{e^{-\theta} - 1} + 1\right]}{\theta}; \end{aligned}$$

Copula density functions:

```
fci[u_, v_] = D[fCi[u, v], u, v];
fcg[u_, v_, θ_] = Simplify[D[fCg[u, v, θ], u, v]];
fcc[u_, v_, θ_] = D[fCc[u, v, θ], u, v];
fcf[u_, v_, θ_] = D[fCf[u, v, θ], u, v];
```

■ Maximum likelihood

pseudo log-likelihood

```
fLg[θ_] = Sum[Log[fCg[xT[[i]], yT[[i]], θ]], {i, 1, n}];
fLc[θ_] = Sum[Log[fCc[xT[[i]], yT[[i]], θ]], {i, 1, n}];
fLf[θ_] = Sum[Log[fCf[xT[[i]], yT[[i]], θ]], {i, 1, n}];
```

maximizing → parameters, AIC

```

Transpose[{
  LLg = FindMaximum[fLg[ $\theta$ ], { $\theta$ , 1}],
  LLc = FindMaximum[fLc[ $\theta$ ], { $\theta$ , 0.1}, AccuracyGoal  $\rightarrow$  7],
  LLf = FindMaximum[fLf[ $\theta$ ], { $\theta$ , 0.1}, AccuracyGoal  $\rightarrow$  7]}}];
{ $\theta$ 1g,  $\theta$ 1c,  $\theta$ 1f} = (( $\theta$  /. #) & /@ %[[2]])
vAIC = -2 %[[1]] + 2

{1.30445, 0.563803, 2.3153}

{-106.235, -109.035, -90.7313}

```

comparing to empirical copula (L2-norm distance)

```

Cg = Table[fCg[i, j,  $\theta$ 1g], {i, 0, 1, 1/n}, {j, 0, 1, 1/n}];
Table[fCc[i, j,  $\theta$ 1c], {i, 1/n, 1, 1/n}, {j, 1/n, 1, 1/n}];
Cc = Transpose[Prepend[Transpose[Prepend[%, Table[0, {n}]]], Table[0, {n+1}]]];
Cf = Table[fCf[i, j,  $\theta$ 1f], {i, 0, 1, 1/n}, {j, 0, 1, 1/n}];

Norm[Flatten[Ce - #]] & /@ {Cg, Cc, Cf}

{5.66526, 6.3704, 6.00337}

```

■ Non-linear fit

full specified copula; regular grid without borders

(if borders are added, i.e. {i, 1, n+1} and {j, 1, n+1}, then $CeXYZ = N[CeXYZ / . \{0. \rightarrow 10^{(-15)}, 1. \rightarrow (1 - 10^{(-15)})\}]$ to preserve stability)

```

CeXYZ = N[Flatten[Table[{(i - 1) / n, (j - 1) / n, Ce[[i, j]]}, {i, 2, n}, {j, 2, n}], 1]];

```

Gumbel

```

regg = NonlinearRegress[CeXYZ, fCg[u, v,  $\theta$ ], {u, v}, { $\theta$ , 1.3},
  RegressionReport  $\rightarrow$  {BestFitParameters, EstimatedVariance, ParameterCITable}]

{BestFitParameters  $\rightarrow$  { $\theta \rightarrow$  1.29136}, EstimatedVariance  $\rightarrow$  0.0000595846,
  ParameterCITable  $\rightarrow$ 

|          | Estimate | Asymptotic SE | CI                 |
|----------|----------|---------------|--------------------|
| $\theta$ | 1.29136  | 0.000126859   | {1.29111, 1.29161} |


}
```

Clayton

```

regc = NonlinearRegress[CeXYZ, fCc[u, v,  $\theta$ ], {u, v}, { $\theta$ , 0.61},
  RegressionReport  $\rightarrow$  {BestFitParameters, EstimatedVariance, ParameterCITable}]

{BestFitParameters  $\rightarrow$  { $\theta \rightarrow$  0.559712}, EstimatedVariance  $\rightarrow$  0.0000767524,
  ParameterCITable  $\rightarrow$ 

|          | Estimate | Asymptotic SE | CI                   |
|----------|----------|---------------|----------------------|
| $\theta$ | 0.559712 | 0.000275767   | {0.559172, 0.560253} |


}
```

Frank

```

regf = NonlinearRegress[CeXYZ, fCf[u, v,  $\theta$ ], {u, v}, { $\theta$ , 2.2},
  RegressionReport  $\rightarrow$  {BestFitParameters, EstimatedVariance, ParameterCITable}]

{BestFitParameters  $\rightarrow$  { $\theta \rightarrow$  2.02452}, EstimatedVariance  $\rightarrow$  0.0000515414,
  ParameterCITable  $\rightarrow$ 

|          | Estimate | Asymptotic SE | CI                 |
|----------|----------|---------------|--------------------|
| $\theta$ | 2.02452  | 0.000683983   | {2.02318, 2.02586} |


}
```

parameters summary

```

{ $\theta$ 2g,  $\theta$ 2c,  $\theta$ 2f} = ( $\theta$  /. (BestFitParameters /. #)) & /@ {regg, regc, regf}

{1.29136, 0.559712, 2.02452}

```

comparing to empirical copula (L2-norm distance)

```

 $\sqrt{(\text{Length}[CeXYZ] - 1) (\text{EstimatedVariance} /. \#) \& /@ \{regg, regc, regf\}}$ 

{5.61178, 6.36913, 5.2193}

```

Linear convex combination

■ Non-linear fit

Clayton-Gumbel

```

regcg = NonlinearRegress[CeXYZ,  $\alpha$  * fCc[u, v,  $\theta$ 2c] + (1 -  $\alpha$ ) * fCg[u, v,  $\theta$ 2g],
  {u, v}, { $\alpha$ , 0.5}, RegressionReport  $\rightarrow$  {BestFitParameters, EstimatedVariance, ParameterCITable}]

{BestFitParameters  $\rightarrow$  { $\alpha \rightarrow$  0.443701}, EstimatedVariance  $\rightarrow$  0.0000295681,
  ParameterCITable  $\rightarrow$ 

|          | Estimate | Asymptotic SE | CI                   |
|----------|----------|---------------|----------------------|
| $\alpha$ | 0.443701 | 0.000605742   | {0.442513, 0.444888} |


}
```

Clayton-Frank

```
regcf = NonlinearRegress[CeXYZ,  $\alpha$  * fCc[u, v,  $\theta$ 2c] + (1 -  $\alpha$ ) * fCf[u, v,  $\theta$ 2f],
  {u, v}, { $\alpha$ , 0.5}, RegressionReport -> {BestFitParameters, EstimatedVariance, ParameterCITable}]

{BestFitParameters -> { $\alpha$  -> 0.318455}, EstimatedVariance -> 0.0000444997,
  ParameterCITable -> 

|          |          |               |                      |
|----------|----------|---------------|----------------------|
|          | Estimate | Asymptotic SE | CI                   |
| $\alpha$ | 0.318455 | 0.00110118    | {0.316297, 0.320613} |

}
```

Frank-Gumbel

```
regfg = NonlinearRegress[CeXYZ,  $\alpha$  * fCf[u, v,  $\theta$ 2f] + (1 -  $\alpha$ ) * fCg[u, v,  $\theta$ 2g],
  {u, v}, { $\alpha$ , 0.5}, RegressionReport -> {BestFitParameters, EstimatedVariance, ParameterCITable}]

{BestFitParameters -> { $\alpha$  -> 0.634488}, EstimatedVariance -> 0.0000475463,
  ParameterCITable -> 

|          |          |               |                      |
|----------|----------|---------------|----------------------|
|          | Estimate | Asymptotic SE | CI                   |
| $\alpha$ | 0.634488 | 0.00173447    | {0.631089, 0.637888} |

}
```

parameters summary

```
{acg, acf, afg} = ( $\theta$  /. (BestFitParameters /. #)) & /@ {regcg, regcf, regfg}

{0.443701, 0.318455, 0.634488}
```

comparing to empirical copula (L2-norm distance)

```
 $\sqrt{(\text{Length}[\text{CeXYZ}] - 1) (\text{EstimatedVariance} /. \#) \& /@ \{\text{regg}, \text{regc}, \text{regf}\}}$ 

{3.95317, 4.84968, 5.01294}
```

Standard error estimation

This is an extra topic - not included in PhD thesis. Procedures are summarized in Genest & Favre (2006).

■ Non-parametric approach

mediating variables and standard error (as function)

```
Z = Table[ $\frac{1}{n}$  Sum[If[x[[j]] ≤ x[[i]] && y[[j]] ≤ y[[i]], 1., 0], {j, n}], {i, n}];
Z̃ = Table[ $\frac{1}{n}$  Sum[If[x[[i]] ≤ x[[j]] && y[[i]] ≤ y[[j]], 1., 0], {j, n}], {i, n}];
Z̄ = Mean[Z];
S = Sqrt[ $\frac{1}{n}$  Sum[(Z[[i]] + Z̃[[i]] - 2 Z̄) ^ 2, {i, n}]];
fSE[g_] :=  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$  4 S * Abs[g]
```

gumbel

```
D[ $\theta$  /. Solve[t == ( $\theta$  - 1) /  $\theta$ ,  $\theta$ ] [[1]], t] /. t ->  $\tau$ ;
fSE[%]

0.0454617
```

clayton

```
D[ $\theta$  /. Solve[t ==  $\theta$  / ( $\theta$  + 2),  $\theta$ ] [[1]], t] /. t ->  $\tau$ ;
fSE[%]

0.0909233
```

frank

```
Normal[Simplify[Series[1 + 4 /  $\theta$  (fD1[ $\theta$ ] - 1), { $\theta$ , 2, 1}],  $\theta$  > 0]];
Solve[t == %,  $\theta$ ] [[1]];
Re[D[ $\theta$  /. %, t] // N];
fSE[%]

0.268614
```

(kendall's tau)

```
 $4 \frac{n}{n - 1} \bar{Z} - \frac{n + 3}{n - 1}$ 

0.237088
```

■ Semi-parametric approach

```

fDLg[uu_, vv_, theta_, dv_] = D[Log[fcg[u, v, theta]], theta] /. {u -> uu, v -> vv, theta -> theta};
fDLc[uu_, vv_, theta_, dv_] = D[Log[fcc[u, v, theta]], theta] /. {u -> uu, v -> vv, theta -> theta};
fDLf[uu_, vv_, theta_, dv_] = D[Log[fcf[u, v, theta]], theta] /. {u -> uu, v -> vv, theta -> theta};

{tmp1g, tmp1c, tmp1f} = MapThread[Table[#1[xR[[i]], i / (n + 1), #2, theta], {i, n}] &, {{fDLg, fDLc, fDLf}, {theta1g, theta1c, theta1f}}];
{tmp2g, tmp2c, tmp2f} = MapThread[Table[
  #1[[i]] -
  
$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \#2[xR[[j]], j / (n + 1), \#3, \theta] * \#2[xR[[j]], j / (n + 1), \#3, u] -$$

  
$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \text{If}[xR[[j]] \geq xR[[i]], \#2[xR[[j]], j / (n + 1), \#3, \theta] * \#2[xR[[j]], j / (n + 1), \#3, v], 0],$$

  {i, n}] &, {{tmp1g, tmp1c, tmp1f}, {fDLg, fDLc, fDLf}, {theta1g, theta1c, theta1f}}];

```

standard error for gumbel, clayton and frank copula parameter estimate (respectively)

```

( MapThread[ 
$$\frac{\text{Variance}[\#2]}{\text{Variance}[\#1]}$$
 &, {{tmp1g, tmp1c, tmp1f}, {tmp2g, tmp2c, tmp2f}}] / n ) // Sqrt
{0.0372861, 0.0378833, 0.0370627}

```