# Competitive Equilibria in a Comonotone Market 

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## The market

A one-period exchange market is described by a probability space $(\Omega, \mathcal{B}, \mathbb{P})$ and a set of bounded random future wealths $\mathcal{X}$.

- There are $n$ agents and $N=\{1, \ldots, n\}$. Each of them is endowed with an endowment $\xi_{i} \in \mathcal{X}$ and uses an objective functional $V_{i}: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ to model his preference.
- The total future wealth is $X=\sum_{i=1}^{n} \xi_{i}$, and its range $R(X) \subset \mathbb{R}$ is an interval.
- The current price of a random wealth $Y \in \mathcal{X}$ is given by $\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}[Y]$ for some pricing measure $\mathbb{Q} \in \mathcal{P}$, where $\mathcal{P}$ is the set of probability measures absolutely continuous w.r.t. $\mathbb{P}$.
$\mathbb{Q}$ will be an output of the market equilibrium.


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## Definition

An allocation $\left(X_{1}, \ldots, X_{n}\right) \in \mathcal{X}^{n}$ and a pricing measure $\mathbb{Q} \in \mathcal{P}$ constitute an (Arrow-Debreu) competitive equilibrium if

- For $i \in N, X_{i}$ satisfies the budget constraint: $\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[X_{i}\right] \leq \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right]$
- For $i \in N, X_{i}$ maximizes the agent's objective:

$$
V_{i}(Y) \leq V_{i}\left(X_{i}\right), \quad \text { for all } Y \in \mathcal{X} \text { and } \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}[Y] \leq \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right]
$$

- The market is cleared:

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}=\sum_{i=1}^{n} \xi_{i}
$$

In a complete market, the set of admissible allocations is

$$
\mathbb{A}_{n}(X)=\left\{\left(X_{1}, \ldots, X_{n}\right) \in \mathcal{X}^{n}: \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_{i}=X\right\}
$$

Competitive equilibria in a complete market:

- Early work (expected utility): Arrow-Debreu'54, Borch'62
- Cumulative perspective theory: De Gorgi-Hens-Rieger'10
- Concave dual utility: Garlier-Dana'08, Dana'11, Boonen'15
- Rank dependent utility: Xia-Zhou'16, Jin-Xia-Zhou'18

For objectives other than expected utilities, finding competitive equilibria is a generally very challenging question

## Comonotonicity

## Definition

A random vector $\left(Y_{1}, \ldots, Y_{n}\right)$ is comonotonic if

$$
\left(Y_{1}, \ldots, Y_{n}\right)=\left(f_{1}(Y), \ldots, f_{n}(Y)\right)
$$

holds for some non-decreasing functions $f_{1}, \ldots, f_{n}$ and a random variable $Y$.

- $Y$ can be chosen as $\sum_{i=1}^{n} Y_{i}$; e.g. Denneberg'94.
- $\left(Y_{1}, Y_{2}\right)$ is counter-monotonic if $\left(-Y_{1}, Y_{2}\right)$ is comonotonic.


## Known results.

In a complete market, when agents have the same belief $\mathbb{P}$, under mild conditions, a competitive equilibrium $\left(\left(X_{1}^{*}, \ldots, X_{n}^{*}\right), \mathbb{Q}\right) \in \mathbb{A}_{n}(X) \times \mathcal{P}$ satisfies
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Question.
What happens if we constrain the feasible set of allocations to be comonotonic in the first place?

## Insurance

- In an insurance policy, the underlying risk is $Y$.
- $Y$ is shared by a policyholder and several insurers.
- To avoid Moral Hazard, no one should have the incentive to hope for a larger loss.
- Slow growth property. For the policyholder, the ceded part $f(Y)$ should be comonotonic with the retained part $Y-f(Y)$, or equivalently

$$
0 \leq f(x)-f(y) \leq x-y, \quad 0 \leq y \leq x
$$

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- In the comonotone market, a competitive equilibrium is a pair $\left(\left(X_{1}, \ldots, X_{n}\right), \mathbb{Q}\right) \in \mathbb{A}_{n}^{c}(X) \times \mathcal{P}$ such that $\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[X_{i}\right] \leq \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right]$ and

$$
V_{i}\left(X_{i}\right)=\max \left\{V_{i}\left(Y_{i}\right): Y_{i} \in C(X), \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[Y_{i}\right] \leq \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right]\right\}, \quad i \in N .
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Comonotone market
$\varsubsetneqq$

## Complete market

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- A CCE is not necessarily a UCE.
- In a CCE $\left(\left(X_{1}^{*}, \ldots, X_{n}^{*}\right), \mathbb{Q}\right), X_{i}^{*}, i \in N$ and $X$ may not be counter-monotonic with $\eta=\mathrm{d} \mathbb{Q} / \mathrm{dP}$. Thus, a sharp contrast to the case of complete market.


## Pareto-optimality

## Definition (Pareto-optimal allocations)

Fix objective functionals $V_{1}, \ldots, V_{n}$, total wealth $X \in \mathcal{X}$ and initial endowments $\xi_{1}, \ldots, \xi_{n} \in \mathcal{X}$.
(i) In the comonotone market, an allocation $\left(X_{1}, \ldots, X_{n}\right) \in \mathbb{A}_{n}^{c}(X)$ is Pareto-optimal if for any allocation $\left(Y_{1}, \ldots, Y_{n}\right) \in \mathbb{A}_{n}^{c}(X)$, $V_{i}\left(Y_{i}\right) \geq V_{i}\left(X_{i}\right)$ for $i \in N$ implies $V_{i}\left(Y_{i}\right)=V_{i}\left(X_{i}\right)$ for $i \in N$.
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## Dual utility

The set of distortion functions

$$
\mathcal{G}=\left\{g:[0,1] \rightarrow[0,1] \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{c}
g \text { is continuous and increasing, } \\
g(0)=0 \text { and } g(1)=1
\end{array}\right.\right\} .
$$

Definition
A dual utility ( $D U$ ) functional $D_{g}$ with distortion function $g \in \mathcal{G}$ is defined as a Choquet integral, namely, for $Y \in \mathcal{X}$,

$$
D_{g}(Y)=\int Y \mathrm{~d}(g \circ \mathbb{P}):=\int_{-\infty}^{0}\left(g\left(S_{Y}(z)\right)-1\right) \mathrm{d} z+\int_{0}^{\infty} g\left(S_{Y}(z)\right) \mathrm{d} z
$$

References: Yaari'87, Denneberg'94, Wang-Panjer-Young'97

## Rank dependent utility

## Definition

For an increasing function $u: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \cup\{-\infty\}$ and a distortion function $g \in \mathcal{G}$, a rank-dependent utility ( $R D U$ ) functional $R_{u, g}$ is given by

$$
R_{u, g}(Y)=D_{g}(u(Y))=\int u(Y) \mathrm{d}(g \circ \mathbb{P}), \quad Y \in \mathcal{X}
$$

- $R_{u, g}$ is consistent with strong risk aversion if and only if $u$ is concave and $g$ is convex.
- The expected utility functional (EU) is a special case of RDU when $g(x)=x$ for $x \in[0,1]$.
- The DU is a special case of an RDU when $u(x)=x$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}$.


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## Competitive equilibria with dual utilities

In a comonotone market, where agents are equipped with dual utilities, we investigate following issues.

- Solving the individual optimization.
- Existence and the close form of a competitive equilibrium.
- Fundamental theorems of welfare economics.


## DU-comonotone market

Individual optimization:
Each agent is to find $X_{i}^{*}$ which solves

$$
\begin{align*}
& \max _{X_{i} \in C(X)} V_{i}\left(X_{i}\right)=D_{g}\left(X_{i}\right)=\int_{\Omega} X_{i} \mathrm{~d}\left(g_{i} \circ \mathbb{P}\right),  \tag{1}\\
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## Proposition

For a fixed $\mathbb{Q}$ and $f_{i} \in \mathcal{F}$, the random variable $X_{i}^{*}=f_{i}(X)$ solves (1) if and only if for a.e. $z \in R(X)$,

$$
f_{i}^{\prime}(z)= \begin{cases}1, & \text { if } g_{i}\left(S_{X}(z)\right)>\mathbb{Q}(X>z)  \tag{2}\\ 0, & \text { if } g_{i}\left(S_{X}(z)\right)<\mathbb{Q}(X>z) .\end{cases}
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(b) For $i \in N, X_{i}^{*}=f_{i}(X)-\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[f_{i}(X)\right]+\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right]$ almost surely where $f_{i}$ satisfies (2) with $\sum_{i=1}^{n} f_{i}(X)=X$.

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Sharp contrast I: A competitive equilibrium

- always exists in a DU-comonotone market;
- does NOT necessary exist in a DU-complete market where the distortion functions are not convex (e.g. Embrechts-Liu-Wang'18, the case of VaR )


## Example of equilibrium pricing measure


(a) Distortion functions and equilibrium price

## Uniqueness of CCE

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Sharp contrast II: The equilibrium price

- is unique in a DU-complete market; e.g. Boonen'15
- is NOT necessary unique in a DU-comonotone market.


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- 2nd FTWE

Any desired Pareto-efficient allocation can be attained by market competition with transfers.

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## Competitive equilibria with rank-dependent utilities

In a comonotone market, where agents are equipped with rank-dependent utilities, we investigate following issues.

- Existence of a competitive equilibrium.
- First fundamental theorems of welfare economics.
- EU market approach.


## RDU-comonotone market

Individual optimization:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \max _{X_{i} \in C(X)} V_{i}\left(X_{i}\right)=R_{u_{i}, g_{i}}\left(X_{i}\right)=\int_{\Omega} u_{i}\left(X_{i}\right) \mathrm{d}\left(g_{i} \circ \mathbb{P}\right) \\
& \text { s.t. } \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[X_{i}\right] \leq \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right] \\
& \text { or } X_{i}^{*}=Y_{i}-\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[Y_{i}\right]+\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right] \text {, where }
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
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Recall: Constrained competitive equilibrium (CCE) $\left(\left(X_{i}^{*}, \ldots, X_{n}^{*}\right), \mathbb{Q}\right) \in \mathbb{A}_{n}^{c} \times \mathcal{P}$ is a CCE if $\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[X_{i}^{*}\right]=\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right]$ and

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## Existence \& FTWE

Assumptions. In a RDU-comonotone market or an RDU-complete market with given $\xi_{1}, \ldots, \xi_{n}, X \in \mathcal{X}$,

- $u_{1}, \ldots, u_{n}$ are strictly increasing, strictly concave and continuously differentiable functions and $u_{i}>-\infty$ on $\left(d_{i}, \infty\right), i \in N$.
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## Theorem (3)

Consider the RDU-comonotone market.

1. (Existence.) If $\xi_{i} \geq d_{i}$ and $\xi_{i}$ is a continuos function of $X, i \in N$, then a competitive equilibrium exists.
2. (1st FTWE.) An equilibrium allocation satisfying $V_{i}\left(X_{i}\right)>-\infty$ for all $i \in N$ is necessarily Pareto-optimal.

## Expected-utility with heterogeneous beliefs

Observation.

$$
V_{i}(Y)=R_{g_{i}, u_{i}}(Y)=\mathbb{E}^{Q_{i}}\left[u_{i}(Y)\right], \quad \text { for all } \quad Y \in C(X),
$$

where $Q_{i} \in \mathcal{P}, i \in N$ such that $Q_{i}(X>t)=g_{i} \circ \mathbb{P}(X>t)$ for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$.

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- $V_{i}(Y)=\mathbb{E}^{Q_{i}}\left[u_{i}(Y)\right]$ relies on the fact that $(Y, X)$ is comonotonic, and it does not necessarily hold on $\mathcal{X}$.


## RDU markets \& EU markets

| RDU-comonotone market <br> CCE | $\Longleftrightarrow$EU-comonotone market <br> CCE |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\Uparrow$ (generally) |  |
| RDU-complete market (if comonotonic) <br> UCE | $\approx$EU-complete market <br> UCE |
| (relatively well studied) |  |

Individual objectives:

- EU-comonotone market

$$
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- EU-complete market

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## Competitive equilibria in an EU-complete market

Optimization problems in the EU-complete market with heterogeneous beliefs $Q_{i}, i \in N$ :

$$
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$$

- Individual optimization has a unique solution (e.g. Föllmer-Schied'16)

$$
X_{i}=\left(u_{i}^{\prime}\right)^{-1}\left(\frac{\mathrm{~d} \mathbb{Q}}{\mathrm{~d} Q_{i}} \lambda_{i}\right), \quad \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[X_{i}\right]=\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{Q}}\left[\xi_{i}\right]
$$

- The market clearing condition

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(u_{i}^{\prime}\right)^{-1}\left(\frac{\mathrm{~d} \mathbb{Q}}{\mathrm{~d} Q_{i}} \lambda_{i}\right)=X
$$

Theorem (4)
Suppose that $\left(\left(X_{1}, \ldots, X_{n}\right), \mathbb{Q}\right)$ is an UCE in the EU-complete market. If

$$
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Theorem (4)
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then it is a CCE in the RDU-comonotone market.
Sharp contrast III:

- In a CCE, the pricing kernel

$$
\eta=\frac{\mathrm{d} \mathbb{Q}}{\mathrm{~d} \mathbb{P}}=\frac{\mathrm{d} \mathbb{Q}}{\mathrm{~d} Q_{i}} g_{i}^{\prime}\left(S_{X}(X)\right)
$$

is not necessarily a decreasing function of $X$ when $g_{i}$ is not convex.

- Our model could accommodate the pricing kernel puzzle that pricing kernel is not necessarily counter-monotonic with X by empirical observations (e.g. Hens-Reichlin'13).


## Exponential utilities

For $i \in N$, assume

$$
u_{i}(x)=-e^{-\frac{x}{\theta_{i}}}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}
$$

where $\theta_{1}, \ldots, \theta_{n}>0$ are parameters representing risk tolerance.
Proposition
With exponential utilities, if the following condition holds,

$$
\inf _{x \in \mathbb{R}} \inf _{j=1, \ldots, n}\left\{\bar{\theta}^{-1}+\frac{q_{j}^{\prime}(x)}{q_{j}(x)}-\sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{\theta_{i}}{\bar{\theta}} \frac{q^{\prime}(x)}{q_{i}(x)}\right\} \geq 0,
$$

where $\bar{\theta}=\sum_{i=1}^{n} \theta_{i}$ and $q_{i}(x)=\frac{\mathrm{d} Q_{i}(x \leq x)}{\mathrm{d} x}$, then a CCE is given by

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \frac{\mathrm{d} \mathbb{Q}}{\mathrm{dP}}=\exp \left\{\frac{1}{\bar{\theta}}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} \theta_{i} \ln \left(\frac{\mathrm{~d} Q_{i}}{\mathrm{dP}}\right)+\bar{c}-X\right)\right\}, \\
& X_{j}=\frac{\theta_{j}}{\bar{\theta}}\left(X-\sum_{i=1}^{n} \theta_{i} \ln \left(\frac{\mathrm{~d} Q_{i}}{\mathrm{~d} Q_{j}}\right)-\bar{c}\right)+c_{j} .
\end{aligned}
$$

- Competitive equilibria with rank dependent utilities

々 RDU-exponential-comonotone market

(b) Equilibrium pricing kernal

- An algorithm for computing competitive equilibria


## Introduction

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## Conclusion

## Idea of the algorithm

Discretization.

- Take $\hat{X}=\left\{x_{1}, \ldots, x_{m}\right\}$ such that $\varepsilon=x_{i+1}-x_{i}$ is small enough.
- The initial wealth of agent $i$ is $\psi_{0}^{i}=\sum_{k=1}^{m} \delta_{0, k}^{i} \mathbb{I}\left(x \geq x_{k}\right)$.
- The initial guess of the price is $q_{0, k}=\hat{Q}_{0}\left(\hat{X} \geq x_{k}\right), k=1, \ldots, m$. Initial input.
- $\hat{X}, \hat{Q}_{0}=\hat{\mathbb{P}}, \psi_{0}^{i}=\hat{\xi}_{i}$ if $\xi_{i} \in C(X)$, otherwise $\psi_{0}^{i}=\frac{\mathbb{E}^{\hat{Q}_{0}}\left[\hat{\xi}_{1}\right]}{\mathbb{E}_{0}^{\hat{Q}_{0}}[\hat{X}]} \hat{X}$.

Updating process.

- In each step, we update $\delta_{0, k}^{i} \in[0, \varepsilon]$ and $q_{0, k}$ consequently such that each $\varepsilon$ is optimal allocated and the market is cleared.
-An algorithm for computing competitive equilibria
- Algorithm

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The initial wealth.


After the first step:


## Examples

## Simple setup.

- $N=\{1,2,3\}$
- $X \sim U[0,10], \varepsilon=0.01, m=1000$
- $\xi_{i}=X / 3, i=1,2,3$


## Example 1 - Dual utility

Assumptions.

- Distortion functions, for $s \in[0,1]$

$$
g\left(s ; \gamma_{i}\right)=\frac{s^{\gamma_{i}}}{\left(s^{\gamma_{i}}+(1-s)^{\gamma_{i}}\right)^{1 / \gamma_{i}}},
$$

where $\gamma_{1}=0.4, \gamma_{2}=0.6$, and
$\gamma_{3}=0.8$ (Tversky-Kahneman'92).

(c) Distortion functions

## Example 1 - Dual utility

- For the inverse-S shape distortion functions, UCE may not exist, but CCE exists.
- Certainty equivalents (CEQ). For $i \in N$, let $\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {prior }}$ and $\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {post }}$ be constants s.t.

$$
V_{i}\left(\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {prior }}\right)=V_{i}\left(\xi_{i}\right) \text { and } V_{i}\left(\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {post }}\right)=V_{i}\left(X_{i}\right)
$$

|  | $\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {prior }}$ | $\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {post }}$ (theoretical/algorithm) | \% increase |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agent 1 | 0.99 | $1.56 / 1.56$ | 58.0 |
| Agent 2 | 1.44 | $1.56 / 1.56$ | 8.3 |
| Agent 3 | 1.63 | $1.86 / 1.86$ | 14.7 |

## Example 1 - Dual utility


(d) Distortion functions and equilibrium price (exact)

(e) Distortion functions and equilibrium price (algorithm)

## Example 1 - Dual utility


(f) Equilibrium allocation (exact)

(g) Equilibrium allocation (algorithm)

## Example 2 - RDU with explicit solutions

## Assumptions.

- Distortion functions, for $s \in[0,1]$

$$
g_{i}(s)=a g\left(\frac{s+0.05}{1+2 \delta} ; \gamma_{i}\right)+b,
$$

where $\gamma_{1}=0.55, \gamma_{2}=0.6$, and $\gamma_{3}=0.65$.

- Exponential utilities
$u_{i}(x)=-e^{-x / \theta_{i}}$ with $\theta_{1}=2$,
$\theta_{2}=1.5$ and $\theta_{3}=1$.

(h) Distortion functions


## Example 2 - RDU with explicit solutions

The certainty equivalents before and after risk sharing

|  | $\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {pror }}$ | $\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {post }}$ (theoretical/algorithm) | \% increase |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agent 1 | 1.156 | $1.167 / 1.167$ | 0.9 |
| Agent 2 | 1.138 | $1.138 / 1.138$ | 0 |
| Agent 3 | 1.049 | $1.070 / 1.069$ | 2.0 |

## Example 2 - RDU with explicit solutions


(i) Equilibrium price (exact)

(j) Equilibrium price (algorithm)

## Example 2 - RDU with explicit solutions


(k) Equilibrium allocation (exact)

(I) Equilibrium allocation (algorithm)

## Example 3 - RDU without explicit solutions

Assumptions.

- The three agents use distortion functions

$$
g\left(s ; \gamma_{i}\right)=\frac{s^{\gamma_{i}}}{\left(s^{\gamma_{i}}+(1-s)^{\gamma_{i}}\right)^{1 / \gamma_{i}}}, \quad s \in[0,1] \text {, }
$$

where $\gamma_{1}=0.4, \gamma_{2}=0.6$, and $\gamma_{3}=0.8$.

- Exponential utility $u_{i}(x)=-e^{-x / \theta_{i}}$ with risk tolerant $\theta_{1}=3, \theta_{2}=2$ and $\theta_{3}=1$.


## Example 3 - RDU without explicit solutions

- The equilibrium is most attractive for the agent with the most distorted probability measure (Agent 1) and for the most risk averse agent (Agent 3).

|  | $\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {prior }}$ | $\mathrm{CEQ}_{i}^{\text {post }}$ (algorithm) | \% increase |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agent 1 | 0.75 | 0.90 | 19.3 |
| Agent 2 | 1.10 | 1.14 | 3.0 |
| Agent 3 | 1.11 | 1.19 | 6.8 |

## Example 3 - RDU without explicit solutions



## Summary of our work

- Introducing the comonotome market.
- Solving competitive equilibrium problem in a DU-comonotone market.
- Existence and closed form.
- Fundamental theorems of welfare economics.
- Partially solving competitive equilibrium problem in a RDU-comonotone market by a EU approach.
- Existence.
- Obtaining CCE under exponential utilities (and power utilities).
- Proposing an algorithm on determining CCE in general cases.


## Open questions in RDU-comonotone market

- Existence of competitive equilibrium under more general assumptions.
- Uniqueness of competitive equilibrium.
- The second fundamental theorem of welfare economics for the RDU market.
- If $Q_{1}=\cdots=Q_{n}$, that is a EU market with the same belief. Then a CCE in EU market is also a CCE in RDU market. Is it the only equilibrium for the comonotone market?
- Whether the EU-comonotone market and the EU-complete market have the same equilibria?
- More ...


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## Thank you

## Thank you for your kind attention

