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ABSTRACT

The distribution of the ratio of two independent non-central F variables arises as the test statistic in comparing experiments in terms of sensitivity, in testing for interaction in contingency tables and in comparing multiple correlation coefficients.

Bradley and Schumann (1957a, 1957b, 1959) have studied the distribution when the degrees of freedom are equal. In this thesis an extension is made to the cases where the degrees of freedom are unequal. The exact distribution and an approximation to it are found. The upper percentage points for the approximate distribution are tabulated for equal degrees of freedom ($\alpha = .01$) and for unequal degrees of freedom ($\alpha = .05$).

Examples are given in the three areas of application and the particular values of the test statistics required are calculated.

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I Introduction and Summary

1.1 Problem and Summary of the Results

The distribution of the ratio of two independent non-central F variables arises as the distribution of the test statistic in several practical situations; for example, the comparison of experiments in terms of sensitivity, tests for interaction in a 2x2 contingency table and comparison of multiple correlation coefficients.

Schumann and Bradley (1957a, 1957b, 1959) have studied this distribution in detail when the degrees of freedom are equal. Their work includes an approximation to this distribution and a tabulation of the percentage points of the approximate distribution for selected α .

If the restriction of equal degrees of freedom were removed, this distribution could be applied in more general situations. In this thesis, the exact distribution of the ratio of two non-central F distributions is found. Also, an approximation is considered and the percentage points for unequal degrees of freedom are tabulated. Consideration is then given to the applications with equal and unequal degrees of freedom. The three applications considered are a test of sensitivity, a test of equality of regression coefficients and lastly, a test for interaction in the 2x2 contingency table.

1.2 Review of Literature

The ratio of two non-central F distributions has been studied by various people, namely Cochran (1943), Schumann and Bradley (1957a, 1957b, 1959), Dar (1962, 1964), Gart (1966) and Schoemann and Schumann (1959).

Cochran (1943) first discussed the comparison of experiments in terms of their sensitivities. In this context one experiment is said to be more sensitive than another if it better demonstrates treatment effects (Model I) or the existence of a between treatment component of variance Model II. He noted that a comparison of sensitivities should depend on the magnitude of treatment effects and the errors associated with them. Cochran, using a result of Pitman, showed how sensitivities could be compared and stated that, in general, the comparison should depend on a significance test of a hypothesis on two non-central variance-ratio distributions.

The most extensive work on this problem has been done by Bradley and Schumann. In their paper on the theory of the comparison of sensitivities (1957a), they first obtain the distribution of the ratio of two F distributions.

$$g(w;a,b,\lambda_1,\lambda_2) = e^{-\lambda_1-\lambda_2} \sum_{rs} \frac{\lambda_1^r}{r!} \frac{\lambda_2^s}{s!} [B(a+r,b)B(a+s,b)]^{-1}$$

$$\cdot w^{a+r-1} {}_2F_1(a+b+r, 2a+r+s, 2a+2b+r+s, 1-w)$$

$$0 \leq w \leq 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= e^{-\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \sum_{rs} \frac{\lambda_1^r}{r!} \frac{\lambda_2^s}{s!} [B(a+r, b)B(a+s, b)]^{-1} \\
&\cdot w^{a+r-1} w^{-(2a+r+s)} B(2a+r+s, 2b) {}_2F_1\left(a+b+s, 2a+r+s, 2a+2b+r+s, \frac{w-1}{w}\right) \\
&1 \leq w \leq \infty \quad (1.1)
\end{aligned}$$

where $2a, 2b$ are the degrees of freedom and λ_1, λ_2 are non-centrality parameters.

In order to find the distribution function for the ratio of two non-central F distributions, an expansion in a binomial series is used and then the integration for $G(w_0)$ is done.

$$\begin{aligned}
G(w_0) &= e^{-\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \sum_{rs} \frac{\lambda_1^r}{r!} \frac{\lambda_2^s}{s!} [B(a+r, b)B(a+s, b)]^{-1} \\
&\cdot \int_0^\infty y^{a+s-1} (1+y)^{-(a+b+s)} (w_0 y)^{a+r} (1+w_0 y)^{-(a+r)} \\
&\cdot \left[\frac{1}{a+r} - \frac{(b-1)w_0 y}{(a+r+1)(1+w_0 y)} + \frac{(b-1)(b-2)(w_0 y)^2}{2!(a+r+2)(1+w_0 y)^2} - \dots \right] dy.
\end{aligned}$$

Also considered in some detail is the ratio of central F distributions.

$$\begin{aligned}
g(w; a, b) &= \frac{w^{a-1}}{[B(a, b)]^2} B[2a, 2b] {}_2F_1\left(a+b, 2a, 2a+2b, 1-w\right) \\
&0 \leq w \leq 1 \\
&= w^{-2a} B[2a, 2b] {}_2F_1\left(a+b, 2a, 2a+2b, \frac{w-1}{w}\right) \\
&1 \leq w \leq \infty \quad (1.2)
\end{aligned}$$

where $2a, 2b$ are the degrees of freedom.

For the ratio of central F distributions, the distribution function is:

$$G(w_0) = [B(a,b)]^2 \int_0^{\infty} y^{a-1} (1+y)^{-(a+b)} (w_0 y)^a (1+w_0 y)^{-a} \\ \cdot \left[\frac{1}{a} - \frac{(b-1)w_0 y}{(a+1)(1+w_0 y)} + \frac{(b-1)(b-2)(w_0 y)^2}{2!(a+2)(1+w_0 y)^2} - \dots \right] dy.$$

Also developed by Bradley and Schumann were tests of hypotheses on sensitivity. Since Model I of the analysis of variance

is considered ($\sum_{i=1}^t \tau_{ij} = 0$, where τ_{ij} is the effect of the j^{th} of

t treatments in experiment i), if σ is the population experimental error, then

$$\lambda_i = k \sum_{i=1}^t \tau_{ij}^2 / 2\sigma_i^2$$

where k is the number of observations in each treatment mean. λ , therefore, incorporates the magnitudes of treatment effects in the scale and the experimental error associated with the scale.

When the experiments are similar (i.e., have the same degrees of freedom), the null hypothesis of equal sensitivities is equivalent to the hypothesis that $\frac{\lambda_1}{k_1} = \frac{\lambda_2}{k_2}$.

Also considered were tests of hypotheses on multiple correlation coefficients. Since $F_i = \frac{bR_i^2}{a(1-R_i^2)}$ (where R_i is the multiple correlation coefficient), a ratio of two such distributions has

the form (1.1), with

$$\lambda_i = \frac{(a+b)\rho_i^2}{(1-\rho_i)^2}$$

$$a = p/2$$

$$b = (N-p-1)/2$$

where p is the number of independent variables. Also,

$$w = \frac{R_1^2(1-R_2^2)}{R_2^2(1-R_1^2)}.$$

From the two distributions derived ((1.1) and (1.2)), tables of w_0 are derived for various values of the degrees of freedom and the non-centrality parameter.

In their second paper on the comparison of sensitivities, they discuss areas of application for sensitivity comparison: taste testing, chemistry, life testing and agronomy. It is noted that if experimental techniques interact with the treatments under comparison, difficulties in interpretation may arise.

In their third paper, Bradley and Schumann consider ways of comparing sensitivities when Model II of the analysis of variance applies and give extended tables. With expected variability among groups, the comparison should be done through a comparison of the relative group variabilities. $\sigma_0^2 \neq 0$ is assumed and $\gamma_j = k_j \sigma_{0j}^2 / \sigma^2$, $j = 1, 2$, is defined as the parameter of relative group variability in similar experiments. The null hypothesis then

is $H_0: \gamma_1/k_1 = \gamma_2/k_2$ where k_j is the number of observations in each group mean in experiment j .

Dar (1962) has considered large sample tests based on normal approximation and also (1964) discussed certain dependent experiments of similar structure. He gives a test statistic for the case in which there are more than two dependent experiments.

Gart (1966) considers a 2×2 contingency table with no fixed marginals. He states that the null hypothesis of no interaction may be stated $\psi = \frac{p_{11}p_{22}}{p_{12}p_{21}}$. Using results derived in his paper, he states that $\psi \sim (u_{11}u_{22})/(u_{12}u_{21})$ where the u_{ij} are mutually independent chi-square variates with degrees of freedom $2n_{ij} + 1$. Therefore, this may be written:

$$\frac{(2n_{12}+1)(2n_{21}+1)}{(2n_{11}+1)(2n_{22}+1)} \psi \sim \frac{F(2n_{11}+1, 2n_{12}+1)}{F(2n_{21}+1, 2n_{22}+1)}$$

where the F 's are independent variates. It is suggested that the null hypothesis of no interaction: $\psi = 1$, should be tested by using

$$\frac{\{(2n_{12}+1)(2n_{21}+1)\}}{\{(2n_{11}+1)(2n_{22}+1)\}}$$

as a test statistic, distributed as the ratio of two independent F distributions.

Schoemann and Schumann (1969) considered the comparison of two methods of measurement in the case where the methods are applied to the same experimental units. The exact distribution, as well as approximations, are found for the test statistic ($w = \frac{w_1}{w_2}$ where

$w_s = \left(\frac{A_{ss}}{m_s} \frac{m_s}{B_{ss}} \right)$ and $\frac{A_{ss}}{m_1}$ and $\frac{B_{ss}}{m_1}$ are mean sums of squares for property Y_s). As well, tests of hypotheses and critical values are discussed. Further, it is shown that these results may be used in the case where the methods are applied to separate subsamples of the same experimental units and to the case where the different methods are applied to independent experimental units.

II. Exact Distribution

2.1 Introduction

In this chapter the exact distribution of the ratio of two non-central F distributions with unequal degrees of freedom is derived.

Two independent non-central F distributions are considered and therefore the joint distribution is obtained by taking the product of the two probability density functions. Through suitable transformations, the joint distribution of the ratio (w) of the two non-central F distributions and a variable, y , is obtained. In order to write the joint distribution in terms of confluent hypergeometric series, one transformation is made over the area $0 < w < c$ and a second for $c < w < \infty$. Then by integrating over y in each area, the marginal distribution of w is found.

Finally, the distribution function is obtained. Again this is found for the two areas $0 < w < c$ and $c < w < \infty$. In the area $0 < w < c$ the case is also considered in which the entire area is integrated over.

2.2 Derivation of the Exact Distribution

A "doubly" non-central F distribution is derived by considering the ratio of two independently distributed non-central χ^2 variates. Consider two such variates z_1, z_2 with degrees of freedom ν_1, ν_2 and non-centrality parameters $\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}, \frac{\tau_2^2}{2}$ respectively. Let

$$u = z_1/z_2 \quad \tau^2 = \tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2 \quad v = v_1 + v_2$$

$$h(u, v) = \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}(uv+\tau_1^2)} (uv)^{\frac{1}{2} v_1 - 1}}{\frac{v_1}{2^2 \Gamma\{\frac{1}{2}(v_2-1)\} \Gamma(\frac{1}{2})}} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\tau_1^2)^r}{(2r)!} (uv)^r B\{\frac{1}{2}(v_1-1), \frac{1}{2} + r\}$$

$$\cdot \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}(v+\tau_2^2)} \frac{1}{v^2} v_2 - 1}{\frac{v_2}{2^2 \Gamma\{\frac{1}{2}(v_2-1)\} \Gamma(\frac{1}{2})}} \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\tau_2^2)^s v^s}{(2s)!} B\{\frac{1}{2}(v_2-1), \frac{1}{2} + s\} v$$

$$h(u) = \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2} \tau^2}}{\frac{v}{2^2}} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{\tau_1^r}{(2r)!} \frac{\tau_2^s}{(2s)!} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2} + r) \Gamma(\frac{1}{2} + s)}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{1}{2} v_1 + r) \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{1}{2} v_2 + s)}$$

$$\cdot \left\{ \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\frac{1}{2} v(1+u)} \frac{1}{v^2} v^{r+s-1} dv \right\} u^{\frac{1}{2} v_1 + r - 1} du. \quad (2.1)$$

Since the integral in (2.1) is equal to

$$\frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2} v + r + s)}{(\frac{1+u}{2})^{\frac{1}{2} v + r + s}}$$

and

$$\frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2} + r) \Gamma(\frac{1}{2} + s) 2^{r+s}}{(2r)! (2s)! \{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})\}^2} = \frac{1}{2^{r+s} r! s!}$$

$$h(u) = e^{-\frac{1}{2} \tau^2} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} u^{\frac{1}{2} v_1 + r - 1} \left(\frac{1}{1+u}\right)^{\frac{1}{2} v + r + s}$$

$$\cdot \frac{1}{B(\frac{1}{2} v_1 + r, \frac{1}{2} v_2 + s)} \cdot$$

If $\tau_2^2 = 0$, then we have a (singly) non-central $F(v_1, v_2; \tau_1^2)$.

$$h(u) = e^{-\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} u^{\frac{1}{2}} v_1^{r-1} \left(\frac{1}{1+u}\right)^{\frac{1}{2} v_2 + r} \frac{du}{B\left(\frac{1}{2} v_1 + r, \frac{1}{2} v_2\right)}.$$

This can be re-written in the form

$$h(u) = \frac{e^{-\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}} u^{\frac{v_1}{2} - 1} (1+u)^{-\left(\frac{v_1+v_2}{2}\right)}}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2}, \frac{v_2}{2}\right]} {}_1F_1\left[\frac{v_1+v_2}{2}, \frac{v_1}{2}, \frac{\tau_1^2}{2} u\right] \quad (2.2)$$

where ${}_1F_1$ is the hypergeometric series of the form

$${}_1F_1(\alpha, \beta, X) = 1 + \frac{\alpha}{\beta} X + \frac{\alpha(\alpha+1)}{\beta(\beta+1)} \frac{X^2}{2!} + \dots \quad (\text{Erdelyi, 1953, p.202}).$$

Suppose we consider now the ratio of two non-central F distributions. Define $u_1 = \frac{v_1}{v_2} F$ and $u_2 = \frac{\gamma_1}{\gamma_2} F$ where (v_1, v_2) and (γ_1, γ_2) are the sets of degrees of freedom for the distribution and $\tau_1^2/2$ and $\tau_2^2/2$ are the corresponding non-centrality parameters.

u_1 has the density (from (2.2))

$$h(u_1) = \frac{e^{-\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}} u_1^{\frac{v_1}{2} - 1} (1+u_1)^{-\left(\frac{v_1+v_2}{2}\right)}}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2}, \frac{v_2}{2}\right]} {}_1F_1\left[\frac{v_1+v_2}{2}, \frac{v_1}{2}, \frac{\tau_1^2}{2} u_1\right]$$

and u_2 has the density

$$h(u_2) = \frac{e^{-\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}} u_2^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} - 1} (1+u_2)^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}\right)}}{B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2}, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]} {}_1F_1\left[\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}, \frac{\gamma_1}{2}, \frac{\tau_2^2}{2} u_2\right].$$

Since u_1 and u_2 are independent, then the joint distribution of u_1

and u_2 is the product of $h(u_1)$ and $h(u_2)$:

$$\begin{aligned}
 g(u_1, u_2) &= h(u_1) \cdot h(u_2) \\
 &= e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \left\{ \frac{1}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2}, \frac{v_2}{2}\right]} u_1^{\frac{v_1}{2} - 1} (1+u_1)^{-\left(\frac{v_1+v_2}{2}\right)} \right. \\
 &\quad \cdot {}_1F_1\left[\frac{v_1+v_2}{2}, \frac{v_2}{2}, \frac{\tau_1^2}{2} u_1\right] \frac{1}{B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2}, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]} u_2^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} - 1} (1+u_2)^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \left. \right\} \\
 &\quad \cdot {}_1F_1\left[\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}, \frac{\tau_2^2}{2} u_2\right].
 \end{aligned}$$

Since

$${}_1F_1\left[\frac{v_1+v_2}{2}, \frac{v_2}{2}, \frac{\tau_1^2}{2} u_1\right] = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{u_1^r}{(1+u_1)^r} \frac{\left(\frac{v_1+v_2}{2} + r - 1\right)! \left(\frac{v_1}{2} - 1\right)!}{\left(\frac{v_1+v_2}{2} - 1\right)! \left(\frac{v_1}{2} + r - 1\right)!}$$

and similarly,

$${}_1F_1\left[\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}, \frac{\tau_2^2}{2} u_2\right] = \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{u_2^s}{(1+u_2)^s} \frac{\left(\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2} + s - 1\right)! \left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} - 1\right)!}{\left(\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2} - 1\right)! \left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s - 1\right)!}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 g(u_1, u_2) &= e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \left\{ \frac{1}{B\left(\frac{v_1}{2}, \frac{v_2}{2}\right)} u_1^{\frac{v_1}{2} - 1} (1+u_1)^{-\left(\frac{v_1+v_2}{2}\right)} \right. \\
 &\quad \cdot \left. \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{u_1^r}{(1+u_1)^r} \frac{\left(\frac{v_1+v_2}{2} + r - 1\right)! \left(\frac{v_1}{2} - 1\right)!}{\left(\frac{v_1+v_2}{2} - 1\right)! \left(\frac{v_1}{2} + r - 1\right)!} \right\} \left\{ \frac{1}{B\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2}, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} u_2^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} - 1} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \cdot (1+u_2)^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{u_2^s}{(1+u_2)^s} \frac{\left(\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}+s-1\right)! \left(-\frac{\gamma_1}{2}-1\right)!}{\left(\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}-1\right)! \left(-\frac{\gamma_1}{2}+s-1\right)!} \\
& = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2+\tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} u_1^{\frac{v_1}{2}+r-1} u_2^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}+s-1} (1+u_1)^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2}+\frac{v_2}{2}+r\right)} \\
& \cdot (1+u_2)^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1+\gamma_2}{2}+s\right)} \frac{1}{B\left[-\frac{v_1}{2}+r, \frac{v_2}{2}\right]} \frac{1}{B\left[-\frac{\gamma_1}{2}+s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]}.
\end{aligned}$$

We now wish to find the distribution of the ratio $w = c \frac{u_1}{u_2}$, where

$c = \frac{\gamma_1 v_2}{v_1 \gamma_2}$. We shall consider the range of w in two regions (i) and

(ii). For region (i) with $0 < w < c$, let

$$y = \frac{x-1}{w-x} \frac{\gamma_1}{\gamma_2}$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{\gamma_1}{\gamma_2} \frac{(w-1)}{(w-x)^2}$$

$$g(w,y) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2+\tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \left\{\frac{wy}{c}\right\}^{\frac{v_1}{2}+r-1} \frac{\gamma_1}{y} \frac{\gamma_2}{2} +s-1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \cdot \left\{1+\frac{wy}{c}\right\}^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2}+\frac{v_2}{2}+r\right)} \left\{1+y\right\}^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2}+\frac{\gamma_2}{2}+s\right)} \frac{1}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2}+r, \frac{v_2}{2}\right]} \frac{1}{B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2}+s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]} \frac{y}{c} \\
& = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2+\tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} w^{\frac{v_1}{2}+r-1} \frac{v_1+\gamma_1}{y} \frac{1}{2} +r+s-1 \frac{1}{c} \left(-\frac{v_1}{2}+r\right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\cdot \left\{1 + \frac{wy}{c}\right\}^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right)} \left\{1 + y\right\}^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right)} \frac{1}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2} + r, \frac{v_2}{2}\right]} \frac{1}{B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]}.$$

Now the marginal distribution of w can be obtained by integrating over y .

$$g(w) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{w^{\frac{v_1}{2} + r - 1} c^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + r\right)}}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2} + r, \frac{v_2}{2}\right] B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]}$$

$$\cdot \int_0^\infty y^{\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s - 1} \left\{1 + \frac{wy}{c}\right\}^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right)} \left\{1 + y\right\}^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right)} dy. \quad (2.3)$$

From Erdelyi et al (1953, p.60), we have

$$\int_0^\infty y^{\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s - 1} \left\{1 + y\right\}^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right)} \left\{1 + \frac{wy}{c}\right\}^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right)} dy$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s\right)} {}_2F_1\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r, \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s; \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s; 1 - \frac{w}{c}\right).$$

Since

$${}_2F_1(a_1, a_2, b_1, x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\frac{\Gamma(a_1 + n)}{\Gamma(a_1)} \frac{\Gamma(a_2 + n)}{\Gamma(a_2)}}{\frac{\Gamma(b_1 + n)}{\Gamma(b_1)}} \frac{x^n}{n!}, \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Re } a > \text{Re } b > 0 \\ \text{arg } z < \pi \end{array}$$

$${}_2F_1\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r, \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s; \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s; 1 - \frac{w}{c}\right)$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r+n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r+s+n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r+s\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r+s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r+s+n\right)} \cdot \frac{\left(1 - \frac{w}{c}\right)^n}{n!}$$

in equation (2.3). Thus we obtain

$$g(w) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1}{2}\right)^r \left(\frac{\tau_2}{2}\right)^s}{r! s!} \frac{w^{\frac{v_1}{2} + r - 1} c^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + r\right)}}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2} + r, \frac{v_2}{2}\right] B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]} \cdot \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r+s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r+s\right)} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r+n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r+s+n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r+s+n\right)} \cdot \frac{\left(1 - \frac{w}{c}\right)^n}{n!}, \quad 0 < w < c.$$

For region (ii) with $c < w < \infty$, let

$$u_1 = y = \frac{w(x-1)}{(w-x)} \frac{v_1}{v_2}$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{w(w-1)}{(w-x)^2} \frac{v_1}{v_2}$$

$$g(w:y) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1}{2}\right)^r \left(\frac{\tau_2}{2}\right)^s}{r! s!} \frac{1}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2} + r, \frac{v_2}{2}\right] B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]}$$

$$\cdot y^{\frac{v_1}{2} + r - 1} \left\{\frac{cy}{w}\right\}^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s - 1} \{1+y\}^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right)} \left\{1 + \frac{cy}{2}\right\}^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right)} \frac{cy}{w^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{c^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s} w^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s + 1\right)}}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2} + r, \frac{v_2}{2}\right] B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]} \\
&\quad \cdot y^{\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s - 1} \{1 + y\}^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right)} \left\{1 + \frac{cy}{w}\right\}^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right)}.
\end{aligned}$$

Again the marginal distribution of w can be obtained by integrating over y .

$$\begin{aligned}
g(w) &= e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{r!} \frac{c^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s} w^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s + 1\right)}}{B\left[\frac{v_1}{2} + r, \frac{v_2}{2}\right] B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]} \\
&\quad \cdot \int_0^\infty y^{\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s - 1} \{1 + y\}^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right)} \left\{1 + \frac{cy}{w}\right\}^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right)} dy.
\end{aligned}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
&\int_0^\infty y^{\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s - 1} \{1 + y\}^{-\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right)} \left\{1 + \frac{cy}{w}\right\}^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right)} dy \\
&= \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s\right)} {}_2F_1\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s, \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s; \right. \\
&\quad \left. \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s; 1 - \frac{c}{w}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

by the same reasoning as previously, and

$${}_2F_1\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s, \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s; \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s; 1 - \frac{c}{w}\right)$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s\right)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s\right) \left(1 - \frac{c}{w}\right)^n}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s + n\right)}$$

So

$$g(w) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{w^{-\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s + 1\right)} \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s}{B\left[\frac{\nu_1}{2} + r, \frac{\nu_2}{2}\right] B\left[\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s, \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right]} \cdot \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s\right)} \cdot \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s + n\right) \left(1 - \frac{c}{w}\right)^n}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s + n\right) n!}, \quad c < w < \infty$$

We now need to find the distribution functions for $g(w)$ in each of the regions:

(i) $0 < w < c$

$$G(w_0) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right) \left(\frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \cdot \sum_n \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + r + n\right) \left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s + n\right)} \int_0^{w_0} \frac{1}{c} \left(\frac{w}{c}\right)^{\frac{\nu_1}{2} + r - 1} \frac{\left(1 - \frac{w}{c}\right)^n}{n!} dw.$$

To facilitate computations we now want to cast this in the form of an incomplete Beta distribution. To do this, the following transformation is made:

$$\begin{aligned}
 t &= \frac{w}{c} \Rightarrow w = ct \\
 \frac{dw}{dt} &= cdt \\
 G(w_0) &= e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \\
 &\cdot \sum_n \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + r + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s + n\right) \Gamma(n+1)} \int_0^{\frac{w_0}{c}} t^{\frac{\nu_1}{2} + r - 1} (1-t)^n dt \quad (2.4)
 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $c < w < \infty$

$$\begin{aligned}
 G(w_0) &= e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \\
 &\cdot \sum_n \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s + n\right)} \int_c^{w_0} \frac{1}{c} \cdot \left(\frac{c}{w}\right)^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s + 1} \frac{(1 - \frac{c}{w})^n}{n!} dw. \quad (2.5)
 \end{aligned}$$

Again equation (2.5) can be cast into the form of an incomplete Beta distribution by making two transformations.

$$\begin{aligned}
 v &= \frac{c}{w} \Rightarrow w = \frac{c}{v} \\
 \frac{dw}{dv} &= \frac{-c}{v^2} dv
 \end{aligned}$$

$$G(w_0) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}$$

$$\cdot \sum_n \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s + n\right)} \int_0^{\frac{c}{w_0}} w_0^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s - 1} \frac{(1-v)^n}{n!} dv.$$

Now let

$$q = 1 - v \Rightarrow v = 1 - q$$

$$\frac{dv}{dq} = -1 dq$$

$$G(w_0) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r}{r!} \frac{\left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s}{s!} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + r\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}$$

$$\cdot \sum_n \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s + n\right) n!} \int_0^{1 - \frac{c}{w_0}} (1-q)^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s - 1} q^n dq.$$

In order to do significance tests, it is necessary to construct tables of w_0 such that $G(w_0) = 1 - \alpha$. w_0 may fall in either of the two regions $0 < w < c$ or $c < w < \infty$. If w_0 falls in the second region, the integral over the entire first region must be obtained; i.e., the integral is from 0 to c . In this case, the Beta function in (2.4) is complete and may be written

$$\frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + r\right) \Gamma(n+1)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v_1}{2} + r + n + 1\right)}.$$

This part of $G(w_0)$ will be denoted $G_p(w_0)$

$$G_p(w_0) = e^{-\left(\frac{\tau_1^2 + \tau_2^2}{2}\right)} \sum_{rs} \left(\frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^r \left(\frac{\tau_2^2}{2}\right)^s \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_1}{2} + s\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}$$

$$\cdot \frac{\sum \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + r + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + r + s + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + r + s + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_1}{2} + r + n + 1\right)}$$

In most cases, w_0 falls in the second region. Notable exceptions occur in the last row of Table 4.3.2. With such large degrees of freedom, most of the contribution to $G(w_0)$ comes from the first region.

III Approximate Distribution

3.1 Introduction

The calculation of w_0 for various degrees of freedom requires a large amount of computer time when the exact distribution is considered. In order to get a table of values of w_0 , an approximation to the exact distribution is needed.

Patnaik (1949) found that a non-central F distribution can be approximated by a central F distribution by the following relation:

$$f\left(u; v_1, v_2, \frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{k} f\left(\frac{u}{k}; a_1, v_2\right)$$

where

$$a_1 = \frac{\left(v_1 + \frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)^2}{\left(v_1 + 2 \frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)} \quad \text{and} \quad k = \frac{\left(v_1 + \frac{\tau_1^2}{2}\right)}{v_1}.$$

The ratio of two non-central F distributions can then be found by considering the ratio of two such approximations. As for the exact distribution, the non-central F variates are independent and the joint distribution is just the product of the two probability density functions. And again transformations are made over the areas $0 < w < c$ and $c < w < \infty$, to obtain the joint distribution of w and y . Integration is then performed over y and the marginal distribution of w is found. Using methods similar to those discussed in Section 2.2, the distribution function is

obtained for the approximate distribution.

3.2 Derivation of the Approximate Distribution

A non-central F may be approximated by a function of a central F. [See Patnaik (1949) for a more detailed discussion of the approximation.]

If $u_1 \sim F^*(v_1, v_2)$ where * denotes non-centrality, then

$$u_1 \sim \frac{1}{k_1} F \left(\frac{\left(v_1 + \frac{\tau_1^2}{2} \right)^2}{v_1 + 2 \frac{\tau_1^2}{2}}, v_2 \right)$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{a_1}$

and

$$g(u_1) = \frac{1}{k_1} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2}\right)} \frac{1}{u_1} \frac{\left(\frac{a_1}{v_2} u_1\right)^{\frac{a_1}{2}}}{\left(1 + \frac{a_1}{v_2} u_1\right)^{\frac{a_1 + v_2}{2}}}$$

where

$$k_1 = \frac{v_1 + \frac{\tau_1^2}{2}}{v_1}$$

Similarly, if $u_2 \sim F^*(\gamma_1, \gamma_2)$, then

$$u_2 \sim \frac{1}{k_2} F \left(\frac{\left(\gamma_1 + \frac{\tau_2^2}{2} \right)^2}{\gamma_1 + 2 \frac{\tau_2^2}{2}}, \gamma_2 \right)$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{a_2}$

and

$$g(u_2) = \frac{1}{k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2})\Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \frac{1}{u_2} \left(\frac{a_2}{\gamma_2} u_2\right)^{\frac{a_2}{2}} \frac{1}{(1 + \frac{a_2}{\gamma_2} u_2)^{\frac{a_2 + \gamma_2}{2}}}$$

Since u_1 and u_2 are independent,

$$h(u_1, u_2) = g(u_1) \cdot g(u_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2})\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{v_2}{2})\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2})\Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \frac{1}{u_1 u_2} \left(\frac{a_1}{v_2} u_1\right)^{\frac{a_1}{2}} \left(\frac{a_2}{\gamma_2} u_2\right)^{\frac{a_2}{2}} \frac{1}{(1 + \frac{a_1}{v_2} u_1)^{\frac{a_1 + v_2}{2}} (1 + \frac{a_2}{\gamma_2} u_2)^{\frac{a_2 + \gamma_2}{2}}}$$

Let

$$w = \frac{u_1}{u_2}$$

$$u_1 = \frac{w(x-1)}{(w-x)} \quad u_2 = \frac{(x-1)}{(w-x)}$$

$$|J| = \frac{(x-1)(w-1)}{(w-x)^3}$$

$$h(w, x) = \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2})\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}) \left(\frac{a_1}{v_2}\right)^{\frac{a_1}{2}} \left(\frac{a_2}{\gamma_2}\right)^{\frac{a_2}{2}}}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{v_2}{2})\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2})\Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}) \left[1 + \frac{a_1}{v_2} \frac{w(x-1)}{(w-x)}\right]^{\frac{a_1 + v_2}{2}}}$$

$$\frac{\left[\frac{w(x-1)}{w-x}\right]^{\frac{a_1}{2}-1} \left[\frac{x-1}{w-x}\right]^{\frac{a_2}{2}-1} (x-1)(w-1)}{\left[1 + \frac{a_1}{\gamma_2} \frac{x-1}{w-x}\right]^{\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}} (w-x)^3}.$$

In order that this may be written in terms of confluent hypergeometric series, transformations are made over two areas:

$0 < w < c$ and $c < w < \infty$. For $0 < w < c$, let

$$y = \frac{(x-1)}{(w-x)} \frac{a_2}{\gamma_2} \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{a_2}{\gamma_2} \frac{(w-1)}{(w-x)^3}$$

and

$$c = \frac{a_2 v_2}{a_1 \gamma_2}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} h(w,y) &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \frac{\left[\frac{wy}{c}\right]^{\frac{a_1}{2}-1} y^{\frac{a_2}{2}-1}}{\left[1 + \frac{wy}{c}\right]^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}} \left[1+y\right]^{\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}}} c \\ &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \frac{w^{\frac{a_1}{2}-1} c^{-\frac{a_1}{2}} y^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} - 1}}{\left[1 + \frac{wy}{c}\right]^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}} \left[1+y\right]^{\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}}}. \end{aligned}$$

The marginal distribution of w can be obtained by integrating over y .

$$h(w) = \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} w^{\frac{a_1}{2}-1} c^{-\frac{a_1}{2}} \int_0^\infty y^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} - 1}$$

$$\cdot [1+y]^{-\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \left[1 + \frac{wy}{c}\right]^{-\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right)} dy.$$

Using the formula given by Erdelyi et al (1953, p.60)

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty y^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} - 1} [1+y]^{-\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \left[1 + \frac{wy}{c}\right]^{-\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right)} dy \\ &= {}_2F_1\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}, \frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}; \frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}; 1 - \frac{w}{c}\right) \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \\ &= \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}\right)} \\ & \quad \cdot \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right) (1 - \frac{w}{c})^n}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n\right) n!}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, for $0 < w < c$, the marginal distribution is

$$\begin{aligned} h(w) &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} w^{\frac{a_1}{2} - 1} \left(1 - \frac{w}{c}\right)^{\frac{a_1}{2} - 1} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \\ & \cdot \sum_n \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + n\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}\right)} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right) (1 - \frac{w}{c})^n}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n\right) n!} \\ &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{v_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} w^{\frac{a_1}{2} - 1} \left(1 - \frac{w}{c}\right)^{\frac{a_1}{2} - 1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\cdot \sum_n \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + n) \Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n) (1 - \frac{w}{c})^n}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) n!}.$$

For $c < w < \infty$, let

$$y = \frac{w(x-1)}{(w-x)} \frac{a_1}{v_2}$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{a_1}{v_2} \frac{w(w-1)}{(w-x)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} h(w,y) &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \frac{y^{\frac{a_1}{2}-1} [\frac{cy}{w}]^{\frac{a_2}{2}-1}}{[1+y]^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}} [1 + \frac{cy}{w}]^{\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}}} w^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \frac{y^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} - 1} \frac{a_2}{c} \frac{a_2}{w} - (\frac{a_2}{2} + 1)}{[1+y]^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}} [1 + \frac{cy}{w}]^{\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}}}. \end{aligned}$$

Again the marginal distribution of w can be obtained by integrating over y .

$$\begin{aligned} h(w) &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \frac{a_2}{c} \frac{a_2}{w} - (\frac{a_2}{2} + 1) \int_0^\infty y^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} - 1} \\ &\quad \cdot [1+y]^{-\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}} [1 + \frac{cy}{w}]^{-\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}} dy. \end{aligned}$$

Now again this can be put in series form,

$$\int_0^\infty y^{\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} - 1} [1+y]^{-\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}} [1 + \frac{cy}{w}]^{-\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}} dy$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= {}_2F_1\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}, \frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}; \frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}; 1 - \frac{c}{w}\right) \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \\
&= \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \\
&\quad \cdot \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)\left(1 - \frac{c}{w}\right)^n}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n\right)n!}.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore for $c < w < \infty$, the marginal distribution of w is

$$\begin{aligned}
h(w) &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \frac{a_2}{c} \frac{a_2}{w} - \left(\frac{a_2}{2} + 1\right) \\
&\quad \cdot \sum_n \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n\right)\left(1 - \frac{c}{w}\right)^n}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n\right)n!}
\end{aligned}$$

It is now necessary to find the distribution function for $h(w)$ in each of the regions:

(i) $0 < w < c$

$$\begin{aligned}
H(w_0) &= \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{a_2}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}\right)} \sum_n \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + n\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n\right)} \\
&\quad \cdot \int_0^{w_0} \left(\frac{w}{c}\right)^{\frac{a_1}{2} - 1} \frac{1}{c} \left(1 - \frac{w}{c}\right)^n dw.
\end{aligned}$$

The following transformation is made in order to cast this in the form of an incomplete Beta distribution. Let

$$t = \frac{w}{c} \quad w = ct \quad dw = c \cdot dt$$

$$H(w_0) = \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\nu_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \sum_n \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + n) \Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n)}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) n!}$$

$$\cdot \int_0^{\frac{w_0}{c}} t^{\frac{a_1}{2} - 1} (1-t)^n dt.$$

If $w_0 = c$, the integral reduces to $B(\frac{a_1}{2}, n+1)$. In that case

$$H(w_0) = \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{\nu_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \sum_n \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + n) \Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n)}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) \Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + n + 1)}$$

(ii) $c < w < \infty$

$$H(w_0) = \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\nu_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \sum_n \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) \Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n)}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{\nu_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) n!}$$

$$\cdot \int_0^{\frac{w_0}{c}} \left(\frac{c}{w}\right)^{\frac{a_2}{2} + 1} \frac{1}{c} \left(1 - \frac{w}{c}\right)^n dw.$$

Again this form is cast into an incomplete Beta by making suitable transformations. Let

$$v = \frac{c}{w} \quad w = \frac{c}{v} \quad \frac{dw}{dv} = \frac{-c}{v^2}$$

$$H(w_0) = \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \sum_n \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) \Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n)}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) n!}$$

$$\cdot \int_1^{\frac{c}{w_0}} -v^{\frac{a_2}{2}-1} (1-v)^n dv.$$

Let

$$q = 1 - v \quad v = 1 - q \quad dv = -1 \cdot dq$$

$$H(w_0) = \frac{1}{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{v_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2})} \sum_n \frac{\Gamma(\frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) \Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + n)}{\Gamma(\frac{a_1}{2} + \frac{v_2}{2} + \frac{a_2}{2} + \frac{\gamma_2}{2} + n) n!}$$

$$\cdot \int_0^{1 - \frac{c}{w_0}} q^n (1-q)^{\frac{a_2}{2}-1} dq.$$

IV Computer Methods

4.1 Introduction

In this chapter flowcharts and programs are given for the determination of w_0 in both the exact distribution and the approximate distribution. There are two programs for each case, one which calculates the contribution to $G(w_0)$ from the region $0 < w < c$ and a second which calculates the contribution from the region $c < w < \infty$. Usually w_0 lies in the second region and so the iterative procedure to find w_0 is most often required in this region.

The recursive relationships used in the programs in order to reduce computer time and space are discussed in Section 4.2.

4.2 Recursive Relationships

In order to calculate values of w_0 for the ratio of the non-central F distribution, integrals must be found for values of s and n . To cut down on computer time and storage space, recursive relationships are used to minimize the number of calls to the subroutine DLGAM and to eliminate entirely the need for a subroutine for integration.

The integrals needed may be thought of as a matrix of integrals with indices (n, s) . The first entry in the "matrix" is calculated by integration. Subsequent entries in the column are obtained

through the use of a recursive relationship found in the Handbook of Mathematical Functions, p.944 (equation 26.5.16)

$$I_x(a+1, b) = I_x(a, b) - \frac{\Gamma(a+b)}{\Gamma(a+1)\Gamma(b)} x^a(1-x)^b \quad (4.2.1)$$

where

$$I_x(a, b) = \frac{B_x(a, b)}{B(a, b)}$$

and $B_x(a, b)$ is an incomplete Beta distribution and $B(a, b)$ is a complete Beta distribution. Therefore,

$$\frac{B_x(a+1, b)\Gamma(a+b+1)}{\Gamma(a+1)\Gamma(b)} = \frac{B_x(a, b)\Gamma(a+b)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} - \frac{\Gamma(a+b)x^a(1-x)^b}{\Gamma(a+1)\Gamma(b)}.$$

A more convenient form is

$$B_x(a+1, b) = \frac{a}{a+b} B_x(a, b) - \frac{x^a(1-x)^b}{(a+b)}.$$

In each column, the first two elements are saved until that column is complete. Other values are used as soon as they are created and then replaced by the next value. When the column is complete, the first two elements are used in a second recursive relationship to generate the first element in the next column. This value and the next one created are then the two values kept to obtain the initial value in the next column. The relationship is again taken from the Handbook of Mathematical Functions, p.944 (equation 26.5.13)

$$(a+b)I_x(a, b) = aI_x(a+1, b) + bI_x(a, b+1)$$

$$(a+b) \frac{B_x(a, b)}{B(a, b)} = a \frac{B_x(a+1, b)}{B(a+1, b)} + \frac{bB_x(a, b+1)}{B(a, b+1)}$$

$$\frac{(a+b)\Gamma(a+b)B_x(a,b)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} - \frac{a(a+b)\Gamma(a+b)B_x(a+1,b)}{a\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} = \frac{b(a+b)\Gamma(a+b)B_x(a,b+1)}{\Gamma(a)b\Gamma(b)}$$

OR

$$B_x(a,b) - B_x(a+1,b) = B_x(a,b+1). \quad (4.2.2)$$

In this way, a large "matrix" of integrals can be found and only three variable spaces are needed to store it.

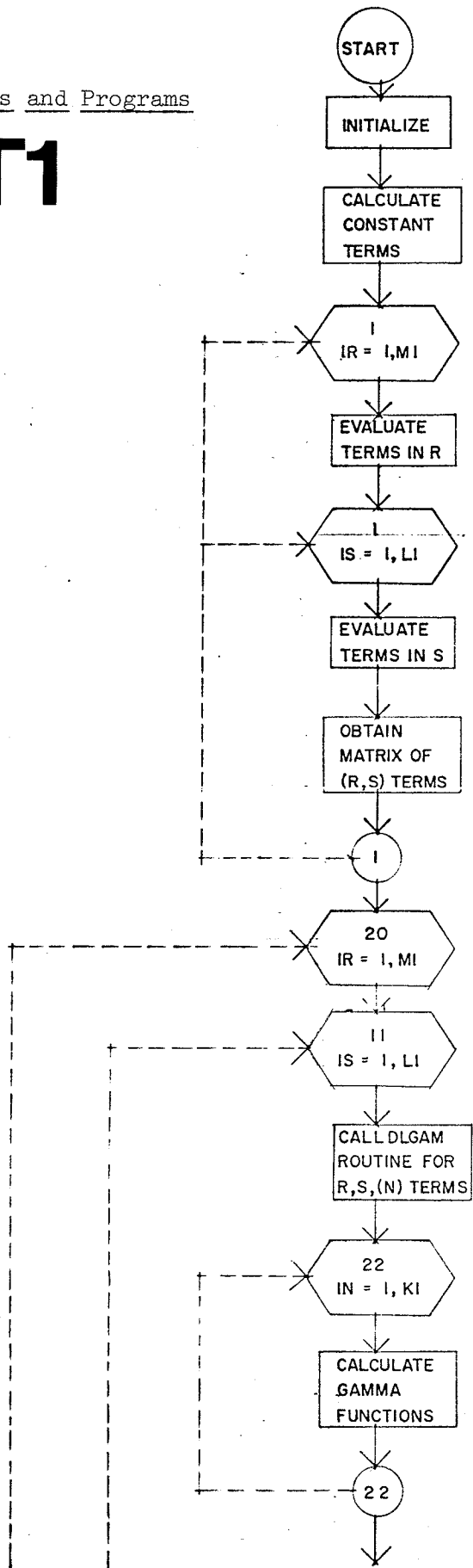
A further saving in time is obtained by using recursive relationships in the calculation of gamma functions. The DLGAM subroutine which evaluates these functions, returns the answer in log form. When these functions appear in DO loops, the number of calls to the subroutine for each function can be reduced to one by making the call outside the DO loop, using a parameter one less than that desired for calculation and a statement of the form

$$DL = DL + DL \text{LOG}(\text{PARAMETER} + s + n - 1.)$$

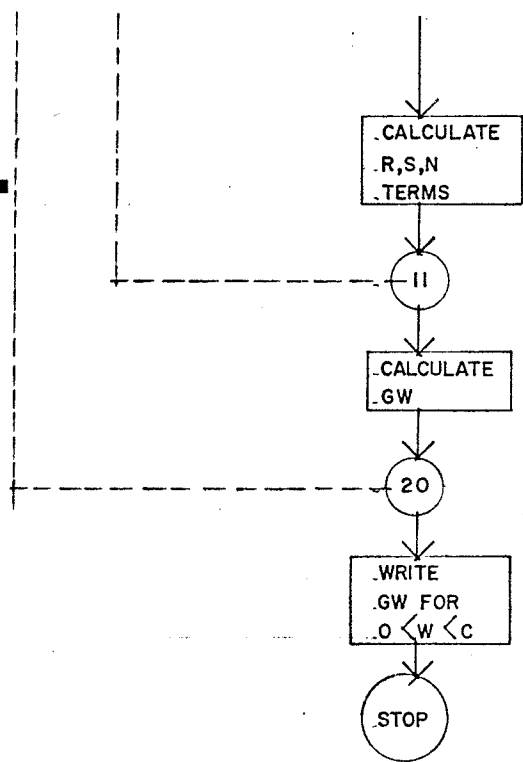
(where DL is the log value originally returned by DLGAM) inside the loop. When the loop has been satisfied, the log gamma function is complete and it is antilogged outside the loop.

4.3 Flowcharts and Programs

PART 1



PART 1 CONT.



PART 1

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FORTRAN IV G LEVEL 21

MAIN

DATE = 73330

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C
C
C   PROGRAM CALCULATES THE PART OF G(W) IN REGION ONE, USING THE EXACT
C   DISTRIBUTION OF THE RATIO OF NON-CENTRAL F DISTRIBUTIONS
C
0001   DOUBLE PRECISION U1,U2,TAU1,TAU2,GAMMA1,GAMMA2,CONST
0002   DOUBLE PRECISION DEXP,DC1,DC2,DC3,DC4,DC5,DC6,DC7,DC8,DC9
0003   DOUBLE PRECISION DR,DS,R,S,DG1,DG2,DG3,DG4,DG
0004   DOUBLE PRECISION DLOG,RSN,RSS
0005   DOUBLE PRECISION CLC,GG,GW,WG
0006   DOUBLE PRECISION TAUO,TAUT,TAU
0007   DOUBLE PRECISION RS(36,36)

C
C   READ IN NUMBER OF TERMS IN INFINITE SUMS, DEGREES OF FREEDOM,
C   AND NON-CENTRALITY PARAMETERS
C
0008   READ(5,100)M,L,K,U1,U2,GAMMA1,GAMMA2,TAUO,TAUT
0009   FORMAT(3I3,6D4.0)
0010   WRITE(6,200)U1,U2,GAMMA1,GAMMA2,TAUO,TAUT
0011   FORMAT('1','PARAMETERS ARE',2X,3(D16.8,' ','D16.8,5X))
0012   WRITE(6,205)M,L,K
0013   FORMAT('0','M=',2X,I2,2X,'L=',2X,I2,2X,'K=',2X,I3)
0014   TAU=TAUO+TAUT
0015   U=U1/2.+L2/2.
0016   GAMMA=GAMMA1/2.+GAMMA2/2.
0017   C=(GAMMA1*U2)/(U1*GAMMA2)

C
C
C   EVALUATE CONSTANT TERMS
C
0018   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA2/2.+L2/2.,DC1,IER)
0019   CALL DLGAM(U2/2.,DC2,IER)
0020   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA2/2.,DC3,IER)
0021   CONST=DC1-DC2-DC3

C
C
C   CALCULATE THE R,S TERMS
C
0022   M1=M+1
0023   L1=L+1
0024   K1=K+1
0025   RSN=C.
0026   DO 1 IR=1,M1
0027   R=IR-1
0028   DC6=R*DLOG(TAUO)
0029   CALL DLGAM(R+1.,DR,IER)
0030   DC 1 IS=1,L1
0031   S=IS-1
0032   DC8=S*DLOG(TAUT)
0033   CALL DLGAM(S+1.,DS,IER)
0034   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA1/2.+GAMMA2/2.+S,DC5,IER)
0035   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA1/2.+S,DC7,IER)
0036   RSS=CONST+DC6-DR+DC8-DS+DC5-DC7
0037   RS(IR,IS)=DEXP(RSS)

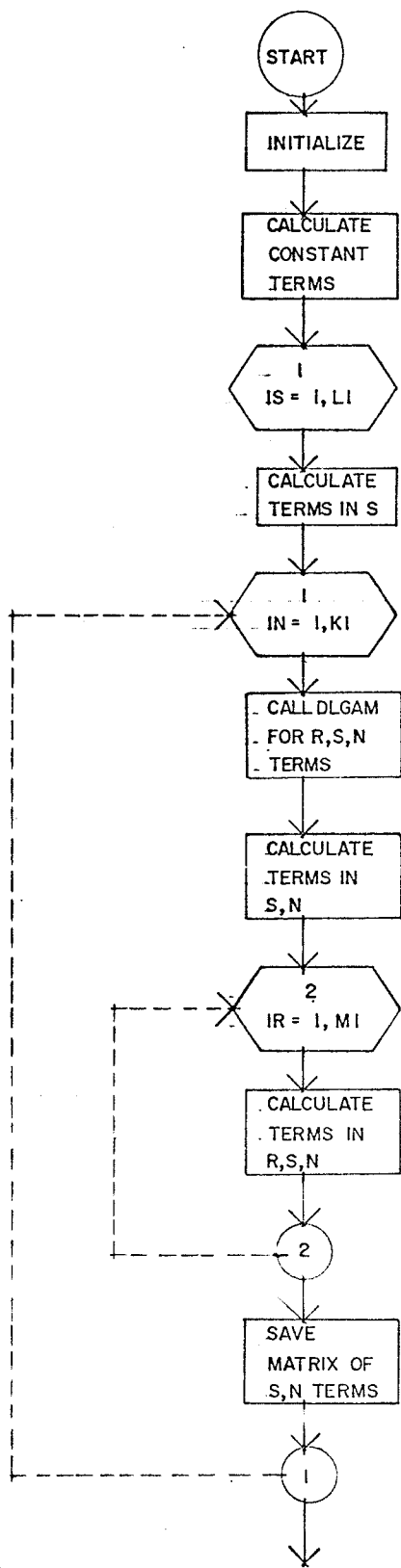
C
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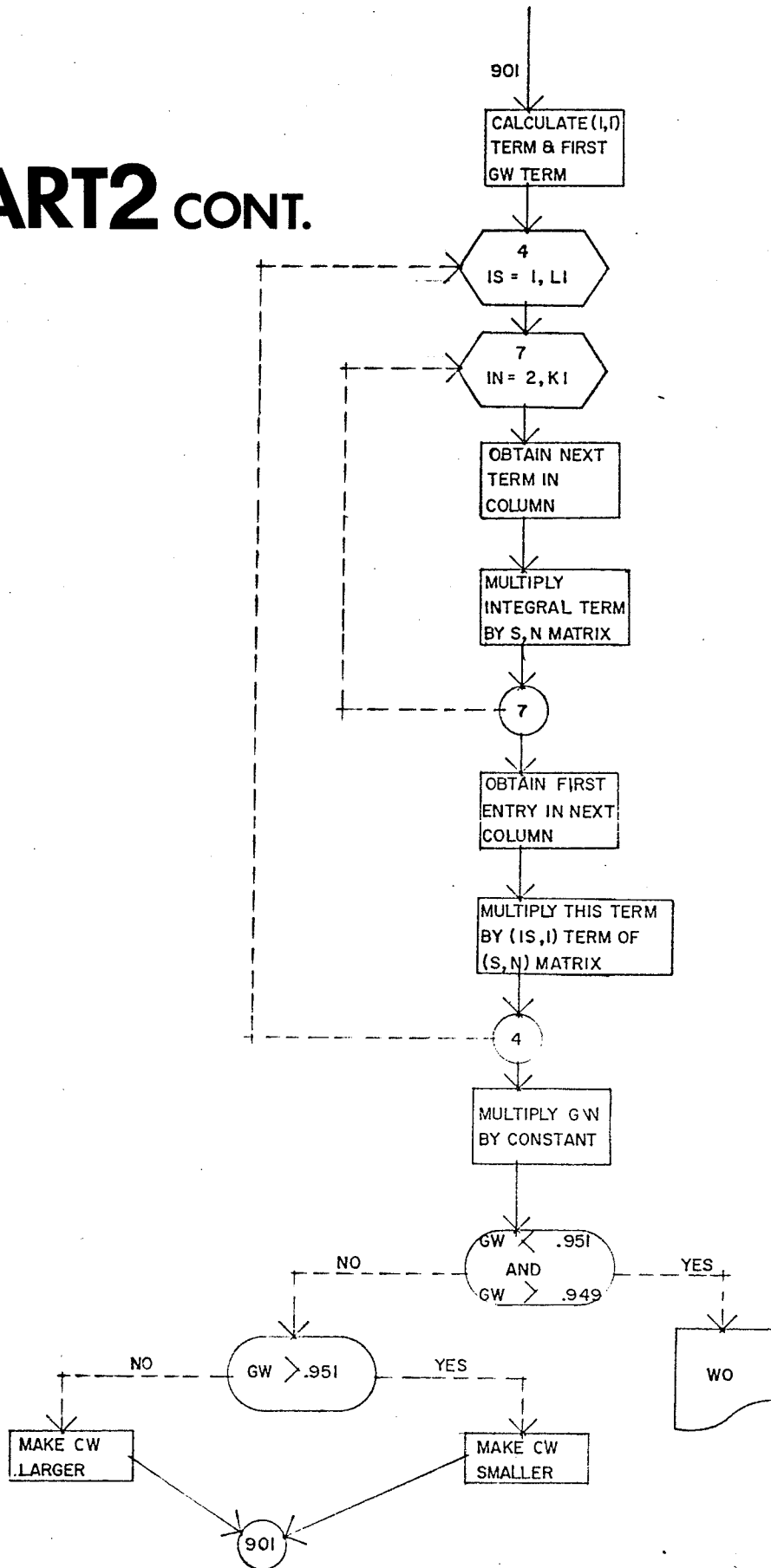
C
C   EVALUATE THE TERMS IN R,S,N
C
C
0038      GW=0.00
0039      DO 20 IR=1,M1
0040      R=IR-1
0041      WG=0.00
0042      DO 11 IS=1,L1
0043      GG=0.00
0044      S=IS-1
0045      DLC=C.00
0046      DG=0.
0047      CALL DLGAM(U1/2.+U2/2.+R-1.,DG1,IER)
0048      CALL DLGAM(U1/2.+GAMMA1/2.+R+S-1.,DG2,IER)
0049      CALL DLGAM(U1/2.+U2/2.+GAMMA1/2.+GAMMA2/2.+R+S-1.,DG3,IER)
0050      CALL DLGAM(U1/2.+R,DG4,IER)
0051      DG 22 IN=1,K1
0052      N=IN-2
0053      DG1=DG1+DLOG(U1/2.+U2/2.+R+N)
0054      DG2=DG2+DLOG(U1/2.+GAMMA1/2.+R+S+N)
0055      DG3=DG3+DLOG(U1/2.+U2/2.+GAMMA1/2.+GAMMA2/2.+R+S+N)
0056      DG4=DG4+DLOG(U1/2.+R+N+1.)
0057      DG=DG1+DG2-DG3-DG4
0058      22  DLC=DLC+DEXP(DG)
0059      GG=DEXP(-TAU)*RS(IR,IS)*DLC
0060      11  WG=WG+GG
C
C   SUM TERMS TO GET FINAL VALUE OF G(W) IN THE FIRST REGION
C
C
0061      GW=WG+GW
0062      20  CCONTINUE
C
C   CHECK IF G(W) < .95 OR > .95
C
C
0063      934 CCONTINUE
0064      IF(GW.LE.C.951.AND.GW.GE.0.949) GO TO 930
0065      IF(GW.LT.0.949) GOTO 932
0066      WC=(.99)*C
0067      GW=WO/C*GW
0068      GO TO 934
C
C   WRITE THE VALUE OF G(W) FOR THE FIRST REGION
C
C
0069      930 WRITE(6,931)WO
0070      931 FORMAT('0','VALUE OF WO FOR G(W) = .95 IS',F8.4)
0071      GO TO 950
0072      932 WRITE(6,933) GW
0073      933 FORMAT('0','CONTRIBUTION TO G(W) FROM FIRST REGION IS',5X,D16.8)
0074      950 CONTINUE
0075      STOP
0076      END

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C
C
C   PROGRAM CALCULATES THE PART OF G(W) IN REGION TWO, USING THE
C   EXACT DISTRIBUTION OF THE RATIO OF NON-CENTRAL F DISTRIBUTIONS
C
0001   DOUBLE PRECISION DLM(26,501),MREC(2)
0002   DOUBLE PRECISION CLL,TINT
0003   DOUBLE PRECISION AA,BB,CW
0004   DOUBLE PRECISION U1,U2,TAU1,TAU2,GAMMA1,GAMMA2,CONST
0005   DOUBLE PRECISION CEXP,DC1,DC2,DC3,DC4,DC5,DC6,DC7,DC8,DC9
0006   DOUBLE PRECISION DR,DS,S,R,N
0007   DOUBLE PRECISION DQ
0008   DOUBLE PRECISION DLOG,CN,RSQ,DLC
0009   DOUBLE PRECISION GW,DL,DL1,DL2,DL3,DL4
0010   DOUBLE PRECISION  TAU0,TAUT,TAU,U,GAMMA,WG,GG,REC,AB
C
C   READ IN NUMBER OF TERMS IN INFINITE SUMS, DEGREES OF FREEDOM,
C   AND NON-CENTRALITY PARAMETERS
C
0011   READ(5,100)M,L,K,U1,U2,GAMMA1,GAMMA2,TAU0,TAUT
0012   100   FORMAT(3I3,6D4.0)
0013   WRITE(6,200)U1,U2,GAMMA1,GAMMA2,TAU0,TAUT
0014   200   FORMAT('1','PARAMETERS ARE',2X,3(D16.8,' ','D16.8,5X))
0015   WRITE(6,201)M,L,K
0016   201   FORMAT('0','M=',I2,2X,'L=',I2,2X,'K=',I3)
0017   TAU=TAU0+TAUT
0018   GAMMA=(GAMMA1+GAMMA2)/2.
0019   U=(U1+U2)/2.
0020   C=(GAMMA1*U2)/(U1*GAMMA2)
0021   W0=5.5
0022   PI=.5CCCCCCCCDD
C
C
C   CALCULATE TERMS UP TO THE INTEGRAL
C   EVALUATE CONSTANT TERMS
C
0023   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA2/2.+U2/2.,DC1,IER)
0024   CALL DLGAM(U2/2.,DC2,IER)
0025   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA2/2.,DC3,IER)
0026   CONST=DC1-DC2-DC3
C
C
C   OBTAIN MATRIX DLM(IS,IN)
C
0027   M1=M+1
0028   L1=L+1
0029   K1=K+1
0030   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA1/2.-1.,DC9,IER)
0031   DO 1 IS=1,L1
0032     S=IS-1
0033     DC8=S*DLOG(TAUT)
0034     DC9=DC9+DLOG(GAMMA1/2.+S-1.)
0035     CALL DLGAM(S+1.,DS,IER)
0036     CALL DLGAM(GAMMA+S-1.,DL1,IER)
0037     DO 1 IN=1,K1
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0038      N=IN-1
0039      CN=IN-1
0040      CALL DLGAM(U-1.,DC5,IER)
0041      CALL DLGAM(U1/2.-1.,DC4,IER)
0042      DL1=DL1+DLOG(GAMMA+S+N-1.)
0043      CALL DLGAM(U1/2.+GAMMA1/2.+S+N-1.,DL2,IER)
0044      CALL DLGAM(U+GAMMA+S+N-1.,DL3,IER)
0045      CALL DLGAM(CN+1.,DQ,IER)
0046      DL=C.DO
0047      DO 2 IR=1,M1
0048      R=IR-1
0049      DC5=DC5+DLOG(U+R-1.)
0050      DC4=DC4+DLOG(U1/2.+R-1.)
0051      DL2=DL2+DLOG(U1/2.+GAMMA1/2.+S+N+R-1.)
0052      DL3=DL3+DLOG(U+GAMMA+S+N+R-1.)
0053      DC6=R*DLOG(TAUO)
0054      CALL DLGAM(R+1.,DR,IER)
0055      2 DL=DL+DEXP(DL2+DC6+DC5-DL3-DR-DC4)
0056      DLC=DL1+CCNST-(DC9+DS+DQ)
0057      DL4(IS,IN)=DEXP(DLC)*DL*DEXP(DC8)
0058      1 CONTINUE
      C
      C
      C      PERTICN OF DISTRIBUTICN THAT WILL CHANGE WHEN WD IS CHANGED
      C
      C
0059      CW=1.0-C/WO
      C
      C
      C      FIND INTEGRAL VALUES AND MULTIPLY BY GAMMA TERMS
      C
      C
0060      901 GW=0.DO
0061      BB=GAMMA1/2.
0062      K1=K+1
0063      L1=L+1
      C
      C
      C      FIND THE FIRST INTEGRAL DIRECTLY
      C
0064      TINT=(1.0-(1.0-CW)**BB)/BB
0065      MREC(1)=TINT
0066      GW=GW+DLM(1,1)*TINT
0067      DO 4 IS=1,L1
0068      S=IS-1
0069      BB=GAMMA1/2.+S
0070      DC 7 IN=2,K1
      C
      C
      C      FIND INTEGRAL FOR NEXT VALUE IN COLUMN
      C
0071      N=IN-1
0072      AA=N
0073      AB=AA+BB
0074      REC=(AA*DLOG(CW)+BB*DLOG(1.0-CW))-DLOG(AB)
0075      REC=DEXP(REC)
0076      TINT=AA*TINT/AB-REC
0077      IF(IN.EQ.2)MREC(2)=TINT
      C
      C
      C      MULTIPLY INTEGRAL BY GAMMA TERMS IN S,N

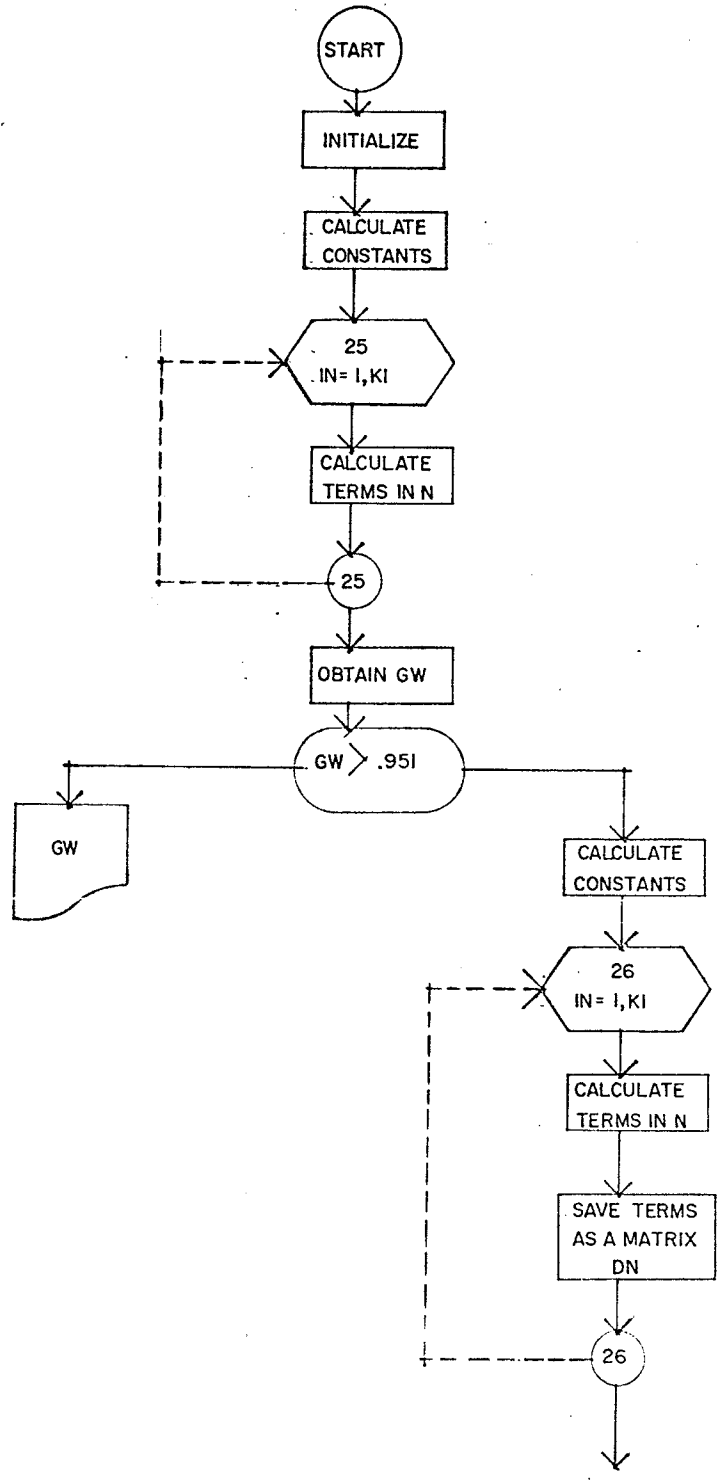
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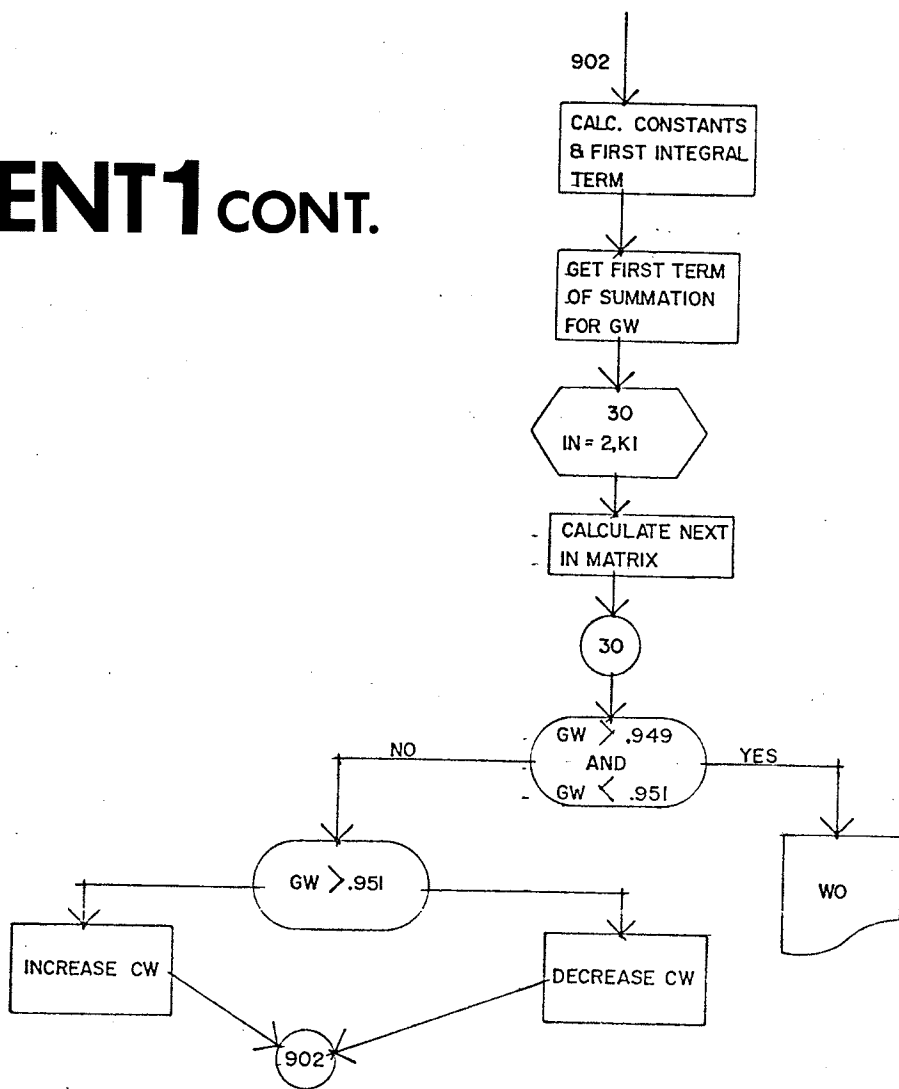
C
0078      GW=GW+DLM(IS,IN)*TINT
0079      7      CONTINUE
0080      IF(IS+1.GT.L1) GC TO 4
C
C      MOVE TO NEXT COLUMN
C
0081      MREC(1)=MREC(1)-MREC(2)
0082      TINT=MREC(1)
0083      GW=GW+DLM(IS,1)*TINT
0084      4      CCNTINUE
0085      GW=GW*DEXP(-TAU)
C
C      ADD PART OF G(W) FROM FIRST REGION TO THAT FROM THE SECCND
C
0086      GW=GW+P1
0087      WRITE(6,904)GW,W0
0088      904     FORMAT('0','VALUE OF G(W) IS',D16.8,2X,'FOR W0=',F8.4)
0089      IF(CW.GE.0.9999) GC TO 555
C
C      CHECK TO SEE IF VALUE OF GW IS AS REQUIRED
C      IF IT IS, WRITE VALUE CF W0 AND GO ON TO NEW PARAMETERS
C
0090      IF(GW.LE.0.951.AND.GW.GE.0.949) GO TO 902
0091      IF(GW.GT.0.951) GC TO 900
C
C      IF GW IS TOO SMALL, INCREASE CW
C
0092      CW=CW+((.95-GW)/.95*CW)
0093      IF(CW.GE.1.0) CW=C.9999
0094      W0=C/(1.0-CW)
0095      GO TO 901
C
C      IF GW IS TOO LARGE, DECREASE CW
C
0096      900     CW=CW-((GW-.95)/.95*CW)
0097      W0=C/(1.0-CW)
0098      GC TO 901
0099      902     WRITE(6,903)W0
0100      903     FORMAT('0','VALUE OF W0 FOR G(W)=.95 IS',F8.4)
0101      555     STOP
0102      END

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C
C
C   PROGRAM CALCULATES THE PART OF G(W) IN REGION ONE OR FINDS WO
C   IF G(W) IS GREATER THAN 1-ALPHA, USING AN APPROXIMATION FOR THE
C   RATIO OF NON-CENTRAL F DISTRIBUTIONS
C
0001   DOUBLE PRECISION U2,GAMMA2,CCNST,A1,A2
0002   DOUBLE PRECISION DLOG,DC1,DC2,DC3,DC4,DC5,DC6
0003   DOUBLE PRECISION DL1,DL2,DL3,DL4,DEXP,DL,GW
0004   DOUBLE PRECISION CN(501),CW,AA,EB,AB,TINT,REC,QN
C
C   READ IN THE NUMBER OF TERMS IN INFINITE SUM,DEGREES OF FREEDOM,
C   AND INITIAL VALUE FOR WO
C
0005   READ(5,101)K
0006   101  FORMAT(I3)
0007   WRITE(6,205)K
0008   205  FORMAT('1','K=',2X,I3)
0009   901  READ(5,100,END=900) A1,U2,A2,GAMMA2,W0
0010   100  FORMAT(4D5.0,D5.2)
0011   WRITE(6,200)A1,U2,A2,GAMMA2
0012   200  FORMAT('0','A1=',F5.1,2X,'U2=',F5.1,2X,'A2=',F5.1,2X,'GAMMA2=',
XF5.1)
C
C   CALCULATE CONSTANTS
C
0013   K1=K+1
0014   C=(A2*U2)/(A1*GAMMA2)
0015   CALL DLGAM(A2/2.+GAMMA2/2.,DC1,IER)
0016   CALL DLGAM(U2/2.+GAMMA2/2.,DC2,IER)
0017   CALL DLGAM(U2/2.,DC3,IER)
0018   CALL DLGAM(A2/2.,DC4,IER)
0019   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA2/2.,DC5,IER)
0020   CCNST=DC2-DC3-DC4-DC5
C
C   CALCULATE TERMS INVOLVING N
C
0021   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+U2/2.-1.,DL1,IER)
0022   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+A2/2.-1.,DL2,IER)
0023   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+U2/2.+A2/2.+GAMMA2/2.-1.,DL3,IER)
0024   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.,DL4,IER)
0025   DL=C.C0
0026   DO 25 IN=1,K1
0027   N=IN-1
0028   DL1=DL1+DLOG(A1/2.+U2/2.+N-1.)
0029   DL2=DL2+DLOG(A1/2.+A2/2.+N-1.)
0030   DL3=DL3+DLOG(A1/2.+U2/2.+A2/2.+GAMMA2/2.+N-1.)
0031   DL4=DL4+DLOG(A1/2.+N)
0032   25  DL=DL+DEXP(DL1+DL2-DL3-DL4)
C
C   OBTAIN FINAL VALUE FOR GW
C
0033   GW=DEXP(CCNST)*DEXP(DC1)*DL

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C
C   IF VALUE OF GW FOR FIRST REGION IS GREATER THAN 1-ALPHA, FIND
C   WO SUCH THAT GW IS APPROX. 1-ALPHA
C
0034   IF(GW.GT.C.951) GO TO 888
C
C   PRINT CONTRIBUTION TO GW FROM THE FIRST REGION
C
0035   WRITE(6,300)GW
0036   300  FORMAT('0','VALUE OF GW FOR 0<W<C IS',D16.8)
0037   GO TO 901
C
C   IF WO IS LESS THAN C, THIS PART OF THE PROGRAM IS USED
C
0038   888  CCNTINUE
0039   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.,CC6,IER)
0040   CCNST=CCNST-DC6
C
C   CALCULATE TERMS INVOLVING N (INCLUDING INTEGRAL)
C
0041   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+U2/2.-1.,DL1,IER)
0042   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+A2/2.-1.,DL2,IER)
0043   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+U2/2.+A2/2.+GAMMA2/2.-1.,DL3,IER)
0044   DL=C.DO
0045   DO 26 IN=1,K1
0046   N=IN-1
0047   GN=IN-1
0048   DL1=DL1+DLOG(A1/2.+U2/2.+N-1.)
0049   DL2=DL2+DLOG(A1/2.+A2/2.+N-1.)
0050   DL3=DL3+DLOG(A1/2.+A2/2.+U2/2.+GAMMA2/2.+N-1.)
0051   CALL DLGAM(GN+1.,DG,IER)
0052   DL=DL2+DL2-DL3-DQ
0053   26  DN(IN)=DEXP(DL)
C
C   PORTION OF DISTRIBUTION THAT WILL CHANGE WHEN WO IS CHANGED
C
0054   CW=WO/C
0055   902  AA=A1/2.
0056   GW=C.DO
0057   TINT=CW**AA/AA
0058   GW=GW+DN(1)*TINT
0059   DO 30 IN=2,K1
0060   BB=IN-1
0061   AB=AA+BB
0062   REC=(AA*DLOG(CW)+BB*DLOG(1.0-CW))-DLOG(AB)
0063   REC=DEXP(REC)
0064   TINT=AA*TINT/AB-REC
0065   30  GW=GW+TINT*DN(IN)
0066   GW=GW*CCNST
C
C   CHECK TO SEE IF VALUE OF GW IS AS REQUIRED
C   IF IT IS, WRITE VALUE OF WO AND GO ON TO NEW PARAMETERS

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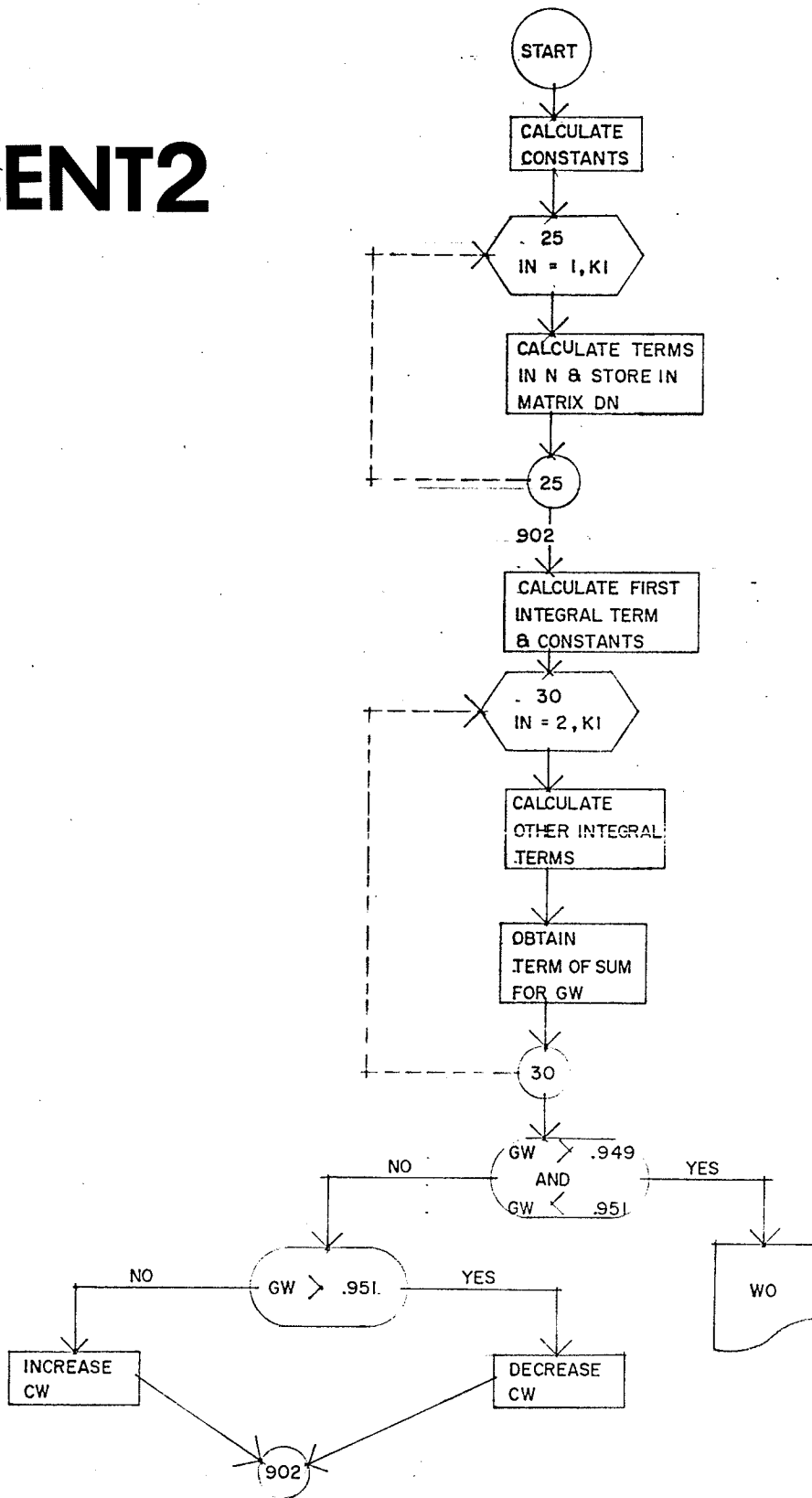
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0067      C      IF(GW.GE.0.949.AND.GW.LE.C.951) GO TO 301
0068      C      IF(GW.GT.C.951) GO TO 302
      C
      C      IF GW IS TOO SMALL, INCREASE CW
      C
0069      C      CW=CW+((.95-GW)/.95*CW)
0070      C      IF(CW.GE.1.0) CW=C.9999
0071      C      WD=C*CW
0072      C      GO TO 902
      C
      C      IF GW IS TOO LARGE, DECREASE CW
      C
0073      C      302 CW=CW-((GW-.95)/.95*CW)
0074      C      WD=C*CW
0075      C      GO TO 902
0076      C      301 WRITE(6,997) A1,U2,A2,GAMMA2,WD
0077      C      957 FORMAT('0','VALUE OF WC FOR A1=',F5.1,2X,'U2=',F5.1,2X,'A2=',
      C      XF5.1,2X,'GAMMA2=',F5.1,2X,'IS',D16.8)
      C      GO TO 901
0078      C      900 STOP
0079      C
0080      C      END
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C
C
C   PROGRAM FINDS THE VALUE OF W0 SUCH THAT G(W) EQUALS 1-ALPHA, USING
C   AN APPROXIMATION FOR THE RATIO OF NON-CENTRAL DISTRIBUTIONS
C
0001   DOUBLE PRECISION U2,GAMMA2,CCNST,A1
0002   DOUBLE PRECISION A2,DLOG,DEXP,DC1,DC2,DC3,DC4,DC5,DC6,DN(476),P1
0003   DOUBLE PRECISION CL1,DL2,DL3,DQ,DLC,QN,AA,BB,AB,REC,TINT,GW,CW

C
C   READ IN NUMBER OF TERMS IN INFINITE SUM, DEGREES OF FREEDOM
C   INITIAL VALUE FOR W0 AND CONTRIBUTION TO G(W) FROM THE FIRST
C   REGION
0004   READ(5,999)K
0005   999  FORMAT(I3)
0006   901  READ(5,100,END=900)A1,U2,A2,GAMMA2,W0,P1
0007   100  FORMAT(4D5.0,D5.2,D11.8)

C
C   CALCULATE CONSTANTS
0008   K1=K+1
0009   C=(A2*U2)/(A1*GAMMA2)
0010   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+U2/2.,DC1,IER)
0011   CALL ELGAM(GAMMA2/2.+U2/2.,DC2,IER)
0012   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.,DC3,IER)
0013   CALL ELGAM(U2/2.,DC4,IER)
0014   CALL DLGAM(A2/2.,DC5,IER)
0015   CALL DLGAM(GAMMA2/2.,DC6,IER)
0016   CONST=DC2-DC3-DC4-DC5-DC6
0017   CONST=DEXP(CCNST)*DEXP(DC1)

C
C   CALCULATE TERMS INVOLVING N AND STORE IN MATRIX DN
0018   CALL DLGAM(A2/2.+GAMMA2/2.-1.,DL1,IER)
0019   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+A2/2.-1.,DL2,IER)
0020   CALL DLGAM(A1/2.+A2/2.+U2/2.+GAMMA2/2.-1.,DL3,IER)
0021   DLC=0.DO
0022   DO 25 IN=1,K1
0023     N=IN-1
0024     QN=IN-1
0025     DL1=DL1+DLOG(A2/2.+GAMMA2/2.+N-1.)
0026     DL2=DL2+DLOG(A1/2.+A2/2.+N-1.)
0027     DL3=DL3+DLOG(A1/2.+A2/2.+U2/2.+GAMMA2/2.+N-1.)
0028     CALL DLGAM(QN+1.,DQ,IER)
0029     DLC=DL1+DL2-DL3-DQ
0030   25  DN(IN)=DEXP(DLC)

C
C   PORTION OF DISTRIBUTION THAT WILL CHANGE WHEN W0 IS CHANGED
0031   CW=1.0-C/W0
0032   902  BB=A2/2.

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0033      GW=C.C0
0034      TINT=(1.0-(1.0-CW)**BB)/BB
0035      GW=GW+DN(1)*TINT
0036      DO 30 IN=2,K1
0037      AA=IN-1
0038      AP=AA+BB
0039      REC=(AA*DLOG(CW)+BB*DLOG(1.0-CW))-DLOG(AB)
0040      REC=DEXP(REC)
0041      TINT=AA*TINT/AB-REC
      C
      C      SUM THE TERMS OF GW
      C
0042      30      GW=GW+TINT*DN(IN)
0043      GW=GW*CCNST
      C
      C      ADD THE CONTRIBUTION TO GW FROM THE FIRST REGION
      C
0044      GW=GW+P1
      C
      C      CHECK TO SEE IF GW IS AS REQUIRED
      C      IF IT IS, WRITE VALUE OF W0 AND G0 ON TO NEW PARAMETERS
      C
0045      IF(GW.GE.0.949.AND.GW.LE.C.951) GO TO 301
0046      IF(GW.GT.0.951) GC TO 302
      C
      C      IF GW IS LARGE, DECREASE CW
      C
0047      CW=CW+((.95-GW)/.95*CW)
0048      IF(CW.GE.1.0) CW=C.9999
0049      WC=C/(1.0-CW)
0050      GO TO 902
      C
      C      IF GW IS TOO SMALL, INCREASE CW
      C
0051      302      CW=CW-((GW-.95)/.95*CW)
0052      W0=C/(1.0-CW)
0053      GC TO 902
0054      301      WRITE(6,997)A1,U2,A2,GAMMA2,W0
0055      997      FORMAT('0','VALUE OF W0 FOR A1=',F5.1,2X,'U2=',F5.1,2X,'A2=',F5.1
      X,2X,'GAMMA2=',F5.1,2X,'IS',D16.8)
      GO TO 901
0056      900      STOP
0057      END
0058
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0001      SUBROUTINE DLGAM ( XX , DLNG , IER )
          C      IER = 0 MEANS NO ERROR
          C      IER = -1 MEANS XX IS TOO NEAR ZERO
          C      IER = +1 MEANS XX IS TOO LARGE
0002      DOUBLE PRECISION XX , ZZ , TERM , RZ2 , DLNG , DLOG
0003      IER = 0
0004      ZZ = XX
0005      IF( XX - 1.0D10 ) 2 , 2 , 1
0006      1 IF( 1.0D70 - XX ) 9 , 9 , 8
          C      SEE IF XX IS NEAR ZERO OR NEGATIVE
0007      2 IF( XX - 1.0D-9 ) 3 , 3 , 4
0008      3 IER = -1
0009      DLNG = - 1.0D75
0010      GO TO 10
          C      XX IS .GT. ZERO AND .LE. 1.0D+10
0011      4 TERM = 1.0D0
0012      5 IF( ZZ - 18.0D0 ) 6 , 6 , 7
0013      6 TERM = TERM * ZZ
0014      ZZ = ZZ + 1.0D0
0015      GO TO 5
0016      7 RZ2 = 1.0D0 / ZZ**2
0017      DLNG = ( ZZ - 0.5D0 ) * DLOG( ZZ ) - ZZ + 0.9189385332046727 -
          1      DLOG( TERM ) + ( 1.0D0 / ZZ ) * ( .8323333333333333D-1 - ( RZ2
          2      *( .2777777777777777D-2 + ( RZ2 *( .7936507936507936D-3 - (
          3      RZ2 * ( .5952380952380952D-3 ) ) ) ) ) )
0018      GO TO 10
          C      XX .GT. 1.0D+10 AND .LT. 1.0D+70
0019      8 DLNG = ZZ * ( DLOG( ZZ ) - 1.0D0 )
0020      GO TO 10
          C      XX .GE. 1.0D+20
0021      9 IER = +1
0022      DLNG = 1.0D75
0023      10 RETURN
0024      END

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V. Examples5.1 Comparing Sensitivity of Experiments

Consider the example found in Bradley and Schumann (1957b) in which they compare the sensitivity of pasture yields to irrigation.

Mean Yields of Orchard Grass and Ladino Cloverin lbs./acre under Fertilizer Treatments

| Treatment | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|
| No Irrigation | 499 | 627 | 642 | 756 | 884 | 494 | 597 | 377 |
| Irrigation | 831 | 836 | 931 | 1137 | 1346 | 730 | 903 | 583 |

The analysis of the comparison of sensitivities is as follows:

Analysis of Variance for the Two Fertilizer Experiments

| Source | d.f. | Mean Square | F |
|------------------------------|------|-------------|------|
| Experiment 1 - No Irrigation | | | |
| Replications | 3 | 17, 899 | |
| Treatments | 7 | 102, 104 | 8.86 |
| Error | 21 | 11, 517 | |
| Experiment 2 - Irrigation | | | |
| Replications | 3 | 93, 155 | |
| Treatments | 7 | 224, 462 | 7.10 |
| Error | 21 | 31, 599 | |

1. $F_1 = 8.86$ $F_2 = 7.10$
 $v_1 = \gamma_1 = 3.5$ $v_2 = \gamma_2 = 10.5$
2. $\hat{\lambda}_1 = 3.5(8.86 - 1) = 27.5$
 $\hat{\lambda}_2 = 3.5(7.10 - 1) = 21.4$
 $\hat{\lambda} = \frac{1}{2}(27.5 + 21.4) = 24.4$
3. $H_0: \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda$
 $H_A: \lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$
4. $\alpha = .05$
5. $w = \frac{8.86}{7.10} = 1.25$
6. $\frac{a_1}{2} = \frac{a_2}{2} = (3.5 + 24.4)^2 / (3.5 + 48.8) = 14.9$
7. Using the program developed in 4.3, the upper 5% point for the approximate distribution was determined: $w_0(.05) = 2.61$.
8. Therefore, w is not significant when compared with $w_0(.05)$ nor is $\frac{1}{w}$. That is, it does not appear that these experiments differ much in sensitivity to fertilizer treatment effects.

5.2 Comparing Regression Coefficients

Consider an example constructed from data on water usage in rural and urban communities with variables

X_1 = average monthly temperature ($^{\circ}$ F)

X_2 = amount of production (in pounds)

X_3 = number of plant operating days in the month

X_4 = number of persons on the monthly plant payroll.

For urban usage variables X_1, X_2, X_3 and X_4 are considered with 8 data points. For rural usage variables X_1, X_2 and X_3 are considered with 9 data points. The analysis of the comparison of regression coefficients is as follows:

Analysis of Variance for Water Usage

| Source | d.f. | Mean Square | F |
|------------|------|-------------|-------|
| Urban | | | |
| Regression | 4 | 405654.2500 | 7.821 |
| Deviation | 3 | 51869.0000 | |
| Total | 7 | | |
| Rural | | | |
| Regression | 3 | 136140.5000 | 1.568 |
| Deviation | 5 | 86813.5625 | |
| Total | 8 | | |

$$1. \quad \frac{\frac{Y_1}{2} R_1^2 / \frac{a_1}{2} (1 - R_1^2)}{\frac{Y_2}{2} R_2^2 / \frac{a_2}{2} (1 - R_2^2)} = \frac{(\frac{1.5}{2.0})(.95525^2) / (1.0 - .95525^2)}{(\frac{2.5}{2.0})(.69626^2) / (1.0 - .69626^2)} = \frac{1.8217}{1.5682} = 4.9878$$

$$\frac{v_1}{2} = 2.0 \qquad \frac{v_2}{2} = 1.5$$

$$\frac{Y_1}{2} = 1.5 \qquad \frac{Y_2}{2} = 2.5$$

$$2. \quad \hat{\rho}_1^2 = 1 - (1 - R_1^2)(2.0 + 1.5)/1.5 = .79584$$

$$\hat{\rho}_2^2 = 1 - (1 - R_2^2)(1.5 + 2.5)/2.5 = .17564$$

$$\hat{\lambda}_1 = (2.0 + 1.5)\hat{\rho}_1^2 / (1 - \hat{\rho}_1^2) = 13.643$$

$$\hat{\lambda}_2 = (1.5 + 2.5)\hat{\rho}_2^2 / (1 - \hat{\rho}_2^2) = 0.85342$$

$$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{\lambda}_1 + \hat{\lambda}_2) = 14.496$$

3. $H_0: \rho_1^2 = \rho_2^2$

$H_A: \rho_1^2 \neq \rho_2^2$

4. $\alpha = .05$

5. $w = 4.9878$

6.
$$\frac{a_1}{2} = \frac{(\frac{v_1}{2} + \hat{\lambda}_1)^2}{(\frac{v_1}{2} + 2\hat{\lambda}_1)} = 8.3556$$

$$\frac{a_2}{2} = \frac{(\frac{v_1}{2} + \hat{\lambda}_2)^2}{(\frac{v_1}{2} + 2\hat{\lambda}_2)} = 1.7271$$

7. Using the program developed in 4.3, the upper 5% point for the approximate distribution was determined: $w_0(.05) > 4.9878$.
8. Therefore, w is not significant when compared with $w_0(.05)$ nor is $\frac{1}{w}$. That is, it does not appear that these regression coefficients differ.

5.3 Testing Interaction in 2x2 Contingency Tables

Gart (1966) states that the null hypothesis of no interaction may be stated in terms of the cross-product ratio $\psi = \frac{p_{11}p_{22}}{p_{21}p_{12}}$ (which is the non-centrality parameter of the exact test). It is found that ψ is approximately distributed as $\frac{u_{11}u_{22}}{u_{21}u_{12}}$ where the u_{ij}

(i, j = 1, 2) are mutually independent chi-squared variates with corresponding degrees of freedom $2n_{ij} + 1$. Therefore

$$\frac{(2n_{12} + 1)(2n_{21} + 1)}{(2n_{11} + 1)(2n_{22} + 1)} \psi \sim \frac{F(2n_{11} + 1, 2n_{12} + 1)}{F(2n_{21} + 1, 2n_{22} + 1)}. \quad (5.1)$$

The hypothesis $\psi = 1$ (no interaction) can then be tested by setting $\psi = 1$ and treating $\{(2n_{12} + 1)(2n_{21} + 1)\}/\{(2n_{11} + 1)(2n_{22} + 1)\}$ as a test statistic distributed as the ratio of two independent central F's. The programs developed in 4.3 then give an exact value for $w_0(.05)$.

Consider a 2x2 contingency table with sites and types of tumour.

| | | Type of Tumour | | |
|-------|----|----------------|----|----|
| | | A | B | |
| Sites | I | 11 | 7 | 18 |
| | II | 16 | 3 | 19 |
| | | 27 | 10 | 37 |

The null hypothesis is $H_0: \psi = 1$ (no interaction) and the alternate hypothesis is $\psi \neq 1$. The test statistic is

$$\frac{(2n_{12} + 1)(2n_{21} + 1)}{(2n_{11} + 1)(2n_{22} + 1)} = \frac{(15)(33)}{(23)(7)} = 3.0745.$$

Using the program in 4.3, the upper 5% point was found to be $w_0(.05) = 3.25$. Therefore, the conclusion is: Do not reject $H_0: \psi = 1$.

For large degrees of freedom in the denominator of both F

distributions, the distribution is asymptotically an F distribution. Because n_{12} and n_{22} are large, equation (5.1) becomes

$$\frac{(2n_{12} + 1)(2n_{21} + 1)}{(2n_{11} + 1)(2n_{22} + 1)} \psi \sim F(2n_{11} + 1, 2n_{21} + 1).$$

For example, consider a 2x2 contingency table showing results of a clinical trial.

| | | Outcome | | |
|-----------|---|---------|----------|-------|
| | | Death | Survival | Total |
| Treatment | A | 41 | 216 | 257 |
| | B | 64 | 180 | 244 |
| | | 105 | 396 | 501 |

The test statistic

$$\frac{(2n_{12} + 1)(2n_{21} + 1)}{(2n_{11} + 1)(2n_{22} + 1)} = \frac{(433)(129)}{(83)(361)} \doteq 1.864$$

$$F(83, 129) \doteq 1.42.$$

Therefore, the conclusion is to reject $H_0: \psi = 1$.

TABLE I

Values of w_0 in the Approximate Distributions Such That $1 - G(w_0) = .01$

| a_2, γ_2 a_1, ν_2 | (4, 4) | (6, 6) | (8, 8) | (10, 10) | (12, 12) | (14, 14) | (16, 16) | (18, 18) | (20, 20) | (30, 30) | (∞, ∞) |
|---------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------------------|
| (4, 4) | 43.91 | 29.95 | 24.95 | 22.14 | 20.97 | 19.87 | 19.09 | 18.87 | 18.43 | 17.16 | 15.98 |
| (5, 5) | 34.57 | 22.53 | 18.35 | 16.39 | 15.05 | 14.39 | 13.77 | 13.31 | 13.12 | 12.11 | 10.97 |
| (6, 6) | | 18.86 | 15.10 | 13.32 | 12.29 | 11.53 | 11.10 | 10.70 | 10.39 | 9.60 | 8.47 |
| (7, 7) | | 16.70 | 13.19 | 11.52 | 10.56 | 9.86 | 9.45 | 9.09 | 8.80 | 8.07 | 7.00 |
| (8, 8) | | | 11.94 | 10.35 | 9.36 | 8.78 | 8.32 | 8.04 | 7.77 | 7.08 | 6.03 |
| (9, 9) | | | 10.97 | 9.46 | 8.58 | 8.02 | 7.58 | 7.26 | 7.05 | 6.38 | 5.35 |
| (10, 10) | | | | 8.87 | 8.01 | 7.42 | 7.04 | 6.73 | 6.49 | 5.87 | 4.85 |
| (11, 11) | | | | 8.36 | 7.55 | 7.00 | 6.59 | 6.32 | 6.09 | 5.45 | 4.46 |
| (12, 12) | | | | | 7.15 | 6.63 | 6.27 | 5.97 | 5.74 | 5.15 | 4.16 |
| (13, 13) | | | | | 6.89 | 6.33 | 5.98 | 5.69 | 5.49 | 4.88 | 3.91 |
| (14, 14) | | | | | | 6.12 | 5.74 | 5.48 | 5.26 | 4.68 | 3.70 |
| (15, 15) | | | | | | 5.91 | 5.56 | 5.28 | 5.08 | 4.49 | 3.51 |
| (16, 16) | | | | | | | 5.39 | 5.11 | 4.92 | 4.33 | 3.37 |
| (17, 17) | | | | | | | 5.40 | 5.10 | 4.95 | 4.35 | 3.24 |
| (18, 18) | | | | | | | | 5.05 | 4.88 | 4.27 | 3.13 |
| (19, 19) | | | | | | | | 4.98 | 4.78 | 4.16 | 3.03 |
| (20, 20) | | | | | | | | | 4.67 | 4.06 | 2.94 |
| (21, 21) | | | | | | | | | 4.58 | 3.98 | 2.86 |
| (30, 30) | | | | | | | | | | 3.47 | 2.38 |

TABLE II

Contribution to $G(w_0)$ Found in the Region $0 < w < c$ for the
Approximate Distribution (With Unequal Degrees of Freedom)

| a_2, γ_2 a_1, ν_2 | (4, 5) | (4, 10) | (6, 10) | (8, 20) | (8, 30) | (10, 30) | (10, 60) |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------|
| (4, 5) | .499989 | .281734 | .405573 | .273333 | .168607 | .219927 | .085264 |
| (4, 10) | .718220 | .500000 | .657343 | .520382 | .366460 | .452852 | .214658 |
| (6, 10) | .594381 | .342657 | .500000 | .335913 | .193676 | .263454 | .082049 |
| (8, 20) | .726453 | .479618 | .664087 | .500000 | .309158 | .413163 | .133190 |
| (8, 30) | .830851 | .633540 | .806323 | .690842 | .500000 | .621265 | .272042 |
| (10, 30) | .779533 | .547148 | .736545 | .586837 | .387350 | .500000 | .165300 |
| (10, 60) | .912107 | .785337 | .917937 | .866810 | .727958 | .834700 | .500000 |
| (10, 120) | .960400 | .920638 | .981883 | .975692 | .934326 | .973759 | .844382 |

TABLE III

Values of w_0 in the Approximate Distribution
 (With Unequal Degrees of Freedom) Such That $1 - G(w_0) = .05$

| $\begin{matrix} a_2, \gamma_2 \\ a_1, \nu_2 \end{matrix}$ | (4, 5) | (4, 10) | (6, 10) | (8, 20) | (8, 30) | (10, 30) | (10, 60) |
|---|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| (4, 5) | 12.000000 | 11.754856 | 8.852629 | 7.690272 | 7.500000 | 7.058336 | 7.000000 |
| (4, 10) | 8.979434 | 8.706291 | 6.480137 | 5.469527 | 5.345645 | 4.895445 | 4.900000 |
| (6, 10) | 8.591558 | 8.386263 | 6.232943 | 5.191547 | 5.135302 | 4.690725 | 4.653612 |
| (8, 20) | 7.580584 | 7.293737 | 5.227657 | 4.282369 | 4.212484 | 3.826460 | 3.722127 |
| (8, 30) | 7.307749 | 6.979904 | 4.985229 | 4.000000 | 4.000000 | 3.612117 | 3.500000 |
| (10, 30) | 7.237404 | 6.907783 | 4.810286 | 3.915244 | 3.909849 | 3.513048 | 3.421517 |
| (10, 60) | 7.000000 | 6.613768 | 4.674112 | 3.766099 | 3.697359 | 3.321956 | 3.246171 |

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