

Exercise 3.7

For $t = 5, 6, \dots$, we are given $\mu_{x+t}^A = 1.5\mu_{x+t}$ so that

$$p_{x+t}^A = (p_{x+t})^{1.5}.$$

It follows therefore that the probability that an employee posted in country A at age 30 will survive to reach age 40 if she remains in that country is given by

$$\begin{aligned} {}_{10}p_{[30]}^A &= {}_5p_{[30]}^A \cdot {}_5p_{[30]+5}^A \\ &= p_{[30]}^A \cdot p_{[30]+1}^A \cdot p_{[30]+2}^A \cdot p_{[30]+3}^A \cdot p_{[30]+4}^A \cdot \underbrace{p_{35}^A \cdot p_{36}^A \cdot p_{37}^A \cdot p_{38}^A \cdot p_{39}^A}_{({}_5p_{35})^{1.5}} \\ &= \left[1 - 6 \left(1 - \frac{98362}{98424} \right) \right] \left[1 - 5 \left(1 - \frac{98296}{98362} \right) \right] \left[1 - 4 \left(1 - \frac{98225}{98296} \right) \right] \\ &\quad \times \left[1 - 3 \left(1 - \frac{98148}{98225} \right) \right] \left[1 - 2 \left(1 - \frac{98064}{98148} \right) \right] \left(\frac{97500}{98064} \right)^{1.5} \\ &= 0.9774967. \end{aligned}$$