

Exercise 4.22

(a) Starting with $t = 1/40$, we evaluate ${}_t p_{60}$ using

$${}_t p_{60} = \exp - \left[\int_0^t \mu_{60+s} ds \right] = \exp - \left[\sum_{j=0}^{40t-1} \int_{j/40}^{(j+1)/40} \mu_{60+s} ds \right],$$

where we use repeated Simpson's rule with $h = 1/80$ to approximate the integral

$$\int_{j/40}^{(j+1)/40} \mu_{60+s} ds \approx \frac{h}{3} [\mu_{60+j/40} + 4\mu_{60+h+j/40} + \mu_{60+(j+1)/40}].$$

The following R code produces a table of approximate values for ${}_t p_{60}$:

```
A <- 3.5*10^(-4)
B <- 5.5*10^(-4)
C <- 1.00085
D <- 1.0005
# function to evaluate force of mortality mu(60+s)
mu60 <- function(s){
  A + B*(C^(60+s))*(D^((60+s)^2))}
t <- seq(0,2,1/40)
tp60 <- rep(0,length(t))
tp60[1] <- 1
n <- 1
temp <- 0
h <- 1/80
while (n<length(t)) {
  n <- n+1
  temp <- temp + (h/3)*(mu60(t[n-1]) + 4*mu60(t[n-1]+h) + mu60(t[n]))
  tp60[n] <- exp(-temp)
}
t_out <- c(t,NA)
tp60_out <- c(tp60,NA)
output <- cbind(t_out[1:41],tp60_out[1:41],t_out[42:82],tp60_out[42:82])
colnames(output) <- c("t","tp60","t","tp60")
print(output)
```

This gives the output

```
> print(output)
      t      tp60      t      tp60
[1,] 0.000 1.0000000 1.025 0.9959474
[2,] 0.025 0.9999037 1.050 0.9958458
[3,] 0.050 0.9998073 1.075 0.9957441
[4,] 0.075 0.9997107 1.100 0.9956423
```

[5,]	0.100	0.9996140	1.125	0.9955403
[6,]	0.125	0.9995172	1.150	0.9954382
[7,]	0.150	0.9994203	1.175	0.9953359
[8,]	0.175	0.9993232	1.200	0.9952335
[9,]	0.200	0.9992261	1.225	0.9951310
[10,]	0.225	0.9991288	1.250	0.9950284
[11,]	0.250	0.9990313	1.275	0.9949256
[12,]	0.275	0.9989338	1.300	0.9948227
[13,]	0.300	0.9988361	1.325	0.9947196
[14,]	0.325	0.9987383	1.350	0.9946164
[15,]	0.350	0.9986404	1.375	0.9945131
[16,]	0.375	0.9985423	1.400	0.9944096
[17,]	0.400	0.9984441	1.425	0.9943060
[18,]	0.425	0.9983458	1.450	0.9942023
[19,]	0.450	0.9982473	1.475	0.9940984
[20,]	0.475	0.9981488	1.500	0.9939944
[21,]	0.500	0.9980501	1.525	0.9938902
[22,]	0.525	0.9979512	1.550	0.9937860
[23,]	0.550	0.9978523	1.575	0.9936815
[24,]	0.575	0.9977532	1.600	0.9935770
[25,]	0.600	0.9976540	1.625	0.9934723
[26,]	0.625	0.9975546	1.650	0.9933674
[27,]	0.650	0.9974552	1.675	0.9932624
[28,]	0.675	0.9973556	1.700	0.9931573
[29,]	0.700	0.9972558	1.725	0.9930520
[30,]	0.725	0.9971560	1.750	0.9929466
[31,]	0.750	0.9970560	1.775	0.9928411
[32,]	0.775	0.9969559	1.800	0.9927354
[33,]	0.800	0.9968556	1.825	0.9926296
[34,]	0.825	0.9967552	1.850	0.9925236
[35,]	0.850	0.9966547	1.875	0.9924175
[36,]	0.875	0.9965540	1.900	0.9923113
[37,]	0.900	0.9964533	1.925	0.9922049
[38,]	0.925	0.9963524	1.950	0.9920984
[39,]	0.950	0.9962513	1.975	0.9919917
[40,]	0.975	0.9961501	2.000	0.9918849
[41,]	1.000	0.9960488	NA	NA

From this table, we find that

$${}_{1/4}p_{60} = 0.9990313$$

$$p_{60} = 0.9960488$$

$${}_2p_{60} = 0.9918849 \quad \text{does not match textbook answer}$$

(b) To approximate the 2-year term insurance issued to (60), we use the approximate values

obtained from (a) as follows:

$$A_{60:\overline{2}|}^1 = \int_0^2 v^t {}_t p_{60} \mu_{60+t} dt = \sum_{j=0}^{78} \int_{j/40}^{(j+2)/40} v^t {}_t p_{60} \mu_{60+t} dt,$$

where we use repeated Simpson's rule with $h = 1/40$ to approximate the integral

$$\int_{j/40}^{(j+2)/40} v^t {}_t p_{60} \mu_{60+t} dt \approx \frac{h}{3} \left[v^{j/40} {}_{j/40} p_{60} \mu_{60+j/40} + 4v^{(j+1)/40} {}_{(j+1)/40} p_{60} \mu_{60+(j+1)/40} + v^{(j+2)/40} {}_{(j+2)/40} p_{60} \mu_{60+(j+2)/40} \right].$$

The following R code calculates this approximation:

```
n <- 1
A60term2 <- 0
int <- 0.05
v <- 1/(1+int)
while (n<length(t)) {
  n <- n+2
  A60term2 <- A60term2 + (2*h/3)*(v^(t[n-2])*tp60[n-2]*mu60(t[n-2]) +
    4*v^(t[n-1])*tp60[n-1]*mu60(t[n-1]) + v^(t[n])*tp60[n]*mu60(t[n]))
}
A60term2
```

and produces the following result:

```
> A60term2
[1] 0.007725168
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