

# Monetary risk measures on Orlicz spaces produced by set-valued risk measures and random measures

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**Abstract** In this article we study the construction of coherent or convex risk measures defined either on an Orlicz heart, either on an Orlicz space, with respect to a Young loss function. The Orlicz heart is taken as a subset of  $L^0(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mu)$  endowed with the pointwise partial ordering. We define set-valued risk measures related to this partial ordering. We also derive monetary risk measures both by the class of coherent set-valued risk measures defined on them. We also use random measures related to heavy-tailed distributions in order to define monetary risk measures on Orlicz spaces, whose properties are also compared to the previous ones.

**Key words:** Set-valued risk measure; random measure; Young loss function; Orlicz Heart; Orlicz Space

## 1 Orlicz Hearts and Orlicz Spaces in Finance

We consider two periods of time (0 and 1) and a non-empty set of states of the world  $\Omega$  which is supposed to be an infinite set. The true state  $\omega \in \Omega$  that the investors face is contained in some  $A \in \mathcal{F}$ , where  $\mathcal{F}$  is some  $\sigma$ -algebra of subsets of  $\Omega$  which gives the information about the states that may occur at time-period 1. A financial position is a  $\mathcal{F}$ -measurable random variable  $x : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ . This random variable is the profile of this position at time-period 1. We suppose that the probability of any state of the world to occur is given by a probability measure  $\mu : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow [0, 1]$ . We remind of the use of Orlicz Spaces in Finance, through the notion of *loss function*.

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**Definition 1.** A function  $l : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a *loss function* if (a)  $l$  is increasing and convex, (b)  $l(0) = 0$  and  $l(x) \geq x$ .

Such a function is used to measure the *expected loss*  $\mathbb{E}_\mu(l(-x))$  of a financial position  $x$ . Related to the neutral evaluation of losses  $\mathbb{E}_\mu(-x)$  under the state-of-the-world measure, the expected loss  $\mathbb{E}_\mu(l(-x))$  puts greater weights on high losses than gains. Since  $l$  is convex, its convex conjugate  $l^*(y) = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}} \{xy - l(x)\}$  is well defined (see also [6, p.4]). Let  $E$  be a (normed) linear space. A set  $C \subseteq E$  satisfying  $C + C \subseteq C$  and  $\lambda C \subseteq C$  for any  $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}_+$  is called *wedge*. A wedge for which  $C \cap (-C) = \{0\}$  is called *cone*. A pair  $(E, \geq)$  where  $E$  is a linear space and  $\geq$  is a binary relation on  $E$  satisfying the following properties:

- (i)  $x \geq x$  for any  $x \in E$  (reflexive)
- (ii) If  $x \geq y$  and  $y \geq z$  then  $x \geq z$ , where  $x, y, z \in E$  (transitive)
- (iii) If  $x \geq y$  then  $\lambda x \geq \lambda y$  for any  $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}_+$  and  $x + z \geq y + z$  for any  $z \in E$ , where  $x, y \in E$  (compatible with the linear structure of  $E$ ),

is called *partially ordered linear space*. The partially ordered vector space  $E$  is a *vector lattice* if for any  $x, y \in E$ , the supremum  $x \vee y$  and the infimum  $x \wedge y$  of  $\{x, y\}$  with respect to the partial ordering in  $E$ . If so,  $|x| = \sup\{x, -x\}$  is the *absolute value* of  $x$  and if  $E$  is also a normed space such that  $\||x|\| = \|x\|$  for any  $x \in E$ , then  $E$  is called *normed lattice*. If a normed lattice is a Banach space, then it is called *Banach lattice*. If we consider the *pointwise partial ordering* on  $L^0(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mu)$ , then the *Orlicz Heart*  $X_l := \{x \in L^0 | \mathbb{E}_\mu[l(c|x|)] < \infty, \forall c > 0\}$  endowed with the *Luxemburg norm*

$$\|x\|_l := \inf \left\{ a > 0 \mid \mathbb{E}_\mu \left[ l \left( \frac{|x|}{a} \right) \right] \leq 1 \right\},$$

is a Banach lattice. The norm-dual of  $X_l$  is the  $X_l^* := \{y \in L^0 | \mathbb{E}_\mu[l^*(c|y|)] < \infty, \exists c > 0\}$  Orlicz Space, endowed with the Orlicz norm  $\|y\|_{l^*} := \sup\{\mathbb{E}_\mu(xy) : \|x\|_l \leq 1\}$ , being equivalent to the  $l^*$ -Luxemburg norm (see also in [4]). Since  $l(x) \geq x$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}_+$ , then  $X_l \subseteq L^1$ . We also denote by  $M_{l,l^*}(\mu)$  the probability measures on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F})$ , which are absolutely continuous with respect to  $\mu$  and their densities lie in  $X_l^*$  (see [6, p.5]). First, we remind the definitions of monetary risk measures on  $X_l$ , being alike to the ones met in [2, 5, 7].

**Definition 2.** A real-valued function  $\rho : X_l \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a *coherent monetary risk measure* if it is satisfying

- (i)  $\rho(x + a\mathbf{1}) = \rho(x) - a$  (Translation Invariance)
- (ii)  $\rho(\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)x) \leq \lambda \rho(x) + (1 - \lambda)\rho(y)$  for any  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$  (Convexity)
- (iii)  $\rho(\lambda x) = \lambda \rho(x)$  for any  $x \in X_l$  and any  $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}_+$  (Positive Homogeneity)
- (iv)  $y \geq x$  implies  $\rho(y) \leq \rho(x)$  (Monotonicity)

where  $x, y \in X_l$ , is called *convex*.

**Definition 3.** A correspondence  $\rho : X_l \rightarrow 2^{X_l}$  is a **coherent risk correspondence** if it satisfies the properties

- (i)  $\rho(x + a\mathbf{1}) = \rho(x) - \{a\mathbf{1}\}, a \in \mathbb{R}$  (Translation Invariance)
- (ii)  $\rho(\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)x) \subseteq \lambda\rho(x) + (1 - \lambda)\rho(y)$  for any  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$  (Convexity)
- (iii)  $\rho(\lambda x) = \lambda\rho(x)$  for any  $x \in X_I$  and any  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}_+$  (Positive Homogeneity)
- (iv)  $y \geq x$  implies  $\rho(y) \subseteq \rho(x)$  (Monotonicity)

where  $x, y \in X_I$ .

**Definition 4.** A financial position  $x$  is **safe with respect to**  $\rho : X_I \rightarrow 2^{X_I}$ , if for this  $x \in X_I, \rho(x) \subseteq -X_{I,+}$ .

**Definition 5.** The wedge of the safe financial positions  $\mathcal{A}_\rho = \{x \in X_I | \rho(x) \subseteq -X_{I,+}\}$  is called **acceptance set** of  $\rho$ .

Suppose that  $C$  is a wedge of a linear space  $E$ . A linear functional  $f$  of  $E$  is called *positive functional* of  $C$  if  $f(x) \geq 0$  for any  $x \in C$ .  $f$  is a *strictly positive functional* of  $C$  if  $f(x) > 0$  for any  $x \in C \setminus \{0\}$ . A linear functional  $f$  of  $E$ , where  $E$  is a normed linear space, is called *uniformly monotonic functional* of  $C$  if there is some real number  $a > 0$  such that  $f(x) \geq a\|x\|$  for any  $x \in C$ .

The set of functions  $C^0 = \{f \in E^* | f(x) \geq 0, \forall x \in C\}$  is the *dual wedge of  $C$  in  $E^*$* . If for two wedges  $K, C$  of  $E$   $K \subseteq C$  holds, then  $C^0 \subseteq K^0$ . If  $C$  is a cone, then a set  $B \subseteq C$  is called *base of  $C$*  if for any  $x \in C \setminus \{0\}$  there exists a unique  $\lambda_x > 0$  such that  $\lambda_x x \in B$ .

The set  $B_f = \{x \in C | f(x) = 1\}$ , where  $f$  is a strictly positive functional of  $C$  is the *base of  $C$  defined by  $f$* .  $B_f$  is bounded if and only if  $f$  is uniformly monotonic. If  $B$  is a bounded base of  $C$  such that  $0 \notin \bar{B}$  then  $C$  is called *well-based*. If  $C$  is well-based, then a bounded base of  $C$  defined by a  $g \in E^*$  exists. Also,  $f \in E^*$  is a uniformly monotonic functional of  $C$  if and only if  $f \in \text{int}C^0$ , where  $\text{int}C^0$  denotes the norm-interior of  $C^0$ .

**Theorem 1.** *The derivative monetary coherent risk measure  $\hat{\rho} : X_I \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \cup \{+\infty\}$ , which arises from  $\rho : X_I \rightarrow 2^{X_I}$  is defined as follows:*

$$\hat{\rho}(x) = \sup_{\pi \in \mathcal{A}_\rho^0 \cap M_{I,I^*}(\mu)} \pi(-x), x \in X_I.$$

The consistence range of  $\rho$  is used for the definition of a pricing functional  $\psi : E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , which satisfies the properties of a *generalized price* indicated in [1, Lem.3.3]. These properties are listed in the following

**Definition 6.** A functional  $\psi : E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a **generalized price** if and only if satisfies the following properties:

- (i) If  $x \geq y$ , then  $\psi(x) \geq \psi(y)$  ( $E_+$ -Monotonicity)
- (ii)  $\psi(x + y) \geq \psi(x) + \psi(y)$  (Super-Additivity)
- (iii)  $\psi(a \cdot x) = a\psi(x), x \in E, a \in \mathbb{R}_+$  (Positive Homogeneity)

We obtain the following duality between monetary coherent risk measures and generalized prices.

**Theorem 2.** *If  $\psi : X_I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a **generalized price** which is normalized at the numeraire financial position  $\mathbf{I} \in X_{I,+}$  ( $\psi(\mathbf{I}) = 1$ ) and satisfies the Translation Invariance  $\psi(x + a\mathbf{I}) = \psi(x) + a$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ , then  $-\psi = \rho_\psi$  is a monetary coherent risk measure. On the other hand if  $\rho : X_I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a monetary coherent risk measure, then  $-\rho = \psi_\rho : E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a generalized price functional.*

## 2 Monetary Risk Measures arising from Random Measures

We consider the probability space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mu)$  and a measurable space  $(E, \mathcal{E})$ . A *random measure* (see [8])  $\xi$  on  $(E, \mathcal{E})$  over the probability space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mu)$  is a map  $\xi : \mathcal{E} \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$ , such that

1. the map  $\omega \mapsto \xi(A, \omega)$  is a random variable for any  $A \in \mathcal{E}$
2. the map  $A \mapsto \xi(A, \omega)$  is a measure on  $\mathcal{E}$ ,  $\mu$ -almost surely in  $\Omega$ .

The measurable  $(E, \mathcal{E})$  is actually  $(S, \mathcal{B}_S)$ , where  $\mathcal{B}$  is the Borel  $\sigma$ -algebra on  $S$ . If we would like to create a  $\mathcal{V}$ -related coherent  $\rho : X_I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , where  $\mathcal{V}$  is a family of heavy-tailed distributions (see [3]), such that the densities of  $\xi(y)$ ,  $y \in S$  belong to  $M_{1,l^*}(\mu)$ , where  $S \subseteq Y$  is compact and  $Y$  is a finite-dimensional topological manifold  $Y$  (see [9]) of parameters of  $\mathcal{V}$ .

**Theorem 3.** *The following risk measure is coherent on  $X_I$*

$$\mathbb{E}\mathbb{S}_{a,\mathcal{V},S,I}(x) = \sup_{0 \leq \frac{d\mu_{\xi(y)}}{d\mu} \leq \frac{1}{a}, y \in S} \mathbb{E}_{\mu_{\xi(y)}}(-x), \quad x \in X_I.$$

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