

**Reading:** Fisher.ExperienceRating  
**Model:** 2018.Q9  
**Problem Type:** Apply the quintiles test

Fisher\_QuintilesTest (Problem 4)

**Given**

Risk #	Manual Premium	Loss	Mod	Standard Premium
1	890	525	1.09	970
2	598	479	1.17	700
3	902	383	0.97	875
4	1,009	1,368	1.15	1160
5	1,632	872	0.84	1371
6	1,071	938	0.92	985
7	998	1,392	1.27	1,267
8	812	1,224	1.13	918
9	1,390	1,566	1.21	1,682
10	755	1,011	1.03	778

**Find**

Apply the quintiles test and interpret the result.

**Solution**

First rank the risks from smallest to largest experience modification

Rank	Risk #	Manual Premium	Loss	Mod	Standard Premium
1	5	1632	872	0.84	1371
2	6	1071	938	0.92	985
3	3	902	383	0.97	875
4	10	755	1011	1.03	778
5	1	890	525	1.09	970
6	8	812	1224	1.13	918
7	4	1009	1368	1.15	1160
8	2	598	479	1.17	700
9	9	1390	1566	1.21	1682
10	7	998	1392	1.27	1267

Next, collapse into five groups. Here it is natural to group into consecutive pairs - on the exam make sure to state your logic when grouping.

Risk #s	Quintile	Manual Premium (1)	Loss (2)	Manual LR (3)	Average Mod (4)	Standard Premium (5)	Standard LR (6)
5, 6	1	2703	1810	67.0%	0.87	2356	76.8%
3, 10	2	1657	1394	84.1%	1.00	1653	84.4%
1, 8	3	1702	1749	102.8%	1.11	1888	92.7%
4, 2	4	1607	1847	114.9%	1.16	1860	99.3%
9, 7	5	2388	2958	123.9%	1.24	2949	100.3%

(1), (2), (5) Sum over risks in quintile

(3) = (2) / (1)

(4) = Sumproduct of the experience mod and manual premium within quintile, divided by the sum of the manual premium in the quintile.

(6) = (2) / [(4) \* (1)]

**Notes:**

- 1.) Since Standard Premium = Experience \* Manual Premium for any given risk, it wasn't necessary to calculate the average experience modification factor for each quintile.
- 2.) We get the same result if we calculate (6) = (2) / (5).

**Results:**

Manual Loss Ratio Dispersion = 56.9%

Standard Loss Ratio Dispersion = 23.5%

There is an **upward trend** in the manual loss ratio so the experience rating plan does a good job at identifying differences between risks.

There is an **upward trend** in the standard loss ratio so the experience rating plan **doesn't assign enough credibility** to the experience.

The standard loss ratio dispersion is **less than** the manual loss ratio dispersion – the experience rating plan **adjusts for differences** between risks.

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Fisher\_QuintilesTest (Problem 5)

**Given**

Risk #	Manual Premium	Loss	Mod	Standard Premium
1	1,083	1,429	1.26	1365
2	1,477	657	1.16	1713
3	876	1,338	0.93	815
4	905	1,322	1.14	1032
5	1,863	1,566	1.08	2012
6	1,097	1,336	1.00	1,097
7	1,802	1,781	1.04	1,874
8	1,117	599	1.28	1,430
9	1,659	1,031	0.83	1,377
10	1,072	1,857	1.18	1,265

**Find**

Apply the quintiles test and interpret the result.

**Solution**

First rank the risks from smallest to largest experience modification

Rank	Risk #	Manual Premium	Loss	Mod	Standard Premium
1	9	1659	1031	0.83	612
2	3	876	1338	0.93	936
3	6	1097	1336	1.00	1140
4	7	1802	1781	1.04	761
5	5	1863	1566	1.08	946
6	4	905	1322	1.14	1305
7	2	1477	657	1.16	1056
8	10	1072	1857	1.18	786
9	1	1083	1429	1.26	1299
10	8	1117	599	1.28	1074

Next, collapse into five groups. Here it is natural to group into consecutive pairs - on the exam make sure to state your logic when grouping.

Risk #s	Quintile	Manual Premium (1)	Loss (2)	Manual LR (3)	Average Mod (4)	Standard Premium (5)	Standard LR (6)
9, 3	1	2535	2369	93.5%	0.86	1548	108.1%
6, 7	2	2899	3117	107.5%	1.02	1901	104.9%
5, 4	3	2768	2888	104.3%	1.10	2251	94.9%
2, 10	4	2549	2514	98.6%	1.17	1842	84.4%
1, 8	5	2200	2028	92.2%	1.27	2373	72.6%

(1), (2), (5) Sum over risks in quintile

(3) = (2) / (1)

(4) = Sumproduct of the experience mod and manual premium within quintile, divided by the sum of the manual premium in the quintile.

(6) = (2) / [(4) \* (1)]

**Notes:**

- 1.) Since Standard Premium = Experience \* Manual Premium for any given risk, it wasn't necessary to calculate the average experience modification factor for each quintile.
- 2.) We get the same result if we calculate (6) = (2) / (5).

**Results:**

Manual Loss Ratio Dispersion = 15.3%

Standard Loss Ratio Dispersion = 35.5%

There is a **downward trend** in the standard loss ratio. This means the experience rating plan **assigns too much credibility** to the experience.

There is no clear trend in the manual loss ratio so the plan does a poor job at identifying differences between risks.

The standard loss ratio dispersion is greater than the manual loss ratio dispersion so experience rating does not improve the situation.