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continuous version of LOTP

$$f_{\mathcal{Y}} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{\mathcal{X}}(x) \cdot f_{\mathcal{Y}|\mathcal{X}}(y|x) dx$$

$$E(\mathcal{Y}|x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y f_{\mathcal{Y}|\mathcal{X}}(y|x) dy$$

$$E(\mathcal{Y}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{\mathcal{X}}(x) \cdot E(\mathcal{Y}|x) dx \quad (\text{Adam})$$

$$\hookrightarrow = E_{\mathcal{X}}[E(\mathcal{Y}|x)] \quad \leftarrow$$

Def: $V(\mathcal{Y}|x) \triangleq E_{\mathcal{Y}}\{[\mathcal{Y} - E(\mathcal{Y}|x)]^2 | x\}$

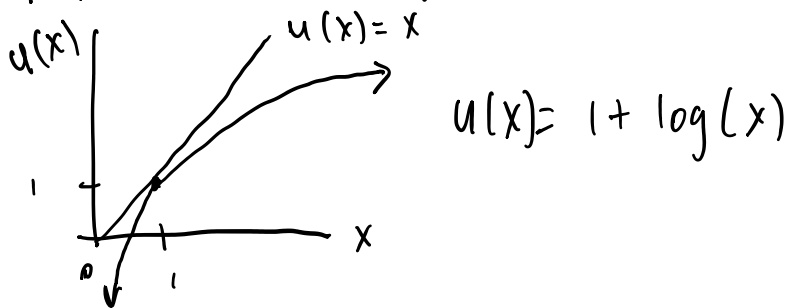
$$V(\mathcal{Y}) = E_{\mathcal{X}}[V(\mathcal{Y}|x)] + V_{\mathcal{X}}[E(\mathcal{Y}|x)] \quad \leftarrow (EVE)$$

Utility

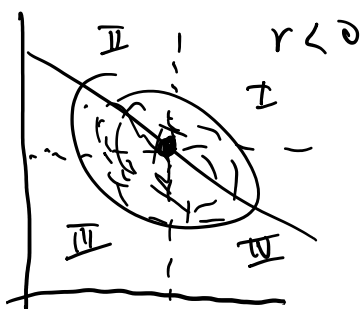
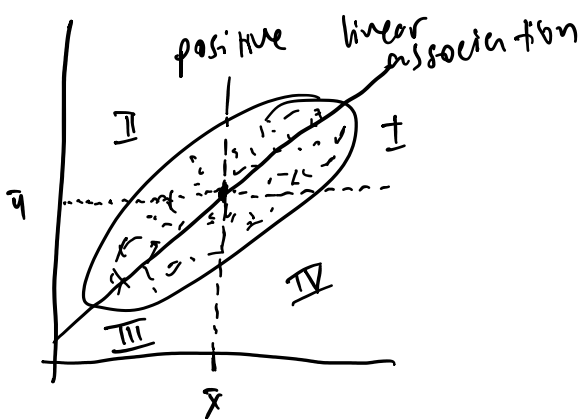
risk-averse vs. risk-seeking

Your utility function $u(x)$ is that function which assigns to each possible net gain $-\infty < x < \infty$ a real $\neq u(x)$ representing the value to you of gaining x .

proposed sublinear function:



wlog as $x \uparrow$ $u(x) \uparrow$



negative linear association

