

# Supplemental Material

## S1 Proof of Chiba et al.'s (2011) Sensitivity Analysis Formula (7)

Note that individuals with observed  $A = 1$  and  $S = s$  must have  $S_1 = s$ . Let  $\pi_u = Pr(U = u)$ , where  $u = ss, s\bar{s}, \bar{s}s, \bar{s}\bar{s}$  denote the proportion of individuals in each principal stratum. We can express  $E(Y_1|A = 1, S = s)$  as the weighted sum of  $E(Y_1|U = ss)$  and  $E(Y_1|U = s\bar{s})$ :

$$E(Y_1|A = 1, S = s) = \frac{\pi_{s\bar{s}}E(Y_1|U = s\bar{s}) + \pi_{ss}E(Y_1|U = ss)}{\pi_{s\bar{s}} + \pi_{ss}}, \quad (S1.1)$$

where  $\pi_{s\bar{s}} + \pi_{ss} = Pr(S_1 = s, S_0 = \bar{s}) + Pr(S_1 = s, S_0 = s) = Pr(S_1 = s) = Pr(S_1 = s|A = 1) = Pr(S = s|A = 1) = p_1$  because  $S_a$  ( $a = 1$  or  $0$ ) is independent from  $A$  due to randomization. Likewise, because individuals with the observed value of  $A = 0$  and  $S = s$  are limited to those with  $S_0 = s$ ,  $E(Y_0|A = 0, S = s)$  can be expressed by the weighted sum of  $E(Y_0|U = ss)$  and  $E(Y_0|U = \bar{s}s)$ :

$$E(Y_0|A = 0, S = s) = \frac{\pi_{\bar{s}s}E(Y_0|U = \bar{s}s) + \pi_{ss}E(Y_0|U = ss)}{\pi_{\bar{s}s} + \pi_{ss}}, \quad (S1.2)$$

where  $\pi_{\bar{s}s} + \pi_{ss} = Pr(S_1 = \bar{s}, S_0 = s) + Pr(S_1 = s, S_0 = s) = Pr(S_0 = s) = Pr(S_0 = s|A = 0) = Pr(S = s|A = 0) = p_0$ .

Let  $\beta_1 = E(Y_1|U = s\bar{s}) - E(Y_1|U = ss)$  denote the difference in average potential outcomes under TEST between the stratum ‘‘PP with TEST only’’ and the stratum ‘‘always PP.’’ Substituting  $E(Y_1|U = s\bar{s}) = \beta_1 + E(Y_1|U = ss)$  into equation (S1.1) yields

$$\begin{aligned} E(Y_1|A = 1, S = s) &= \frac{\pi_{s\bar{s}}(\beta_1 + E(Y_1|U = ss)) + \pi_{ss}E(Y_1|U = ss)}{\pi_{s\bar{s}} + \pi_{ss}} \\ &= \frac{(\pi_{s\bar{s}} + \pi_{ss})E(Y_1|U = ss) + \pi_{s\bar{s}}\beta_1}{\pi_{s\bar{s}} + \pi_{ss}} \\ &= E(Y_1|U = ss) + \frac{\pi_{s\bar{s}}}{p_1}\beta_1 \\ &= E(Y_1|U = ss) + \frac{p_1 - p_0 + \pi_{s\bar{s}}}{p_1}\beta_1, \end{aligned} \quad (S1.3)$$

where  $\pi_{s\bar{s}} = p_1 - \pi_{ss} = p_1 - (p_0 - \pi_{\bar{s}s}) = p_1 - p_0 + \pi_{\bar{s}s}$ .

Similarly, Let  $\beta_0 = E(Y_0|U = \bar{s}s) - E(Y_0|U = ss)$  denote the difference in average potential outcomes under RLD between the stratum “PP with RLD only” and the stratum “always PP.” Substituting  $E(Y_0|U = \bar{s}s) = \beta_0 + E(Y_0|U = ss)$  into (S1.2) yields

$$E(Y_0|A = 0, S = s) = E(Y_0|U = ss) + \frac{\pi_{\bar{s}s}}{p_0}\beta_0. \quad (\text{S1.4})$$

In addition,  $E(Y_a|A = a, S = s) = E(Y|A = a, S = s)$  because of consistency assumption (a persons potential outcome under a hypothetical condition is precisely the outcome experienced by that person (Robins et al., 2000)), equation (7) is therefore proved.

## S2 Proof of the boundaries of $\pi_{\bar{s}s}$ (8)

As previously explained,  $\pi_{s\bar{s}} + \pi_{ss} = Pr(S_1 = s, S_0 = \bar{s}) + Pr(S_1 = s, S_0 = s) = Pr(S_1 = s) = Pr(S_1 = s|A = 1) = Pr(S = s|A = 1) = p_1$ ; Similarly  $\pi_{\bar{s}s} + \pi_{ss} = Pr(S_1 = \bar{s}, S_0 = s) + Pr(S_1 = s, S_0 = s) = Pr(S_0 = s) = Pr(S_0 = s|A = 0) = Pr(S = s|A = 0) = p_0$ . Therefore, we have following three equations:

$$\begin{cases} \pi_{ss} + \pi_{s\bar{s}} = p_1, \\ \pi_{ss} + \pi_{\bar{s}s} = p_0, \\ \pi_{ss} + \pi_{s\bar{s}} + \pi_{\bar{s}s} + \pi_{\bar{s}\bar{s}} = 1; \end{cases} \quad (\text{S2.1})$$

which implies that

$$\begin{cases} \pi_{ss} = p_0 - \pi_{\bar{s}s}, \\ \pi_{s\bar{s}} = p_1 - p_0 + \pi_{\bar{s}s}, \\ \pi_{\bar{s}\bar{s}} = 1 - p_1 - \pi_{\bar{s}s}. \end{cases} \quad (\text{S2.2})$$

In addition, because  $\pi_u = Pr(U = u)$ ,  $u = ss, s\bar{s}, \bar{s}s, \bar{s}\bar{s}$  are bounded probabilities, i.e.,

$$\begin{cases} 0 \leq \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq p_0, \\ 0 \leq \pi_{ss} \leq \min(p_0, p_1) \\ 0 \leq \pi_{s\bar{s}} \leq p_1, \\ 0 \leq \pi_{\bar{s}\bar{s}} \leq \min(1 - p_0, 1 - p_1). \end{cases} \quad (\text{S2.3})$$

Substituting in (S2.2) into (S2.3), we have

$$\begin{cases} 0 \leq \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq p_0, \\ 0 \leq p_0 - \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq \min(p_0, p_1) \\ 0 \leq p_1 - p_0 + \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq p_1, \\ 0 \leq 1 - p_1 - \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq \min(1 - p_0, 1 - p_1). \end{cases} \quad (\text{S2.4})$$

The four inequalities imply that  $p_0 - p_1 \leq \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq p_0$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 \leq \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq p_0, \\ \max[0, p_0 - p_1] \leq \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq p_0, \\ p_0 - p_1 \leq \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq p_0, \\ \max[0, p_0 - p_1] \leq \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq 1 - p_1. \end{array} \right. \quad (\text{S2.5})$$

Therefore,  $\max[0, p_0 - p_1] \leq \pi_{\bar{s}s} \leq \min[p_0, 1 - p_1]$ , and (8) is proved.