8th talk: The inverse transform martingale coupling

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We exhibit a new martingale coupling between two probability measures μ and ν in convex order on the real line. This coupling is explicit in terms of the integrals of the positive and negative parts of the difference between the quantile functions of μ and ν . The integral of |y-x| with respect to this coupling is smaller than twice the Wasserstein distance with index one between μ and ν . When the comonotonous coupling between μ and ν is given by a map T, it minimizes the integral of |y-T(x)| among all martingales couplings.

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