Non-Catastrophe Analytics in Touchstone

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the impact of risk from non-catastrophe perils
- Calculate ground-up non-cat losses for each location and distribute losses into excess layers, using integrated ISO data products or your own loss costs and first loss curves
- Streamline underwriting workflow and increase productivity in a single platform

Increasingly, companies are seeking a comprehensive view of their risk, and that requires accounting for both catastrophe and non-catastrophe perils. With the integration of non-catastrophe (non-cat) analytics in Touchstone[®], companies have a powerful way to assess their risk not only from catastrophes, but also from perils such as fire, lightning, explosion, vandalism and malicious mischief, and sprinkler leakage.



Touchstone provides insurers and reinsurers with a comprehensive solution to understand the risk presented by a broad range of cat and non-cat perils within a single workflow, helping them to make better informed pricing, underwriting, and risk transfer decisions.

Catastrophe and Non-Catastrophe Loss Analyses Can Be Conducted Simultaneously

Touchstone enables companies to conduct cat and non-cat analyses simultaneously using the same exposure attributes already collected and imported for catastrophe modeling (including location, construction, occupancy, coverage terms, and reinsurance). In addition, Touchstone's exposure data schema has been expanded to enable you to capture location-level exposure attributes that are critical to understanding the risk presented by non-catastrophic perils. These attributes are: the presence of a sprinkler system and ISO Public Protection Class, Construction, and Occupancy codes.

Users can input custom non-cat data for their analyses, or leverage some of ISO's industry-leading products developed based on more than 20 years of data collected by AIR's parent company, Verisk Analytics—that have been seamlessly integrated into Touchstone.



Calculate Expected Ground-Up Losses

Right within Touchstone, users can apply loss cost data to calculate expected ground-up losses (or average annual loss) for non-cat perils at the location level.

Users with the appropriate licensing can leverage ISO loss cost data for commercial and residential properties. Advisory Prospective Loss Costs are available for commercial property for the Basic Group I perils (fire, lightning, explosion, vandalism and malicious mischief, and sprinkler leakage) and the Special Causes of Loss perils (theft; weight of snow, ice, or sleet; water damage; and glass breakage). Homeowner's Loss Costs (with hurricane loss costs removed) are also available for residential property. Touchstone selects which to apply based on occupancy and user-set defaults.

Alternatively, users can apply their own custom loss costs to each location. These can be imported as a template, or entered manually through the Touchstone user interface.

Distribute Non-Cat Losses into Excess Layers

In addition to calculating non-cat ground-up losses, Touchstone allows you to distribute gross and/or net losses into your company's contract layers and excess per risk treaties. Users can leverage ISO's Property Size-of-Loss Database (PSOLD[™]) curves for commercial and residential properties, which have been integrated into Touchstone and are available if licensed.

PSOLD curves are the most robust set of first loss curves in the industry and are based on 20 years of U.S. claims data collected by ISO with loss detail linked to exposure information by amount of insurance, state, occupancy, coverage, and peril. With over 1 million individual curves, PSOLD has been tested and validated to be able to distribute losses into multiple layers of coverage, both in the U.S. and around the world.

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Event Set Filte	r: Filters not applied	Apply event set fi	lter		
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Financial Setti	ings: Correlation:	off -			
	Disaggregation:	Off •			
	Average Properties	Off •			
	For Invalid Con/Oce	Pairs: Ignore	•		
	Apply location term	Apply location terms for residential contracts: AIR default behavior			
Flexibility:	Loss Modification F	actor: None	• 🥖		
	Baseline Analysis:	None			
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ISO PSOLD [®] Coverage F O Buildings	te Losses to Excess L orm (Commercial Only) plus contents plus contents plus time eler				
Loss Trend Commercial					
Trend From:	Trend To:	Annual Trend Factor:			
12/31/2011	~ 03/10/2015 ~	1.00			
Residential					
Trend From: 02/28/2013		Annual Trend Factor: 1.00			
A01 Trend	0092092023	1.00			
In-force Date	: Avg. Policy Date:	AOI Trend Factor:	AOI Adjustment Factor:		
01/01/2014		1.00	1.00		
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250		300 %	1.00		

Cat and non-cat analysis options are available in the Detailed Loss Analysis window and can be run in parallel or independently

Workflow Has Worldwide Applicability

AIR Worldwide provides catastrophe models for over 90 countries, and ISO is expanding the applicability of their loss cost data for use in countries outside the U.S. by adjusting for differences such as construction, occupancy, protection, exposure, and amount of insurance. ISO has already released PSOLD curves for the United Kingdom, Germany, France, the Netherlands, and Australia. Other countries such as Brazil and Japan are in the process of being validated. Future versions of Touchstone will support non-catastrophe analysis for countries outside the United States.

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