


# The Transmuted Geometric-Inverse Weibull Distribution: Properties, Characterizations and Application

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## ABSTRACT

*In this paper, a four parameters flexible life time distribution called the transmuted geometric-inverse Weibull (TG-IW) distribution is obtained from mixture of inverse Weibull distribution, geometric distribution and transmuted distribution. Some structural and mathematical properties including descriptive measures on the basis of quantiles, moments, factorial moments, incomplete moments, inequality measures, residual life functions and some other properties are theoretically taken up. The TG-IW distribution is characterized via different techniques. The estimates of parameters for the TG-IW distribution are being obtained from maximum likelihood method. The significance and flexibility of the TG-IW distribution is tested through different measures by application to physical data set.*

**Keywords:** Geometric Distribution; Moments; Characterization; Maximum Likelihood Method

## 1. Introduction

The generalizations of probability distribution are more flexible and suitable for many real data sets compared to classical distributions. Azzalini (1985) derived Skewed Family with additional skewing parameter. Gupta et al. (1998) developed exponentiated family. Marshal and Olkin (1997) introduced a parameter to a family of distributions. Eugene et al. (2002) established family formed from Beta distribution. Jones (2004) also presented a family generated from Beta distribution. The transmuted family was presented by Shaw and Buckley (2007). Zografos Balakrishnan (2009) established family made from gamma distribution. Cordeiro and Castro (2011) developed family produced from Kumaraswamy distribution. Alexander et al. (2012) studied family made from McDonald distribution. Cordeiro et al. (2013) studied exponentiated generalized family of distribution. Torabi and Montazari (2014) studied a family of distributions created from logistic distribution. Alizadeh et al. (2015) also developed Kumaraswamy Marshal Olkin family. Alizadeh et al. (2015) also proposed Kumaraswamy odd log-logistic family. Afify et al. (2016) developed a family of distributions named Kumaraswamy transmuted-G family. Afify et al. (2016) presented transmuted geometric-G family (TG-G). No fal et al. (2017) studied mathematical properties, characterizations and regression models for the transmuted geometric Weibull distribution. Khan and Jan (2016) studied inverse Weibull geometric (IW-G) distribution. Bhatti (2017) studied characterizations of inverse Weibull geometric (I-W-G) distribution. Bhatti et al. (2018) studied the transmuted geometric-quadratic hazard rate distribution along with its various properties.



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The basic motivations for the TG-IW distribution is (i) to generate distributions with arc and positively skewed shaped (ii) to get increasing or decreasing and inverted bathtub hazard rate function (iii) to serve as the best alternative model for other current models to explore and modeling real data in economics, life testing, reliability, survival analysis manufacturing and other areas of research and (iv) to provides better fits than other sub-models.

Our interest is to study the TG-IW distribution along with its properties, applications and examine the usefulness of this distribution for modeling phenomena compared to the sub-models.

## 2. The TG-IW Distribution

The probability density function (pdf) for mixture of continuous probability distribution, geometric distribution and transmuted distribution is

$$f(x; \theta, \lambda) = \frac{\theta g(x)}{[1 + (\theta - 1)G(x)]^2} \left[ 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta G(x)}{(1 + (\theta - 1)G(x))} \right], \quad |\lambda| \leq 1, \theta \in (0, 1), x > 0. \quad (1)$$

The cumulative distribution function (cdf) for TG-G family mixture of continuous probability distribution, geometric distribution and transmuted distribution is

$$F(x; \theta, \lambda) = \frac{\theta G(x)}{[1 + (\theta - 1)G(x)]} \left[ 1 + \frac{\lambda \bar{G}(x)}{(1 + (\theta - 1)G(x))} \right], \quad |\lambda| \leq 1, \theta \in (0, 1), x \geq 0. \quad (2)$$

The popular lifetime distribution applicable for useful life, failure time spans, mortality, maintenance spans and maintenance cost in the fields like survival and reliability analysis are called inverse Weibull distributions. The cdf and pdf of inverse Weibull distributions are

$$G(x; \alpha, \beta) = e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}, \quad x \geq 0, \quad (3a)$$

and

$$g(x; k, \alpha, \beta) = \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}, \quad x > 0. \quad (3b)$$

The object of this article is to propose four parameters the TG-IW distribution from mixture of inverse Weibull distribution, geometric distribution and transmuted distribution by the application of Transmuted geometric-G family (TG-G).

The pdf and cdf of a random variable X with the TG-IW distribution are obtained by inducting (3a) and (3b) in (1) and (2) as

$$f(x; \alpha, \beta, \lambda, \theta) = \frac{\theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^2} \left[ 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda \theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{(1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})} \right], \quad x > 0, \quad (4)$$

$$F(x; \alpha, \beta, \lambda, \theta) = \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]} \left[ 1 + \frac{\lambda (1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})}{(1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})} \right], \quad x \geq 0, \quad (5)$$

where  $\alpha > 0$ ,  $\beta > 0$ ,  $|\lambda| \leq 1$  and  $\theta \in (0, 1)$  are parameters. It is simple to observe that  $F(x)$  is strictly increasing and differential in  $(0, \infty)$ . The cdf of the TG-IW also show that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} F(x) = 1$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} F(x) = 0$ . It means that  $F(x)$  is an absolutely continuous cdf. This research article is composed as follows. In Section 2, the TG-IW distribution is introduced. In Section 3, the TG-IW distribution is studied in terms of various structural properties, plots, sub-models and descriptive measures on the basis of quantiles are taken up. In Section 4, moments about origin, negative moments, fractional moments, moments about mean, moment generating function, cumulants generating function, incomplete moments, residual life functions, mean inactivity life and mean residual life function and inequality measures are and some other properties are theoretically derived. In Section 5, order statistics for the TG-IW distribution are proposed. In Section 6, the TG-IW distribution is characterized through (i) ratio of truncated moments; (ii) reverse hazard rate function and (iii) elasticity function. In Section 7, estimates of parameters for the TG-IW distribution are obtained from maximum likelihood method. Goodness of fit of the TG-IW distribution is checked through different methods is studied. Conclusion is given at the end.

### 3. Structural Properties of the TG-IW Distribution

The survival, hazard, reverse hazard and cumulative hazard functions of a random variable X with the TG-IW distribution are given, respectively, by

$$f(x; \alpha, \beta, \lambda, \theta) = \frac{\theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left[1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^2} \left[1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda \theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left(1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)}\right], \quad x > 0, \quad (4)$$

$$F(x; \alpha, \beta, \lambda, \theta) = \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left[1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]} \left[1 + \frac{\lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})}{\left(1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)}\right], \quad x \geq 0, \quad (5)$$

$$S(x) = 1 - \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left(1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)} \left[1 + \frac{\lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})}{\left(1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)}\right], \quad (6)$$

$$h(x) = \frac{\theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[ (1 + \lambda) \left(1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right) - 2\lambda \theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right]}{\left[1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^3 - \theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} + \lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})\right]}, \quad (7)$$

$$H(x) = -\ln \left[ 1 - \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left(1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)} \left[ 1 + \frac{\lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})}{\left(1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)} \right] \right], \quad (8)$$

$$\text{and } r(x) = \frac{f(x)}{F(x)} = \frac{\alpha\beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} \left( 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{(1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})} \right)}{\left[ (1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) + \lambda(1-e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) \right]}, \tag{9}$$

The Mills ratio of the TG-IW distribution is

$$m(x) = \frac{\left[ 1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right]^3 - \theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[ 1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} + \lambda(1-e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) \right]}{\theta\alpha\beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[ (1+\lambda)(1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) - 2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right]}. \tag{10}$$

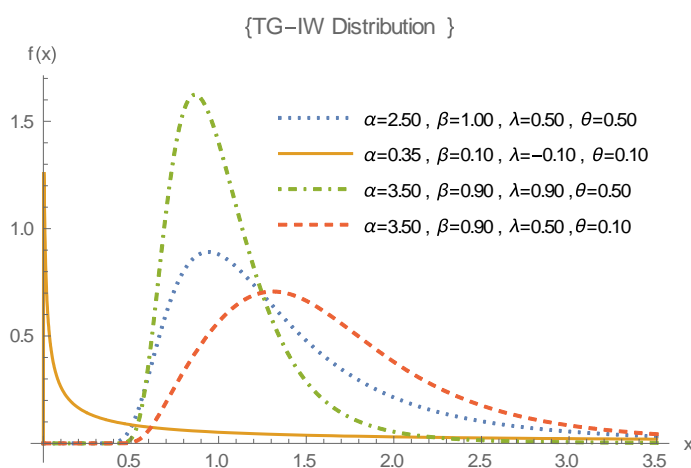
The Elasticity  $e(x) = \frac{d \ln F(x)}{d \ln x} = xr(x)$ , of the TG-IW distribution is

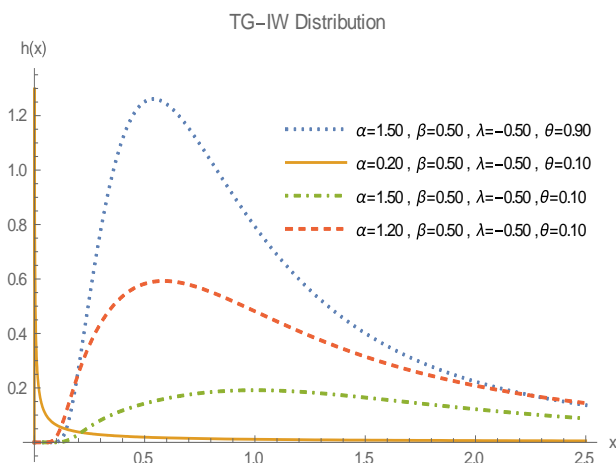
$$e(x) = \frac{\alpha\beta^\alpha \left[ (1+\lambda)(1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) - 2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right]}{x^\alpha \left[ 1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} + \lambda(1-e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) \right]}. \tag{11}$$

The elasticity of the TG-IW distribution shows the behavior of accumulation of probability in the domain of the random variable.

### 3.1 Shapes of the TG-IW Density and Hazard Rate Function

The TG-IW density is arc and positively skewed (Fig. 1). The TG-IW hazard is increasing or decreasing and inverted bathtub hazard rate function (Fig. 2).





**Fig. 1: Plots of pdf of the TG-IW Distribution Distribution**

**Fig. 2: Plots of hrf of the TG-IW**

**3.2 Sub Models of the TG-IW Distribution**

The TG-IW distribution has wide applications in life testing, survival analysis, and reliability theory. The TG-IW distribution has the following sub models.

**Table 1: Sub-models of the TG-IW Distribution**

Sr.No.	$\theta$	$\lambda$	$\alpha$	$\beta$	Name of Distribution
1	0	0	1	$\beta$	Inverse Exponential
2	0	0	2	$\beta$	Inverse Rayleigh
3	0	0	$\alpha$	$\beta$	Inverse Weibull
4	$\theta$	0	1	$\beta$	Inverse Exponential Geometric
5	$\theta$	0	2	$\beta$	Inverse Rayleigh Geometric
6	$\theta$	0	$\alpha$	$\beta$	Inverse Weibull Geometric
7	0	$\lambda$	1	$\beta$	Transmuted Inverse Exponential
8	0	$\lambda$	2	$\beta$	Transmuted Inverse Rayleigh
9	0	$\lambda$	$\alpha$	$\beta$	Transmuted Inverse Weibull
10	$\theta$	$\lambda$	1	$\beta$	TG-Inverse Exponential
11	$\theta$	$\lambda$	2	$\beta$	TG-Inverse Rayleigh
12	$\theta$	$\lambda$	$\alpha$	$\beta$	TG-Inverse Weibull

**3.3. Descriptive Measures Based On Quantiles**

In this sub-section, descriptive measures on the basis of quantiles are taken up.

The quantile function of the TG-IW distribution is

$$x_q = \left\{ -\frac{1}{\beta^\alpha} \ln \left[ \frac{\lambda + 1 - \sqrt{(\lambda + 1)^2 - 4\lambda q}}{2\lambda\theta + (1-\theta) \left[ \lambda + 1 - \sqrt{(\lambda + 1)^2 - 4\lambda q} \right]} \right] \right\}^{-\frac{1}{\alpha}} \tag{12}$$

Median of the TG-IW distribution is

$$x_{Med} = \left\{ -\frac{1}{\beta^\alpha} \ln \left[ \frac{\lambda + 1 - \sqrt{(\lambda + 1)^2 - 2\lambda}}{2\lambda\theta + (1-\theta) \left[ \lambda + 1 - \sqrt{(\lambda + 1)^2 - 2\lambda} \right]} \right] \right\}^{-\frac{1}{\alpha}} \tag{13}$$

The random number generator of the TG-IW distribution is

$$X = \left\{ -\frac{1}{\beta^\alpha} \ln \left[ \frac{\lambda + 1 - \sqrt{(\lambda + 1)^2 - 4\lambda Z}}{2\lambda\theta + (1-\theta) \left[ \lambda + 1 - \sqrt{(\lambda + 1)^2 - 4\lambda Z} \right]} \right] \right\}^{-\frac{1}{\alpha}} \tag{14}$$

where the random variable Z has uniform distribution on (0,1). Some measures based

on quartiles for location, dispersion, skewness and kurtosis for the TG-IW distribution respectively

are: Median  $M=Q(0.5)$  and quartile deviation is  $Q.D. = \frac{Q_3 - Q_1}{2}$ . Bowley's skewness measure is

$S_q = \frac{Q_3 - 2Q_1 + Q_1}{\frac{Q_3 - Q_1}{4}}$  and Moors kurtosis measure based on Octiles is  $K = \frac{Q_7 - Q_5 + Q_3 - Q_1}{\frac{Q_6 - Q_2}{8}}$ . The

measures based on quantile exist for the distributions whose moments does not exist. The measures based on quantiles are rarer sensitive to the outliers.

### 3.4 Median Inactivity Time Function

Kandil et al. (2010) developed median inactivity time (MDIT) function. The MDIT function in terms of cdf of a continuous life time distribution is  $MDIT(z) = z - F_X^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} F_X(z) \right)$ .

The MDIT function in terms of (5) for the TG-IW distribution is

$$MDIT(z) = z - \left\{ -\frac{1}{\beta^\alpha} \ln \left[ \frac{\lambda + 1 - \sqrt{(\lambda + 1)^2 - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/z)^\alpha}}{1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/z)^\alpha}} \left[ 1 + \frac{\lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/z)^\alpha}}{1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/z)^\alpha}} \right]} \right]}{2\lambda\theta + (1-\theta) \left[ \lambda + 1 - \sqrt{(\lambda + 1)^2 - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/z)^\alpha}}{1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/z)^\alpha}} \left[ 1 + \frac{\lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/z)^\alpha}}{1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/z)^\alpha}} \right]} \right]} \right] \right\}^{-\frac{1}{\alpha}} \tag{15}$$

### 4. Moments and Inequality Measures

In this section, moments about origin, negative moments, fractional moments, moment about mean, moment generating function, cumulants generating function, incomplete moments, inequality measures, residual life functions, mean inactivity life, mean residual life function and some other properties are theoretically derived.

#### 4.1 Moments about origin

The  $r^{\text{th}}$  moments of the random variable X with the TG-IW distribution about the origin are given by

$$\mu'_r = E(X^r) = \int_0^\infty x^r \frac{\theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left[1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^2} \left[1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left(1 + (\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)}\right] dx,$$

$$\mu'_r = \beta^r \theta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{r}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right], \tag{15}$$

where  $(\ell)_k = \frac{\Gamma(\ell+k)}{\Gamma(\ell)}$  is Pochhammer symbol.

Mean and Variance for the TG-IW distribution are given, respectively

$$E(X) = \beta \theta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right],$$

and

$$Var(X) = \left[ \beta^2 \theta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{2}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left( (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{2}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{2}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right) - \left( \beta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left( (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right) \right)^2 \right].$$

An important measure of variability of a random variable is Fisher index of dispersion

$$FI = \frac{Var(X)}{E(X)} = \frac{\left[ \beta^2 \theta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{2}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left( (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{2}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{2}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right) - \left( \beta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left( (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right) \right)^2 \right]}{\beta \theta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left( (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right)}$$

For FI=1, the TG-IW distribution is equidispersed, for FI<1, the TG-IW distribution is under dispersed and for FI>1, the TG-IW distribution is over dispersed.

The fractional positive moments of X with the TG-IW distribution about the origin are given by

$$\mu'_{\frac{r}{s}} = E(X^{\frac{r}{s}}) = \beta^{\frac{r}{s}} \theta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{r}{\alpha s}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha s}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha s}-1} (3)_\ell \right]. \tag{16}$$

The  $q^{\text{th}}$  central moments about mean of X for the TG-IW distribution are determined from

$$\mu_q = E[X - E(X)]^q = \sum_{v=1}^q \binom{q}{v} (-1)^v E(X^v) E(X^{q-v}),$$

$$\mu_q = \beta^q \theta^2 \sum_{v=1}^q \binom{q}{v} (-1)^v \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{v}{\alpha}\right) \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{q-v}{\alpha}\right) \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{(q-v)}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{(q-v)}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix}.$$

Pearson's measures of skewness  $\gamma_1$  and Kurtosis  $\beta_2$  are

$$\gamma_1 = \frac{-\mu_3}{(\mu_2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} = \frac{\left[ \beta^3 \theta^2 \sum_{v=1}^3 \binom{3}{v} (-1)^v \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{v}{\alpha}\right) \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{3-v}{\alpha}\right) \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{3-v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{3-v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \right]^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\left[ \beta^2 \theta^2 \sum_{v=1}^2 \binom{2}{v} (-1)^v \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{v}{\alpha}\right) \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{2-v}{\alpha}\right) \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{2-v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{2-v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \right]^{\frac{3}{2}}}, \quad (17)$$

$$\beta_2 = \frac{-\mu_4}{(\mu_2)^2} = \frac{\left[ \beta^4 \theta^2 \sum_{v=1}^4 \binom{4}{v} (-1)^v \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{v}{\alpha}\right) \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{4-v}{\alpha}\right) \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{4-v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{4-v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \right]^2}{\left[ \beta^2 \theta^2 \sum_{v=1}^2 \binom{2}{v} (-1)^v \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{v}{\alpha}\right) \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{2-v}{\alpha}\right) \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (1+\lambda) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+1)^{\frac{2-v}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - \\ 2\lambda\theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell (\ell+2)^{\frac{2-v}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \end{pmatrix} \right]^2}. \quad (18)$$

The negative moments are used to determine to harmonic mean and many other measures. The  $r^{\text{th}}$  negative moments about origin of X for the TG-IW distribution are

$$\mu'_{-r} = E(X^{-r}) = \beta^{-r} \theta \Gamma\left(1 + \frac{r}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right]. \quad (19)$$

The fractional negative moments about origin of X for the TG-IW distribution are given as

$$\mu'_{-\frac{r}{s}} = E(X^{-\frac{r}{s}}) = \beta^{\frac{r}{s}} \theta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{r}{\alpha s}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha s}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha s}-1} (3)_\ell \right]. \quad (20)$$

The factorial moments for the TG-IW distribution are

$$E[X]_m = \sum_{r=1}^m \gamma_r E(X^r) = \sum_{r=1}^m \gamma_r \mu'_r,$$

$$E[X]_m = \sum_{r=1}^m \gamma_r \beta^r \theta \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{r}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right], \quad (21)$$

Where  $[Z]_i = Z(Z+1)(Z+2)\dots(Z+i-1)$  and  $\gamma_r$  is Stirling number of the first kind.

The Mellin transform helps to determine moments for a probability distribution. By definition, the

Mellin transform is

$$M\{f(x); s\} = f^*(s) = \int_0^{\infty} f(x) x^{s-1} dx.$$



The Mellin transform of X for the TG-IW distribution is

$$M\{f(x);s\} = \int_0^\infty x^{s-1} \frac{\theta\alpha\beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^2} \left[1+\lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left(1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)}\right] dx,$$

$$M\{f(x);s\} = \beta^{s-1}\theta\Gamma\left(1-\frac{s-1}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{s-1}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{s-1}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right]. \tag{22}$$

The moments generating function of random variable X with the TG-IW distribution is

$$M_x(t) = E\left[e^{tX}\right] = \sum_{r=0}^r \frac{t^r}{r!} \mu_r',$$

$$M_x(t) = \sum_{r=0}^r \frac{t^r}{r!} \beta^r \theta \Gamma\left(1-\frac{r}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right]. \tag{23}$$

The cumulant moments generating function  $K(t)$  for X with the TG-IW distribution is

$$K(t) = \log M_x(t) = \log \left[ \sum_{r=0}^r \frac{t^r}{r!} \mu_r' \right]$$

$$K(t) = \log \left[ \sum_{r=0}^r \frac{t^r}{r!} \beta^r \theta \Gamma\left(1-\frac{r}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right] \right]. \tag{24}$$

The cumulants for X with the TG-IW distribution are obtained from relation

$$k_r = E(X^r) - \sum_{c=1}^{r-1} \binom{r-1}{c-1} k_c E(X^{r-c}), \text{ as}$$

$$k_r = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \beta^r \theta \Gamma\left(1-\frac{r}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right] \\ - \sum_{c=1}^{r-1} \binom{r-1}{c-1} k_c \beta^{r-c} \theta \Gamma\left(1-\frac{r}{\alpha}\right) \sum_{\ell=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{r-c}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{r-c}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right] \end{array} \right\}. \tag{25}$$

### 4.2 Incomplete Moments

Incomplete moments are used to study mean inactivity life, mean residual life function and other inequality measures.

The lower incomplete moments for the random variable X with the TG-IW distribution are

$$\varphi_r(z) = E_{X \leq z}(X^r) = \int_0^z x^r \frac{\theta\alpha\beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^2} \left[1+\lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left(1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)}\right] dx,$$

$$\varphi_r(z) = \beta^r \theta \gamma \left( z; 1 - \frac{r}{\alpha} \right) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta - 1)^\ell \left[ (1 + \lambda)(\ell + 1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha} - 1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell + 2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha} - 1} (3)_\ell \right]. \quad (26)$$

The upper incomplete moments for the random variable X with the TG-IW distribution are

$$E_{X>z}(X^r) = \int_z^{\infty} x^r \frac{\theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left[ 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right]^2} \left[ 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left( 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right)} \right] dx,$$

$$E_{X>z}(X^r) = \beta^r \theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta - 1)^\ell \left[ (1 + \lambda)(\ell + 1)^{\frac{r}{\alpha} - 1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell + 2)^{\frac{r}{\alpha} - 1} (3)_\ell \right] \left[ \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{r}{\alpha}\right) - \gamma\left(z; 1 - \frac{r}{\alpha}\right) \right]. \quad (27)$$

The mean deviation about mean is  $MD_{\bar{X}} = E|X - \mu_1^1| = 2\mu_1^1 F(\mu_1^1) - 2\mu_1^1 \varphi_1(\mu_1^1)$  and the mean deviation about median is  $MD_M = E|X - M| = 2MF(M) - 2M\varphi_1(M)$  where  $\mu_1^1 = E(X)$ , and  $M = Q(0.5)$ . Bonferroni and Lorenz curve for a specified probability p are  $B(p) = \varphi_1(q) / p\mu_1^1$  and  $L(p) = \varphi_1(q) / \mu_1^1$  where  $q = Q(p)$ .

### 4.3 Residual Life Functions

The residual life says  $m_n(z)$  of X for the TG-IW distribution having the following  $n^{\text{th}}$  moment

$$m_n(z) = E\left[(X - z)^n \mid X > z\right],$$

$$m_n(z) = \frac{1}{S(z)} \int_z^{\infty} (x - z)^n f(x) dx,$$

$$m_n(z) = \frac{1}{S(z)} \sum_{s=0}^n \binom{n}{s} (-z)^{n-s} E_{X>z}(X^s),$$

$$m_n(z) = \frac{1}{S(z)} \sum_{s=0}^n \binom{n}{s} (-z)^{n-s} \beta^s \theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta - 1)^\ell \left[ (1 + \lambda)(\ell + 1)^{\frac{s}{\alpha} - 1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell + 2)^{\frac{s}{\alpha} - 1} (3)_\ell \right] \left[ \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{s}{\alpha}\right) - \gamma\left(z; 1 - \frac{s}{\alpha}\right) \right]. \quad (28)$$

The mean residual life function or life expectancy at a specified time z, say  $m_1(z)$ , computes the expected left over lifetime of an individual of age z and is

$$m_1(z) = \frac{1}{S(z)} \sum_{s=0}^1 \binom{1}{s} (-z)^{1-s} \beta^s \theta \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta - 1)^\ell \left[ (1 + \lambda)(\ell + 1)^{\frac{s}{\alpha} - 1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell + 2)^{\frac{s}{\alpha} - 1} (3)_\ell \right] \left[ \Gamma\left(1 - \frac{s}{\alpha}\right) - \gamma\left(z; 1 - \frac{s}{\alpha}\right) \right]. \quad (29)$$

The reverse residual life, say  $M_n(z)$ , of X for the TG-IW distribution has the following  $n^{\text{th}}$  moment

$$M_n(z) = E\left[(z - X)^n \mid X \leq z\right],$$

$$M_n(z) = \frac{1}{F(z)} \int_a^z (z - x)^n f(x) dx,$$

$$M_n(z) = \frac{1}{F(z)} \sum_{s=0}^n (-1)^s \binom{n}{s} z^{n-s} E_{X \leq z} (X^s),$$

$$M_n(z) = \frac{1}{F(z)} \sum_{s=0}^n (-1)^s \binom{n}{s} z^{n-s} \beta^s \theta \gamma \left( z; 1 - \frac{s}{\alpha} \right) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{s}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{s}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right]. \quad (30)$$

The mean waiting time (MWT) or mean inactivity time signifies the waiting time pass by since the failure of an item on condition that this failure had happened in the interval  $[0, z]$ . The MWT of X, say  $M_1(z)$ , is defined by

$$M_1(z) = \frac{1}{F(z)} \sum_{s=0}^1 (-1)^s \binom{1}{s} z^{1-s} \theta \gamma \left( z; 1 - \frac{s}{\alpha} \right) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^\ell}{\ell!} (\theta-1)^\ell \left[ (1+\lambda)(\ell+1)^{\frac{s}{\alpha}-1} (2)_\ell - 2\lambda\theta(\ell+2)^{\frac{s}{\alpha}-1} (3)_\ell \right]. \quad (31)$$

### 5. Order Statistics

The order statistics mostly appear in the problems of the estimation and testing. The application of extreme values is very common in reliability, meteorology, econometrics and various areas of research.

The pdf  $f_{X_{j:n}}(x)$  of  $j$ th order statistic  $X_{j:n}$ , from a cdf F with pdf f, is

$$f_{X_{j:n}}(x) = \frac{1}{B(j, n-j+1)} [F(x)]^{j-1} [1-F(x)]^{n-j} f(x).$$

The pdf  $f_{X_{j:n}}(x)$  of  $j$ th order statistic  $X_{j:n}$  for the TG-IW distribution is given by

$$f_{X_{j:n}}(x) = \frac{1}{B(j, n-j+1)} \frac{\theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^2} \left[ 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^2} \right] \left[ \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^2} + \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \lambda (1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^3} \right]^{j-1} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^2} + \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \lambda (1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^3} \right) \right]^{n-j}.$$

The pdf  $f_{X_{n:n}}(x)$  of  $n$ th order statistic  $X_{n:n}$ , from a cdf F with pdf f, is

$$f_{X_{n:n}}(x) = n [F(x)]^{n-1} f(x).$$

The pdf  $f_{X_{n:n}}(x)$  of  $n$ th order statistic  $X_{n:n}$  for the TG-IW distribution is given by

$$f_{X_{n:n}}(x) = \frac{n \alpha \beta^\alpha \theta x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^2} \left[ 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^2} \right] \left[ \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^2} + \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \lambda (1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})}{[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}]^3} \right]^{n-1}.$$

The pdf  $f_{X_{1:n}}(x)$  of 1st order statistic  $X_{1:n}$ , from a cdf F with pdf f, is

$$f_{X_{1:n}}(x) = n [1-F(x)]^{n-1} f(x).$$

The pdf  $f_{X_{1:n}}(x)$  of 1st order statistic  $X_{1:n}$  for the TG-IW distribution is given by

$$f_{X_{tr}}(x) = \frac{n\alpha\beta^\alpha \theta x^{-\alpha-1} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^2} \left[1 + \lambda \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left(1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)}\right] \left[1 - \left(\frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^2} + \frac{\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \lambda \left(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)}{\left[1+(\theta-1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^3}\right)\right]^{n-1}.$$

## 6. Characterizations

In this section, the TG-IW distribution is characterized through: (i) Ratio of the truncated moments; (ii) the reverse hazard rate function and (iii) Elasticity function.

We present our characterizations (i)- (iii) in three subsections.

### 6.1 Characterization of the TG-IW Distribution through Ratio of Truncated Moments

In this subsection, the TG-IW distribution is characterized using Theorem 1 (Glänzel; 1990) on the basis of two the truncated moments of X. Theorem 1 is given in Appendix A.

**Proposition 6.1.1:** Let  $X : \Omega \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  be a continuous random variable. Let

$$h_1(x) = \frac{(\alpha + m)}{\theta\alpha\beta^\alpha x^m} e^{(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} + \lambda \left(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)\right]^{-1} \left[1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^3$$

and

$$h_2(x) = \frac{(\alpha + m + 1)}{\theta\alpha\beta^\alpha x^{(m+1)}} e^{(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} + \lambda \left(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right)\right]^{-1} \left[1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}\right]^3, \quad x > 0.$$

The pdf of X is (4) if and only if  $p(x)$  in Theorem G has the form  $p(x) = x$ .

**Proof.** The pdf of X is (4). Now

$$(1 - F(x))E[h_1(x)|X \geq x] = x^{-\alpha-m}$$

$$\text{And} \quad (1 - F(x))E[h_2(x)|X \geq x] = x^{-\alpha-m-1}, \quad x > 0.$$

After simplification, we have  $\frac{E[h_1(X)|X \geq x]}{E[h_2(X)|X \geq x]} = p(x) = x$  and  $p'(x) = 1$ .

The differential equation  $s'(x) = \frac{p'(x)h_2(x)}{p(x)h_2(x) - h_1(x)} = (\alpha + m + 1)x^{-1}$  has solution  $s(x) = (\alpha + m + 1)\ln x$ .

Now, in the light of theorem 1, X has pdf (4).

**Corollary 6.1.1:** Let  $X : \Omega \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  be a continuous random variable and

$$h_2(x) = \frac{(\alpha + m + 1)}{\theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{(m+1)}} e^{(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[ 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} + \lambda \left( 1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right) \right]^{-1} \left[ 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right]^3, \quad x > 0.$$

The pdf of X is (4) if and only if functions  $p(x)$  and  $h_1(x)$  satisfy the equation

$$\frac{p'(x)}{p(x)h_2(x) - h_1(x)} = \theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^m e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[ 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right]^{-3} \left[ 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} + \lambda \left( 1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right) \right].$$

**Remarks 6.1.1:** The answer of the above differential equation is

$$p(x) = x^{(\alpha+m+1)} \int \left( -h_1(t) \theta \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-(\alpha+1)} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left[ 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} + \lambda \left( 1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right) \right] \left[ 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right]^{-3} \right) dx + D$$

where D is constant.

### 6.2 Characterization via Reverse Hazard Function

Here we characterize the TG-IW distribution via reverse hazard function of X.

**Definition 6.2.1:** Let  $X : \Omega \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  be a continuous random variable having absolutely continuous cdf  $F(x)$  and pdf  $f(x)$  if and only if the reverse hazard function  $r_F(x)$  is twice differentiable function fulfills the differential equation

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\log f(x)] = \frac{r'_F(x)}{r_F(x)} + r_F(x).$$

**Proposition 6.2.1** Let  $X : \Omega \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  be continuous random variable. The pdf of X is given by (4) if and only if its reverse hazard function,  $r_F$  fulfills the first order differential equation

$$r'_F(x) \left[ \left( 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right) + \lambda \left( 1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right) \right] - \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-(\alpha+1)} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} (\theta - 1 - \lambda) r_F(x) = -\alpha \beta x^{-\alpha-2} \left[ - (1 + \lambda)(\alpha + 1) + \frac{2\lambda \theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \left( (\alpha + 1) \left( 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right) - \alpha \beta^\alpha x^{-\alpha} \right)}{\left( 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right)^2} \right]$$

**Proof:** If the pdf of X is (4), then the above differential equation holds. Now, if the differential equation holds, then

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left\{ r_F(x) \left[ \left( 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right) + \lambda \left( 1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right) \right] \right\} = \alpha \beta^\alpha \frac{d}{dx} x^{-\alpha-1} \left( 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda \theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{\left( 1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} \right)} \right),$$

or

$$r_F(x) = \frac{\alpha\beta^\alpha \left( 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{(1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})} \right)}{x^{\alpha+1} \left[ (1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) + \lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) \right]}, \quad x > 0,$$

which is the reverse hazard function of the TG-IW distribution.

### 6.3 Characterization via Elasticity Function

Here we introduce characterization of the TG-IW distribution via elasticity.

**Definition 6.3.1:** Let  $X:\Omega \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  be a continuous random variable having absolutely continuous  $F(x)$  and pdf  $f(x)$ , if and only if the elasticity function  $e_F(x)$ , of a twice differentiable function fulfills the differential equation

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\ln f(x)] = \frac{e'_F(x)}{e_F(x)} + \frac{e_F(x)}{x} - \frac{1}{x}.$$

**Proposition 6.3.1** Let  $X:\Omega \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  be continuous random variable. The pdf of  $X$  is (4) if and only if its elasticity,  $e_F(x)$  fulfills the first order differential equation

$$e'_F(x) \left[ (1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) + \lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) \right] - \alpha\beta^\alpha x^{-(\alpha+1)} e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} (\theta - 1 - \lambda) e_F(x) = \\ - \frac{\alpha^2 \beta^\alpha}{x^{\alpha+1} (1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})^2} \left[ 2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} (1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha} - x^{-\alpha} \beta^\alpha) - (1 + \lambda) (1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})^2 \right].$$

**Proof:** If the pdf of  $X$  is (4), then the above differential equation holds. Now, if the differential equation holds, then

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left\{ e_F(x) \left[ (1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) + \lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) \right] \right\} = \alpha\beta^\alpha \frac{d}{dx} x^{-\alpha} \left( 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{(1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})} \right),$$

or

$$e_F(x) = \frac{\alpha\beta^\alpha \left( 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{(1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha})} \right)}{x^\alpha \left[ (1 + (\theta - 1)e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) + \lambda(1 - e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}) \right]}, \quad x > 0,$$

which is the elasticity function of the TG-IW distribution.

## 7. Maximum Likelihood Estimation

The parameter estimates are derived by maximum likelihood method for TG-IW distribution. The log-likelihood function for the TG-IW the parameters vector  $\Phi = (\alpha, \beta, \theta, \lambda)$  is

$$L(x_i, \Phi) = n \log \theta + n \log \alpha + n \alpha \log \beta - (\alpha + 1) \sum \log x_i - \beta^\alpha \sum x_i^{-\alpha} - 2 \sum \log \left[ 1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right] + \sum \log \left[ 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}}{(1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha})} \right].$$

(32)

In order to compute the estimates of parameters of TG-IW distribution, the following nonlinear equations must be solved simultaneously:

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \alpha} = \left[ \begin{aligned} & \frac{n}{\alpha} + n \log \beta - \sum_{i=1}^n \log x_i + \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{\beta}{x_i} \right)^{-\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\beta}{x_i} \right) + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{(\theta - 1) \left( \frac{\beta}{x} \right)^{-\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\beta}{x} \right) e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}}{1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x)^\alpha}} \right] \\ & + \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{2\lambda\theta \left( \frac{\beta}{x_i} \right)^{-\alpha} \ln \left( \frac{\beta}{x_i} \right) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}}{\left( 1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right) \left[ (1 + \lambda) \left( 1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right) - 2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right]} \right] \end{aligned} \right] = 0, \quad (33)$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \beta} = \left[ \begin{aligned} & \frac{n\alpha}{\beta} - \alpha\beta^{\alpha-1} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{-\alpha} + 2(\theta - 1) \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \alpha\beta^{\alpha-1} x_i^{-\alpha}}{1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}} \right] \\ & + \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \alpha\beta^{\alpha-1} x_i^{-\alpha}}{\left( 1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right) \left[ (1 + \lambda) \left( 1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right) - 2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right]} \right] \end{aligned} \right] = 0, \quad (34)$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta} = \frac{n}{\theta} - 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}}{1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}} \right] - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\left( 1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right) 2\lambda e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} - 2\lambda\theta e^{-2(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}}{\left( 1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha} \right)^2 \left[ 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}}{(1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha})} \right]} = 0, \quad (35)$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \lambda} = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ 1 - \frac{2\theta e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}}{(1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha})} \right] \left[ 1 + \lambda - \frac{2\lambda\theta e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha}}{(1 + (\theta - 1) e^{-(\beta/x_i)^\alpha})} \right]^{-1} = 0. \quad (36)$$

### 7.1 Application: Times of Failure and Running Times for 30 Units from Eld-Tracking Study

The TG-IW distribution is compared with T-IW, G-IW and IW distributions. Different goodness fit measures like Cramer-von Mises (W), Anderson Darling (A), Kolmogorov- Smirnov statistics, Akaike information criterion (AIC), consistent Akaike information criterion (CAIC), Bayesian information criterion (BIC), Hannan-Quinn information criterion (HQIC) and likelihood ratio statistics are computed using R-package for times of failure and running times (Meeker and Escobar ; 1998) for 30 units from eld-tracking. The values of data are: 2.75, 0.13, 1.47, 0.23, 1.81, 0.30, 0.65, 0.10, 3.00, 1.73, 1.06, 3.00, 3.00, 2.12, 3.00, 3.00, 3.00, 0.02, 2.61, 2.93, 0.88, 2.47, 0.28, 1.43, 3.00, 0.23, 3.00, 0.80, 2.45, and 2.66.

The better fit corresponds to smaller W, A, K-S, AIC, CAIC, BIC, HQIC and  $-\ell$  value. The maximum likelihood estimates (MLEs) of unknown parameters and values of goodness of fit measures are computed for the TG-IW distribution and its sub-models. The MLEs and goodness-of-fit statistics like W and A are given in Table 2. Table 3 displays goodness-of-fit values.

**Table 2: MLEs and Goodness-of-Fit Statistics for Times of Failure and Running Times**

Model	$\alpha$	$\beta$	$\theta$	$\lambda$	W	A
TG-IW	1.316772419	0.034439749	0.003439308	0.979107526	0.3304939	2.119582
T-IW	0.6251490982	0.5399117441		.0000000001	0.5541168	3.02536
G-IW	1.385703702	0.02644853	0.004433838	-----	0.4119026	2.327227
IW	0.6251527	0.5399035			0.5541174	3.025363

**Table 3: Goodness-of-Fit Statistics for Times of Failure and Running Times**

Model	D(KS)	AIC	CAIC	BIC	HQIC	$-\ell$
TG-IW	0.206	107.5886	109.1886	113.1934	109.3816	49.7943
T-IW	0.2899	126.5836	127.5067	130.7872	127.9284	60.2918
G-IW	0.2429	110.1996	111.1226	114.4031	111.5443	52.09978
IW	0.2899	124.5836	125.028	127.386	125.4801	60.2918

The TG-IW distribution is best fitted than T-IW, G-IW and IW distribution because the values of all criteria are smaller for the TG-IW distribution.

## 8. Conclusions

We have developed a more flexible the TG-IW distribution that is suitable for applications in Survival Analysis, Reliability and actuarial science. The important properties of the TG-IW distribution such as survival function, hazard function, reverse hazard function, cumulative hazard function, Mills ratio, elasticity, quantile function, moments about origin, negative moments, fractional moments, moment generating function, Cumulants, incomplete moments, inequality measures, residual and reversed residual life functions, order statistics and many other properties are presented. The TG-IW distribution is characterized through ratio of truncated moments, reverse hazard rate function and elasticity function. Maximum likelihood estimates are computed. Goodness of fit shows that the TG-IW distribution is a better fit. An application of the TG-IW model to times of failure and running times for 30 units from eld-tracking is illustrated to show significance and flexibility of the TG-IW distribution.

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### Appendix A

**Theorem 1:** Let  $(\Omega, F, P)$  be a probability space and let  $[d_1, d_2]$  be an interval with  $d_1 < d_2$  ( $d_1 = -\infty, d_2 = \infty$ ). Supposing that a continuous random variable  $X : \Omega \rightarrow [d_1, d_2]$  have distribution function  $F$ . Real functions  $h_1(x)$  and  $h_2(x)$  are continuous on  $[d_1, d_2]$  such that  $\frac{E[h_1(X) / X \geq x]}{E[h_2(X) / X \geq x]} = p(x)$  is real function  $p(x)$  and should be in simple form. Assume that  $h_1, h_2 \in C([d_1, d_2])$ ,  $p(x) \in C^2([d_1, d_2])$  and  $F$  is twofold continuously differentiable and strictly monotone function on the set  $[d_1, d_2]$  : To end, adopt that the relation  $h_2(x)p(x) = h_1(x)$  has no real solution in the interior of  $[d_1, d_2]$ .

Then  $F$  is attained from the functions  $h_1(x)$ ,  $h_2(x)$  and  $s(x)$  as

$$F(x) = \int_{\ln k}^x K \left| \frac{p'(t)}{p(t)h_2(t) - h_1(t)} \right| \exp(-s(t)) dt, \quad \text{where } s(t) \text{ is obtained from equation}$$

$$s'(t) = \frac{p'(t)h_2(t)}{p(t)h_2(t) - h_1(t)} \text{ and } K \text{ is a fixed number, preferred to make } \int_{d_1}^{d_2} dF = 1.$$