

Exponentiated Nadarajah Haghghi Poisson Distribution

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Abstract

This paper discusses the Exponentiated Nadarajah-Haghghi Poisson distribution focusing on statistical properties such as the Quantile, Moments, Moment Generating Functions, Order statistics and Entropy. To estimate the parameters of the model, the Maximum Likelihood Estimation method is used. To demonstrate the performance of the estimators, a simulation study is carried out. A real data set from Air conditioning system is used to highlight the potential application of the distribution.

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1. Introduction

Probability distributions have a pivotal role in statistical modeling. Different kinds of data arise from various disciplines including but not limited to economics, medicine, agriculture, food security, psychology. However, there is no suitable distribution for all data set, thus, the need to extend existing distributions or develop new ones (Nasiru, 2018). Modern trends focus on defining new families of distributions, by adding more parameters, that extend classical distributions and at the same time give great versatility in data modeling. Most of the generalizations to do extensions are developed due to the following reasons: a physical or statistical theoretical argument to explain the mechanism of the generated data, an appropriate model that has previously been used successfully, and a model whose empirical fit is good to the data.

Analyzing lifetime data is very important in applied sciences. Many distributions have been used to model lifetime data. Some of these include the exponential, Weibull, gamma and Rayleigh distributions and their generalizations (Gupta & Kundu, 1999; Nadarajah & Kotz, 2006). The features of each distribution depends on the shapes of the hazard rate function (hrf). The shape can be bathtub or unimodal and also either increase or decrease monotonically. The Exponential distribution was the first lifetime model for which statistical methods were extensively developed. Nadarajah & Haghghi (2011) introduced an extension of the Exponential distribution as an alternative to the Gamma, Weibull and Exponentiated Exponential (EE) distributions.

In the extension, the Cumulative Distribution Function (CDF) of the Nadarajah-Haghghi (NH) distribution is given by

$$F(x) = 1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}, x > 0, \quad (1)$$

where $\omega > 0$ and $\alpha > 0$ are scale and shape parameters, respectively. The corresponding Probability Density Function (PDF) is accordingly given by

$$f(x) = \alpha\omega(1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}. \quad (2)$$

Exponentiated distributions can be obtained by using a positive real number β as an index to the CDF. That is, if we have CDF $F(x)$ of any random variable X , then the function

$$G(x) = [F(x)]^\beta, \beta > 0 \quad (3)$$

is, without loss of Generality, called an Exponentiated distribution.

The PDF is therefore given by

$$g(x) = \frac{dG(x)}{dx} = \beta [F(x)]^{\beta-1} f(x). \quad (4)$$

Abdul-Moniem (2015) proposed the Exponentiated NH (ENH) model, whose CDF is given by

$$F(x) = \left[1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right]^\beta, x \geq 0, \tag{5}$$

where $\alpha > 0$ and $\beta > 0$ are shape parameters, and $\omega > 0$ is the scale parameter of the distribution. The ENH density function is given by

$$f(x) = \alpha\omega\beta(1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} \left[1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right]^{\beta-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}. \tag{6}$$

Extensions of the NH distribution arise in different areas of research as discussed for instance, Vatto et al. (2016) proposed the Exponentiated Generalized NH (EGNH) distribution. Dias et al. (2016) proposed a new distribution called the beta NH (BNH) distribution. Khan et al. (2018) proposed a two-parameter weighted NH (WNH) distribution. Yousof & Korkmaz (2017) introduced a three-parameter Topp-Leone NH (TLNH) distribution. Tahir et al. (2018) proposed the inverted NH (INH) distribution. Finally Kumar & Kumar (2018) proposed the transmuted extended exponential distribution. In this study, another extension of the NH distribution called the Exponentiated Nadarajah-Haghighi Poisson (ENHP) distribution has been proposed by compounding the Poisson distribution with the ENH distribution. The motivation for proposing the new distribution is to provide greater flexibility and improve goodness-of-fit of modified distributions when modeling lifetime data sets.

The rest of the paper is organized as follows: In section 2, the PDF, the CDF, the Survival Function and hrf of the ENHP distribution have been defined. In section 3, statistical properties of the developed distribution have been derived. In section 4, the parameters of the distribution have been estimated using the method of Maximum Likelihood Estimation. In section 5, the Monte Carlo simulation result examine the finite sample properties of the estimators. In section 6, real data set has been used to validate the application of the model. The concluding remarks were finally given in section 7.

2. Exponentiated Nadarajah-Haghighi Poisson (ENHP) Distribution

Let M be the number of independent subsystems of a system functioning at a given time. Assume M has zero truncated Power Series distribution with probability mass function (pmf) given by

$$\mathbb{P}(M = m) = \frac{a_m \lambda^m}{C(\lambda)}, m = 1, 2, \dots, \tag{7}$$

If $a_m = \frac{1}{m!}$ and $C(\lambda) = e^\lambda - 1$, then the pmf of a zero truncated Poisson distribution is given by

$$\mathbb{P}(M = m) = \frac{\lambda^m}{m!(e^\lambda - 1)}, m = 1, 2, \dots, \lambda > 0. \tag{8}$$

See (Noack, 1950). Let each subsystem failure time follow the ENH distribution (Abdul-Moniem, 2015) with CDF given by

$$G(x) = \left[1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right]^\beta, x > 0, \alpha > 0, \beta > 0, \omega > 0. \tag{9}$$

If T_j is the failure time of the j^{th} subsystem and X represents the failure time of the first out of M operating subsystems such that $X = \min(T_1, T_2, \dots, T_M)$. Then the conditional CDF of X given M is

$$\begin{aligned} F(x|M = m) &= 1 - \mathbb{P}(X > x|M) \\ &= 1 - \mathbb{P}(T_1 > x, \dots, T_M > x) \\ &= 1 - [\mathbb{P}(T_1 > x)]^m \\ &= 1 - [1 - \mathbb{P}(T_1 < x)]^m \\ &= 1 - \left[1 - \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right)^\beta\right]^m \\ F(x|M = m) &= 1 - \left[1 - \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right)^\beta\right]^m. \end{aligned} \tag{10}$$

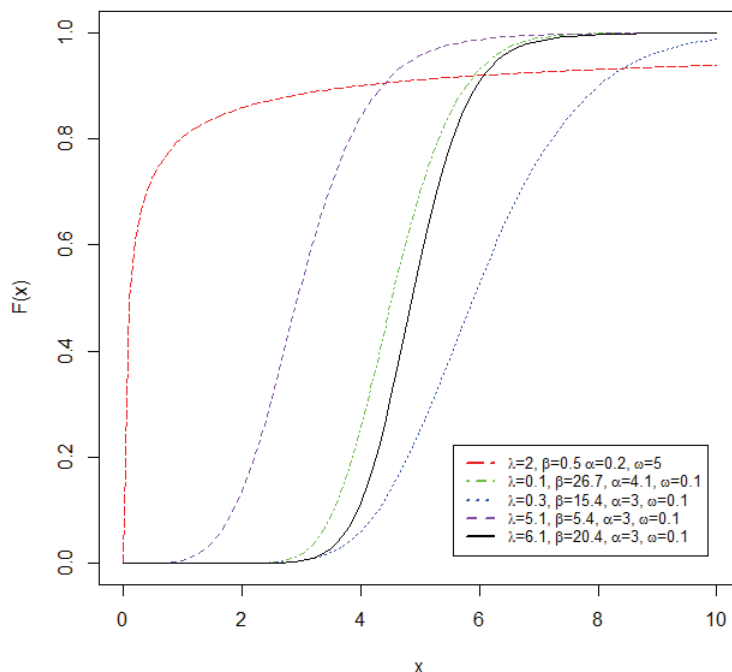


Figure 1. Plots of the ENHP CDF for some parameters values

Hence, the marginal CDF of X is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(x) &= \frac{1}{e^\lambda - 1} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^m}{m!} \left\{ 1 - \left[1 - \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \right)^\beta \right]^m \right\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{e^\lambda - 1} \left\{ \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^m}{m!} - \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left[\lambda - \lambda \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \right)^\beta \right]^m}{m!} \right\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{e^\lambda - 1} \left\{ e^\lambda - e^{\lambda - \lambda \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \right)^\beta} \right\} \\
 &= \frac{1 - e^{-\lambda \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \right)^\beta}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}}, \quad x > 0, \\
 F(x) &= \frac{1 - e^{-\lambda \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \right)^\beta}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}}, \quad x > 0, \tag{11}
 \end{aligned}$$

where $\alpha > 0$ and $\beta > 0$ are shape parameters, and $\omega > 0$ and $\lambda > 0$ are the scale parameters of the distribution. Figure 1 shows a monotonic non-decreasing shape bounded between 0 and 1 which is typical of any CDF.

The corresponding PDF of the ENHP distribution is obtained by differentiating the marginal CDF and is given by

$$f(x) = \frac{\lambda \beta \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \right)^{\beta-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \right)^\beta}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}}, \quad x > 0. \tag{12}$$

where $\alpha > 0$ and $\beta > 0$ are shape parameters, and $\omega > 0$ and $\lambda > 0$ are the scale parameters of the distribution.

Lemma 2.1. *The mixture form of the PDF of the ENHP distribution can be given as*

$$f(x) = \frac{\beta}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)} \binom{\beta_{i+1} - 1}{j} e^{j+1} \alpha \omega (j+1) (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha}, \tag{13}$$

where $\beta_{i+1} = \beta(i+1) > 0, \alpha > 0, \beta > 0, \omega > 0, \lambda > 0$.

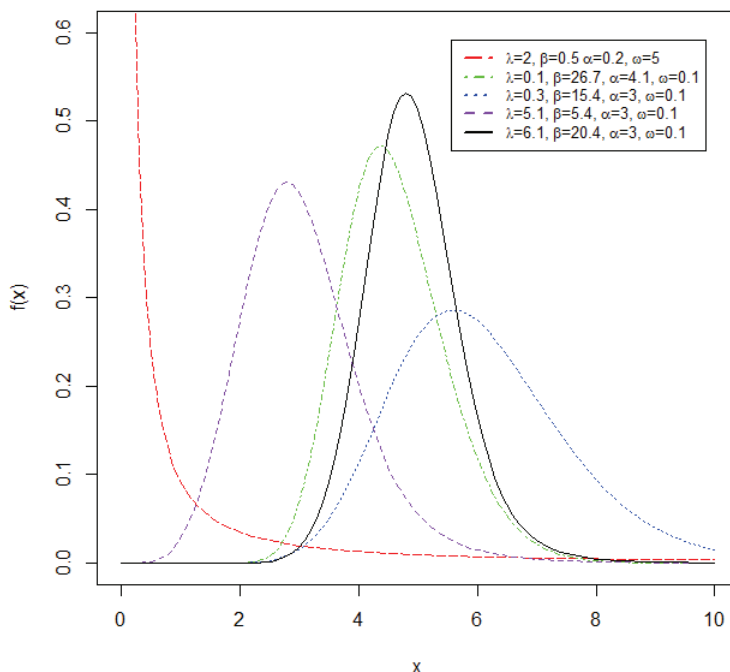


Figure 2. Plots of the ENHP PDF for some parameters values

Proof. Using the Taylor series expansion,

$$e^{-\lambda(1-e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^\beta} = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^i \lambda^i}{i!} (1 - e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta i}. \tag{14}$$

Hence, the PDF of the ENHP distribution can be written as

$$f(x) = \frac{\lambda \beta \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^i \lambda^i}{i!} (1 - e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta(i+1)-1}. \tag{15}$$

The following identity holds for a real non-integer η ,

$$(1 - V)^{\eta-1} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \binom{\eta-1}{j} (-1)^j V^j, |V| < 1. \tag{16}$$

Using the identity in equation (16), the fact that $0 < (1 - e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta(i+1)-1} < 1$ and $\beta_{i+1} = \beta(i + 1)$, equation (15) can be expressed as

$$f(x) = \frac{\beta}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!} \binom{\beta_{i+1} - 1}{j} \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} (e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{j+1}.$$

Thus,

$$f(x) = \frac{\beta}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)} \binom{\beta_{i+1} - 1}{j} e^{j+1} \alpha \omega (j+1) (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha},$$

where $\beta_{i+1} = \beta(i + 1) > 0, \alpha > 0, \beta > 0, \omega > 0, \lambda > 0,$.

Figure 2 depicts the shapes of the PDF of the ENHP distribution for some given parameter values. It can be observed that the PDF of the ENHP can decrease or skew or symmetric, fat tail with highly flexible kurtosis, hence capable of handling variety of data from many areas like insurance and finance, survival analysis, biomedical data, reliability analysis.

The survival function and the hrf are given by

$$S(x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda(1-e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^\beta} - e^{-\lambda}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}}, x > 0. \tag{17}$$

and

$$h(x) = \frac{\lambda\beta\alpha\omega(1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} (1 - e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}}{1 - e^{-\lambda+\lambda(1-e^{-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^\beta}}, x > 0. \tag{18}$$

respectively. The plots of the hrf of the ENHP distribution, in Figure 3, show that the shapes can be monotonically decreasing, monotonically increasing, symmetrical or non-symmetrical for different parameter values. These characteristics make the ENHP distribution suitable for modeling monotonic and non-monotonic, symmetrical and non-symmetrical failure rates that are more likely to be encountered in real life situation.

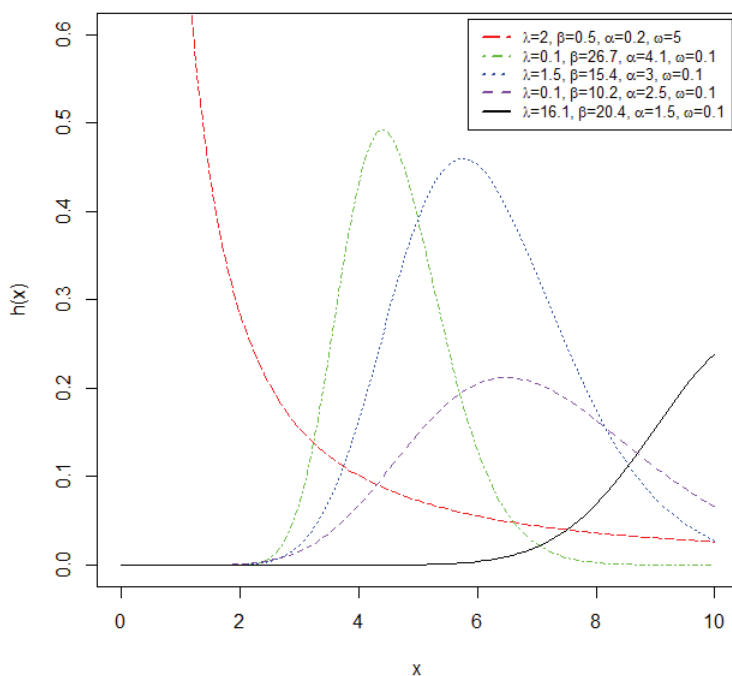


Figure 3. hrf plots for some parameters values

3. Statistical Properties of the ENHP Distribution

In this section various statistical properties of the ENHP distribution have been discussed.

3.1 Quantile Function

The quantile function is used to generate random numbers from a distribution. The quantile function of the ENHP distribution is given by

$$Q(p) = x_p = \frac{1}{\omega} \left\{ 1 - \log \left[1 - \left(\log \left(1 - (1 - e^{-\lambda}) p \right)^{-\frac{1}{\beta}} \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} \right\} - \frac{1}{\omega}, (\alpha, \beta, \omega, \lambda > 0), \tag{19}$$

Substituting $p = 0.25, 0.5$ and 0.75 into equation (19) yields the first quartile, the median and the third quartile respectively.

3.2 Moments

The moments play a useful role in statistical analysis. They are used for estimating features and characteristics of a distribution such as measures of central tendency, measures of dispersion, skewness and kurtosis.

proposition 3.1. If $X \sim ENHP(\vartheta)$, where $\vartheta = \{\alpha, \beta, \omega, \lambda\}$, then the r^{th} non-central moment of X is given by

$$\mu'_r = \frac{\beta}{\omega^r(1 - e^{-\lambda})} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right), \tag{20}$$

where $r = 1, 2, \dots$ and $\Gamma(a, y) = \int_y^{\infty} z^{a-1} e^{-z} dz$ denotes the complementary incomplete gamma function, which is defined for all real numbers except the negative integers.

Proof. By definition, the r^{th} non-central moment is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \mu'_r &= \int_0^{\infty} x^r f(x) dx \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} x^r \frac{\beta}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} e^{j+1} \alpha \omega (j+1) (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} dx \\ &= \frac{\beta}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} e^{j+1} \int_0^{\infty} x^r \alpha \omega (j+1) (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} dx \end{aligned}$$

Let

$$A_{r,j} = \int_0^{\infty} x^r \alpha \omega (j+1) (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} dx \text{ and } u = (j+1)(1 + \omega x)^\alpha.$$

So

$$dx = \frac{du}{\alpha \omega (j+1) (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1}} \text{ and } x = \frac{1}{\omega} \left\{ \left(\frac{u}{j+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} - 1 \right\}.$$

Thus

$$A_{r,j} = \int_{j+1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\omega^r} \left\{ \left(\frac{u}{j+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} - 1 \right\}^r e^{-u} du \tag{21}$$

The most general case of the binomial theorem is the power series identity

$$(x + y)^n = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \binom{n}{k} x^k y^{n-k}, \tag{22}$$

where $\binom{n}{k}$ is a binomial coefficient and n is a real number. This power series converges when $n \geq 0$ is an integer or $|x/y| < 1$.

Since $\left| \left(\frac{u}{j+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} - 1 \right| < 1$, using (22), (21) becomes

$$A_{r,j} = \frac{1}{\omega^r} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k \binom{r}{k}}{(j+1)^{\frac{r-k}{\alpha}}} \int_{j+1}^{\infty} u^{\frac{r-k}{\alpha}} e^{-u} du$$

Accordingly,

$$\mu'_r = \frac{\beta}{\omega^r(1 - e^{-\lambda})} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right).$$

3.3 Moment Generating Functions

Moment Generating Functions(MGF) are special functions used to find the moments and functions of moments such as mean and variance of a random variable in a simpler way and also help in identifying which PDF or probability mass function (pmf) a random variable X follows.

proposition 3.2. If $X \sim ENHP(\vartheta)$, where $\vartheta = \{\alpha, \beta, \omega, \lambda\}$, then the MGF of X is given by

$$M_X(t) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta}{\omega^r(1 - e^{-\lambda})} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} t^r \lambda^{i+1}}{i!r!(j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right). \tag{23}$$

Proof: By definition, the MGF is given by

$$M_X(t) = \mathbb{E}(e^{tX}) = \int_0^\infty e^{tx} f(x) dx$$

Using the series expansion of e^{tx} , gives

$$M_X(t) = \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{t^r}{r!} \int_0^\infty x^r f(x) dx = \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{t^r \mu'_r}{r!} \tag{24}$$

Substituting μ'_r into equation (24), yields

$$M_X(t) = \sum_{i=0}^\infty \sum_{j=0}^\infty \sum_{k=0}^\infty \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{\beta}{\omega^r (1 - e^{-\lambda})} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} t^r \lambda^{i+1}}{i! r! (j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right),$$

which is the MGF.

3.4 Incomplete Moment

The incomplete moment is used to estimate the median deviation, mean deviation and measures of inequalities such as the Lorenz and Bonferroni curves.

proposition 3.3. The r^{th} incomplete moment of the ENHP distribution is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_r(t) &= \frac{\beta}{\omega^r (1 - e^{-\lambda})} \sum_{i=0}^\infty \sum_{j=0}^\infty \sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} \lambda^{i+1}}{i! (j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \\ &\times \left\{ \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right) - \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, (j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha\right) \right\}, t > 0, r = 1, 2, \dots \end{aligned}$$

Proof. By definition

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_r(t) &= \int_0^t x^r f(x) dx \\ &= \int_0^t x^r \frac{\beta}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \sum_{i=0}^\infty \sum_{j=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{i+1}}{i! (j+1)} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} e^{j+1} \alpha \omega (j+1) (1+\omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} dx \\ &= \frac{\beta}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \sum_{i=0}^\infty \sum_{j=0}^t \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{i+1}}{i! (j+1)} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} e^{j+1} \int_0^\infty x^r \alpha \omega (j+1) (1+\omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} dx \end{aligned}$$

Let

$$A_{r,j} = \int_0^t x^r \alpha \omega (j+1) (1+\omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} dx \text{ and } u = (j+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha.$$

So

$$dx = \frac{du}{\alpha \omega (j+1) (1+\omega x)^{\alpha-1}} \text{ and } x = \frac{1}{\omega} \left\{ \left(\frac{u}{j+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} - 1 \right\}.$$

Thus

$$A_{r,j} = \int_{j+1}^{(j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha} \frac{1}{\omega^r} \left\{ \left(\frac{u}{j+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} - 1 \right\}^r e^{-u} du \tag{25}$$

Since $\left| \left(\frac{u}{j+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} - 1 \right| < 1$, using (22), we have

$$\begin{aligned} A_{r,j} &= \frac{1}{\omega^r} \sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^k \binom{r}{k}}{(j+1)^{\frac{r-k}{\alpha}}} \int_{j+1}^{(j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha} u^{\frac{r-k}{\alpha}} e^{-u} du \\ &= \frac{1}{\omega^r} \sum_{k=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^k \binom{r}{k}}{(j+1)^{\frac{r-k}{\alpha}}} \left\{ \int_{j+1}^\infty u^{\frac{r-k}{\alpha}} e^{-u} du - \int_{(j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha}^\infty u^{\frac{r-k}{\alpha}} e^{-u} du \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Accordingly,

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_r(t) &= \frac{\beta}{\omega^r(1 - e^{-\lambda})} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \\ &\times \left\{ \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right) - \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, (j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha\right) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

The mean deviation, $\delta_1(x)$ and median deviation, $\delta_2(x)$, can be calculated using the relationships $\delta_1(x) = 2\mu F(\mu) - 2\phi_1(\mu)$ and $\delta_2(x) = \mu - 2\phi_1(M)$. Where $\mu = \mathbb{E}(X)$ and M is the median of the ENHP random variable. $\phi_1(\mu)$ and $\phi_1(M)$ are calculated using the first incomplete moment.

3.5 Inequality Measures

The Bonferroni and Lorenz curves are the most widely used measures of income inequality of a given population and have various applications in economics, reliability, insurance and medicine.

proposition 3.4. *The Bonferroni curve for the ENHP distribution is given by*

$$\begin{aligned} B_F(t) &= \frac{\beta}{\mu\omega^r \left(1 - e^{-\lambda(1-e^{1-(1+\omega t)^\alpha})^\beta}\right)} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \\ &\times \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \left\{ \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right) - \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, (j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha\right) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. By definition

$$\begin{aligned} B_F(t) &= \frac{1}{\mu F(t)} \int_0^t x^r f(x) dx \\ &= \frac{\beta}{\mu\omega^r \left(1 - e^{-\lambda(1-e^{1-(1+\omega t)^\alpha})^\beta}\right)} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \\ &\times \left\{ \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right) - \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, (j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha\right) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

proposition 3.5. *The Lorenz curve for the ENHP distribution is given by*

$$\begin{aligned} L_F(t) &= \frac{\beta}{\mu\omega^r(1 - e^{-\lambda})} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \\ &\times \left\{ \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right) - \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, (j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha\right) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. By definition

$$\begin{aligned} L_F(t) &= \frac{1}{\mu} \int_0^t x^r f(x) dx \\ &= \frac{\beta}{\mu\omega^r(1 - e^{-\lambda})} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k} \lambda^{i+1}}{i!(j+1)^{\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}}} e^{j+1} \binom{r}{k} \binom{\beta_{i+1}-1}{j} \\ &\times \left\{ \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, j+1\right) - \Gamma\left(\frac{r+\alpha-k}{\alpha}, (j+1)(1+\omega t)^\alpha\right) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

3.6 Entropy

Entropies are good measures of randomness and have been extensively used in information theory. Two popular entropy measures are Rényi entropy (Neyman, 1961) and Shannon entropy (Shannon, 1951). A large value of the entropy indicates a greater uncertainty in the data. The Shannon entropy is a special case of the Rényi entropy when $\eta \rightarrow 1$ and is given by $\mathbb{E}[-\log(f(x))]$.

proposition 3.6. *If the random variable X has a ENHP distribution, then the Rényi entropy of X is given by*

$$E_R(\eta) = \frac{1}{1-\eta} \log \left\{ \left(\frac{\beta\alpha\omega}{1-e^{-\lambda}} \right)^\eta \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{\eta+i} \eta^i e^{\eta+j}}{i! \alpha \omega (\eta+j)^{\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)+1}{\alpha}}} \binom{\beta(\eta+i)-\eta}{j} \Gamma \left(\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)-\alpha+1}{\alpha}, \eta+j \right) \right\}, \tag{26}$$

where $\eta > 0$ and $\eta \neq 1$.

Proof. By definition,

$$E_R(\eta) = \frac{1}{1-\eta} \log \left(\int_0^\infty f^\eta(x) dx \right), \eta > 0 \text{ and } \eta \neq 1.$$

From equation (12),

$$\begin{aligned} f^\eta(x) &= \left(\frac{\lambda\beta\alpha\omega}{1-e^{-\lambda}} \right)^\eta (1+\omega x)^{\eta(\alpha-1)} (1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\eta(\beta-1)} e^{\eta(1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha)} e^{-\lambda\eta(1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^\beta} \\ &= \left(\frac{\lambda\beta\alpha\omega}{1-e^{-\lambda}} \right)^\eta (1+\omega x)^{\eta(\alpha-1)} e^{\eta(1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha)} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^i \lambda^i \eta^i}{i!} (1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta(\eta+i)-\eta} \end{aligned}$$

Since $0 < (1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta(\eta+i)-\eta} < 1$, using the identity in equation (16), we have

$$f^\eta(x) = \left(\frac{\beta\alpha\omega}{1-e^{-\lambda}} \right)^\eta \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{\eta+i} \eta^i}{i!} e^{\eta+j} \binom{\beta(\eta+i)-\eta}{j} (1+\omega x)^{\eta(\alpha-1)} e^{-(\eta+j)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \tag{27}$$

so

$$\int_0^\infty f^\eta(x) dx = \left(\frac{\beta\alpha\omega}{1-e^{-\lambda}} \right)^\eta \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{\eta+i} \eta^i}{i!} e^{\eta+j} \binom{\beta(\eta+i)-\eta}{j} \int_0^\infty (1+\omega x)^{\eta(\alpha-1)} e^{-(\eta+j)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} dx.$$

Let

$$A_\eta = \int_0^\infty (1+\omega x)^{\eta(\alpha-1)} e^{-(\eta+j)(1+\omega x)^\alpha} dx, \text{ and } u = (\eta+j)(1+\omega x)^\alpha.$$

so

$$dx = \frac{du}{\alpha\omega(\eta+j)(1+\omega x)^{\alpha-1}}, \text{ and } (1+\omega x) = \left(\frac{u}{\eta+j} \right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}.$$

Thus

$$A_\eta = \frac{1}{\alpha\omega(\eta+j)^{\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)+1}{\alpha}}} \int_{\eta+j}^\infty u^{\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)-\alpha+1}{\alpha}} e^{-u} du = \frac{\Gamma \left(\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)-\alpha+1}{\alpha}, \eta+j \right)}{\alpha\omega(\eta+j)^{\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)+1}{\alpha}}}.$$

Therefore

$$\int_0^\infty f^\eta(x) dx = \left(\frac{\beta\alpha\omega}{1-e^{-\lambda}} \right)^\eta \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{\eta+i} \eta^i e^{\eta+j}}{i! \alpha \omega (\eta+j)^{\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)+1}{\alpha}}} \binom{\beta(\eta+i)-\eta}{j} \Gamma \left(\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)-\alpha+1}{\alpha}, \eta+j \right).$$

Accordingly

$$E_R(\eta) = \frac{1}{1-\eta} \log \left\{ \left(\frac{\beta\alpha\omega}{1-e^{-\lambda}} \right)^\eta \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{i+j} \lambda^{\eta+i} \eta^i e^{\eta+j}}{i! \alpha \omega (\eta+j)^{\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)+1}{\alpha}}} \binom{\beta(\eta+i)-\eta}{j} \Gamma \left(\frac{\eta(\alpha-1)-\alpha+1}{\alpha}, \eta+j \right) \right\}.$$

3.7 Order Statistics

The Order statistics result from transformation that involves the ordering of an entire set of observations on a random variable. They have wide applications in many areas of statistics.

Suppose X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n is random sample from ENHP and $X_{1:n} < X_{2:n} < \dots < X_{n:n}$ are the corresponding order statistics. The PDF, $f_{r:n}(x)$, of r^{th} order statistic $X_{r:n}$ is

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

where $F(x)$ and $f(x)$ are the CDF and PDF of the ENHP distribution respectively, and $B(., .)$ is the beta function.

Since $0 < F(x) < 1$ for $x > 0$, using the binomial series expansion of $[1 - F(x)]^{n-r}$, which is given by

$$[1 - F(x)]^{n-r} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} \binom{n-r}{k} (-1)^k [F(x)]^k,$$

we have

$$f_{r:n}(x) = \frac{1}{B(r, n-r+1)} f(x) \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} \binom{n-r}{k} (-1)^k [F(x)]^{r+k-1}. \tag{28}$$

Substituting the CDF and PDF of the ENHP distribution into equation (28) gives

$$f_{r:n}(x) = \frac{\lambda \beta \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} (1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda(1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^\beta}}{B(r, n-r+1)} \times \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} \binom{n-r}{k} (-1)^k \frac{(1 - e^{-\lambda(1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^\beta})^{r+k-1}}{(1 - e^{-\lambda})^{r+k}}.$$

Using similar concept for expanding the density gives

$$f_{r:n}(x) = \frac{\beta}{B(r, n-r+1)} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{n-r} \sum_{l=0}^{r+k-1} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \xi \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(j+s+1)(1+\omega x)^\alpha}, \tag{29}$$

where

$$\xi = \frac{(-1)^{i+j+k+l+m+s} \lambda^{i+m+1} l^m (\beta_{i+1} - 1) \binom{n-r}{k} \binom{r+k-1}{l} \binom{m\beta}{s} e^{j+s+1}}{i! m! (1 - e^{-\lambda})^{r+k}}$$

3.8 Stochastic Ordering

Stochastic ordering is the commonest way to show ordering mechanism in lifetime distributions.

Suppose $X_1 \sim ENHP(\lambda, \beta_1, \alpha, \omega)$ and $X_2 \sim ENHP(\lambda, \beta_2, \alpha, \omega)$, then X_1 is said to be stochastically smaller than X_2 in the

1. stochastic order ($X_1 \leq_{st} X_2$) if the associated CDFs satisfy: $F_{X_1}(x) \geq F_{X_2}(x)$.
2. hazard rate order ($X_1 \leq_{hr} X_2$) if the associated hrfs satisfy: $h_{X_1}(x) \geq h_{X_2}(x)$.
3. likelihood ratio order ($X_1 \leq_{lr} X_2$) if the ratio of the associated PDFs given by $\frac{f_{X_1}(x)}{f_{X_2}(x)}$ decreases in x .

When X_1 and X_2 have a common finite left end-point support, the following implications hold

$$X_1 \leq_{lr} X_2 \implies X_1 \leq_{hr} X_2 \implies X_1 \leq_{st} X_2.$$

Suppose that the densities of X_1 and X_2 are

$$f_{X_1}(x) = \frac{\lambda \beta_1 \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} (1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta_1-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda(1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta_1}}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}}, x > 0.$$

and

$$f_{X_2}(x) = \frac{\lambda \beta_2 \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} (1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta_2-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda(1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta_2}}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}}, x > 0.$$

respectively. Then the ratio of the two densities is

$$\frac{f_{X_1}(x)}{f_{X_2}(x)} = \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_2} (1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta_1-\beta_2} e^{\lambda[(1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta_2} - (1-e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha})^{\beta_1}]}$$

Differentiating the ratio of the densities, with respect to x , yields

$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{f_{X_1}(x)}{f_{X_2}(x)} = A(\beta_1 - \beta_2) \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta_1 - \beta_2 - 1} + A\lambda \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta_1 - \beta_2} \times \left\{ \beta_2 \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta_2 - 1} - \beta_1 \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta_1 - 1} \right\},$$

where

$$A = \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_2} \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha - 1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} e^{\lambda \left[\left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta_2} - \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta_1} \right]}$$

If $\beta_2 > \beta_1$, $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{f_{X_1}(x)}{f_{X_2}(x)} < 0$ which implies $(X_1 \leq_r X_2)$.

4. Parameter Estimation

In this section, the estimates of the parameters of the model is presented via method of Maximum Likelihood Estimation. Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample of size n from ENHP distribution with unknown parameter vector $\theta = (\lambda, \beta, \alpha, \omega)'$, then the likelihood function is defined as

$$L(\theta|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i; \theta). \tag{30}$$

Substituting from equation (12), we obtain

$$L(\theta|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n \left\{ \frac{\lambda \beta \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x_i)^{\alpha - 1} \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta - 1} e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^\beta}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \right\}.$$

The log-likelihood function for θ is

$$\begin{aligned} \ell(\theta|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left\{ \lambda \beta \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x_i)^{\alpha - 1} \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta - 1} \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times \frac{e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha} e^{-\lambda \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^\beta}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} \right\} \\ &= n \log(\lambda \beta \alpha \omega) - n \log(1 - e^{-\lambda}) + (\alpha - 1) \sum_{i=1}^n \log(1 + \omega x_i) \\ &\quad + \sum_{i=1}^n (1 - (1 + \omega x_i)^\alpha) + (\beta - 1) \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right) \\ &\quad - \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^\beta. \end{aligned} \tag{31}$$

The score functions are obtained by finding the partial derivatives of the log-likelihood function with respect to the parameters λ, β, α and ω . they are defined as

$$\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \lambda} = \frac{n}{\lambda} - \frac{ne^{-\lambda}}{1 - e^{-\lambda}} - \sum_{i=1}^n \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^\beta, \tag{32}$$

$$\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \beta} = \frac{n}{\beta} + \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right) - \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^\beta \log \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right), \tag{33}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \alpha} &= \frac{n}{\alpha} + \sum_{i=1}^n \log(1 + \omega x_i) - \sum_{i=1}^n (1 + \omega x_i)^\alpha \log(1 + \omega x_i) \\ &\quad + (\beta - 1) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(1 + \omega x_i)^\alpha \log(1 + \omega x_i) e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}}{1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}} \\ &\quad - \lambda \beta \sum_{i=1}^n (1 + \omega x_i)^\alpha \log(1 + \omega x_i) e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha} \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta - 1}, \end{aligned} \tag{34}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \omega} &= \frac{n}{\omega} + (\alpha - 1) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i}{1 + \omega x_i} - \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (1 + \omega x_i)^{\alpha-1} \\ &\quad - \alpha(\beta - 1) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i (1 + \omega x_i)^{\alpha-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}}{1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}} \\ &\quad - \lambda \beta \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (1 + \omega x_i)^{\alpha-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha} \left(1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x_i)^\alpha}\right)^{\beta-1}. \end{aligned} \tag{35}$$

Equating the score functions to zero and the system of non-linear equations solved numerically, we can get the MLE of $\theta = (\lambda, \beta, \alpha, \omega)'$. Thus yielding the MLE: $\hat{\theta} = (\hat{\lambda}, \hat{\beta}, \hat{\alpha}, \hat{\omega})'$.

5. Monte Carlo Simulation Study

In this section, a simulation study was carried out to investigate the Average Bias (AB) and Root Mean Square Error (RMSE) of the Maximum Likelihood Estimators for the parameters of the ENHP distribution. Various simulations are conducted for different sample sizes and different parameter values. The simulation study is repeated for $N = 1000$ iterations each with sample sizes $n = 50, 100, 200, 400, 600$ and parameter values in set $I : \lambda = 1.5, \beta = 0.4, \alpha = 0.6, \omega = 0.3$ and set $II : \lambda = 2.5, \beta = 1.5, \alpha = 0.8, \omega = 0.5$.

The Average Bias and RMSE values of the parameters λ, β, α and ω for different sample sizes are presented in Table 1. From the results, it is clear that as the sample size n increases, the Average Bias, on average, decrease. It is also observed that for the parametric values, the RMSEs decrease with increasing sample size n .

Table 1. Monte Carlo simulation study results

Parameters	n	I		II	
		Average Bias	RMSE	Average Bias	RMSE
λ	50	0.6226539	1.664614	-0.01643394	1.648036
	100	0.7427476	1.849442	0.1191938	1.743309
	200	0.4189384	1.611065	0.1447134	1.801449
	400	0.2047677	1.371155	0.2444762	1.814645
	600	0.1821987	1.278496	0.198225	1.84063
β	50	0.06140861	0.1698807	0.4964533	2.108908
	100	0.02422554	0.0707455	0.2334832	1.244403
	200	0.005726971	0.04594976	0.08050179	0.3670992
	400	-0.001385699	0.0328041	0.04057207	0.2222429
	600	-0.002266186	0.02674262	0.03090847	0.1716109
α	50	0.1998506	1.011527	0.4143147	1.523161
	100	0.2137594	0.6977247	0.241312	0.9864716
	200	0.1947008	0.6203456	0.07631328	0.5811534
	400	0.146849	0.4493043	0.0156983	0.2536766
	600	0.151142	0.4700457	-0.005642115	0.1702314
ω	50	1.743883	22.12355	2.909462	16.12927
	100	0.1859374	0.8742861	1.398351	16.32425
	200	0.1140472	0.4876875	0.3537758	3.311303
	400	0.09717328	0.3751603	0.1680198	0.5855228
	600	0.083301	0.3346662	0.1328344	0.4441839

6. Application on Real Dataset

In this section, a real data set is used to illustrate the flexibility of the model in the modelling of survival data as well as compare it with competing models namely ENH (Abdul-Moniem, 2015) and TNH (Kumar & Kumar, 2018) distributions. We fit the density functions of the ENHP, ENH and TNH distributions. The pdfs of ENH and TNH distributions are given by

$$f_{ENH}(x) = \beta \alpha \omega (1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} \left[1 - e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}\right]^{\beta-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha}, x > 0, \alpha > 0, \omega > 0, \beta > 0, \tag{36}$$

and

$$f_{TNH}(x) = \alpha\omega(1 + \omega x)^{\alpha-1} e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \left[1 - \beta + 2\beta e^{1-(1+\omega x)^\alpha} \right], x > 0, \alpha > 0, \omega > 0, |\beta| \leq 1 \tag{37}$$

respectively.

The data set consists of the number of successive failures for the air conditioning system of each member in a fleet of 13 Boeing 720 jet airplanes as reported in Proschan (1963), and can be found in Kumar & Kumar (2018). Table 2 displays the data set.

Table 2. Air conditioning system data

194	413	90	74	55	23	97	50	359	50	130	487	57	102	15	14	10	57	320
261	51	44	9	254	493	33	18	209	41	58	60	48	56	87	11	102	12	5
14	14	29	37	186	29	104	7	4	72	270	283	7	61	100	61	502	220	120
141	22	603	35	98	54	100	11	181	65	49	12	239	14	18	39	3	12	5
32	9	438	43	134	184	20	386	182	71	80	188	230	152	5	36	79	59	33
246	1	79	3	27	201	84	27	156	21	16	88	130	14	118	44	15	42	106
46	230	26	59	153	104	20	206	5	66	34	29	26	35	5	82	31	118	326
12	54	36	34	18	25	120	31	22	18	216	139	67	310	3	46	210	57	76
14	111	97	62	39	30	7	44	11	63	23	22	23	14	18	13	34	16	18
130	90	163	208	1	24	70	16	101	52	208	95	62	11	191	14	71		

The maximum likelihood estimates of the parameters of ENHP, ENH and TNH distributions are given in Table 3 along with the corresponding standard errors, p-values, -2log-likelihood statistics, Akaike Information Criterion (AIC), corrected Akaike Information Criterion (AICc) and Bayesian Information Criterion (BIC).

The results based on the smaller values of the statistics:-2log likelihood, AIC, AICc, and BIC show that the ENHP distribution provides a significantly better fit than the ENH and TNH models.

Table 3. Table for MLEs of ENHP, ENH and TNH Models

Distributions	MLEs of the parameters				Statistics			
	λ	β	α	ω	-2log L	AIC	AICc	BIC
ENHP	0.162542	1.4582876	0.525399	0.047458	2066.284	2074.284	2074.502	2087.23
<i>Std. Errors</i>	1.586890	0.414505	0.179805	0.067029	-			
<i>p-values</i>	0.9184169	0.0004346	0.0034774	0.4789303				
ENH	-	0.66109706	3.63465741	0.00137937	2100.137	2106.137	2106.267	2115.846
<i>Std. Errors</i>		0.05468001	0.00133344	0.00009654	-			
<i>p-values</i>		0.000000	0.000000	0.000000				
TNH	-	0.3280604	0.7892031	0.0134406	2069.668	2075.668	2075.799	2089.378
<i>Std. Errors</i>		0.4644553	0.1642773	0.0080188	-			
<i>p-values</i>		0.47998	0.000000	0.09371				

Figure 4 depicts the empirical density and the fitted densities of the distributions. The plots further indicate that the ENHP distribution is superior to ENH and TNH distributions in terms of empirical model fitting to survival data.

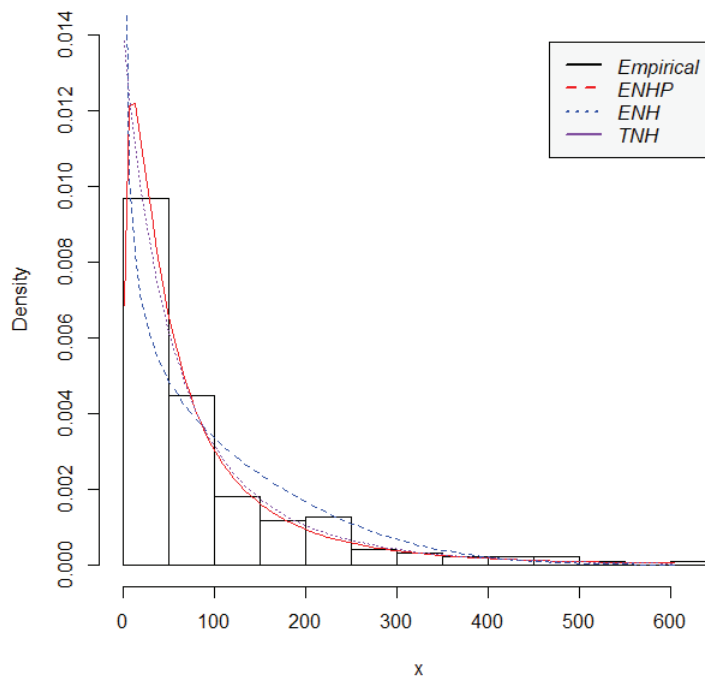


Figure 4. Empirical and fitted densities plot for Air conditioning system Data

7. Conclusion

In this paper, a proposal has been made on the Exponentiated Nadarajah-Haghighi Poisson distribution and studied its statistical properties. The method of Maximum Likelihood Estimation method was used to estimate the parameters of the developed distribution. Simulation studies were performed to assess the finite sample properties for the estimators of the parameters and the results showed that the estimators of parameters were stable. The application of the distribution was demonstrated using real data set and the empirical results obtained revealed the ENHP distribution is a better model compared with competing models in terms of goodness-of-fit. We recommend that further studies should be carried out by comparing the Maximum Likelihood Estimation method with the Bayesian method to compare their performance in estimating the parameters of the ENHP distribution.

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