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# **Recurrence Relations for Moments of Progressively** Type-II Censored from lindley Weibull Distribution

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Abstract: In this paper, we establish recurrence relations for single and product moments based on progressively Type-II censored from three parameters lindley Weibull distribution (LWD) and doubly truncated LWD. Also, we can use it to compute all the means, variances and covariances of lindley Weibull progressive Type-II censored order statistics.

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#### 1 Introduction

The most common right censoring schemes are Type-I and Type-II censoring, but the traditional Type-I and Type-II censoring schemes do not have the flexibility of allowing removal of units at points other than the final point of the experiment. So, a more general censoring scheme called progressive Type-II right censoring is suggested. Under this general censoring scheme, n units are placed on test. only m are completely observed until failure. At the time of the first failure,  $R_1$  of the n-1 surviving units are randomly removed (or censored) from the test. At the time of the next failure,  $R_2$ of the  $n-2-R_1$  surviving units are removed from the test at censored, and so on. Finally, at the time of the m-th failure, all the remaining  $R_m = n - R_1 - R_2 - ... - R_{m-1} - m$  surviving units are censored. The m ordered observed failure times denoted by  $X_{1:m:n}^{(R_1,...,R_m)}, X_{2:m:n}^{(R_1,...,R_m)}, ..., X_{m:m:n}^{(R_1,...,R_m)}$  are called progressively Type-II right censored order statistics of size m from a sample of size n with progressive censoring scheme  $(R_1,...,R_m)$  It is clear that  $n = m + \sum_{i=1}^m R_i$ . The special case when  $R_1 = R_2 = ... = R_{m-1} = 0$  so that  $R_m = n - m$  is the case of conventional Type-II right censored sampling. Also when  $R_1 = R_2 = ... = R_m = 0$ , so that m = n, so in this case, the progressively Type-II right censoring scheme reduces to the case of no censoring (ordinary order statistics). Many authors have discussed inference under progressive Type-II censored using different lifetime distributions, see for example, [1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9] and [10]. A thorough overview of the subject of progressive censoring and the excellent review article is given in [11]. [12] developed an algorithm to simulate general, progressively Type-II censored samples from the uniform or any other continuous distribution. The joint probability density function for progressively Type-II censored sample of size m from a sample of size n is given by, for details see [13]

$$f_{x_{1:m:n},...,x_{m:m:n}}(x_1,...,x_m) = C_{n,R_{m-1}} \prod_{i=1}^m f(x_i) [1 - F(x_i)]^{R_i},$$

$$-\infty < x_1 < x_2 < ... < x_m < \infty,$$
(1)

where

$$C_{n,R_{m-1}} = n(n-R_1-1)(n-R_1-R_2-2)...(n-R_1-R_2-...-R_{m-1}-m+1),$$
(2)

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The probability density function (PDF), cumulative distribution function (CDF), reliability function S(x), and hazard rate function h(x) of the LWD are given respectively, by

$$f(x) = \frac{\beta \theta^2}{\theta + 1} [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta - 1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta - 1}] exp[-\theta (\alpha x)^{\beta}], \tag{3}$$

$$F(x) = 1 - exp[-\theta(\alpha x)^{\beta}][1 + \frac{\theta}{\theta + 1}(\alpha x)^{\beta}], \tag{4}$$

$$S(x) = exp[-\theta(\alpha x)^{\beta}][1 + \frac{\theta}{\theta + 1}(\alpha x)^{\beta}], \tag{5}$$

and

$$h(x) = \frac{\frac{\beta \theta^2}{\theta + 1} [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta - 1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta - 1}]}{[1 + \frac{\theta}{\theta + 1} (\alpha x)^{\beta}]},$$
(6)

also, the characterizing differential equation given by

$$f(x) = \frac{\beta \theta^2 [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta - 1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta - 1}][1 - F(x)]}{\theta + 1 + \theta (\alpha x)^{\beta}},$$
(7)

From Eq. (2), we see that if  $\alpha = 1$  and  $\beta = 1$ ; then LWD reduces to lindley distribution. with parameter  $\theta$ .

This paper is organized as follows: In Sections (2,3) the recurrence relations for single and product moments of progressive Type-II censored order statistics from LWD are derived. Finaly, in section 4 is devoted to get recurrence relations for the single and product moments of progressive Type-II right censored order statistics from the doubly truncated LWD. In this paper, we derive new recurrence relations satisfied by the single and product moments of the progressively Type-II censored order statistics from the LWD and doubly truncated LWD. Several authors have been developed new recurrence relations satisfied by the single and product moments for different distributions. [14] have established recurrence relations for moments of generalized order statistics within a class of doubly truncated distributions. [15] have established recurrence relations for single and product moments of order statistics from a generalized logistic distribution. [16] have established recurrence relations for moments of progressively censored order statistics from logistic distribution. [17] have established recurrence relations and identities for moments of order statistics.

## 2 Recurrence Relations for the Single Moments

Let  $\underline{X} = (X_{1:m:n}, X_{2:m:n}, \dots, X_{m:m:n})$  be the progressively Type-II censored order statistics of size m from the sample of size n with censoring scheme  $(R_1, R_2, \dots R_m)$  taken from the lindley Weibull distribution whose PDF and CDF are given by (3) and (4) .The single moments of the progressively Type-II can be written as

$$\mu_{i:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k)} = C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_m < \infty} \int x_i^k f(x_1) [1 - F(x_1)]^{R_1}$$

$$\times f(x_2) [1 - F(x_2)]^{R_2} \dots f(x_m) [1 - F(x_m)]^{R_m} dx_1 \dots dx_m.$$
(8)

where

 $C_{n,R_{m-1}}$  is defined in (2).

The following recurrence relations gives the single moments of progressively Type-II censored are derived on the basis of the Lindley Weibull distribution .

**Theorem 1.** For  $2 \le m \le n$ ,  $k, \beta > 0$  and  $\theta > 0$ ,

$$\mu_{1:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(k+\beta)} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{\left[\frac{R_{1}+1}{k+\beta}(\theta+1)\beta\theta+1\right]} \left[\frac{n-R_{1}-1}{k+\beta}\mu_{1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1}+R_{2}+1,R_{3},...,R_{m})(k+\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta}\frac{n-R_{1}-1}{k+2\beta}\mu_{1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1}+R_{2}+1,R_{3},...,R_{m})(k+2\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta}\frac{R_{1}+1}{k+2\beta}\mu_{1:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},R_{3},...,R_{m})(k+2\beta)}\right].$$

$$(9)$$



**Proof**. From (8), we have

$$\mu_{1:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k)} = C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_m < \infty} \int x_1^k f(x_1) [1 - F(x_1)]^{R_1}$$

$$\times f(x_2) [1 - F(x_2)]^{R_2} \dots f(x_m) [1 - F(x_m)]^{R_m} dx_1 \dots dx_m.$$
(10)

By using (7) we get,

$$\mu_{1:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k)} = C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_m < \infty} \int_0^{x_2} I(x_2) f(x_2)$$

$$\times [1 - F(x_2)]^{R_2} \dots f(x_m) [1 - F(x_m)]^{R_m} dx_2 \dots dx_m,$$
(11)

where

$$I(x_2) = \int_0^{x_2} x_1^k \beta \, \theta^2 [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta-1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta-1}] [1 - F(x_1)]^{R_1 + 1} dx_1.$$

Integrating by parts, we get

$$\int_{0}^{x_{2}} x_{1}^{k} \beta \theta^{2} [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta-1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta-1}] [1 - F(x_{1})]^{R_{1}+1} dx_{1} = \frac{\beta \theta^{2} \alpha^{\beta}}{k + \beta} x_{2}^{k + \beta} [1 - F(x_{2})]^{1 + R_{1}} 
+ \frac{\beta \theta^{2} \alpha^{\beta} (R_{1} + 1)}{k + \beta} \int_{0}^{x_{2}} x_{1}^{k + \beta} f(x_{1}) [1 - F(x_{1})]^{R_{1}} dx_{1} 
+ \frac{\beta \theta^{2} \alpha^{2\beta}}{k + 2\beta} x_{2}^{k + 2\beta} [1 - F(x_{2})]^{1 + R_{1}} 
+ \frac{\beta \theta^{2} \alpha^{2\beta} (R_{1} + 1)}{k + 2\beta} \int_{0}^{x_{2}} x_{1}^{k + 2\beta} f(x_{1}) [1 - F(x_{1})]^{R_{1}} dx_{1}.$$
(12)

Substituting the above expression into (11) we get (9).

**Theorem 2.** For  $2 \le i \le m-1$ ,  $k, \beta > 0$  and  $\theta > 0$ ,

$$\mu_{i:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(k+\beta)} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{\left[\frac{R_{i}+1}{k+\beta}(\theta+1)\beta\theta+1\right]} \left[\frac{(n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{i}-i)}{k+\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{i}+R_{i+1}+1,...,R_{m})(k+\beta)} - \frac{(n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{i-1}-i+1)}{k+\beta} \mu_{i-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},....,R_{i-1}+R_{i}+1,...,R_{m})(k+\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{(n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{i}-i)}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},....,R_{i}+R_{i+1}+1,...,R_{m})(k+2\beta)} - \alpha^{\beta} \frac{(n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{i-1}-i+1)}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{i-1}+R_{i}+1,...,R_{m})(k+2\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{(R_{i}+1)}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(k+2\beta)} \right].$$

$$(13)$$



**Proof.** Making use of (7) and (8), yields

$$\mu_{i:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k)} = C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_{i-1} < x_{i+1} < \dots < \infty} \int I(x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}) \times f(x_1) [1 - F(x_1)]^{R_1} \dots$$

$$f(x_{i-1}) [1 - F(x_{i-1})]^{R_{i-1}} f(x_{i+1}) [1 - F(x_{i+1})]^{R_{i+1}}$$

$$\times \dots f(x_m) [1 - F(x_m)]^{R_m} dx_1 \dots dx_{i-1} dx_{i+1} \dots dx_m,$$
(14)

where

$$I(x_{i-1},x_{i+1}) = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_{i+1}} x_i^k \beta \, \theta^2 [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta-1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta-1}] [1 - F(x_i)]^{R_i+1} dx_i.$$

Integrating by parts, we get

$$I(x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}) = \frac{\beta \theta^2 \alpha^{\beta}}{k + \beta} [x_{i+1}^{k+\beta} [1 - F(x_{i+1})]^{1+R_i} - x_{i-1}^{k+\beta} [1 - F(x_{i-1})]^{1+R_i}]$$

$$+ \frac{\beta \theta^2 \alpha^{\beta} (R_i + 1)}{k + \beta} \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_{i+1}} x_i^{k+\beta} f(x_i) [1 - F(x_i)]^{R_i} dx_i$$

$$+ \frac{\beta \theta^2 \alpha^{2\beta}}{k + 2\beta} [x_{i+1}^{k+2\beta} [1 - F(x_{i+1})]^{1+R_i} - x_{i-1}^{k+2\beta} [1 - F(x_{i-1})]^{1+R_i}]$$

$$+ \frac{\beta \theta^2 \alpha^{2\beta} (R_i + 1)}{k + 2\beta} \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_{i+1}} x_i^{k+2\beta} f(x_i) [1 - F(x_i)]^{R_i} dx_i.$$
(15)

Substituting the above expression into (14) we get (13).

**Theorem 3.** For  $2 \le m \le n$ ,  $k, \beta > 0$  and  $\theta > 0$ ,

$$\mu_{m:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(k+\beta)} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{\left[\frac{R_{m}+1}{k+\beta}(\theta+1)\beta\theta+1\right]} \left[\frac{-(n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1)}{k+\beta} \mu_{m-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m}+1)(k+\beta)} - \alpha^{\beta} \frac{(n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1)}{k+2\beta} \mu_{m-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m}+1)(k+2\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{(R_{m}+1)}{k+2\beta} \mu_{m:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(k+2\beta)}\right]$$

$$(16)$$

**Proof**. Using (7) and (8), we can write

$$\mu_{m:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k)} = C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_{m-1} < \infty} \int I(x_{m-1}) f(x_1) [1 - F(x_1)]^{R_1} \times f(x_2) [1 - F(x_2)]^{R_2} \dots$$

$$\times f(x_{m-1}) [1 - F(x_{m-1})]^{R_{m-1}} dx_1 dx_2 \dots dx_{m-1}.$$
(17)

where

$$I(x_{m-1}) = \int_{x_{m-1}}^{\infty} x_m^k \beta \theta^2 [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta-1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta-1}] [1 - F(x_m)]^{R_m + 1} dx_m.$$



Integrating by parts, we obtain

$$I(x_{m-1}) = -\frac{\beta \theta^{2} \alpha^{\beta}}{k + \beta} x_{m-1}^{k+\beta} [1 - F(x_{m-1})]^{1+R_{m}}$$

$$+ \frac{\beta \theta^{2} \alpha^{\beta} (R_{m} + 1)}{k + \beta} \int_{x_{m-1}}^{\infty} x_{m}^{k+\beta} f(x_{m}) [1 - F(x_{m})]^{R_{m}} dx_{m}$$

$$- \frac{\beta \theta^{2} \alpha^{2\beta}}{k + 2\beta} x_{m-1}^{k+2\beta} [1 - F(x_{m-1})]^{1+R_{m}}$$

$$+ \frac{\beta \theta^{2} \alpha^{2\beta} (R_{m} + 1)}{k + 2\beta} \int_{x_{m-1}}^{\infty} x_{m}^{k+2\beta} f(x_{m}) [1 - F(x_{m})]^{R_{m}} dx_{m}.$$
(18)

Substituting the above expression into (17) we get (16).

#### **3 Recurrence Relations for the Product Moments**

For any continuous distribution, we can write the (i,j)-th product moment of progressively Type-II censored order statistics are derived on the basis of the Lindley Weibull distribution

$$\mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)} = E[X_{i:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)} X_{j:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)}]$$

$$= C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_m < \infty} \int x_i x_j f(x_1) [1 - F(x_1)]^{R_1}$$

$$\times f(x_2) [1 - F(x_2)]^{R_2} \dots f(x_m) [1 - F(x_m)]^{R_m} dx_1 \dots dx_m.$$
(19)

**Theorem 1.** For  $1 \le i < j \le m - 1$ ,  $m \le n$ ,  $\beta, \theta > 0$ ,

$$\mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{[1+\theta(\theta+1)(1+R_{j})]} \left[ \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{j}-j}{\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{j}+R_{j+1}+1,...,R_{m})(\beta)} - \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{j-1}-j+1}{\beta} \mu_{i,j-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{j-1}+R_{j}+1,R_{j+1},...,R_{m})(\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{j}-j}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{j}+R_{j+1}+1,R_{j+2},...,R_{m})(2\beta)} - \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{j-1}-j+1}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{j-1}+R_{j}+1,R_{j+1},...,R_{m})(2\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{1+R_{j}}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(2\beta)} \right]$$

$$(20)$$



**Proof** 

$$\mu_{i:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})} = E[X_{i:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...R_{m})} \{X_{j:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...R_{m})}\}^{0}]$$

$$= C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_{1} < x_{2} < ... < x_{j-1} < x_{j+1} < ... < x_{m} < \infty} \int x_{i} I(x_{j-1}, x_{j+1})$$

$$\times f(x_{1})[1 - F(x_{1})]^{R_{1}} .....f(x_{j-1})[1 - F(x_{j-1})]^{R_{j-1}} f(x_{j+1})[1 - F(x_{j+1})]^{R_{j+1}}$$

$$\times ....f(x_{m})[1 - F(x_{m})]^{R_{m}} dx_{1} ....dx_{j-1} dx_{j+1} .....dx_{m},$$
(21)

where

$$I(x_{j-1}, x_{j+1}) = \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_{j+1}} x_j^0 \beta \, \theta^2 (\alpha^{\beta} x_j^{\beta-1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x_j^{2\beta-1}) [1 - F(x_j)]^{R_j + 1} dx_j.$$

Integrating by parts, we get

$$I(x_{j-1}, x_{j+1}) = \theta^{2} \alpha^{\beta} [x_{j+1}^{\beta} [1 - F(x_{j+1})]^{1+R_{j}} - x_{j-1}^{\beta} [1 - F(x_{j-1})]^{1+R_{j}}]$$

$$+ \theta^{2} \alpha^{\beta} (R_{j} + 1) \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_{j+1}} x_{j}^{\beta} f(x_{j}) [1 - F(x_{j})]^{R_{j}} dx_{j}$$

$$+ \frac{\theta^{2} \alpha^{2\beta}}{2} [x_{j+1}^{2\beta} [1 - F(x_{j+1})]^{1+R_{j}} - x_{j-1}^{2\beta} [1 - F(x_{j-1})]^{1+R_{j}}]$$

$$+ \frac{\theta^{2} \alpha^{2\beta} (R_{j} + 1)}{2} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_{j+1}} x_{j}^{2\beta} f(x_{j}) [1 - F(x_{j})]^{R_{j}} dx_{j}.$$

$$(22)$$

Substituting the above expression into (21) we get (20).

**Theorem 2.** For  $1 \le i \le m-1$ ,  $m \le n$ ,  $\beta, \theta > 0$ ,

$$\mu_{i,m:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{[1+\theta(\theta+1)(1+R_{m})]} \left[ \frac{-(n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1)}{\beta} \mu_{i,m-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m}+1)(\beta)} - \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{2\beta} \mu_{i,m-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m}+1)(2\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{1+R_{m}}{2\beta} \mu_{i,m:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(2\beta)} \right]$$

$$(23)$$

Proof.

$$\mu_{i:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)} = E[X_{i:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)} \{X_{m:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)}\}^0]$$

$$= C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_1 < \dots < x_{m_1} < \infty} \int x_i I(x_{m-1})$$

$$\times f(x_1)[1 - F(x_1)]^{R_1} \dots f(x_{m-1})[1 - F(x_{m-1})]^{R_{m-1}} dx_1 dx_2 \dots dx_{m-1},$$
(24)



where

$$I(x_{m-1}) = \int_{x_{m-1}}^{\infty} x_m^0 \beta \, \theta^2 (\alpha^{\beta} x_m^{\beta-1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x_m^{2\beta-1}) [1 - F(x_m)]^{R_m + 1} dx_m.$$

Integrating by parts, we get

$$I(x_{m-1}) = -\theta^{2} \alpha^{\beta} [x_{m-1}^{\beta} [1 - F(x_{m-1})]^{1+R_{m}}]$$

$$+ \theta^{2} \alpha^{\beta} (R_{m} + 1) \int_{x_{m-1}}^{\infty} x_{m}^{\beta} f(x_{m}) [1 - F(x_{m})]^{R_{m}} dx_{m}$$

$$- \frac{\theta^{2} \alpha^{2\beta}}{2} [x_{m-1}^{2\beta} [1 - F(x_{m-1})]^{1+R_{m}}$$

$$+ \frac{\theta^{2} \alpha^{2\beta} (R_{m} + 1)}{2} \int_{x_{m-1}}^{\infty} x_{m}^{2\beta} f(x_{m}) [1 - F(x_{m})]^{R_{m}} dx_{m}.$$

$$(25)$$

Substituting the above expression into (24) we get (23).

**Theorem 3.** For 
$$1 \le i < j \le m-1$$
,  $m \le n$ ,  $\beta, \theta > 0$ ,

$$\mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(r,s+\beta)} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{[1+\frac{\theta(\theta+1)}{s+\beta}\beta(1+R_{j})]} \left[ \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{j}-j}{s+\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{j}+R_{j+1}+1,...,R_{m})(r,s+\beta)} - \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{j-1}-j+1}{s+\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{j-1}+R_{j}+1,R_{j+1},...,R_{m})(r,s+\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{j}-j}{s+2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{j}+R_{j+1}+1,R_{j+2},...,R_{m})(r,s+2\beta)} - \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_{1}-R_{2}-...-R_{j-1}-j+1}{s+2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{j}-1+R_{j}+1,R_{j+1},...,R_{m})(r,s+2\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{1+R_{j}}{s+2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(r,s+2\beta)} \right]$$

$$(26)$$

**Proof** 

$$\mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(r,s)} = E[X_{i:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(r)} \{X_{j:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(s)}$$

$$= C_{n,R_{m-1}} \iint_{0 < x_{1} < x_{2} < ... < x_{j-1} < x_{j+1} < ... < x_{m} < \infty} \int x_{i}^{r} I(x_{j-1},x_{j+1})$$

$$\times f(x_{1})[1 - F(x_{1})]^{R_{1}} .....f(x_{j-1})[1 - F(x_{j-1})]^{R_{j-1}}$$

$$\times f(x_{j+1})[1 - F(x_{j+1})]^{R_{j+1}} .....f(x_{m})[1 - F(x_{m})]^{R_{m}} dx_{1} dx_{2} ... dx_{j-1} dx_{j+1} ... dx_{m},$$

$$(27)$$



where

$$I(x_{j-1}, x_{j+1}) = \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_{j+1}} x_j^s \beta \theta^2 (\alpha^{\beta} x_j^{\beta-1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x_j^{2\beta-1}) [1 - F(x_j)]^{R_j + 1} dx_j$$

Integrating by parts, we get

$$I(x_{j-1}, x_{j+1}) = \frac{\beta \theta^2 \alpha^{\beta}}{s + \beta} [x_{j+1}^{s+\beta} [1 - F(x_{j+1})]^{1+R_j} - x_{j-1}^{s+\beta} [1 - F(x_{j-1})]^{1+R_j}]$$

$$+ \frac{\beta \theta^2 \alpha^{\beta} (R_j + 1)}{s + \beta} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_{j+1}} x_j^{s+\beta} f(x_j) [1 - F(x_j)]^{R_j} dx_j$$

$$+ \frac{\beta \theta^2 \alpha^{2\beta}}{s + 2\beta} [x_{j+1}^{s+2\beta} [1 - F(x_{j+1})]^{1+R_j} - x_{j-1}^{s+2\beta} [1 - F(x_{j-1})]^{1+R_j}]$$

$$+ \frac{\beta \theta^2 \alpha^{2\beta} (R_j + 1)}{s + 2\beta} \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_{j+1}} x_j^{s+2\beta} f(x_j) [1 - F(x_j)]^{R_j} dx_j.$$
(28)

Substituting the above expression into (27) we get (26).

# 4 The Doubly Truncated lindley Weibull Distribution

In this section, we present recurrence relations for the single and product moments of progressively type-II censored order statistics from the doubly truncated lindley weibull distribution. PDF of the doubly truncated LWD is given by:

$$f_t(x) = \frac{\beta \theta^2}{(P - Q)(1 + \theta)} [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta - 1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta - 1}] exp[-\theta (\alpha x)^{\beta}], \tag{29}$$

$$0 < Q_1 < x < P_1, \quad \alpha, \theta, \beta > 0, \quad x \ge 0,$$

where

$$Q = F_{t}(Q_{1}) = 1 - exp[-\theta(\alpha Q_{1})^{\beta}][1 + \frac{\theta}{\theta + 1}(\alpha Q_{1})^{\beta}],$$

$$P = F_{t}(P_{1}) = 1 - exp[-\theta(\alpha P_{1})^{\beta}][1 + \frac{\theta}{\theta + 1}(\alpha P_{1})^{\beta}].$$
(30)

Here, 1-P is the proportion of right truncation on the LWD and Q is the propotion of the left truncation. Thus CDF of doubly truncated LWD can be put in the form

$$F_{t}(x) = \frac{1}{P - Q} \{ exp[-\theta(\alpha Q_{1})^{\beta}][1 + \frac{\theta}{\theta + 1}(\alpha Q_{1})^{\beta}] - exp[-\theta(\alpha x)^{\beta}][1 + \frac{\theta}{1 + \theta}(\alpha x)^{\beta}] \}.$$
 (31)

So, the characterizing differential equation for this distribution is given by

$$f_t(x) = \frac{\beta \theta^2}{\theta + 1 + \theta(\alpha x)^{\beta}} [\alpha^{\beta} x^{\beta - 1} + \alpha^{2\beta} x^{2\beta - 1}] [\frac{1 - P}{P - Q} + [1 - F_t(x)]]. \tag{32}$$

Thus, we can conclude new recurrence relations for the single and product moments of progressively type-II censored order statistics from the doubly truncated lindley Weibull distribution.



## 4.1 Recurrence Relations for the Single Moments based on Truncated Lindley Weibull Distribution

**Relation 1.** For  $2 \le m \le n-1$  and  $\beta, \theta > 0$ 

$$\mu_{1:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{[1+\frac{\theta(\theta+1)}{k+\beta}\beta(1+R_1)]} [(\frac{1-P}{P-Q})(\frac{n-R_1-1}{k+\beta}\mu_{1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1+R_2,\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} - n\frac{Q_1^{k+\beta}}{k+\beta} + \frac{R_1}{k+\beta}\mu_{1:m:n-1}^{(R_1-1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta}\frac{n-R_1-1}{k+2\beta}\mu_{1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1+R_2,\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} - \alpha^{\beta}\frac{nQ_1^{k+2\beta}}{k+2\beta} + \alpha^{\beta}\frac{R_1}{k+2\beta}\mu_{1:m:n-1}^{(R_1-1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)}) + \frac{n-R_1-1}{k+\beta}\mu_{1:m-1:n}^{(R_1+R_2+1,R_3,\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)}$$

$$-\frac{nQ_1^{k+\beta}}{k+\beta} + \alpha^{\beta}\frac{n-R_1-1}{k+2\beta}\mu_{1:m-1:n}^{(R_1+R_2+1,R_3,\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} - \alpha^{\beta}\frac{nQ_1^{k+2\beta}}{k+2\beta} + \alpha^{\beta}\frac{(1+R_1)}{k+2\beta}\mu_{1:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,R_3,\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)}]$$

$$(33)$$

**Relation 2.** For  $2 \le i \le m-1$  and  $\beta, \theta > 0$ 

$$\begin{split} \mu_{im:n}^{(R_1,R_2,\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} &= \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{[1+\frac{\theta(\theta+1)}{k+\beta}\beta(1+R_i)]} \{ (\frac{1-P}{P-Q}) (\frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_i-i}{k+\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1,\dots,R_i+R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} \\ &- \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+\beta} \mu_{i-1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1}+R_i,R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} + \frac{R_i}{k+\beta} \mu_{i:m:n-1}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1},\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_i-i}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1,\dots,R_i+R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} \\ &- \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m:n-1}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1}+R_i,R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{R_i}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m:n-1}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1},\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)}) + \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_i-i}{k+\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_i+R_{i+1}+1,\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} \\ &- \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1}+R_i+1,R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_i+R_{i+1}+1,\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} \\ &- \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1}+R_i+1,R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} \\ &- \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1}+R_i+1,R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{1+R_i}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_n)(k+2\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1}+R_{i+1},R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1}+R_{i+1},R_{i+1},R_{i+1},R_{i+1},\dots,R_m)(k+2\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-\dots-R_{i-1}-i+1}{k+2\beta} \mu_{i:m-1:n}^{(R_1,\dots,R_{i-1}+R_{i+1},R_{i+1},R_{i+1},R_{i+1$$



**Relation 3.** For  $2 \le m \le n-1$  and  $\beta, \theta > 0$ 

$$\mu_{m:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(k+\beta)} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{[1+\frac{\theta(\theta+1)}{k+\beta}\beta(1+R_{m})]} \{-(\frac{1-P}{P-Q})[\frac{n-R_{1}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{k+\beta}\mu_{m-1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m})(k+\beta)} \\ -\frac{R_{m}}{k+\beta}\mu_{m:m:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m}-1)(k+\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta}\frac{n-R_{1}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{k+2\beta}\mu_{m-1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m})(k+\beta)} \\ -\alpha^{\beta}\frac{R_{m}}{k+2\beta}\mu_{m:m:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m}-1)(k+2\beta)}] - \frac{n-R_{1}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{k+\beta}\mu_{m-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m}+1)(k+\beta)} \\ -\alpha^{\beta}\frac{n-R_{1}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{k+2\beta}\mu_{m:m:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m}+1)(k+2\beta)} \\ +\alpha^{\beta}\frac{1+R_{m}}{k+2\beta}\mu_{m:m:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m})(k+2\beta)}\}.$$

$$(35)$$

## 4.2 Recurrence Relations for the Product Moments based on Truncated Lindley Weibull Distribution

**Relation 1.** For  $1 \le i < j \le m-1, m \le n$  and  $\beta, \theta > 0$ 

$$\begin{split} \mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_1,R_2,...,R_m)(\beta)} &= \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{[1+\theta(\theta+1)(1+R_j)]} \{ (\frac{1-P}{P-Q}) [\frac{n-R_1-...-R_j-j}{\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1,...,R_j+R_{j+1},...,R_m)(\beta)} \\ &- \frac{n-R_1-...-R_{j-1}-j+1}{\beta} \mu_{i,j-1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1,...,R_{j-1}+R_j,R_{j+1},...,R_m)(\beta)} + \frac{R_j}{\beta} \mu_{i,j:m:n-1}^{(R_1,...,R_{j-1},...,R_m)(\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-...-R_j-j}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1,...,R_j+R_{j+1},...,R_m)(2\beta)} \\ &- \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-...-R_{j-1}-j+1}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j-1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_1,...,R_{j-1}+R_j,R_{j+1},...,R_m)(2\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{R_j}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m:n-1}^{(R_1,...,R_{j-1},...,R_m)(2\beta)} ] + \frac{n-R_1-...-R_j-j}{\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_1,...,R_{j-1}+R_j+1,R_{j+1},...,R_m)(\beta)} \\ &- \frac{n-R_1-...-R_{j-1}-j+1}{\beta} \mu_{i,j-1:m-1:n}^{(R_1,...,R_{j-1}+R_j+1,R_{j+1},...,R_m)(\beta)} \\ &+ \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-...-R_j-j}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_1,...,R_j+R_{j+1}+1,...,R_m)(2\beta)} \\ &- \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-...-R_j-j}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_1,...,R_j+R_{j+1}+1,...,R_m)(2\beta)} \\ &- \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_1-...-R_{j-1}-j+1}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m-1:n}^{(R_1,...,R_{j-1}+R_j+1,R_{j+1},...,R_m)(2\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{1+R_j}{2\beta} \mu_{i,j:m:n}^{(R_1,...,R_m)(2\beta)} \} \end{split}$$



**Relation 2.** For 
$$1 \le i \le m-1, m \le n$$
 and  $\beta, \theta > 0$ 

$$\mu_{i,m:m:n}^{(R_{1},R_{2},...,R_{m})(\beta)} = \frac{-(\theta+1)(\beta\theta)}{[1+\theta(\theta+1)(1+R_{m})]} \left\{ -(\frac{1-P}{P-Q}) \left[ \frac{n-R_{1}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{\beta} \mu_{i,m-1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m})(\beta)} \right. \right. \\ \left. - \frac{R_{m}}{\beta} \mu_{i,m:m:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m}-1)(\beta)} + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_{1}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{2\beta} \mu_{i,m-1:m-1:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m})(2\beta)} \right. \\ \left. - \alpha^{\beta} \frac{R_{m}}{2\beta} \mu_{i,m:m:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m}-1)(2\beta)} \right] - \frac{n-R_{1}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{\beta} \mu_{i,m-1:m-1:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m}+1)(\beta)} \\ \left. - \alpha^{\beta} \frac{n-R_{1}-...-R_{m-1}-m+1}{2\beta} \mu_{i,m:m:n-1}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m-1}+R_{m}+1)(2\beta)} \right. \\ \left. + \alpha^{\beta} \frac{1+R_{m}}{2\beta} \mu_{i,m:m:n}^{(R_{1},...,R_{m})(2\beta)} \right\}.$$

$$(37)$$

**Remark 1.** Setting P= 1 and Q= 0 in Relations (33),(34),(35),(36),(37), we obtain theorems (9),(13),(16),(20),(23).

**Remark 2.** Setting  $R_1 = R_2 = \dots = R_m = 0$ , so that m = n in which the case of the progressively Type-II censored order statistics become the usual order statistics  $X_{1:n}, X_{2:n}, \dots, X_{n:n}$ , the relations established for the LWD reduce to the corresponding recurrence relations based on the usual order statistics.

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