

The Topp-Leone Marshall-Olkin-G Family of Distributions With Applications

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Abstract

A new generalized distribution is developed, namely, Topp-Leone Marshall-Olkin-G distribution. The new distribution is a linear combination of the exponentiated-G family of distributions. We considered three sub-families of the new proposed family of distribution. The distribution can handle heavy-tailed data and various forms of the hazard rate functions. A simulation study was conducted to evaluate consistency of the model parameters. Three applications are provided to demonstrate the usefulness of the new model in comparison with competing non-nested models.

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1. Introduction

There is an increase in the demand for generalized distributions, which can handle various levels of skewness and kurtosis. More so, there is an increased need for generalized distributions that can fit data that exhibit various shapes for the hazard rate functions. These generalized models have wider applications in areas of reliability and engineering. Also, these generalized models have wider applications in hydrology, medicine, economics, finance and insurance. In response to this demand, many generators are proposed in literature and these include beta-G by Eugene, Lee, and Famoye (2002), Marshall-Olkin-G (MO-G) by Marshall and Olkin (1997), Kumaraswamy-G (Kw-G) by Cordeiro and de Castro (2011), gamma-G by Zografos and Balakrishnan (2009), Weibull-G (W-G) by Bourguignon, Silva, and Cordeiro (2014), T-X family by Alzaatreh and Ghosh (2013), beta odd Lindley-G (BOL-G) by Chipepa, Oluyede, Makubate, and Fagbamigbe (2019), Kumaraswamy odd Lindley-G by Chipepa, Oluyede, and Makubate (2019), Topp-Leone odd log-logistic-G (TLOLL-G) by Brito, Cordeiro, Yousof, Alizadeh, and Silva (2017), to mention a few.

Furthermore, Topp and Leone (1955) developed a model that always exhibits the bathtub shaped hazard rates. The Topp-Leone distribution is an extension of the triangular distribution, and as such it is not a very flexible distribution since its domain is restricted to (0, 1). This distribution has cumulative distribution function (cdf) defined as

$$F_{TL}(x) = [1 - (1 - x)^2]^b, \quad (1)$$

for $0 < x < 1$ and $b > 0$.

Marshall and Olkin (1997), introduced a new distribution defined by

$$F_{MO}(x) = 1 - \frac{\delta \tilde{G}(x)}{1 - \delta \tilde{G}(x)}, \quad (2)$$

where δ is the tilt parameter and $G(x)$ is the baseline cdf. The MO-G distribution is more flexible compared to other distributions like exponential, Weibull and gamma. We propose a new family that enables us to model data that are

- heavy tailed
- heavily skewed
- platykurtic and leptokurtic compared to the baseline distribution

- The proposed new model can be applied to data that have non-monotonic hazard rate functions.

In this paper, we develop the Topp-Leone Marshall-Olkin-G (TL-MO-G) family of distributions. In Section 2, we develop the new generalized distribution. Section 3 contains sub-families. In Section 4, we presents structural properties of the new distribution. In Section 5, we derive maximum likelihood estimates. We present results of the simulation study in Section 6. In Section 7, we present applications of the new model to real data examples, followed by concluding remarks.

2. The Topp-Leone-Marshall-Olkin-G Family of Distributions

We use Equation (1), and the generalization by Marshall and Olkin given in Equation (2) to derive the Topp-Leone-Marshall-Olkin-G (TL-MO-G) family of distributions. Therefore, the TL-MO-G family of distributions is given by

$$F_{TL-MO-G}(x; b, \delta, \xi) = [1 - \bar{G}_{MO}^2(x; \xi)]^b = \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2}\right]^b, \quad (3)$$

with corresponding probability density function (pdf)

$$\begin{aligned} f_{TL-MO-G}(x; b, \delta, \xi) &= \left[\frac{2b\delta g(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2} \right] \left[\frac{\delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]} \right] \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2} \right]^{b-1} \\ &= \left[\frac{2b\delta^2 g(x; \xi) \bar{G}(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^3} \right] \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2} \right]^{b-1}, \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

for $b, \delta > 0$, $\bar{\delta} = 1 - \delta$ and ξ is a vector of parameters from the baseline distribution $G(\cdot)$.

2.1 Linear Representation

We derive the series representation of the TL-MO-G distribution using the pdf of the TL-MO-G distribution and the series expansion

$$\left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2}\right]^{b-1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \Gamma(b) \delta^{2n} \bar{G}^{2n}(x; \xi)}{\Gamma(b-n)n! [1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{2n}},$$

we have

$$f(x; b, \delta, \xi) = 2b \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \Gamma(b) \delta^{2n+2} g(x; \xi) \bar{G}^{2n+1}(x; \xi)}{\Gamma(b-n)n! [1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{2n+3}}$$

and applying the following binomial expansion

$$[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{-(2n+3)} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \binom{-(2n+3)}{j} \delta^j \bar{G}^j(x; \xi),$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(x; b, \delta, \xi) &= 2b \sum_{j,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \Gamma(b) \delta^{2n+2} \bar{\delta}^j}{\Gamma(b-n)n!} \binom{-(2n+3)}{j} \\ &\times g(x; \xi) \bar{G}^{2n+j+1}(x; \xi). \end{aligned}$$

By applying the binomial expansion

$$\bar{G}^{2n+j+1}(x; \xi) = [1 - G(x; \xi)]^{2n+j+1} = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} (-1)^p \binom{2n+j+1}{p} G^p(x; \xi),$$

we can therefore, write the linear representation of the TL-MO-G distribution as

$$\begin{aligned} f(x; b, \delta, \xi) &= 2b \sum_{p,j,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+p} \Gamma(b) \delta^{2n+2} \bar{\delta}^j}{(p+1)\Gamma(b-n)n!} \binom{-(2n+3)}{j} \binom{2n+j+1}{p} \\ &\times (p+1)g(x; \xi)G^p(x; \xi) \\ &= \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} v_p g_p(x; \xi). \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

where

$$v_p = 2b \sum_{j,n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+p} \Gamma(b) \delta^{2n+2} \bar{\delta}^j}{(p+1) \Gamma(b-n) n!} \binom{-(2n+3)}{j} \binom{2n+j+1}{p} \quad (6)$$

and $g_p(x; \xi) = (p+1)g(x; \xi)G^p(x; \xi)$ is an exponentiated-G (Exp-G) distribution with parameter p . The TL-MO-G family of distributions is a family of the Exp-G distributions.

3. Sub-Families

We present some sub-families of TL-MO-G distribution. We considered cases when the baseline distributions are uniform, log-logistic, Weibull and normal distributions.

3.1 Topp-Leone-Marshall-Olkin-Uniform (TL-MO-U) Distribution

By taking the baseline distribution to be uniform distribution, we obtain the Topp-Leone-Marshall-Olkin-Uniform (TL-MO-U) distribution. The uniform distribution has $g(x) = 1/\theta$ and $G(x, \theta) = x/\theta$, for $0 < x < \theta$. Therefore, the TL-MO-U distribution is given by

$$F_{TL-MO-U}(x; b, \delta, \theta) = \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 [1 - x/\theta]^2}{[1 - \bar{\delta}(1 - x/\theta)]^2} \right]^b,$$

with pdf

$$f_{TL-MO-U}(x; b, \delta, \theta) = \frac{2b\delta^2 x(1 - x/\theta)}{\theta [1 - \bar{\delta}(1 - x/\theta)]^3} \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 [1 - x/\theta]^2}{[1 - \bar{\delta}(1 - x/\theta)]^2} \right]^{b-1},$$

for b, δ and $\theta > 0$.

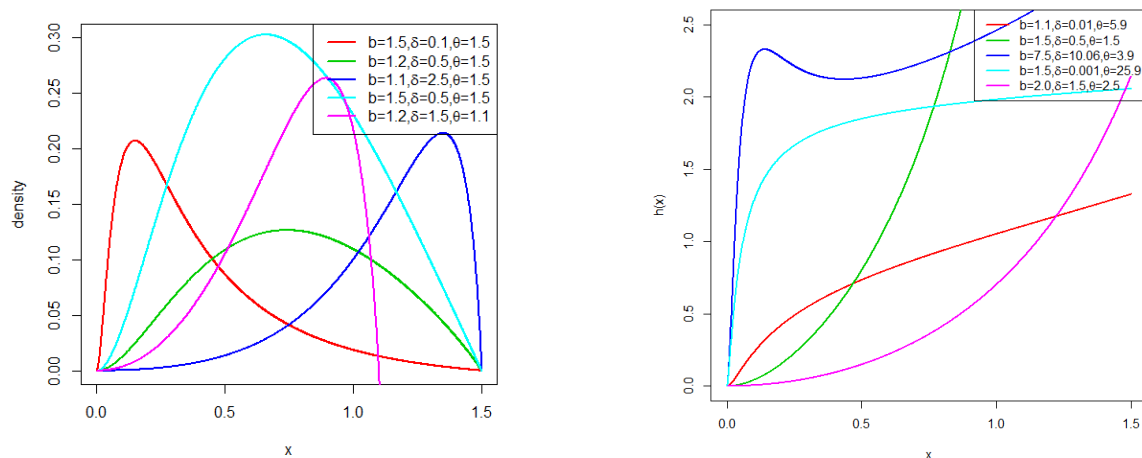


Figure 1. Plots of the pdf and hrf for the TL-MO-U distribution

From Figures 1 we deduce that the new distribution can handle data that is symmetric, left or right skewed and that the TL-MO-U model can fit data sets that have an increasing, upside bathtub followed by bathtub hazard rate functions (hrf).

3.2 Topp-Leone-Marshall-Olkin-Log-Logistic (TL-MO-LLo) Distribution

By taking the baseline distribution to be the log-logistic distribution we obtain the Topp-Leone-Marshall-Olkin-log-logistic (TL-MO-LLo) distribution. The log-logistic distribution has $g(x) = cx^{c-1}(1+x^c)^{-2}$ and $G(x) = 1 - (1+x^c)^{-1}$, for $c > 0$, respectively. Therefore, the TL-MO-LLo distribution is given by

$$F_{TL-MO-LLo}(x; b, \delta, c) = \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 [1 + x^c]^{-2}}{[1 - \bar{\delta}(1 + x^c)^{-1}]^2} \right]^b,$$

with pdf

$$f_{TL-MO-LLo}(x; b, \delta, c) = \frac{2b\delta^2 cx^{c-1}(1+x^c)^{-3}}{[1 - \bar{\delta}(1+x^c)^{-1}]^3} \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 [1 + x^c]^{-2}}{[1 - \bar{\delta}(1+x^c)^{-1}]^2} \right]^{b-1},$$

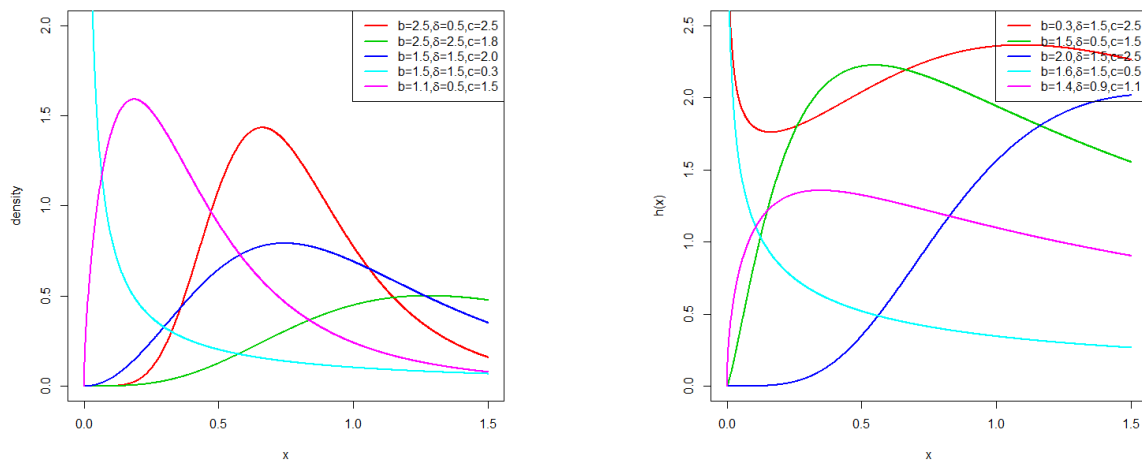


Figure 2. Plots of the pdf and hrf for the TL-MO-LLo distribution

respectively, for $b, \delta, c > 0$.

Figure 2 show that the new distribution applies to heavy-tailed data. The distribution also addresses the variation in both kurtosis and skewness. The TL-MO-LLo model can fit to various hazard rates that includes bathtub followed by upside down bathtub, decreasing, increasing, and upside bathtub or uni-modal.

3.3 The Topp-Leone Marshall-Olkin-Weibull Distribution

By taking the basine distribution to be Weibull distribution, we obtain the Topp-Leone-Marshall-Olkin-Weibull (TL-MO-W)distribution. Weibull distribution has $g(x; \lambda, \omega) = \lambda \omega x^{\omega-1} e^{-\lambda x^\omega}$ and $G(x; \lambda, \omega) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x^\omega}$, for $\lambda, \omega > 0$. The TL-MO-W distribution is given by

$$F_{TL-MO-W}(x; b, \delta, \lambda, \gamma) = \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 e^{-2\lambda x^\gamma}}{(1 - \delta e^{-\lambda x^\gamma})^2} \right]^b,$$

with pdf

$$f_{TL-MO-W}(x; b, \delta, \lambda, \gamma) = \frac{2b\delta^2 \lambda \gamma x^{\gamma-1} e^{-2\lambda x^\gamma}}{(1 - \delta e^{-\lambda x^\gamma})^3} \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 e^{-2\lambda x^\gamma}}{(1 - \delta e^{-\lambda x^\gamma})^2} \right]^{b-1},$$

for $b, \delta, \lambda, \omega > 0$.

The pdfs of the TL-MO-W distribution can take uni-modal, left or right skewed and reverse-J shapes. Also, the TL-MO-W distribution exhibits various shapes for the hazard rate function.

3.4 The Topp-Leone Marshall-Olkin-Normal Distribution

Consider the normal distribution with pdf $g(x; \mu, \sigma) = \sigma^{-1} \phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma})$ and cdf $G(x; \mu, \sigma) = \Phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma})$, for $\mu \in \mathfrak{R}$ and $\sigma > 0$, as the baseline distribution, we obtain the Topp-Leone Marshall-Olkin-normal (TL-MO-N) distribution with cdf and pdf given by

$$F_{TL-MO-N}(x; b, \delta, \mu, \sigma) = \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 (1 - \Phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}))^2}{(1 - \delta (1 - \Phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma})))^2} \right]^b$$

and

$$f_{TL-MO-N}(x; b, \delta, \mu, \sigma) = \frac{2b\delta\phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma})[(1 - \Phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}))]}{\sigma[1 - \delta(1 - \Phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}))]^3} \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 (1 - \Phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}))^2}{(1 - \delta(1 - \Phi(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma})))^2} \right]^{b-1},$$

for $b, \delta, \sigma > 0$ and $-\infty < \mu < \infty$.

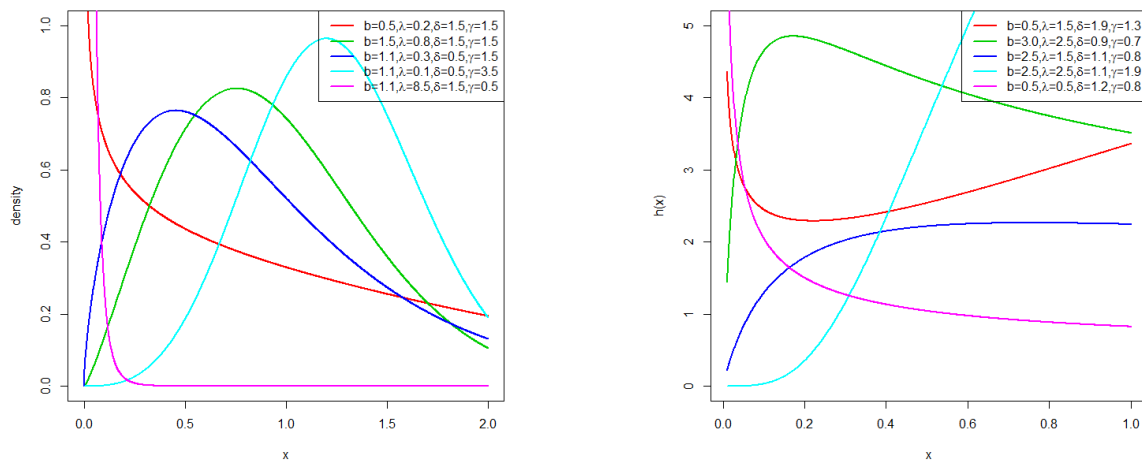


Figure 3. Plots of the pdf and hrf for the TL-MO-W distribution

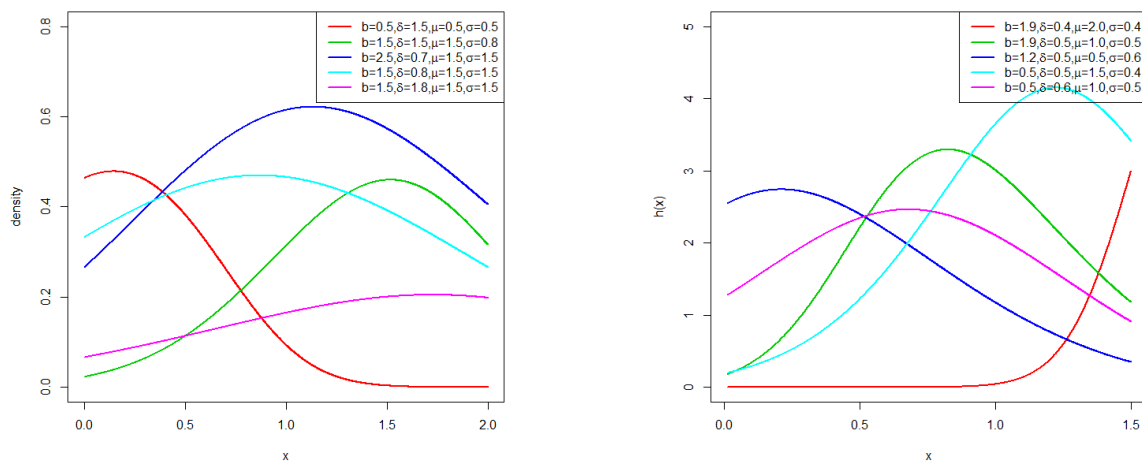


Figure 4. Plots of the pdf and hrf for the TL-MO-N distribution

Figure 4 show that the TL-MO-N distribution can take various shapes for its pdf. Also, the hazard rate function for the TL-MO-N distribution exhibit various shapes.

4. Statistical Properties

4.1 Distribution of Order Statistics

We can use equation (7) to determine the distribution of the i^{th} order statistics from the TL-MO-G family of distributions.

$$f_{i:n}(x) = \frac{f(x)}{B(i, n-i+1)} \sum_{j=0}^{n-i} \binom{n-i}{j} F(x)^{j+i-1}, \quad (7)$$

where $B(.,.)$ is the beta function. Using equations (3) and (4), $f(x)F(x)^{j+i-1}$ from equation (7) simplifies to

$$f(x)F(x)^{j+i-1} = \left[\frac{2b\delta^2 g(x; \xi) \bar{G}(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^3} \right] \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2} \right]^{b(j+i)-1},$$

and by applying the binomial expansion

$$\left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2} \right]^{b(j+i)-1} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k \Gamma(b(j+i)) \delta^{2k} \bar{G}^{2k}(x; \xi)}{\Gamma(b(j+i) - k) k! [1 - \delta \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{2k}},$$

yields

$$f(x)F(x)^{j+i-1} = 2b \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k \delta^{2k+2} \Gamma(b(j+i)) g(x; \xi) \bar{G}^{2k+1}(x; \xi)}{\Gamma(b(j+i)-k)k! [1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{2k+3}}.$$

Furthermore, applying the binomial expansion

$$[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{-(2k+3)} = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \binom{-(2k+3)}{m} \bar{\delta}^m \bar{G}^m(x; \xi),$$

we can write

$$\begin{aligned} f(x)F(x)^{j+i-1} &= 2b \sum_{k,m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \delta^{2k+2} \bar{\delta}^m \binom{-(2k+3)}{m} \frac{\Gamma(b(j+i))}{\Gamma(b(j+i)-k)k!} \\ &\times g(x; \xi) \bar{G}^{m+2k+1}(x; \xi). \end{aligned}$$

Also, applying the following binomial expansion

$$\bar{G}^{m+2k+1}(x; \xi) = [1 - G(x; \xi)]^{m+2k+1} = \sum_{q=0}^{\infty} (-1)^q \binom{m+2k+1}{q} G^q(x; \xi),$$

yields

$$\begin{aligned} f(x)F(x)^{j+i-1} &= 2b \sum_{q,k,m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{k+q} \delta^{2k+2} \bar{\delta}^m \binom{-(2k+3)}{m} \binom{m+2k+1}{q} \\ &\times \frac{\Gamma(b(j+i))}{\Gamma(b(j+i)-k)k!} g(x; \xi) G^q(x; \xi). \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} f_{i:n}(x) &= 2b \sum_{q,k,m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{n-i} \frac{(-1)^{k+q} \delta^{2k+2} \bar{\delta}^m}{B(i, n-i+1)} \binom{n-i}{j} \binom{-(2k+3)}{m} \binom{m+2k+1}{q} \\ &\times \frac{\Gamma(b(j+i))}{(q+1)\Gamma(b(j+i)-k)k!} (q+1)g(x; \xi) G^q(x; \xi) \\ &= \sum_{q=0}^{\infty} v_q^* g_q(x; \xi), \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} v_q^* &= 2b \sum_{k,m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{n-i} \frac{(-1)^{k+q} \delta^{2k+2} \bar{\delta}^m}{B(i, n-i+1)} \binom{n-i}{j} \binom{-(2k+3)}{m} \binom{m+2k+1}{q} \\ &\times \frac{\Gamma(b(j+i))}{(q+1)\Gamma(b(j+i)-k)k!} \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

and $g_q(x; \xi) = (q+1)g(x; \xi)G^q(x; \xi)$ is the Exp-G distribution with parameter q . It follows that the i^{th} order statistics from the TL-MO-G distribution can be obtained directly from that of the Exp-G distribution.

4.2 Entropy

There are two common measures of entropy and these are Rényi entropy by Rényi (1960) and Shannon entropy by Shannon (1951). In this paper, we derive the Rényi entropy ($I_R(v)$) of the TL-MO-G family of distributions using the formula

$$I_R(v) = (1-v)^{-1} \log \left[\int_0^{\infty} f^v(x) dx \right], v \neq 1, v > 0. \quad (11)$$

Substituting Equation (4) for $f(x)$, we get

$$f^v(x) = \frac{(2b)^v \delta^{2v} g^v(x; \xi) \bar{G}^v(x; \xi)}{[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{3v}} \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2} \right]^{v(b-1)}.$$

Applying the binomial expansion

$$\left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2}\right]^{\nu(b-1)} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} (-1)^j \frac{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1)}{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1 - j)j!} \frac{\delta^{2j} \bar{G}^{2j}(x; \xi)}{[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{2j}},$$

we can write

$$f^\nu(x) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} (-1)^j (2b)^\nu \delta^{2(\nu+j)} \frac{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1)}{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1 - j)j!} \frac{g^\nu(x; \xi) \bar{G}^{\nu+2j}(x; \xi)}{[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{3\nu+2j}}.$$

Also, considering the binomial expansion

$$[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{-(3\nu+2j)} = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \binom{-(3\nu+2j)}{m} \bar{\delta}^m \bar{G}^m(x; \xi),$$

yields

$$\begin{aligned} f^\nu(x) &= \sum_{j,m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^j (2b)^\nu \delta^{2(\nu+j)+m} \frac{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1)}{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1 - j)j!} \binom{-(3\nu+2j)}{m} \\ &\times g^\nu(x; \xi) [\bar{G}(x; \xi)]^{\nu+2j+m}. \end{aligned}$$

Also, applying the following binomial expansion

$$\bar{G}^{\nu+2j+m}(x; \xi) = [1 - G(x; \xi)]^{\nu+2j+m} = \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} (-1)^l \binom{\nu+2j+m}{l} G^l(x; \xi),$$

we can therefore, write the Rényi entropy of the TL-MO-G family of distributions as

$$\begin{aligned} f^\nu(x) &= (1-\nu)^{-1} \log \left[\sum_{l,j,m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{j+l} (2b)^\nu \delta^{2(\nu+j)+m} \frac{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1)}{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1 - j)j!} \right. \\ &\times \binom{-(3\nu+2j)}{m} \binom{\nu+2j+m}{l} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{l}{\nu} + 1} \right)^\nu \\ &\times \left. \int_0^\infty \left[\left(\frac{l}{\nu} + 1 \right) g(x; \xi) G^{l/\nu}(x; \xi) \right]^\nu dx \right] \\ &= (1-\nu)^{-1} \log \left[\sum_{l=0}^{\infty} w_l^* e^{(1-\nu)I_{REG}} \right], \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} w_l^* &= \sum_{j,m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{j+l} (2b)^\nu \delta^{2(\nu+j)+m} \frac{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1)}{\Gamma(\nu(b-1) + 1 - j)j!} \binom{-(3\nu+2j)}{m} \\ &\times \binom{\nu+2j+m}{l} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{l}{\nu} + 1} \right)^\nu \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

and $I_{REG} = \int_0^\infty \left[\left(\frac{l}{\nu} + 1 \right) g(x; \xi) G^{l/\nu}(x; \xi) \right]^\nu dx$ is Rényi entropy of Exp-G distribution with parameter $\frac{l}{\nu}$. It follows that the Rényi entropy of the TL-MO-G distribution can be obtained directly from the Exp-G distribution.

4.3 Moments and Moment Generating Function

We derive the s^{th} ordinary moment of the TL-MO-G family of distributions using Equation (5) and is given by

$$\mu'_s = E(X^s) = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} v_p E(Y_p), \quad (14)$$

where Y_p is an Exp-G distribution with power parameter p and v_p is given by Equation (6). The r^{th} central moment of X is given by

$$\mu_r = \sum_{s=0}^r \binom{r}{s} (-\mu'_1)^{r-s} E(X^s) = \sum_{s=0}^r \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} v_p \binom{r}{s} (-\mu'_1)^{r-s} E(Y_p).$$

The cumulants of X follow recursively from

$$k_r = \mu'_r - \sum_{s=0}^{r-1} \binom{r-1}{s-1} k_s \mu'_{r-s},$$

where $k_1 = \mu'_1$, $k_2 = \mu'_2 - \mu_1'^2$, $k_3 = \mu'_3 - 3\mu'_2\mu'_1 + \mu_1'^3$, etc. We use ordinary moments to determine the measures of spread, which includes, standard deviation, kurtosis and skewness.

Furthermore, we can find the r^{th} incomplete moment of X as follows

$$\phi_r(z) = \int_{-\infty}^z x^r f(x) dx = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} v_p \int_{-\infty}^z x^r g_p(x; \xi) dx. \quad (15)$$

We use the incomplete moment to estimate Lorenz and Bonferroni curves, which are useful in science, engineering, economics and demography. These quantities can be expressed mathematically by $L(p) = \phi_1(q)/\mu'_1$ and $B(p) = \phi_1(q)/(p\mu'_1)$, respectively, where μ'_1 is given by equation (14), with $r = 1$ and $q = Q(p)$ is the quantile function of X at p . The incomplete moment (equation (15)) can also be expressed as

$$\phi_r(z) = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} v_p H_p(z), \quad (16)$$

where $H_p(z) = \int_{-\infty}^z x^r g_p(x; \xi) dx$ is the r^{th} incomplete moment of the Exp-G distribution.

We present the first five moments of the TL-MO-LLo distribution, and the standard deviation (SD or σ), coefficient of variation (CV), coefficient of skewness (CS) and coefficient of kurtosis (CK) for selected parameters values. The results are shown in Table 1.

Table 1. Moments of the TL-MO-LLo distribution

	(0.9,1.5,1.5)	(0.5,1,0.5)	(1,0.5,1.5)	(1.5,1.5,0.5)	(0.5,0.1,0.5)
$E(X)$	0.3079	0.0886	0.3184	0.1484	0.0113
$E(X^2)$	0.1893	0.0413	0.1655	0.0820	0.0032
$E(X^3)$	0.1338	0.0265	0.1049	0.0561	0.0017
$E(X^4)$	0.1026	0.0195	0.0747	0.0425	0.0012
$E(X^5)$	0.0828	0.0154	0.0573	0.0342	0.0009
SD	0.3074	0.1829	0.2532	0.2450	0.0551
CV	0.9986	2.0649	0.7952	1.6511	4.8932
CS	0.5982	2.7676	0.6998	1.7767	9.8177
CK	2.0668	10.5651	2.6679	5.1602	121.8401

Furthermore, we obtain the moment generating function (mgf) of the TL-MO-G distribution

$$M_x(t) = E(e^{tX}) = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} v_p M_p(t),$$

where $M_p(t)$ is the mgf of Exp-G distribution.

4.5 Probability Weighted Moments

We can use Probability Weighted Moments (PWMs) to estimate parameters of distributions which are not in closed form. The $(j, i)^{th}$ PWM, say η_{ji} of $X \sim \text{TL-MO-G}(b, \delta; \xi)$ distribution is defined by

$$\eta_{ji} = E(X^j F(X)^i) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^j f(x) F(x)^i dx.$$

From equation (8), we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(x)F(x)^i &= 2b \sum_{q,k,m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{k+q} \delta^{2k+2} \bar{\delta}^m \binom{-(2k+3)}{m} \binom{m+2k+1}{m} \frac{\Gamma(bi)}{\Gamma(bi-k)k!} \\ &\times g(x; \xi) G^q(x; \xi). \end{aligned}$$

which simplifies to

$$f(x)F(x)^i = \sum_{q=0}^{\infty} z_q^* g_q(x; \xi),$$

where

$$z_q^* = 2b \sum_{q=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{k+q} \delta^{2k+2} \bar{\delta}^m \binom{-(2k+3)}{m} \binom{(m+2k+1)}{(m+2k+1)} \frac{\Gamma(bi)}{\Gamma(bi-k)k!(q+1)}$$

and $g_q(x; \xi)$ is an Exp-G pdf. Therefore, the PWM is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \eta_{j,i} &= \sum_{q=0}^{\infty} z_q^* \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^j g_q(x; \xi) dx \\ &= \sum_{q=0}^{\infty} z_q^* E(T_q^j), \end{aligned}$$

where T_q^j is j^{th} power of an Exp-G distributed random variable with power parameter q .

4.6 Quantile Function

To obtain the quantile function of the TL-MO-G distribution, we invert the cdf given in equation (3). Note that

$$\left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2} \right]^b = u$$

can be written as

$$1 - u^{1/b} = \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x; \xi)}{[1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)]^2},$$

which reduces to

$$\left[\frac{1 - u^{1/b}}{\delta^2} \right]^{1/2} = \frac{\bar{G}(x; \xi)}{1 - \bar{\delta} \bar{G}(x; \xi)},$$

which can be written as

$$\bar{G}(x; \xi) = \frac{[\frac{1-u^{1/b}}{\delta^2}]^{1/2}}{1 + \bar{\delta} [\frac{1-u^{1/b}}{\delta^2}]^{1/2}},$$

which further simplifies to

$$G(x; \xi) = 1 - \left[\frac{[\frac{1-u^{1/b}}{\delta^2}]^{1/2}}{1 + \bar{\delta} [\frac{1-u^{1/b}}{\delta^2}]^{1/2}} \right].$$

We can therefore determine the quantiles of the TL-MO-G family of distributions by solving the equation

$$x(u) = G^{-1} \left[1 - \left[\frac{[\frac{1-u^{1/b}}{\delta^2}]^{1/2}}{1 + \bar{\delta} [\frac{1-u^{1/b}}{\delta^2}]^{1/2}} \right] \right], \quad (17)$$

using iterative methods by making use of Matlab or R software. We present quantiles for the TL-MO-LLo distribution for some selected values of parameters. The results are shown in Table 2.

Table 2. Table of Quantiles for the TL-MO-LLo Distribution

u	(1.5,1.5,1.5)	(0.5,1,1.5)	(1.1,0.5,0.5)	(0.5,1.5,0.5)	(0.9,1,0.9)
0.1	0.3345	0.0294	0.0011	0.0001	0.0288
0.2	0.4959	0.0752	0.0049	0.0009	0.0739
0.3	0.6460	0.1326	0.0128	0.0053	0.1345
0.4	0.8023	0.2024	0.0273	0.0187	0.2155
0.5	0.9771	0.2882	0.0535	0.0538	0.3259
0.6	1.1863	0.3968	0.1026	0.1406	0.4830
0.7	1.4581	0.5431	0.2026	0.3605	0.7245
0.8	1.8590	0.7631	0.4447	1.0000	1.1499
0.9	2.6277	1.1876	1.3327	3.7684	2.1705

5. Maximum Likelihood Estimation

If $X_i \sim TL - MO - G(b, \delta; \xi)$ with the parameter vector $\Delta = (b, \delta; \xi)^T$. The total log-likelihood $\ell = \ell(\Delta)$ from a random sample of size n is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \ell &= n \log(2b) + 2n \log(\delta) + \sum_{i=1}^n \log[g(x_i; \xi)] + \sum_{i=1}^n \log[\bar{G}(x_i; \xi)] \\ &- 3 \sum_{i=1}^n \log[1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi)] + (b-1) \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x_i; \xi)}{(1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi))^2} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

The score vector $U = (\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial b}, \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \delta}, \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \xi_k})$ has elements given by:

$$\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial b} = \frac{n}{b} + \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x_i; \xi)}{(1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi))^2} \right],$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \delta} &= \frac{2n}{\delta} - 3 \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\bar{G}(x_i; \xi)}{[1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi)]} \\ &- (b-1) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{2\delta \bar{G}^2(x_i; \xi) \bar{G}(x_i; \xi)}{(\bar{G}^2(x_i; \xi) - 2\delta \bar{G}^2(x_i; \xi) + 2\delta \bar{G}(x_i; \xi) - 2\bar{G}(x_i; \xi) + 1)(1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi))} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \xi_k} &= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{g(x_i; \xi)} \frac{\partial g(x_i; \xi)}{\partial \xi_k} + \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\bar{G}(x_i; \xi)} \frac{\partial \bar{G}(x_i; \xi)}{\partial \xi_k} - 3 \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{[1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi)]} \frac{\partial [1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi)]}{\partial \xi_k} \\ &+ (b-1) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x_i; \xi)}{(1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi))^2} \right]} \frac{\partial \left[1 - \frac{\delta^2 \bar{G}^2(x_i; \xi)}{(1 - \bar{\delta}\bar{G}(x_i; \xi))^2} \right]}{\partial \xi_k}, \end{aligned}$$

respectively. These partial derivatives are not in closed form and can be solved using R, MATLAB and SAS software by use of iterative methods.

6. Simulation Study

We conducted a simulation study to evaluate consistency of the maximum likelihood estimators. We simulated for $N=1000$ times with sample size $n=60, 120, 240, 480, 960$ and 1920 . Simulation results are shown in Table 3. From the Monte Carlo simulation results, we conclude that our model produces consistent results when estimating parameters for the model because as the sample size increases the mean result approaches the true parameters values and also the root mean square error (RMSE) and average bias dies towards zero for all parameters values.

Table 3. Monte Carlo Simulation Results for TL-MO-LLo Distribution: Mean, RMSE and Average Bias

Parameter	I	$b = 1.1, \delta = 1.1, c = 1.1$			II	$b = 1.1, \delta = 0.5, c = 1.1$		
	n	Mean	RMSE	Bias	Mean	RMSE	Bias	
b	60	1.671536	2.716772	0.571536	1.624344	2.215333	0.524344	
	120	1.269711	0.715419	0.169712	1.275546	0.729886	0.175546	
	240	1.162377	0.346449	0.062377	1.164539	0.341169	0.064539	
	480	1.141683	0.237301	0.041683	1.142029	0.238003	0.042029	
	960	1.112831	0.155251	0.012831	1.113683	0.155635	0.013683	
	1920	1.109277	0.105180	0.009277	1.111168	0.105385	0.011168	
δ	60	1.541142	6.027015	0.441142	0.505367	0.264703	0.005367	
	120	1.167736	0.516749	0.067736	0.496512	0.146580	-0.003488	
	240	1.146236	0.337147	0.046236	0.503414	0.101056	0.003414	
	480	1.106337	0.211200	0.006337	0.496897	0.068617	-0.003103	
	960	1.109369	0.154057	0.009369	0.500067	0.049214	0.000067	
	1920	1.100255	0.103020	0.000255	0.498229	0.033279	-0.001771	
c	60	1.166915	0.386696	0.066915	1.154401	0.361634	0.054401	
	120	1.135272	0.214548	0.035272	1.132911	0.210466	0.032911	
	240	1.117426	0.151956	0.017426	1.115446	0.149430	0.015446	
	480	1.104552	0.100178	0.004552	1.104568	0.100504	0.004568	
	960	1.104761	0.071815	0.004761	1.104517	0.071968	0.004517	
	1920	1.100690	0.049403	0.000690	1.099987	0.049394	-0.000013	
III		$b = 2.0, \delta = 0.7, c = 0.7$			IV	$b = 1.7, \delta = 1.7, c = 1.7$		
b	60	9.199453	60.488787	7.199453	6.028331	35.941240	4.328331	
	120	2.859115	4.110470	0.859115	2.215888	2.213599	0.515888	
	240	2.228598	0.937163	0.228598	1.855684	0.698894	0.155684	
	480	2.137067	0.615844	0.137067	1.797555	0.467849	0.097555	
	960	2.047915	0.366824	0.047915	1.732823	0.287797	0.032823	
	1920	2.028437	0.244751	0.028437	1.720528	0.193651	0.020528	
δ	60	0.767782	0.770846	0.067782	3.524084	26.950170	1.824084	
	120	0.718927	0.308559	0.018927	1.904017	1.132744	0.204017	
	240	0.717434	0.212059	0.017434	1.823910	0.731741	0.123911	
	480	0.699030	0.140029	-0.000970	1.728074	0.444520	0.028074	
	960	0.703179	0.100900	0.003179	1.726121	0.320305	0.026121	
	1920	0.699275	0.068543	-0.000725	1.705366	0.215132	0.005366	
c	60	0.722590	0.200347	0.022590	1.776246	0.516945	0.076246	
	120	0.713894	0.124577	0.013894	1.743015	0.313702	0.043015	
	240	0.706694	0.090913	0.006694	1.721157	0.225319	0.021157	
	480	0.701539	0.061989	0.001539	1.704685	0.151382	0.004685	
	960	0.701972	0.043573	0.001972	1.705606	0.106903	0.005606	
	1920	0.700272	0.030339	0.000272	1.700826	0.074252	0.000826	
V		$b = 1.2, \delta = 1.7, c = 1.7$			VI	$b = 1.7, \delta = 1.7, c = 1.2$		
b	60	1.980490	4.372702	0.780490	5.297957	31.003670	3.597957	
	120	1.408795	0.877816	0.208795	2.159727	1.941070	0.459727	
	240	1.272933	0.392300	0.072933	1.860091	0.705019	0.160091	
	480	1.249058	0.270021	0.049058	1.796749	0.467161	0.096749	
	960	1.215140	0.174880	0.015140	1.731816	0.286004	0.031816	
	1920	1.210590	0.118698	0.010590	1.720531	0.193642	0.020531	
δ	60	3.757668	35.337334	2.057668	3.059995	20.948873	1.359995	
	120	1.903173	1.077633	0.203173	1.913688	1.141291	0.213688	
	240	1.815955	0.662518	0.115955	1.819768	0.729411	0.119768	
	480	1.725430	0.398814	0.025430	1.728600	0.444425	0.028600	
	960	1.724927	0.290622	0.024927	1.726743	0.319865	0.026743	
	1920	1.704527	0.193927	0.004527	1.705360	0.215126	0.005360	
c	60	1.804810	0.585982	0.104810	1.256652	0.361618	0.056652	
	120	1.754136	0.329008	0.054136	1.231874	0.220701	0.031874	
	240	1.726360	0.231808	0.026360	1.214045	0.158588	0.014045	
	480	1.706420	0.153738	0.006420	1.203355	0.106898	0.003355	
	960	1.706993	0.109837	0.006993	1.204081	0.075396	0.004081	
	1920	1.701127	0.075905	0.001127	1.200581	0.052413	0.000581	

7. Applications

We applied the TL-MO-LLo model to three real data exaмоles to demonstrate usefulness of the new distribution compared to its sub-models and other known non-nested distributions. The best fitting model was assessed using the goodness-of-fit statistics, namely, -2loglikelihood (-2 log L), Akaike Information Criterion (AIC), Consistent Akaike Information Criterion (AICC), Bayesian Information Criterion (BIC), Cramer von Mises (W^*) and Andersen-Darling (A^*) as described by (Chen and Balakrishnan, 1995). The best model has smaller values of these statistics. We used R software to estimate the model parameters via the nlm function. Model parameter estimates (standard errors in parenthesis) and the goodness-of-fit-statistics for the three data sets are shown in Tables 4, 5 and 6. We also present plots of the fitted densities, the histogram of the data and probability plots (Chambers, Cleveland, Kleiner and Tukey, 1983) to show how well our model fits the observed data sets. The plots are shown in Figures 5, 6 and 7.

We compared the TL-MO-LLo distribution with other competing three parameter non-nested models, namely Marshall-Olkin extended inverse Weibull (IWMO) by (Pakungwati, Widyaningsih and Lestari, 2018) and the exponentiated-Fréchet (EFr) distribution by (Nadarajah and Kotz, 2003).

Furthermore, the TL-MO-LLo model is compared to the other two non-nested studied by (Barreto-Souza, Lemonte and Cordeiro, 2013), namely, Marshall-Olkin extended Fréchet (MOEFr) and Marshall-Olkin extended generalized exponential (MOEGE) distributions. Furthermore, we compared the TL-MO-LLo distribution to other three non-nested models by (Hassan, Elgarhy and Zubair, 2019) : type II generalized Topp-Leone-uniform (TIGTLU), type II generalized Topp-Leone-exponential (TIGTLE) and type II generalized Topp-Leone-Rayleigh (TIGTLR). The pdfs of the non-nested models are given by:

$$f_{IWMO}(x; \alpha, \theta, \lambda) = \frac{\alpha \lambda \theta^{-\lambda} x^{-\lambda-1} e^{-(\theta x)^{-\lambda}}}{[\alpha - (\alpha - 1)e^{-(\theta x)^{-\lambda}}]^2},$$

for $\alpha, \theta, \lambda > 0$,

$$f_{EFr}(x; \alpha, \lambda, \delta) = \alpha \lambda \delta^\lambda [1 - e^{-(\delta/x)^\lambda}]^{\alpha-1} x^{-(1+\lambda)} e^{-(\lambda+1)(\delta/x)^\lambda},$$

for $\alpha, \lambda, \delta > 0$,

$$f_{MOEFr}(x; \alpha, \lambda, \delta) = \frac{\alpha \lambda \delta^\lambda x^{-(\lambda+1)} e^{-(\delta/x)^\lambda}}{[1 - \alpha(1 - e^{-(\delta/x)^\lambda})]^2},$$

for $\alpha, \lambda, \delta > 0$,

$$f_{MOEGE}(x; \alpha, \gamma, \lambda) = \frac{\alpha \gamma \lambda e^{-\lambda x} (1 - e^{-\lambda x})^{\gamma-1}}{(1 - \alpha[1 - e^{-\lambda x}]^\gamma)^2},$$

for $\alpha, \gamma, \lambda > 0$,

$$f_{TIGTLU}(x; \alpha, \beta, \theta) = \frac{2\alpha\beta}{\theta} \left(\frac{x}{\theta}\right)^{2\beta-1} \left(1 - \frac{x}{\theta}\right)^{\alpha-1},$$

for $\alpha, \beta, \theta > 0$,

$$f_{TIGTLE}(x; \alpha, \beta, \theta) = 2\alpha\beta\theta e^{\theta x} [1 - e^{-\theta x}]^{2\beta-1} (1 - (1 - e^{-\theta x})^{2\beta})^{\alpha-1},$$

for $\alpha, \beta, \theta > 0$ and

$$f_{TIGTLR}(x; \alpha, \beta, \theta) = 4\alpha\beta\theta x e^{\theta x^2} [1 - e^{-\theta x^2}]^{2\beta-1} (1 - (1 - e^{-\theta x^2})^{2\beta})^{\alpha-1},$$

for $\alpha, \beta, \theta > 0$.

7.1 Kevlar 49/Epoxy Strands Failure at 90% Data

The first data set consists of 101 observations representing failure times (in hours) of kevlar 49/epoxy strands subjected to constant sustained pressure at the 90% stress level (see Andrews and Herzberg, 2012 or Barlow, Toland and Freeman, 1984 for details). 0.01, 0.01, 0.02, 0.02, 0.02, 0.03, 0.03, 0.04, 0.05, 0.06, 0.07, 0.07, 0.08, 0.09, 0.09, 0.10, 0.10, 0.11, 0.11, 0.12, 0.13, 0.18, 0.19, 0.20, 0.23, 0.24, 0.24, 0.29, 0.34, 0.35, 0.36, 0.38, 0.40, 0.42, 0.43, 0.52, 0.54, 0.56, 0.60, 0.60, 0.63, 0.65, 0.67, 0.68, 0.72, 0.72, 0.72, 0.73, 0.79, 0.79, 0.80, 0.80, 0.83, 0.85, 0.90, 0.92, 0.95, 0.99, 1.00, 1.01, 1.02, 1.03, 1.05, 1.10, 1.10, 1.11, 1.15, 1.18, 1.20, 1.29, 1.31, 1.33, 1.34, 1.40, 1.43, 1.45, 1.50, 1.51, 1.52, 1.53, 1.54, 1.54, 1.55, 1.58, 1.60, 1.63, 1.64, 1.80, 1.80, 1.81, 2.02, 2.05, 2.14, 2.17, 2.33, 3.03, 3.03, 3.34, 4.20, 4.69, 7.89.

The estimated variance-covariance matrix for TL-MO-LLo model on kevlar data set is given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.00798 & -0.37564 & -0.03881 \\ -0.37564 & 21.06806 & 1.96500 \\ -0.03881 & 1.96500 & 0.23179 \end{bmatrix}$$

and the 95% confidence intervals for the model parameters are given by $b \in [0.3169 \pm 0.1751]$, $\delta \in [7.5481 \pm 8.9964]$ and $c \in [2.3460 \pm 0.9436]$.

Table 4. Parameter estimates and goodness of fit statistics for various models fitted for kevlar data set

Model	Estimates			Statistics							
	b	δ	c	$-2 \log L$	AIC	$AICC$	BIC	W^*	A^*	K-S	p-value
TL-MO-LLo	0.3169 (0.0893)	7.5481 (4.5899)	2.3460 (0.4815)	202.1	208.1	208.3	215.9	0.0972	0.6206	0.0645	0.7945
TL-MO-LLo(1, δ , c)	1 -	1.4542 (0.2006)	1.1351 (0.0949)	214.0	218.0	218.1	223.2	0.3836	2.0777	0.1039	0.2261
TL-MO-LLo(b , 1, c)	1.2491 (0.1773)	1 -	1.0120 (0.1165)	219.1	223.1	223.2	228.3	0.4733	2.5597	0.1604	0.0111
TL-MO-LLo(b , δ , 1)	1.0317 (0.1580)	1.4163 (0.2929)	1 -	216.2	220.2	220.3	225.4	0.4159	2.2457	0.1196	0.1114
TL-MO-LLo(b , 1, 1)	1.2624 (0.1256)	1 -	1 -	219.1	221.1	221.2	223.7	0.4766	2.5766	0.1589	0.0122
TL-MO-LLo(1, δ , 1)	1 -	1.4623 (0.1982)	1 -	216.1	218.2	218.2	220.8	0.4101	2.2138	0.1209	0.1040
TL-MO-LLo(1, 1, c)	1 -	1 -	1.1480 (0.0935)	221.5	223.5	223.5	226.1	0.4269	2.3163	0.2125	0.0002
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MOEGE	α 0.5942 (0.3306)	γ 0.7307 (0.1849)	λ 1.0456 (0.2071)	204.8	210.8	211.0	218.6	0.0946	0.9496	0.4269	$< 2.200 \times 10^{-16}$
EFr	α 0.5753 (0.2606)	δ 0.0534 (0.0343)	λ 0.6869 (0.1889)	353.3	359.3	359.6	367.2	1.1458	6.1972	0.2780	3.3100×10^{-7}
MOEFr	312.85 (4.4822×10^{-6})	0.0066 (2.6808×10^{-3})	1.2631 (0.1033)	225.2	231.2	231.5	239.1	33.5614	199.4421	0.9960	$< 2.200 \times 10^{-16}$
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IWMO	α 312.8554 (9.7035)	λ 1.2631 (0.1041)	θ 152.0403 (54.9189)	225.2	231.2	231.5	239.1	0.5761	3.1182	0.1121	0.1579
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TIIGTLU	α 185.9870 (53.9118)	β 0.4612 (0.0365)	θ 286.8642 (32.9891)	205.9	211.9	212.2	219.8	33.5301	201.2281	0.9989	$< 2.200 \times 10^{-16}$
TIIGTLE	0.3247 (0.6552)	0.3988 (0.1097)	2.8242 (5.8353)	205.3	211.3	211.6	219.2	0.1599	0.9329	0.0842	0.4696
TIIGTLR	66.8640 (6.5275×10^{-7})	0.2291 (0.0178)	0.0001 (7.0156×10^{-5})	205.9	211.9	212.2	219.8	0.1957	1.0982	0.0848	0.4616

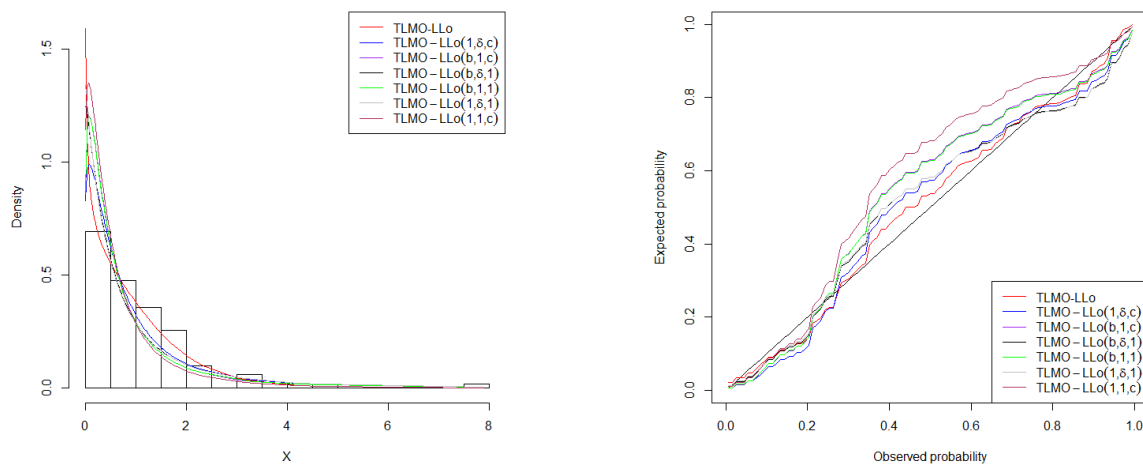


Figure 5. Fitted pdfs and probability plots for kevlar data set

From the results shown in Table 4, we can conclude that the TL-MO-LLo distribution fit the kevlar data set better than the non-nested models considered. Furthermore, from the fitted densities plots (Figure 5), we can conclude that the proposed model fits well on data that is heavy-tailed compared to the sub-models.

7.2 Strengths of 1.5 cm Glass Fibres Data

The second data set was analyzed by by (Bourguignon, Silva and Cordeiro, 2014) and (Smith and Naylor, 1987) and represents the strengths of 1.5 cm glass fibres. The observations are as follows: 0.55, 0.93, 1.25, 1.36, 1.49, 1.52, 1.58,

1.61, 1.64, 1.68, 1.73, 1.81, 2.00, 0.74, 1.04, 1.27, 1.39, 1.49, 1.53, 1.59, 1.61, 1.66, 1.68, 1.76, 1.82, 2.01, 0.77, 1.11, 1.28, 1.42, 1.50, 1.54, 1.60, 1.62, 1.66, 1.69, 1.76, 1.84, 2.24, 0.81, 1.13, 1.29, 1.48, 1.50, 1.55, 1.61, 1.62, 1.66, 1.70, 1.77, 1.84, 0.84, 1.24, 1.30, 1.48, 1.51, 1.55, 1.61, 1.63, 1.67, 1.70, 1.78, 1.89.

The estimated variance-covariance matrix for TL-MO-LLo model on 1.5 cm glass fibres data set is given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.77699 \times 10^{-3} & -1.14663 \times 10^{-6} & 7.40487 \times 10^{-3} \\ -1.14663 \times 10^{-6} & 6.87674 \times 10^{-9} & -4.41496 \times 10^{-5} \\ 7.40487 \times 10^{-3} & -4.41496 \times 10^{-5} & 2.83448 \times 10^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

and the 95% confidence intervals for the model parameters are given by

$b \in [0.3159 \pm 0.0826]$, $\delta \in [9521.6 \pm 0.00016]$ and $c \in [14.7220 \pm 1.0435]$.

Table 5. Parameter estimates and goodness of fit statistics for various models fitted for 1.5 cm glass fibres data set

Model	Estimates			Statistics							
	b	δ	c	$-2 \log L$	AIC	$AICC$	BIC	W^*	A^*	K-S	p-value
TL-MO-LLo	0.3159 (0.0422)	9.5216×10^3 (8.2926×10^{-5})	14.7220 (0.5324)	25.5	31.5	31.9	37.9	0.1372	0.7608	0.1343	0.2056
TL-MO-LLo(1, δ , c)	1 -	48.9084 (20.1471)	7.1352 (0.7745)	36.7	40.7	40.9	45.0	0.3582	1.9723	0.1535	0.1029
TL-MO-LLo(b , 1, c)	8.2359 (1.0717)	1 -	2.5269 (0.1972)	71.1	75.1	75.3	79.4	0.9220	5.0111	0.2484	0.0008
TL-MO-LLo(b , δ , 1)	3.4862×10^5 (4.6404×10^{-13})	2.2635×10^{-3} (1.4311×10^{-4})	1 -	109.4	113.4	113.6	117.7	1.0444	5.5991	0.3457	5.57710×10^{-7}
TL-MO-LLo(b , 1, 1)	5.3080 (0.6688)	1 -	1 -	148.5	150.5	150.6	152.7	0.7534	4.1124	0.4466	2.4340×10^{-11}
TL-MO-LLo(1, δ , 1)	1 -	2.9636 (0.4601)	1 -	203.9	205.9	206.0	208.1	0.6503	3.5619	0.3601	1.6050×10^{-7}
TL-MO-LLo(1, 1, c)	1 -	1 -	2.0520 (0.2108)	221.5	223.5	223.6	225.7	0.7177	3.9305	0.7039	$< 2.200 \times 10^{-16}$
MOEGE	α 1.3296×10^{-3} (0.3306)	γ 10.7200 (0.1849)	λ 5.8366 (0.2071)	31.9	37.9	38.4	44.4	0.4410	2.4309	0.9995	$< 2.200 \times 10^{-16}$
EFr	α 0.04621 (0.0153)	δ 0.4993 (0.0147)	λ 20.1145 (6.1482)	189.1	195.1	195.5	201.6	1.1986	6.3098	0.4279	1.9210×10^{-10}
MOEFr	54074 (3.8277×10^{-8})	0.3858 (6.0532×10^{-2})	7.9253 (0.8731)	45.6	51.6	51.9	58.0	19.2509	122.7666	0.9997	$< 2.200 \times 10^{-16}$
IWMO	α 52636 (9.7035)	λ 7.9256 (0.1041)	θ 2.5828 (54.9189)	45.6	51.6	51.9	58.0	0.4974	2.7509	0.1536	0.1020
TIIGTLU	α 48.4266 (336.0839)	β 2.8465 (0.4190)	θ 3.2268 (3.6401)	30.4	36.4	36.8	42.8	19.4750	124.3383	0.9985	$< 2.200 \times 10^{-16}$
TIIGTLE	530890 (1.5076×10^{-8})	3.0526 (0.3499)	0.0754 (0.0195)	30.8	36.8	37.2	43.2	0.2464	1.3526	0.1549	0.0975
TIIGTLR	52242 (1.5128×10^{-8})	1.4595 (0.1519)	0.0092 (3.5319×10^{-5})	30.5	36.5	36.9	42.9	0.2410	1.3238	0.1485	0.1241

We can also conclude from the results shown in Table 5 that the TL-MO-LLo distribution fit the glass fibres data set better than the non-nested models considered. The TL-MO-LLo distribution has smaller values of the the goodness-of-fit statistics and a bigger p-value for the K-S statistic. Furthermore, from the fitted densities plots (Figure 6), we can notice the improvement achieved by using the TL-MO-LLo distribution in fitting the glass fibre data compared to the sub-models.

7.3 Silicon Nitride Data

The third data set represents fracture toughness of silicon nitride measured in MPa $m^{1/2}$. The data set was also analyzed by (Nadarajah and Kotz, 2007) and also by (Ali, Hasnain and Ahmad, 2015). The data are 5.50, 5.00, 4.90, 6.40, 5.10, 5.20, 5.20, 5.00, 4.70, 4.00, 4.50, 4.20, 4.10, 4.56, 5.01, 4.70, 3.13, 3.12, 2.68, 2.77, 2.70, 2.36, 4.38, 5.73, 4.35, 6.81, 1.91, 2.66, 2.61, 1.68, 2.04, 2.08, 2.13, 3.80, 3.73, 3.71, 3.28, 3.90, 4.00, 3.80, 4.10, 3.90, 4.05, 4.00, 3.95, 4.00, 4.50, 4.50, 4.20, 4.55, 4.65, 4.10, 4.25, 4.30, 4.50, 4.70, 5.15, 4.30, 4.50, 4.90, 5.00, 5.35, 5.15, 5.25, 5.80, 5.85, 5.90, 5.75, 6.25, 6.05, 5.90, 3.60, 4.10, 4.50, 5.30, 4.85, 5.30, 5.45, 5.10, 5.30, 5.20, 5.30, 5.25, 4.75, 4.50, 4.20, 4.00, 4.15, 4.25, 4.30, 3.75, 3.95, 3.51, 4.13, 5.40, 5.00, 2.10, 4.60, 3.20, 2.50, 4.10, 3.50, 3.20, 3.30, 4.60, 4.30, 4.30, 4.50, 5.50, 4.60, 4.90, 4.30, 3.00, 3.40, 3.70, 4.40, 4.90, 4.90, 5.00.

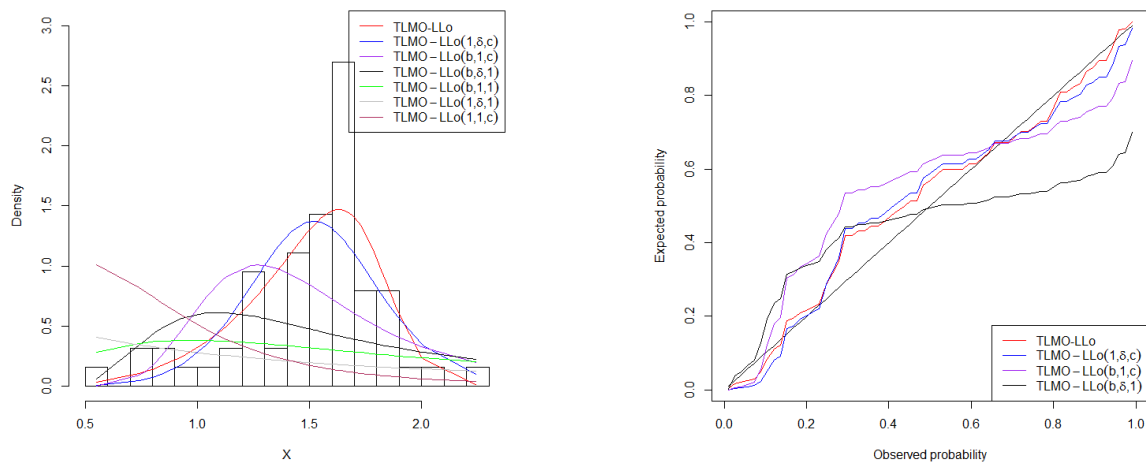


Figure 6. Fitted pdfs and probability plots for glass fibres data set

The estimated variance-covariance matrix for TL-MO-LLo model on silicon nitride data set is given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.85890 \times 10^{-3} & -2.98495 \times 10^{-11} & 3.06163 \times 10^{-3} \\ -2.98495 \times 10^{-11} & 1.84958 \times 10^{-18} & -1.85181 \times 10^{-10} \\ 3.06163 \times 10^{-3} & -1.85181 \times 10^{-10} & 1.85443 \times 10^{-2} \end{bmatrix}$$

and the 95% confidence intervals for the model parameters are given by

$b \in [0.4013 \pm 0.0845]$, $\delta \in [5.5278 \times 10^7 \pm 2.6656 \times 10^{-9}]$ and $c \in [10.4800 \pm 0.2666]$.

Table 6. Parameter estimates and goodness of fit statistics for various models fitted for silicon nitride data set

Model	Estimates			Statistics							
	b	δ	c	$-2 \log L$	AIC	$AICC$	BIC	W^*	A^*	K-S	p-value
TL-MO-LLo	0.4013 (0.0431)	5.5278×10^7 (1.3600×10^{-9})	10.4800 (0.1362)	335.7	341.7	341.9	350.0	0.0572	0.3482	0.0585	0.8100
TL-MO-LLo(1, δ, c)	1	2.1155×10^4 (2.4333×10^{-6})	6.1861 (0.0816)	344.9	348.9	348.9	354.4	0.1900	1.2241	0.0749	0.5166
TL-MO-LLo($b, 1, c$)	103.4128 (20.2065)	1	1.7124 (0.0879)	412.3	416.3	416.4	421.8	1.2538	7.0855	0.1904	0.0004
TL-MO-LLo($b, \delta, 1$)	3.7682×10^5 (2.3710×10^{-12})	6.2356×10^{-3} (2.8671×10^{-4})	1	456.4	460.4	460.5	465.9	1.0807	6.1690	0.3099	2.3720×10^{-10}
TL-MO-LLo($b, 1, 1$)	23.9660 (2.1970)	1	1	486.7	488.7	488.7	491.4	0.8190	4.7694	0.3651	3.3200×10^{-14}
TL-MO-LLo(1, $\delta, 1$)	1	8.4825 (0.9591)	1	635.8	637.8	637.8	640.6	0.4986	2.9861	0.3480	6.0770×10^{-13}
TL-MO-LLo(1, 1, c)	1	1	0.6143 (0.0462)	960.4	962.4	962.4	965.2	0.5887	3.4935	0.8301	$< 2.2000 \times 10^{-16}$
MOEGE	α 1.0718×10^{-2} (7.0715×10^{-3})	γ 20.7600 (3.5685×10^{-5})	λ 1.7321 (0.1434)	340.3	346.3	346.5	354.6	0.2326	1.4637	0.9926	$< 2.2000 \times 10^{-16}$
EFr	α 0.0555 (0.0244)	δ 1.5719 (0.0359)	λ 18.4091 (7.7522)	586.9	592.9	593.2	601.3	1.3837	7.6851	0.3861	7.772×10^{-16}
MOEFr	2407.7 (7.7867×10^{-6})	1.4344 (0.1296)	7.0579 (0.5495)	356.6	362.6	362.9	370.9	38.2495	235.4782	0.9989	$< 2.2000 \times 10^{-16}$
IWMO	α 2407.7 (8.9422×10^{-7})	λ 7.0579 (0.5495)	θ 0.6972 (0.0630)	356.6	362.6	362.9	370.9	0.3596	2.2543	0.0804	0.4241
TIIGTLU	α 118.56 (0.0167)	β 2.4689 (0.1767)	θ 12.4128 (0.8163)	337.4	343.4	343.6	351.7	38.5743	237.3690	0.9981	$< 2.200 \times 10^{-16}$
TIIGTLE	52242 (1.2314×10^{-7})	2.6498 (0.2218)	0.0292 (0.0053)	337.7	343.7	343.9	351.9	0.0978	0.6019	0.0727	0.5547
TIIGTLR	4895.3 (2.0859×10^{-7})	1.2617 (0.0964)	0.0016 (4.0089×10^{-4})	337.5	343.5	343.7	351.8	0.0938	0.5769	0.0730	0.5500

Furthermore, we conclude from the results shown in Table 6 that the TL-MO-LLo distribution fit the silicon nitride data

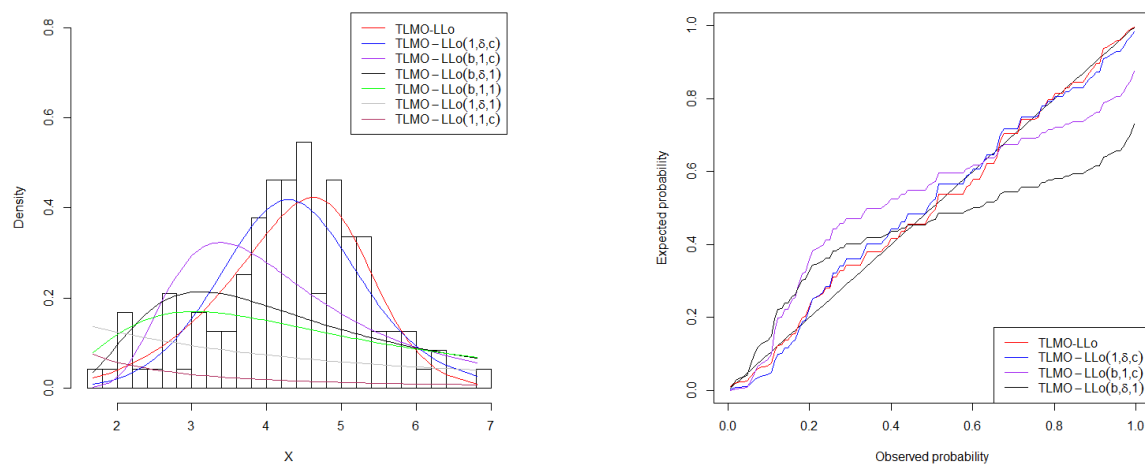


Figure 7. Fitted pdfs and probability plots for silicon nitride data set

set better than the non-nested models considered. The TL-MO-LLo distribution has smaller values of the the goodness-of-fit statistics and a bigger p-value for the K-S statistic. Furthermore, from the fitted densities plots (Figure 7), we can notice the improvement achieved by using the TL-MO-LLo distribution in fitting the silicon nitride data compared to the sub-models.

7.4 Likelihood Ratio Test

Likelihood ratio test results for testing if the TL-MO-LLo model performs better than its sub-models models are shown in Table 7.

Table 7. Likelihood Ratio Test Results

Model	Epoxy Kevlar Data χ^2 (p-value)	Glass Fibres Data χ^2 (p-value)	Silicon Nitride Data χ^2 (p-value)
TLMO-LLo(1, δ , c)	11.9 (0.000561)	11.2 (0.000818)	9.2 (0.002420)
TLMO-LLo(b, 1, c)	17.0 (0.000037)	45.6 (< 0.00001)	76.6 (< 0.00001)
TLMO-LLo(b, δ , 1)	14.1 (0.000173)	83.9 (< 0.00001)	120.7 (< 0.00001)
TLMO-LLo(b, 1, 1)	17.0 (0.000203)	123.0 (< 0.00001)	151.0 (< 0.00001)
TLMO-LLo(1, δ , 1)	14.0 (0.000912)	178.4 (< 0.00001)	300.1 (< 0.00001)
TLMO-LLo(1, 1, c)	19.4 (0.000061)	196.0 (< 0.00001)	624.7 (< 0.00001)

The results from the likelihood ratio test shows that the TL-MO-LLo model performs better than its nested models on all the three data sets.

8. Concluding Remarks

We developed a new family of distributions, by combining the Topp-Leone and the Marshall-Olkin-G distributions. The new distribution can handle heavy tailed data and also have non-monotonic hazard rate shapes. The proposed distribution is a linear combination of the Exp-G distribution. We applied the new distribution to three real data sets and our model perform better than the competing non-nested models as shown in Tables 4, 5 and 6.

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