

## Comparison of Some Estimation Methods for Reliability Function of Generalized Rayleigh Distribution

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### Abstract

In this paper we derivate mathematical formula of the reliability of  $R_s = p[\max(x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}) < \min(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z)]$  when  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z$  are strengths subject to one of the stresses  $x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}$  assuming that  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z, x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}$  follow Independent generalized Rayleigh distributions. It was estimated of  $R_s$  is given for the distribution, by using (*the following methods*) maximum likelihood (ML), shrinkage estimation (SH) (three type), least square (LS) and Bayes method (B). Also make a comparison among results of the estimation methods of reliability function by mean square error (MSE).

**Keywords :** Rayleigh distribution , maximum likelihood, shrinkage estimation, least square, reliability system and Bayes method, reliability system.

### المستخلص

في هذا البحث تم اشتقاق الصيغة الرياضية لدالة المعولية لـ  $R_s = p[\max(x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}) < \min(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z)]$  عندما تكون  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z$  تمثل نقاط قوة تخضع لإحدى الضغوطات  $x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}$  بافتراض أن  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z, x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}$  تتبع توزيع رايلي العام المستقل. تم تقدير  $R_s$  المعطاة للتوزيع، باستخدام مقدر الامكان الاعظم (ML)، مقدر الانكماش (استخدام ثلاث انواع)، مقدر المربعات الصغرى (LS) والطريقة البيزية (B). وكذلك عمل مقارنة بين نتائج طرق تقدير دالة الموثوقية بواسطة متوسط الخطأ التربيعي (MSE).

**الكلمات المفتاحية :** توزيع رايلي، مقدر الامكان الاعظم (ML)، مقدر الانكماش، المعولية، مقدر المربعات الصغرى (LS) والطريقة البيزية (B).

## 1. Introduction

The generalized Rayleigh distribution denoted by (GRD) is very important in various life Applications, agriculture, biology, engineering and other sciences surplus and Padgett in(1998-2001) introduced what is called burr distribution including generalized Rayleigh distribution as special case (burr type x distribution).

The GRD has been studied extensively by kudu and ragab (2005), and GRD is particular case of the generalized Weibull distribution generalized Weibull distribution as[10],[11] and [13]

$$F(x) = (1 - e^{-(\lambda x)^\beta})^\alpha ; x > 0 \text{ and } \alpha, \beta, \lambda > 0$$

When  $\alpha = 2$ , then this distribution reduce to generalized Rayleigh distribution .

The estimation of parameters of GRD has been discussed in the literature In (2014) Rao studied the reliability system in “stress – strength model” for generalized Rayleigh distribution through simulation [12].

In (2015), Abbas and May Mona, estimated the shape parameter of “generalized Rayleigh distribution” using single stage Bayesian – shrinkage estimator[1]. In this paper, the estimation of  $Rs = p[\max(x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}) < \min(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z)]$  is considered when  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z)$  are strengths to one of the stresses  $(x_{z+1}, x_{z+2})$  assuming that  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z, x_{z+1}, x_{z+2})$  follow independent generalized Rayleigh distribution using different estimation methods and make a comparison using simulation.

## 2- system reliability

In this paper, the estimation of  $Rs = p[\max(x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}) < \min(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z)]$  is considered when  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z)$  are strengths subject to one of the stresses  $(x_{z+1}, x_{z+2})$  . Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z, x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}$  be independent and follow “generalized Rayleigh distribution” with shape parameter  $\beta_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2)$  and common scale parameter  $\lambda$  .

The pdf and cdf of  $x_i$  are respectively given by

$$(1) \quad f(x, \beta, \lambda) = 2 \beta \lambda^2 x e^{-(\lambda x)^2} (1 - e^{-(\lambda x)^2})^\beta$$

$$(2) \quad \text{For } x > 0 ; \beta, \lambda > 0 \quad F(x, \beta, \lambda) = (1 - e^{-(\lambda x)^2})^\beta$$

Then the distribution function of  $k = \max(x_{z+1}, x_{z+2})$  is given by

$$H(K) = p(K < k) = \prod_{i=z+1}^{z+2} p(x_i < k) = p(x_{z+1} < k) * p(x_{z+2} < k) \\ = (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_{z+1}} * (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_{z+2}} = (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i} \quad (3)$$

Also, the distribution function of  $\min(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z)$  is given by

$$w(k) = \min(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z) = \prod_{i=1}^z p(x_i > k) = p(x_1 > k) * p(x_2 > k) \dots p(x_z > k) \\ = (1 - (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_1}) * (1 - (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_2}) \dots (1 - (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_z}) \\ = \prod_{i=1}^z (1 - (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_i}) \quad (4)$$

In series system, the system reliability is given by  $Rs = p[\max(x_{z+1}, x_{z+2}) < \min(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_z)]$

$$= \int_0^\infty w(k) * dH(k)$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^z (1 - (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_i}) * d \left( (1 - e^{-(\lambda x)^2})^{\sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i} \right)$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^z (1 - (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_i})$$

$$* \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i - 1} * e^{-(\lambda k)^2} * 2\lambda^2 * k * dk$$

$$= 2\lambda^2 \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i * \int_0^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^z (1 - (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_i}) * (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i - 1} * e^{-(\lambda k)^2} k * dk$$

$$\text{let } y = 1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2} \rightarrow k = \frac{\sqrt{-\ln(1-y)}}{\lambda}$$

$$dk = \frac{dy}{2\lambda\sqrt{-\ln(1-y)}(1-y)}$$

$$\text{So, } \prod_{i=1}^z (1 - (1 - e^{-(\lambda k)^2})^{\beta_i}) = \prod_{i=1}^z (1 - y^{\beta_i})$$

$$= 1 - \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} \sum_{i_1=1, i_2, \dots, i_z=1}^z y^{\sum_{i=1}^m \beta_{i_j}}$$

There fore

$$Rs = \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i \int_0^1 (1 - \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} * \sum_{i_1=1, i_2, \dots, i_z=1}^z y^{\sum_{i=1}^m \beta_{i_j}} * y^{\sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i - 1} dy$$

$$= \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i \int_0^1 y^{\sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i - 1} dy - \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} * \sum_{i_1=1, i_2, \dots, i_z=1}^z \int_0^1 y^{\sum_{j=1}^m \beta_{i_j} + \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i - 1} * dy$$

So, we have, Rs on the form

$$Rs = 1 - \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} * \sum_{i_1=1, i_2, \dots, i_z=1}^z \int_0^1 y^{\sum_{j=1}^m \beta_{i_j} + \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \beta_i - 1} * dy \tag{5}$$

### 3- maximum likelihood Estimators (MLE)

Let  $x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{iz}$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) be random sample on strengths of (n) systems following generalized Rayleigh distribution with shape parameter  $\beta_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, z$ ), scale parameter  $\lambda$  and  $x_{i_{z+1}}, x_{i_{z+2}}$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) be random sample on stresses corresponding to (n) system, that follows a generalized Rayleigh distribution with shape parameter  $\beta_i$  ( $i = z + 1, z + 2$ ) and common scale parameter  $\lambda$

Then the likelihood function of  $x_{ij}$  is given by

$$L(x_{ij}; \beta_i, \lambda)$$

$$= \prod_{j=1}^m \prod_{i=1}^{z+2} (x_{ij} \beta_i \lambda^2 e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2}) * (1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{\beta_i - 1}$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^{z+2} \beta_i^n \lambda^{2n(z+2)} * \prod_{i=1}^n \prod_{j=1}^{z+2} x_{ij} * \prod_{j=1}^n \prod_{i=1}^{z+2} e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2} * \prod_{i=1}^n \prod_{j=1}^{z+2} (1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{\beta_i - 1}$$

The log – likelihood function is given by  
 $lnL(x_{ij}; \beta_i, \lambda)$

$$= n \sum_{i=1}^{z+2} \ln \beta_i + 2n(z+2) \ln \lambda + \sum_{i=1}^{z+2} \sum_{j=1}^n \ln x_{ij} - 2 \sum_{i=1}^{z+2} \sum_{j=1}^n (\lambda x_{ij}) + (\beta_i - 1) \sum_{i=1}^{z+2} \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})$$

Differentiating log – likelihood function partially with respect to  $\beta_i$  and equating it to zero will be

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta_i} \ln l = 0$$

$$\frac{n}{\beta_i} + \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2}) = 0$$

$$(6) \hat{\beta}_{imls} = \frac{-n}{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})}$$

For  $i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  the estimates of  $R_s$  ;  $i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  is given by

$$(7) \hat{R}_{smles} = 1 - \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{imls} * \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} \sum_{i=1}^z \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\beta}_{ijmles} + \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{imls} * dy$$

Note that  $\hat{\beta}_{imls}$  is biased since  $E(\hat{\beta}_{imls}) = \frac{n}{n-1} \beta_i \neq \beta_i$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$

Hence  $\hat{\beta}_{iub} = \frac{n-1}{n} \hat{\beta}_{imls} = \frac{n-1}{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})}$

There fore

$$\text{and var}(\hat{\beta}_{iub}) = \frac{\beta_i^2}{n-2} \text{ For } i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2 \quad 2E(\hat{\beta}_{iub}) = \beta_i$$

#### 4- Shrinkage Estimation Method

In, 1968, Thompson proposed to shrink usual estimate  $\hat{\beta}$  of the parameter  $\beta$  to prior in formation  $\beta_0$  using weight factor  $\varphi(\hat{\beta})$ . Such that  $0 \leq \varphi(\hat{\beta}) \leq 1$ . we give the form of shrinkage estimator of  $\beta_i$  say  $\hat{\beta}_{ish}$  will be

$$\hat{\beta}_{ish} = \varphi(\hat{\beta}_i) \hat{\beta}_{iub} + (1 - \varphi(\hat{\beta}_i)) \beta_{io}$$

Where

$$\text{and } \beta_{io} = \frac{\ln(\frac{1}{2})}{\sum_{i=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{imed})^2})} \hat{\beta}_{iub} = \frac{n-1}{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})}$$

For  $i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$

Now, it is possible to use the “shrinkage estimation method (SH)” for estimate the parameter  $\beta_i$  of generalized Rayleigh distribution for three kinds of shrinkage estimation methods

##### 4-1 – Constant Shrinkage Estimation Method(SH1)

The constant shrinkage weight factor will be  $\varphi(\hat{\beta}_{iub}) = 0.01$ . The constant shrinkage estimators of  $\beta_i; i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  as follows

$$\hat{\beta}_{ish1} = \varphi(\hat{\beta}_{iub})\hat{\beta}_{iub} + (1 - \varphi(\hat{\beta}_{iub}))\beta_{io}$$

Hence, the estimates of Rs based on constant shrinkage estimation method of  $\beta_i; i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  is given by

$$\hat{R}_{ssh1} = 1 - \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{ish1} * \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} \sum_{i_1=i_2 \dots i_z=1}^z \int_0^1 y^{\sum_{i=1}^m \hat{\beta}_{ijsh1} + \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{ish1}} * dy$$

(8)

#### 4.2- Shrinkage Function Estimator(sh2)

We suggest the shrinkage function estimator (sh2) for estimate the parameters  $\beta_i; i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  and the system reliability Rs based on the shrinkage weight function which is depends on sample size (n) will be

$$\varphi(\hat{\beta}_{iub}) = e^{-n}$$

The shrinkage function estimators of  $\beta_i; i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  Will be

$$\hat{\beta}_{ish2} = e^{-n} \hat{\beta}_{iub} + (1 - e^{-n})\beta_{io} \quad \text{where } \beta_i; i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$$

Hence the shrinkage function estimator of system reliability Rs based on shrinkage weight function is given by

$$\hat{R}_{ssh2} = 1 - \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{ish2} * \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} \sum_{i_1=i_2 \dots i_z=1}^z \int_0^1 y^{\sum_{i=1}^m \hat{\beta}_{ijsh2} + \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{ish2}} * dy$$

(9)

#### 4.3 Squared Shrinkage Estimator (sh3)

Assume the squared shrinkage weight factor as

$$\gamma(\hat{\beta}_{iub}) = \left( \frac{\hat{\beta}_{iub} - E\left(\frac{\hat{\beta}_{iub}}{\beta_{io}}\right)}{\sqrt{\text{var}\left(\frac{\hat{\beta}_{iub}}{\beta_{io}}\right)}} \right)^2 * 0.001 \quad ; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$$

Therefore, the squared shrinkage estimator  $\hat{\beta}_{ish3}$  as follows

$$\hat{\beta}_{ish3} = \gamma(\hat{\beta}_{iub})\hat{\beta}_{iub} + (1 - \gamma(\hat{\beta}_{iub})) * \beta_{io}$$

Hence, the estimates of Rs based on squared shrinkage method of

$\beta_i; i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  is given by

$$\hat{R}_{ssh3} = 1 - \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{ish3} * \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} \sum_{i_1=i_2 \dots i_z=1}^z \int_0^1 y^{\sum_{i=1}^m \hat{\beta}_{ijsh3} + \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{ish3}} * dy$$

(10)

### 5- Least Squares Estimator (LSE)

The random samples strength  $X_{ij}$  have generalized Rayleigh distribution two parameters  $\beta_i$  and  $\lambda$  of size (n);  $i = 1, 2, \dots, z$  and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  and stress random samples  $X_{z+1j}, X_{z+2j}$  follow generalized Rayleigh distribution with parameter  $\beta_i; i = z + 1, z + 2$  and  $\lambda$  of size (n)

$$s = \sum_{j=1}^n [F(X_{ij}) - E(F(X_{ij}))]^2 \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2 \text{ and } j = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

We have

$$F(X_{ij}) = (1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{\beta_i} \quad \text{and} \quad E(F(X_{ij})) = p_{ij}$$

Such that  $p_{ij} = \frac{j}{n+1}$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  and  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$

Now, we consider  $F(X_{ij}) - E(F(X_{ij}))$  and  $(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{\beta_i} = \frac{j}{n+1}$

$$s = \sum_{j=1}^n \left[ \ln p_{ij} - \beta_i \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2}) \right]^2$$

$$\frac{ds}{d\beta_i} = 2 \sum_{j=1}^n \left[ \ln p_{ij} - \beta_i \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2}) \right]^2 * (\ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})) = 0$$

$$\hat{\beta}_{ilse} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln p_{ij} \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})}{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^2} \text{ For } i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2 \text{ and } j = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

Hence, the estimates of Rs based on least squares estimator of

$\beta_i ; i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  is given by

$$\hat{R}_{slse} = 1 - \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{ilse} * \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} \sum_{i_1=1, i_2, \dots, i_z=1}^z \int_0^1 y^{\sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\beta}_{ijlse} + \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{ilse}} * dy$$

(11)

### 6-Bayes method (B)

Let  $x_{ij}$  follow generalized Rayleigh distribution with two parameters  $\beta_i$  and  $\lambda$  of size (n). Now, we have to find the Bayes estimate for  $\beta_i$  such that  $i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$  using non-information prior distribution  $g(\beta_i)$  based on modified extension of Jeffery prior and square loss function, as follow

The modified extension of Jeffery prior can be find by  $g(\beta_i) \propto [I(\beta_i)]^c$

$$\text{Where } I(\beta_i) = -nE \left[ \frac{\partial^2 \ln f(x_{ij}, \beta_i, \lambda)}{\partial \beta_i^2} \right]$$

There fore

$$g(\beta_i) = kn^c \beta_i^{-2c} \text{ for } i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2$$

The likelihood function  $L(x_{ij}, \beta_i, \lambda)$  will be

$$L(x_{ij}, \beta_i, \lambda) = 2^n \beta_i^n \prod_{j=1}^n x_{ij} e^{-\lambda^2 \sum_{j=1}^n (x_{ij})^2} \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{\beta_i - 1}$$

The joint p.d.f.  $H(x_{ij}, \beta_i, \lambda)$  is given by

$$H(x_{ij}, \beta_i) = 2^n \beta_i^n \lambda^{2n} \prod_{j=1}^n x_{ij} e^{-\lambda^2 \sum_{j=1}^n (x_{ij})^2} \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{\beta_i - 1} kn^c \beta_i^{-2c}$$

The marginal p.d.f. of  $x_{ij}$  will be

$$p(x_{ij}) = \int_0^\infty 2^n \beta_i^n \lambda^{2n} \prod_{j=1}^n x_{ij} e^{-\lambda^2 \sum_{j=1}^n (x_{ij})^2} \prod_{j=1}^n (1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{\beta_i - 1} kn^c \beta_i^{-2c} d\beta_i$$

Then the posterior distribution  $\pi(x_{ij}; \beta_i)$  for  $i =$

$1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$  is given by

$$\pi(x_{ij}; \beta_i) = \frac{H(x_{ij}; \beta_i)}{p(x_{ij})}$$

$$= \frac{\beta_i^{n-2c} e^{-\beta_i \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}}}{\int_0^\infty \beta_i^{n-2c} e^{-\beta_i \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}} d\beta_i}$$

Now, we let

$$y = \beta_i \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}$$

Therefore

$$\pi(x_{ij}; \beta_i) = \frac{\beta_i^{n-2c} e^{-\beta_i \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1} \right]^{n-2c+1}}{\Gamma(n-2c+1)} \quad (12)$$

Now, by using square error loss function which is defined below

$$L(\hat{\beta}_i, \beta_i) = k(\hat{\beta}_i - \beta_i)^2$$

$$R(\hat{\beta}_i, \beta_i) = E[L(\hat{\beta}_i, \beta_i)]$$

$$R(\hat{\beta}_i, \beta_i) = \int_0^{\infty} k(\hat{\beta}_i - \beta_i)^2 * \pi(x_{ij}; \beta_i) d\beta_i$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{k(\hat{\beta}_i - \beta_i)^2 \beta_i^{n-2c} e^{-\beta_i \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1} \right]^{n-2c+1}}{\Gamma(n-2c+1)} d\beta_i$$

$$\frac{dR}{d\hat{\beta}_i} = \int_0^{\infty} 2k(\hat{\beta}_i - \beta_i) * \frac{\beta_i^{n-2c} e^{-\beta_i \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1} \right]^{n-2c+1}}{\Gamma(n-2c+1)} d\beta_i = 0$$

We let

$$y = \beta_i \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}$$

$$\beta_i = \frac{y}{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}}$$

$$d\beta_i = \frac{dy}{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}}$$

Therefore

$$\hat{\beta}_i = \frac{\Gamma(n - 2c + 1)}{\Gamma(n - 2c + 1) \sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}}$$

Then, we have

$$\hat{\beta}_{iB} = \frac{(n - 2c + 1)}{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}}$$

We assume c=2 therefore the Bayes estimator for

$$\beta_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2, i = 1, 2, \dots, n) \text{ is given by}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_{iB} = \frac{n-3}{\sum_{j=1}^n \ln(1 - e^{-(\lambda x_{ij})^2})^{-1}} \quad (13)$$

Hence the estimates of Rs based on Bayes estimator for

$$\beta_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, z, z + 1, z + 2, i = 1, 2, \dots, n) \text{ is given by}$$

$$\hat{R}_{SB} = 1 - \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{iB} * \sum_{m=1}^z (-1)^{m-1} \sum_{i_1=i_2 \dots i_z=1}^z \int_0^1 y^{\sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\beta}_{iB} + \sum_{i=z+1}^{z+2} \hat{\beta}_{iB}} * dy \quad (14)$$

### 7- Simulation Study

A simulation study will be conducted to show the estimator behavior of series system  $R_s$  for generalized Rayleigh distribution by generating 1000 samples of different size for different value of  $z$  and the parameters  $(\lambda, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_{k+1})$  as in tables. by the simulation study for the parameters considered, the value of maximum likelihood, shrinkage estimation (three type), least square and Bayes method for  $R_s$  with MSE are present in tables (1-6). "Monte Carlo simulation" is performed to compare the performances of the different methods of estimation for  $R_s$ . Math lab program was used in this research to estimate the distribution parameters

∴ estimates of  $R_s$  1Table

$$k = 4, m = 10, n = 15, \lambda = 3, a_1 = 3, a_2 = 3.1, a_3 = 3.2, a_4 = 3.3$$

$\alpha_5$	$\alpha_6$	$R_s$	$\hat{R}_{smle}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh1}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh2}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh3}$	$\hat{R}_{slse}$	$\hat{R}_{sf}$
3.5	4	0.047088	0.049715	0.047089	0.047136	0.047134	0.052358	0.0380761
4.5	5	0.028165	0.030291	0.028166	0.028187	0.028171	0.031228	0.022559
5.5	6	0.017905	0.019864	0.017905	0.017927	0.017922	0.021168	0.014476
6.5	7	0.011937	0.012856	0.011938	0.011942	0.011939	0.013861	0.009189

∴ MSE for estimates of  $R_s$  2Table

$$k = 4, m = 10, n = 15, \lambda = 3, a_1 = 3, a_2 = 3.1, a_3 = 3.2, a_4 = 3.3$$

$\alpha_5$	$\alpha_6$	$\hat{R}_{smle}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh1}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh2}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh3}$	$\hat{R}_{slse}$	$\hat{R}_{sf}$	Best
3.5	4	0.000618245889	0.000000000001	0.000000079703	0.000000090396	0.001493115480	0.000488832327	sh1
4.5	5	0.000281798105	0.0000000000004	0.000000035811	0.000000088695	0.000684506663	0.000203152851	sh1
5.5	6	0.000137134102	0.0000000000002	0.000000015222	0.000000024920	0.000383009834	0.000090852483	sh1
6.5	7	0.000075327246	0.0000000000000	0.000000008083	0.000000025493	0.000172961578	0.000050270334	sh1

∴ estimates of  $R_s$  3Table

$$k = 3, m = 10, n = 15, \lambda = 3, a_1 = 3, a_2 = 3.1, a_3 = 3.2$$

$\alpha_5$	$\alpha_6$	$R_s$	$\hat{R}_{smle}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh1}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh2}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh3}$	$\hat{R}_{slse}$	$\hat{R}_{sf}$
3.5	4	0.073198	0.076729	0.073198	0.073255	0.073240	0.076825	0.061528
4.5	5	0.048016	0.051122	0.048017	0.048055	0.048034	0.053234	0.040141
5.5	6	0.033221	0.035529	0.033222	0.033245	0.033256	0.037181	0.027452
6.5	7	0.023949	0.025876	0.023949	0.023962	0.023958	0.028428	0.019734

∴ MSE for estimates of  $R_s$  4Table

$$k = 3, m = 10, n = 15, \lambda = 3, a_1 = 3, a_2 = 3.1, a_3 = 3.2$$

$\alpha_5$	$\alpha_6$	$\hat{R}_{smle}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh1}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh2}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh3}$	$\hat{R}_{slse}$	$\hat{R}_{sf}$	Best
3.5	4	0.001123856115	0.0000000000002	0.000000152129	0.000000224798	0.002408083902	0.000938991779	sh1
4.5	5	0.000587463195	0.0000000000009	0.000000072316	0.000000095637	0.001472001681	0.000456818451	sh1
5.5	6	0.000357077249	0.0000000000006	0.000000043047	0.000000256108	0.000850691467	0.000265332312	sh1
6.5	7	0.000212461579	0.0000000000003	0.000000024581	0.000000034670	0.000589322030	0.000150577758	sh1

∴ MLE for estimates of  $R_s$  5Table

$$k = 2, m = 10, n = 15, \lambda = 3, a_1 = 3, a_2 = 3.1$$

$\alpha_5$	$\alpha_6$	$R_s$	$\hat{R}_{smle}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh1}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh2}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh3}$	$\hat{R}_{slse}$	$\hat{R}_{sf}$
3.5	4	0.129637	0.132906	0.129638	0.129686	0.129650	0.137417	0.112705
4.5	5	0.095006	0.099592	0.095006	0.095063	0.095046	0.099979	0.083357

5.5	6	0.0726344	0.076815	0.0726349	0.072674	0.072661	0.078550	0.063632
6.5	7	0.057340	0.060657	0.057341	0.05736	0.057347	0.061320	0.0498560

∴ MSE for estimates of  $R_g$  Table

$$k = 2, m = 10, n = 15, \lambda = 3, a_1 = 3, a_2 = 3.1$$

$\alpha_5$	$\alpha_6$	$\hat{R}_{smle}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh1}$	$\hat{R}_{ssh2}$	$\hat{R}_{sh2}$	$\hat{R}_{slse}$	$\hat{R}_{sb}$	Best
3.5	4	0.002488694600	0.000000000004	0.000000326492	0.000000464847	0.005197249764	0.002258927140	sh1
4.5	5	0.001533216780	0.000000000002	0.000000197319	0.000000373615	0.003256183614	0.001295291295	sh1
5.5	6	0.001003994776	0.000000000002	0.000000132490	0.000000096421	0.002053004684	0.000811496703	sh1
6.5	7	0.000772499720	0.000000000001	0.000000093630	0.000000185630	0.001401497280	0.000609853792	sh1

## Conclusions

From estimations reliability of  $(z+2)$  components series system of the “stress - strength model” that are subject to one of the stresses, while the “stress and the strength” follow generalized Rayleigh distribution of the tables 1-6 which contain component for strength and to one of the stresses, one can find the proposal shrinkage estimation method using constant shrinkage estimation method (sh1), performance good behavior and it is the best estimator than the others in the sense of MSE.

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