

# Applications Of I-Functions of Several Variables on Deriving the Exact Distribution of Products and Ratios of Generalized Gamma Random Variables

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**Abstract-** In this paper a density function is derived for the product and ratios of generalized Gamma variables.

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## Introduction

The I- functions of r-variables was introduced by Prathima and Vasudevan Nambisan [8, p.38]

and is defined and represented as,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & I[z_1, \dots, z_r] \\
 &= I_{P, Q; p_1, q_1, \dots, p_r, q_r}^{0, N; m_1, n_1, \dots, m_r, n_r} \left[ \begin{matrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_r \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} {}_1(a_j; \alpha_j^{(1)}, \dots, \alpha_j^{(r)}; A_j)_{P; 1} (c_j^{(1)}, \gamma_j^{(1)}; C_j^{(1)})_{p_1}; \dots; {}_1(c_j^{(r)}, \gamma_j^{(r)}; C_j^{(r)})_{p_r} \\ {}_1(b_j; \beta_j^{(1)}, \dots, \beta_j^{(r)}; B_j)_{Q; 1} (d_j^{(1)}, \delta_j^{(1)}; D_j^{(1)})_{q_1}; \dots; {}_1(d_j^{(r)}, \delta_j^{(r)}; D_j^{(r)})_{q_r} \end{matrix} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{(2\pi \omega)^r} \int_{L_1} \dots \int_{L_r} \theta_1(s_1) \dots \theta_r(s_r) \phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) z_1^{s_1} \dots z_r^{s_r} ds_1 \dots ds_r,
 \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

where,

$\phi(s_1, \dots, s_r)$  and  $\theta_i(s_i)$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$  are given by

$$\phi(s_1, \dots, s_r) = \frac{\prod_{j=1}^N \Gamma^{A_j} (1 - a_j + \sum_{i=1}^r \alpha_j^{(i)} s_i)}{\prod_{j=1}^Q \Gamma^{B_j} (1 - b_j + \sum_{i=1}^r \beta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=N+1}^P \Gamma^{A_j} (a_j - \sum_{i=1}^r \alpha_j^{(i)} s_i)}, \tag{1.2}$$

$$\theta_i(s_i) = \frac{\prod_{j=1}^{m_i} \Gamma^{D_j^{(i)}} (d_j^{(i)} - \delta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=1}^{n_i} \Gamma^{C_j^{(i)}} (1 - c_j^{(i)} + \gamma_j^{(i)} s_i)}{\prod_{j=m_i+1}^{q_i} \Gamma^{D_j^{(i)}} (1 - d_j^{(i)} + \delta_j^{(i)} s_i) \prod_{j=n_i+1}^{p_i} \Gamma^{C_j^{(i)}} (c_j^{(i)} - \gamma_j^{(i)} s_i)}, \quad (1.3)$$

Also  $z_i \neq 0$  ( $i=1, \dots, r$ ),  $\omega = \sqrt{-1}$ ,  $m_j, n_j, p_j, q_j$  ( $j=1, \dots, r$ ),  $N, P, Q$  are non-negative integers such that  $0 \leq N \leq P$ ,  $Q \geq 0$ ,  $0 \leq m_j \leq q_j$ ,  $0 \leq n_j \leq p_j$  ( $j=1, 2, \dots, r$ ) (not all zero simultaneously).  $\alpha_j^{(i)} (j=1, 2, \dots, P, i=1, 2, \dots, r)$ ,  $\beta_j^{(i)} (j=1, 2, \dots, Q, i=1, 2, \dots, r)$ ,  $\gamma_j^{(i)} (j=1, 2, \dots, p_i, i=1, 2, \dots, r)$ , and  $\delta_j^{(i)} (j=1, 2, \dots, q_i, i=1, 2, \dots, r)$  are positive numbers.  $a_j (j=1, 2, \dots, P)$ ,  $b_j (j=1, 2, \dots, Q)$ ,  $c_j^{(i)} (j=1, 2, \dots, p_i, i=1, 2, \dots, r)$ , and  $d_j^{(i)} (j=1, 2, \dots, q_i, i=1, 2, \dots, r)$  are complex numbers. The exponents  $A_j (j=1, 2, \dots, P)$ ,  $B_j (j=1, 2, \dots, Q)$ ,  $C_j^{(i)} (j=1, 2, \dots, p_i, i=1, 2, \dots, r)$ , and  $D_j^{(i)} (j=1, 2, \dots, q_i, i=1, 2, \dots, r)$  of various gamma functions may take non integer values.

The  $I$ -function of  $r$ -variables is analytic if

$$\Psi_i = \sum_{j=1}^P A_j \alpha_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=1}^Q B_j \beta_j^{(i)} + \sum_{j=1}^{p_i} C_j^{(i)} \gamma_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=1}^{q_i} D_j^{(i)} \delta_j^{(i)} \leq 0, i=1, 2, \dots, r.$$

The integral (1.1) converges absolutely if,

$$\left| \arg(z_i) \right| < \frac{1}{2} \Delta_i \pi, i=1, 2, \dots, r$$

Where,

$$\Delta_i = \left( - \sum_{j=n_i+1}^P A_j \alpha_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=1}^Q B_j \beta_j^{(i)} + \sum_{j=1}^{m_i} D_j^{(i)} \delta_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=m_i+1}^{q_i} D_j^{(i)} \delta_j^{(i)} + \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} C_j^{(i)} \gamma_j^{(i)} - \sum_{j=n_i+1}^{p_i} C_j^{(i)} \gamma_j^{(i)} \right) > 0 \quad (1.4)$$

Mathai and Saxena [3]

The probability density function  $f(x)$  of random variable  $X$  is defined as

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(x) dx = 1, f(x) \geq 0, \forall x. \quad (1.5)$$

A random variable  $X$  is called a generalized Gamma variant if it has the density function

$$f(x) = \frac{\beta a^{\frac{\alpha}{\beta}}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right)} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-ax\beta}, x > 0, a > 0, \alpha > 0, \beta > 0$$

$$= 0, \text{ elsewhere} \quad (1.6)$$

Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k$  be a simple random variable independently and identically distributed according to the probability law (1.6).

$$\text{Let } Y = \frac{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_m}{X_{m+1}, X_{m+2}, \dots, X_k} \quad (1.7)$$

If the density  $g(y)$  of  $Y$  exists, then  $(s-1)^{th}$  moment of  $Y$  about the origin is given by

$$\begin{aligned} E(Y^{s-1}) &= \prod_{j=1}^m [E(X_j^{s-1})] \prod_{j=m+1}^k [E(X_j^{-(s-1)})] \\ &= \frac{a^{\frac{m-n}{\beta}} \Gamma^m\left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\beta} + \frac{s}{\beta}\right) \Gamma^{k-m}\left(\frac{\alpha+1}{\beta} - \frac{s}{\beta}\right)}{\Gamma^k\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right) a^{\frac{(m-n)s}{\beta}}} \end{aligned} \quad (1.8)$$

Where  $n = k - m$  and  $E$  denote the mathematical Expectation.

## 2. Main Results

If  $X_{1k}, X_{2k}, \dots, X_{pk}, k = 1, 2, \dots, r$  are independent random variable having density function,

$$f(x_k) = \frac{\beta_k a_k^{\beta_k} x_k^{\alpha_k-1} e^{-a_k x_k \beta_k}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\alpha_k}{\beta_k}\right)}, x_k > 0, a_k > 0, \alpha_k > 0, \beta_k > 0, k = 1, 2, \dots, r \quad (2.1)$$

$$\text{And if } Y_k = \frac{X_{1k}, X_{2k}, \dots, X_{mk}}{X_{(m+1)k}, X_{(m+2)k}, \dots, X_{pk}}, k = 1, 2, \dots, r \quad (2.2)$$

Then the density  $g(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_r)$  of  $(Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_r)$  whenever it exist is given by

$$g(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_r) = c I_{0,0:1,1;\dots,1,1}^{0,0:1,1;\dots,1,1} \left[ a^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1} y_1} \middle| I_1, \dots, a^{\frac{m_r-n_r}{\beta_r} y_r} \middle| I_2 \right], \quad 0 < y_k < \infty, k = 1, 2, \dots, r \quad (2.3)$$

Where,

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \left(1 - \frac{(\alpha_1+1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1}; n_1\right); \dots; \left(1 - \frac{(\alpha_r+1)}{\beta_r}, \frac{1}{\beta_r}; n_r\right) \\ I_2 &= \left(\frac{(\alpha_1-1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1}; m_1\right); \dots; \left(\frac{(\alpha_r-1)}{\beta_r}, \frac{1}{\beta_r}; m_r\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$c = \frac{a_1^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1}} \dots a_r^{\frac{m_r-n_r}{\beta_r}}}{\Gamma^{\beta_1}\left(\frac{\alpha_1}{\beta_1}\right) \dots \Gamma^{\beta_r}\left(\frac{\alpha_r}{\beta_r}\right)}$$

Here (2.4)

Provided (i)  $I$ -functions of several variable exist and

$$(ii) \frac{\alpha_k - 1}{\beta_k} + \nu_k \neq -\frac{\alpha_k + 1}{\beta_k} - \mu_k > 0, \nu_k, \mu_k = 0, 1, 2, \dots \& k = 1, 2, \dots, r$$

Proof:

If the density  $g(y_k)$  of  $Y_k$  exists, then  $(s_k - 1)^{th}$  moment of  $Y_k$  about the origin is given by,

$$E(Y_k^{s_k-1}) = \prod_{j=1}^{m_k} [E(X_{j_k}^{s_k-1})] \prod_{j=m_k+1}^{p_k} [E(X_{j_k}^{-(s_k-1)})], k = 1, 2, \dots, r$$

(2.5)

That is,

$$E(Y_1^{s_1-1}, \dots, Y_r^{s_r-1}) = \frac{a_1^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1}} \Gamma^{m_1}\left(\frac{\alpha_1-1}{\beta_1} + \frac{s_1}{\beta_1}\right) \Gamma^{p_1-m_1}\left(\frac{\alpha_1+1}{\beta_1} - \frac{s_1}{\beta_1}\right) \dots a_r^{\frac{m_r-n_r}{\beta_r}} \Gamma^{m_r}\left(\frac{\alpha_r-1}{\beta_r} + \frac{s_r}{\beta_r}\right) \Gamma^{p_r-m_r}\left(\frac{\alpha_r+1}{\beta_r} - \frac{s_r}{\beta_r}\right)}{\Gamma^{p_1}\left(\frac{\alpha_1}{\beta_1}\right) \dots \Gamma^{p_r}\left(\frac{\alpha_r}{\beta_r}\right) a_1^{\left(\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1}\right)s_1} \dots a_r^{\left(\frac{m_r-n_r}{\beta_r}\right)s_r}}$$

(2.6)

Where,  $n_k = p_k - m_k, k = 1, 2, \dots, r$ , using (1.8) and,  $E$  denote the Mathematical Expectation.

The density function  $g(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_r)$  is obtained by taking inverse Melin transform of (2.3)

$$g(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_r) = \frac{\prod_{k=1}^r a_k^{\frac{m_k-n_k}{\beta_k}}}{\Gamma^{p_k}\left(\frac{\alpha_k}{\beta_k}\right)} \int_{c_1-\infty}^{c_1+\infty} \dots \int_{c_r-\infty}^{c_r+\infty} \prod_{j=1}^r \Gamma^{m_k}\left(\frac{\alpha_k-1}{\beta_k} + \frac{s_k}{\beta_k}\right) \Gamma^{m_k}\left(\frac{\alpha_k+1}{\beta_k} - \frac{s_k}{\beta_k}\right) a_k^{\frac{-(m_k-n_k)s_k}{\beta_k}} y^{-s_k} ds_1 \dots ds_r$$

(2.7)

Now interpreting (2.7) with the help of (1.1), (2.3) is obtained.

### 3. Special cases

If  $n = p = q = 0$  (2.3) becomes

$$g(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_r) = c I_{1,1}^{1,1} \left[ a_1^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1} y_1} \left| \begin{matrix} \left(1 - \frac{(\alpha_1+1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1}; n_1\right) \\ \left(\frac{(\alpha_1-1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1}; m_1\right) \end{matrix} \right. \right] \dots I_{1,1}^{1,1} \left[ a_r^{\frac{m_r-n_r}{\beta_r} y_r} \left| \begin{matrix} \left(1 - \frac{(\alpha_r+1)}{\beta_r}, \frac{1}{\beta_r}; n_r\right) \\ \left(\frac{(\alpha_r-1)}{\beta_r}, \frac{1}{\beta_r}; m_r\right) \end{matrix} \right. \right],$$

(3.1)

Provided the conditions similar to that of (2.3)

Transforming (2.3) into H-Functions of several variables, (2.3) becomes,

$$g(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_r) = cH_{0,0: n_1, n_1; \dots; m_r, n_r}^{0,0: m_1, n_1; \dots; m_r, n_r} \left[ \begin{matrix} a^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1} y_1} \\ \vdots \\ a^{\frac{m_r-n_r}{\beta_r} y_r} \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} ---; C_1, C_2, \dots, C_r \\ ---; D_1, D_2, \dots, D_r \end{matrix} \right],$$

$$C_i = \left( 1 - \frac{(\alpha_i + 1)}{\beta_i}, \frac{1}{\beta_i} \right); \dots; \left( 1 - \frac{(\alpha_i + 1)}{\beta_i}, \frac{1}{\beta_i} \right), i = 1, 2, \dots, r$$

$$D_i = \left( \frac{(\alpha_i - 1)}{\beta_i}, \frac{1}{\beta_i} \right); \dots; \left( \frac{(\alpha_i + 1)}{\beta_i}, \frac{1}{\beta_i} \right), i = 1, 2, \dots, r$$

$$g(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_r) = cH_{n_1, n_1}^{m_1, n_1} \left[ \begin{matrix} a_1^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1} y_1} \\ \left( 1 - \frac{(\alpha_1 + 1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1} \right) \\ \left( \frac{(\alpha_1 - 1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1} \right) \end{matrix} \right] \dots H_{n_r, n_r}^{m_r, n_r} \left[ \begin{matrix} a_r^{\frac{m_r-n_r}{\beta_r} y_r} \\ \left( 1 - \frac{(\alpha_r + 1)}{\beta_r}, \frac{1}{\beta_r} \right) \\ \left( \frac{(\alpha_r - 1)}{\beta_r}, \frac{1}{\beta_r} \right) \end{matrix} \right],$$

When  $r = 2$ , (2.3) reduces to

$$g(y_1, y_2) = cI_{0,0: 1,1; 1,1}^{0,0: 1,1; 1,1} \left[ \begin{matrix} a_1^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1} y_1} \\ a_2^{\frac{m_2-n_2}{\beta_2} y_2} \end{matrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} \left( 1 - \frac{(\alpha_1 + 1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1}; m_1 \right); \left( 1 - \frac{(\alpha_2 + 1)}{\beta_2}, \frac{1}{\beta_2}; m_2 \right) \\ \left( \frac{(\alpha_1 - 1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1}; m_1 \right); \left( \frac{(\alpha_2 - 1)}{\beta_2}, \frac{1}{\beta_2}; m_2 \right) \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$g(y_1, y_2) = cI_{1,1}^{1,1} \left[ \begin{matrix} a_1^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1} y_1} \\ \left( 1 - \frac{(\alpha_1 + 1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1}; m_1 \right) \\ \left( \frac{(\alpha_1 - 1)}{\beta_1}, \frac{1}{\beta_1}; m_1 \right) \end{matrix} \right] I_{1,1}^{1,1} \left[ \begin{matrix} a_2^{\frac{m_2-n_2}{\beta_2} y_2} \\ \left( 1 - \frac{(\alpha_2 + 1)}{\beta_2}, \frac{1}{\beta_2}; m_2 \right) \\ \left( \frac{(\alpha_2 - 1)}{\beta_2}, \frac{1}{\beta_2}; m_2 \right) \end{matrix} \right] \quad (3.2)$$

$$\text{Where } c = \frac{a_1^{\frac{m_1-n_1}{\beta_1}} a_r^{\frac{m_2-n_2}{\beta_2}}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\alpha_1}{\beta_1}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\alpha_2}{\beta_2}\right)},$$

provided the conditions similar to that of (2.3)

When  $r=1$  and specializing the parameters, (2.3) reduces to the result given by Mathai [3,p83]

**4. Conclusions:** In this work, a density function is derived for the product and ratios of generalized Gamma variables.

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