

# A novel family of generating distributions based on trigonometric function with an application to exponential distribution.

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**Abstract**—In this manuscript, we introduce a novel procedure for generating distributions based on the sine trigonometric function, and we called this procedure as the Sine Exponentiated Transformation (SET). The SET procedure is then specialized on exponential distribution and a new distribution, namely, Sine Exponentiated Exponential (SEE) distribution is acquired. The introduced model is quite flexible in terms of density and hazard rate functions. Besides flexibility, several other well known properties including moments, moment generating function, mean residual life, mean waiting time, stress strength parameter and order statistics has been highlighted. Simulation study has been carried out to assess the performance of all the estimators. Lastly the applicability of the distribution is discussed on three different real data sets.

**Index Terms**—Sine exponentiated transformation; Exponential distribution; Hazard rate function; Moments; maximum likelihood estimation.

## I. INTRODUCTION

The statistical literature incorporate a plethora of probability models for modeling different real life random phenomenon in various areas such as insurance, actuarial, demography, economics, medical sciences, finance and engineering. Since there is no particular distribution sufficient for modeling every phenomenon, a number of new models with a high degree of flexibility is increasing year by year. So the researchers have switched their attention to set up new family of distributions and proposed a variety of new families of distributions so that real life data can be better assessed and investigated in different applied areas. Among them Marshall and Olkin (1997) proposed a new method for generating family of distributions. Eugene et al. (2002) proposed the beta generalized method. Mudholkar and Srivastava (1993) proposed a method to introduce an extra parameter to the Weibull distribution. Aldeni et al. (2017) developed a new family of distribution arising from the inverse cumulative distribution function of the generalized lambda distribution. Alzaatreh et al. (2014) acted

on the family of T-normal distributions. Alzaatreh et al. (2016) suggested the family of generalized Cauchy distributions. Mahdavi and Kundu (2017) focused on the Alpha Power Transformation (APT) family of distributions. Cordeiro et al. (2017) put forward the half Cauchy family of distributions. Ijaz et al. (2020) acted on the Gull Alpha Power Weibull distribution. Nassar et al. (2018) suggested a method based on the idea of Alpha power transformation. Recently, Ijaz et al. (2021) proposed class of New Alpha Power Transformed family (NAPT) of distributions. They employed exponential distribution in NAPT family and derived a new distribution called New Alpha Power Transformed exponential (NAPTE) distribution. In fact, the statistical literature has a scarcity of distributions which are based on trigonometric functions, most of them are based on algebraic functions. Among trigonometric distribution functions, let us point out Mahmood and Chesneau (2019) who introduced a new sine-G family of distributions. Chesneau et al. (2019) proposed a new class of probability distributions via cosine and sine functions. Chesneau and Jamal (2019) introduced the Sine Kumaraswamy-G Family of distributions. Recently, Al-Babtain et al. (2020) proposed the Sine Topp-Leone-G family of distributions. Based on the motivations above, we introduce a novel family of distributions which is based on trigonometric function that brings more flexibility to the given family. Then we give a comprehensive account of its general mathematical properties, such as shapes of probability density and hazard rate functions, useful expansions, moments and moment generating function. After providing a comprehensive treatment of its mathematical properties, we focus our attention on a special member of this family, defined with the exponential distribution as baseline. It is named as the SEE distribution.

The rest of the paper is sorted as follows: In section 2 a novel family of probability distributions called SET has been focused and some well known properties of this family have been

discussed. In section 3, SEE distribution has been examined, its structural properties have been discussed. In section 4, Maximum likelihood estimators of unknown parameter as well as simulation study have been carried out. In section 5, three real life data sets have been analyzed to demonstrate the efficacy of the proposed model. Finally, the paper is concluded in section 6.

II. SINE EXPONENTIATED TRASFORMATION (SET)AND ITS PROPERTIES

Let  $g(y)$  and  $G(y)$  be the probability density function (pdf) and cumulative distribution function (cdf) of any continuous random variable  $Y$ , respectively. Then the cdf  $F(y)$  of the SET family of distributions is defined as

$$F(y) = G(y) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y)\right) ; y \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha \geq 0 \quad (1)$$

the corresponding pdf is

$$f(y) = g(y) \left( \frac{\alpha\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y)\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y)\right) \right) ; y \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha \geq 0.$$

The survival function  $S(y)$  for SET family of distributions is given by

$$S(y) = 1 - G(y) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y)\right) ; y \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha \geq 0.$$

The hazard rate function,  $\lambda(y)$  is given by

$$\lambda(y) = \frac{g(y) \left( \frac{\alpha\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y)\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y)\right) \right)}{1 - G(y) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}G^\alpha(y)\right)} ; y \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha \geq 0.$$

The following series representations will be used throughout the paper.

$$(1-x)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} (-1)^k x^k ; |x| < 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\sin(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{x^{2k+1}}{(2k+1)!} ; x \in \mathbb{R} \quad (3)$$

$$\cos(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{x^{2k}}{(2k)!} ; x \in \mathbb{R} \quad (4)$$

$$e^x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!} ; x \in \mathbb{R} \quad (5)$$

$$(\alpha)^x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \alpha)^k}{k!} x^k \quad (6)$$

using (2), (3) and (4) the power series expansion for the cdf and pdf of SET family of distributions in terms survival function  $S(y)$  are respectively given by

$$F(y) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\alpha(2j+1)+1} a_{jk} S^k(y)$$

where

$$a_{jk} = \frac{(-1)^{j+k} \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{2j+1}}{(2j+1)!} \binom{\alpha(2j+1)+1}{k}$$

and

$$f(y) = g(y) \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\alpha(2j+1)} a_{jl} S^k(y)$$

where

$$a_{jl} = \frac{(-1)^{j+k} \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{2j+1}}{(2j)!} \binom{\alpha(2j+1)}{l} \left(\alpha + \frac{1}{2j+1}\right)$$

III. SINE EXPONENTIATED EXPONENTIAL (SEE) DISTRIBUTION AND ITS PROPERTIES

Let  $Y$  be a random variable follows the exponential distribution with cdf  $G(y) = 1 - e^{-\theta y}$ ;  $y, \theta > 0$  then the cdf of the SEE distribution is defined as

$$F(y) = (1 - e^{-\theta y}) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha\right) ; y \in \mathbb{R}^+, \alpha \geq 0,$$

the corresponding pdf is

$$f(y) = \theta e^{-\theta y} \left( \frac{\alpha\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha\right) \right) ; y \in \mathbb{R}^+, \alpha \geq 0$$

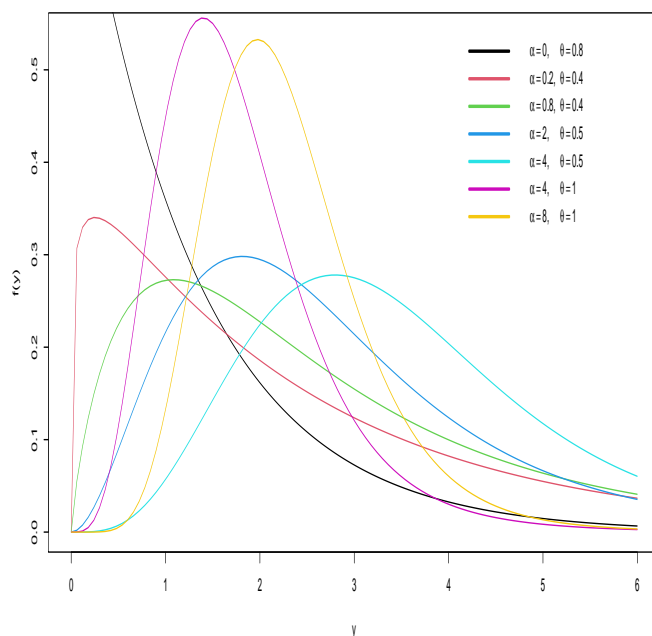


Fig. 1. Plots of the SEE density for different values of  $\alpha$  and  $\theta$ .

The survival and hazard rate functions are, respectively , given by

$$S(y) = 1 - (1 - e^{-\theta y}) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha\right) ;$$

$$y \in \mathbb{R}^+, \alpha \geq 0$$

and

$$\lambda(y) = \frac{\theta e^{-\theta y} \left( \frac{\alpha\pi}{2} (1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha\right) \right)}{1 - (1 - e^{-\theta y}) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})^\alpha\right)} ;$$

$$y \in \mathbb{R}^+, \alpha \geq 0$$

**B. Moment generating function**

The moment generating function of SEE distribution is given by

$$M_Y(t) = \int_0^\infty e^{ty} f(y) dy$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{j=0}^\infty \sum_{r=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^j t^r \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{2j+1}}{(2j)!} \left[ \alpha \sum_{i=0}^\alpha \sum_{k=0}^{2\alpha j} \frac{(-1)^{i+k} \binom{\alpha}{i} \binom{2\alpha j}{k}}{(i+k)^r} \right.$$

$$\left. + \sum_{l=0}^{\alpha(2j+1)} \frac{(-1)^l \binom{\alpha(2j+1)}{l}}{(2j+1)l^r} \right] ; \quad t < \theta$$

**C. Mean residual life and mean waiting time**

Suppose that  $Y$  is a continuous random variable with survival function  $S(y)$  then, the mean residual life function, say  $\mu(t)$  , is defined by

$$\mu(t) = \frac{1}{S(t)} \left( E(t) - \int_0^t y f(y) dy \right) - t$$

The mean residual life of SEE distribution is given by

$$\mu(t) = \frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{j=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^j \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{2j+1}}{(2j)!} \left[ \alpha \sum_{i=0}^\alpha \sum_{k=0}^{2\alpha j} \frac{(-1)^{i+k} \binom{\alpha}{i} \binom{2\alpha j}{k}}{(i+k)} A \right.$$

$$\left. + \sum_{l=0}^{\alpha(2j+1)} \frac{(-1)^l \binom{\alpha(2j+1)}{l}}{(2j+1)l} B \right] - t$$

where

$$A = \left( 1 - e^{-\theta(i+k)t} (\theta t + 1) \right)$$

and

$$B = \left( 1 - e^{-\theta l t} (\theta t + 1) \right)$$

The mean waiting time of  $Y$ , say  $\bar{\mu}(t)$ , is given by

$$\bar{\mu}(t) = t - \frac{1}{F(t)} \int_0^t y f(y) dy$$

$$\bar{\mu}(t) = t - \frac{1}{F(t)} \left\{ \frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{j=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^j \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{2j+1}}{(2j)!} \left[ \alpha \sum_{i=0}^\alpha \sum_{k=0}^{2\alpha j} \frac{(-1)^{i+k} \binom{\alpha}{i} \binom{2\alpha j}{k}}{(i+k)} A \right. \right.$$

$$\left. \left. + \sum_{l=0}^{\alpha(2j+1)} \frac{(-1)^l \binom{\alpha(2j+1)}{l}}{(2j+1)l} B \right] \right\}$$

where

$$A = \left( 1 - e^{-\theta(i+k)t} (\theta t + 1) \right)$$

and

$$B = \left( 1 - e^{-\theta l t} (\theta t + 1) \right)$$

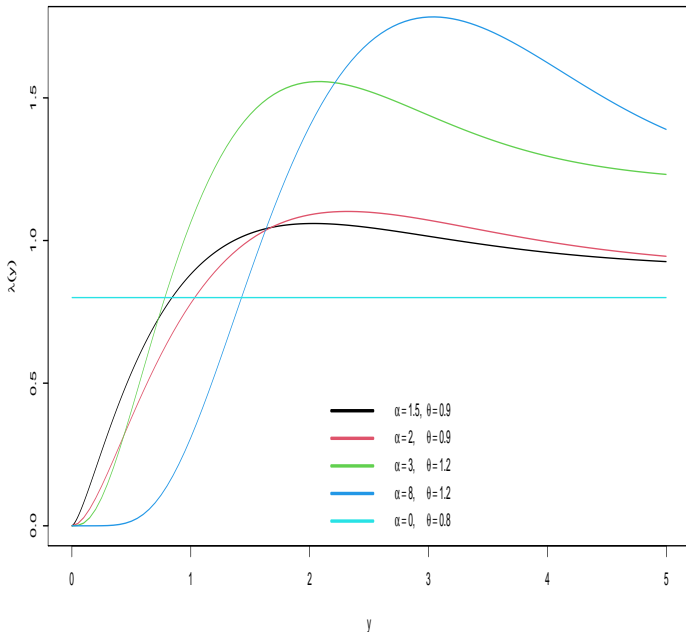


Fig. 2. Plots of the SEE hazard rate function for different values of  $\alpha$  and  $\theta$ .

**A. Moments**

The  $r^{th}$  moment of the SEE distribution is given by

$$E(Y^r) = \int_0^\infty y^r f(y) dy$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{j=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^j r! \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{2j+1}}{(2j)!} \left[ \alpha \sum_{i=0}^\alpha \sum_{k=0}^{2\alpha j} \frac{(-1)^{i+k} \binom{\alpha}{i} \binom{2\alpha j}{k}}{(i+k)^r} \right.$$

$$\left. + \sum_{l=0}^{\alpha(2j+1)} \frac{(-1)^l \binom{\alpha(2j+1)}{l}}{(2j+1)l^r} \right]$$

D. Order statistics

Here, we focus on the order statistics related to the sine exponentiated transformation family of distributions. Let  $Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n$  be a random sample of size  $n$ , and let  $Y_{i:n}$  denote the  $i^{th}$  order statistic, then the pdf of  $Y_{i:n}$ , say  $f_{i:n}(y)$  is given by

$$f_{i:n}(y) = \frac{n!}{(i-1)!(n-i)!} F(y)^{i-1} f(y) (1-F(y))^{n-i} \quad (7)$$

By using (2), (3), (4), (5) and (6) we get the  $i^{th}$  order statistic of SEE distribution as

$$f_{i:n}(y) = \frac{n!}{(i-1)!(n-i)!} \theta e^{-\theta y} \quad (8)$$

$$\times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{2k+1}}{(2k)!} [a_{mp} + b_q] c_{rs} \quad (9)$$

where

$$a_{mp} = \alpha \sum_{m=0}^{\alpha} \sum_{p=0}^{2k\alpha} (-1)^{m+p} \binom{\alpha}{m} \binom{2k\alpha}{p} e^{-\theta(m+p)y}$$

$$b_q = \sum_{q=0}^{\alpha(2k+1)} \frac{(-1)^q \binom{\alpha(2k+1)}{q} e^{-\theta q y}}{(2k+1)}$$

and

$$c_{rs} = \sum_{r=0}^{n-i} \sum_{s=0}^r (-1)^{r+s} \binom{n-i}{r} \binom{r}{s} e^{-\lambda s y} \left( \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1-e^{-\theta y})^\alpha\right) \right)^r$$

E. Stress strength parameter

Suppose  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  be independent strength and stress random variables respectively, where  $Y_1 \sim SEE(\alpha_1, \theta)$  and  $Y_2 \sim SEE(\alpha_2, \theta)$ , then the stress strength parameter  $\mathbb{P}(Y_1 > Y_2)$ , say  $R$ , is defined as

$$R = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_1(y) F_2(y) dy,$$

and is given by

$$R = \theta \left( \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^j \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{2j+1}}{(2j)!} \right)^2 \sum_{m=0}^{\alpha_2} \sum_{n=0}^{\alpha_2(2j+1)} (-1)^{m+n} \binom{\alpha_2}{m} \times \binom{\alpha_2(2j+1)}{n} [C + D]$$

where

$$C = \alpha_1 \sum_{i=0}^{\alpha_1} \sum_{k=0}^{2\alpha_1 j} \frac{(-1)^{i+k} \binom{\alpha_1}{i} \binom{2\alpha_1 j}{k}}{\theta(i+k+m+n+1)}$$

and

$$D = \sum_{l=0}^{\alpha_1(2j+1)} \frac{(-1)^l \binom{\alpha_1(2j+1)}{l}}{\theta(l+m+n+1)}$$

TABLE I  
AVERAGE VALUES OF MLES THEIR CORRESPONDING MSEs AND BIAS (N=50).

| Parameter | MLE      |                | MSE            |                | Bias           |                |         |
|-----------|----------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------|
|           | $\alpha$ | $\hat{\theta}$ | $\hat{\alpha}$ | $\hat{\theta}$ | $\hat{\alpha}$ | $\hat{\theta}$ |         |
| 0.5       | 0.5      | 0.57134        | 0.52205        | 0.08633        | 0.00652        | 0.07134        | 0.02205 |
|           | 1        | 0.55059        | 1.03528        | 0.08402        | 0.02709        | 0.05059        | 0.03528 |
|           | 1.5      | 0.54335        | 1.55186        | 0.07599        | 0.06009        | 0.04335        | 0.05186 |
|           | 2        | 0.57550        | 2.08942        | 0.09867        | 0.09950        | 0.07550        | 0.08942 |
| 1         | 0.5      | 0.55956        | 3.10780        | 0.08314        | 0.23320        | 0.05956        | 0.10780 |
|           | 1        | 1.0631         | 0.51406        | 0.14425        | 0.00513        | 0.10631        | 0.01406 |
|           | 1        | 1.09188        | 1.03370        | 0.14567        | 0.02435        | 0.09188        | 0.03370 |
|           | 1.5      | 1.07865        | 1.54974        | 0.14357        | 0.05318        | 0.07865        | 0.04974 |
| 1.5       | 2        | 1.10072        | 2.07756        | 0.12611        | 0.09244        | 0.10072        | 0.07756 |
|           | 3        | 1.10125        | 3.08374        | 0.17917        | 0.22898        | 0.10124        | 0.08374 |
|           | 0.5      | 1.62299        | 0.51058        | 0.29192        | 0.00464        | 0.12299        | 0.01058 |
|           | 1        | 1.68653        | 1.04376        | 0.29055        | 0.02256        | 0.18653        | 0.04376 |
| 2         | 1.5      | 1.63695        | 1.54223        | 0.25616        | 0.04723        | 0.13694        | 0.04223 |
|           | 2        | 1.63100        | 2.07223        | 0.24397        | 0.08516        | 0.13100        | 0.07223 |
|           | 3        | 1.61684        | 3.08658        | 0.27250        | 0.20119        | 0.11684        | 0.08658 |
|           | 0.5      | 2.19155        | 0.51765        | 0.45862        | 0.00582        | 0.19155        | 0.01765 |
| 3         | 1        | 2.20198        | 1.02842        | 0.44930        | 0.02257        | 0.20198        | 0.02842 |
|           | 1.5      | 2.17571        | 1.54804        | 0.48812        | 0.04791        | 0.17571        | 0.04804 |
|           | 2        | 2.16670        | 2.06759        | 0.43514        | 0.09086        | 0.16670        | 0.06758 |
|           | 3        | 2.14301        | 3.05925        | 0.42633        | 0.17063        | 0.14301        | 0.05925 |
| 0.5       | 0.5      | 3.21627        | 0.51368        | 0.97494        | 0.00511        | 0.21627        | 0.01368 |
|           | 1        | 3.34516        | 1.03478        | 1.05264        | 0.01954        | 0.34516        | 0.03478 |
|           | 1.5      | 3.20841        | 1.53981        | 0.89062        | 0.04742        | 0.20841        | 0.03981 |
|           | 2        | 3.20939        | 2.04707        | 0.85746        | 0.07370        | 0.20939        | 0.04707 |
| 1         | 3        | 3.27796        | 3.08750        | 1.16273        | 0.18555        | 0.27796        | 0.08750 |

TABLE II  
AVERAGE VALUES OF MLES THEIR CORRESPONDING MSEs AND BIAS (N=100).

| Parameter | MLE      |                | MSE            |                | Bias           |                |         |
|-----------|----------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------|
|           | $\alpha$ | $\hat{\theta}$ | $\hat{\alpha}$ | $\hat{\theta}$ | $\hat{\alpha}$ | $\hat{\theta}$ |         |
| 0.5       | 0.5      | 0.51387        | 0.50797        | 0.03745        | 0.00312        | 0.01387        | 0.00797 |
|           | 1        | 0.53577        | 1.02252        | 0.03693        | 0.01068        | 0.03577        | 0.02252 |
|           | 1.5      | 0.51881        | 1.53341        | 0.03299        | 0.02613        | 0.01881        | 0.03341 |
|           | 2        | 0.51376        | 2.03174        | 0.03739        | 0.05001        | 0.01376        | 0.03174 |
| 1         | 3        | 0.52029        | 3.06187        | 0.03304        | 0.10124        | 0.02029        | 0.06187 |
|           | 0.5      | 1.04931        | 0.50710        | 0.06118        | 0.00274        | 0.04931        | 0.00710 |
|           | 1        | 1.03798        | 1.01716        | 0.06440        | 0.01006        | 0.03798        | 0.01716 |
|           | 1.5      | 1.03728        | 1.52403        | 0.05765        | 0.02356        | 0.03728        | 0.02403 |
| 1.5       | 2        | 1.03812        | 2.02885        | 0.06048        | 0.04616        | 0.03812        | 0.02885 |
|           | 3        | 1.04487        | 3.03736        | 0.07504        | 0.09693        | 0.04487        | 0.03736 |
|           | 0.5      | 1.58102        | 0.50790        | 0.11685        | 0.00215        | 0.08102        | 0.00790 |
|           | 1        | 1.57586        | 1.02099        | 0.11108        | 0.00957        | 0.07586        | 0.02099 |
| 2         | 1.5      | 1.56230        | 1.52513        | 0.10804        | 0.02354        | 0.06230        | 0.02513 |
|           | 2        | 1.53990        | 2.02573        | 0.11185        | 0.04467        | 0.03990        | 0.02573 |
|           | 3        | 1.55084        | 3.06152        | 0.09967        | 0.09573        | 0.05084        | 0.06152 |
|           | 0.5      | 2.06847        | 0.50904        | 0.16163        | 0.00244        | 0.06847        | 0.00904 |
| 3         | 1        | 2.09184        | 1.01562        | 0.17683        | 0.00998        | 0.09184        | 0.01562 |
|           | 1.5      | 2.07191        | 1.51987        | 0.17464        | 0.02352        | 0.07191        | 0.01987 |
|           | 2        | 2.07935        | 2.03059        | 0.18402        | 0.03948        | 0.07935        | 0.03059 |
|           | 3        | 2.08810        | 3.04104        | 0.17481        | 0.08929        | 0.08810        | 0.04104 |
| 0.5       | 0.5      | 3.15415        | 0.50689        | 0.40534        | 0.00243        | 0.15415        | 0.00689 |
|           | 1        | 3.11076        | 1.01398        | 0.35868        | 0.00872        | 0.11076        | 0.01398 |
|           | 1.5      | 3.11446        | 1.51956        | 0.38501        | 0.01971        | 0.11446        | 0.01956 |
|           | 2        | 3.13329        | 2.03309        | 0.40414        | 0.03598        | 0.13329        | 0.03309 |
| 1         | 3        | 3.14568        | 3.05367        | 0.41051        | 0.08683        | 0.14568        | 0.05367 |

TABLE III  
MLEs (STANDARD ERRORS IN PARENTHESES), K-S STATISTIC, AND P-VALUES FOR THE DATA SET I.

| Model | Estimates              |                        |                      | Statistics |         |
|-------|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|------------|---------|
|       | $\hat{\alpha}$         | $\hat{\theta}$         | $\hat{\theta}$       | K-S        | p-value |
| WE    | 3.13216<br>(0.13308)   | 0.01807<br>(0.01229)   | 0.80693<br>(0.13308) | 0.06202    | 0.83650 |
| MW    | 0.10124<br>(0.01012)   | 0.00100<br>(0.00703)   | 0.02597<br>(0.01287) | 0.17369    | 0.00479 |
| SEE   | 1.21399<br>(0.26669)   | 0.12592<br>(0.01236)   | -                    | 0.03715    | 0.99910 |
| APE   | 21.16923<br>(14.16432) | 0.18307<br>(0.0.01974) | -                    | 0.05285    | 0.94270 |
| NAPTE | 2.32487<br>(1.75530)   | 0.07530<br>(0.01570)   | -                    | 0.04024    | 0.99690 |
| W     | 0.11171<br>(0.00925)   | 0.90032<br>(0.11114)   | -                    | 0.05745    | 0.89610 |
| G     | 2.00884<br>(0.26389)   | 0.20338<br>(0.03032)   | -                    | 0.04252    | 0.99360 |
| E     | 0.10124<br>(0.01012)   | -                      | -                    | 0.17301    | 0.00502 |
| SE    | 0.05722<br>(0.00534)   | -                      | -                    | 0.15587    | 0.01552 |

TABLE IV  
 $-2l(\hat{\theta})$ , AIC, AICC, BIC FOR THE DATA SET I.

| Model | $-2l(\hat{\theta})$ | AIC      | AICC     | BIC      |
|-------|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| WE    | 641.6886            | 647.6886 | 647.9386 | 655.5410 |
| MW    | 658.2426            | 664.2426 | 664.4926 | 672.0581 |
| SEE   | 634.2848            | 638.2848 | 638.4085 | 643.4952 |
| APE   | 638.0736            | 642.0736 | 642.1973 | 647.2840 |
| NAPTE | 634.8204            | 638.8204 | 638.9441 | 644.0307 |
| W     | 637.4892            | 641.4893 | 641.6130 | 446.6996 |
| G     | 634.6002            | 638.6002 | 638.7240 | 643.8106 |
| E     | 658.0418            | 660.0418 | 660.0826 | 662.6469 |
| SE    | 653.0729            | 655.0729 | 655.1137 | 657.6780 |

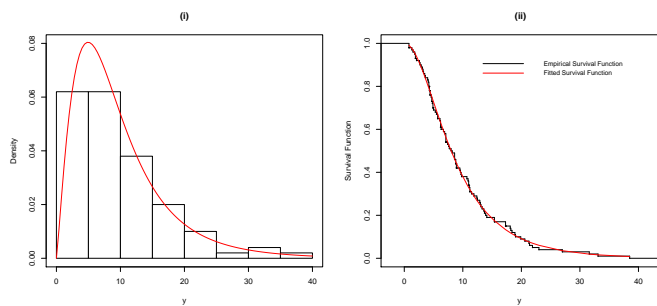


Fig. 3. (i) The relative histogram and the fitted SEE distribution. (ii) The fitted SEE survival function and empirical survival function for data set I.

IV. STATISTICAL INFERENCE

A. Maximum likelihood estimators

Let  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$  be a random sample from  $SEE(\alpha, \theta)$  distribution with parameter vector  $\Theta=(\alpha, \theta)$  then the logarithm

TABLE V  
MLEs (STANDARD ERRORS IN PARENTHESES), K-S STATISTIC, AND P-VALUES FOR THE DATA SET II.

| Model | Estimates            |                      |                      | Statistics |         |
|-------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------|---------|
|       | $\hat{\alpha}$       | $\hat{\theta}$       | $\hat{\lambda}$      | K-S        | p-value |
| WE    | 3.95810<br>(1.21408) | 0.01796<br>(0.00466) | 0.85819<br>(0.05928) | 0.07458    | 0.47470 |
| MW    | 0.10518<br>(0.05587) | 0.00100<br>(0.03494) | 1.16895<br>(0.98153) | 0.08387    | 0.32890 |
| SEE   | 0.43482<br>(0.15363) | 0.11365<br>(0.01031) | -                    | 0.06377    | 0.67520 |
| APE   | 1.17446<br>(0.15363) | 0.11134<br>(0.01031) | -                    | 0.07932    | 0.39630 |
| NAPTE | 3.39395<br>(0.51098) | 0.12091<br>(0.01359) | -                    | 0.07250    | 0.51140 |
| W     | 0.09438<br>(0.01912) | 1.04576<br>(0.06742) | -                    | 0.07000    | 0.55720 |
| G     | 1.17255<br>(0.00043) | 0.12520              | -                    | 0.07329    | 0.49750 |
| E     | 0.10676<br>(0.00943) | -                    | -                    | 0.08463    | 0.31830 |
| SE    | 0.05974<br>(0.00498) | -                    | -                    | 0.07126    | 0.53390 |

TABLE VI  
 $-2l(\hat{\theta})$ , AIC, AICC, BIC FOR THE DATA SET II.

| Model | $-2l(\hat{\theta})$ | AIC      | AICC     | BIC      |
|-------|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| WE    | 838.7996            | 845.7996 | 845.9931 | 854.3557 |
| MW    | 828.6628            | 834.6628 | 834.8564 | 843.2189 |
| SEE   | 824.0739            | 828.0739 | 828.1699 | 833.7780 |
| APE   | 828.6364            | 832.6364 | 832.7324 | 838.3404 |
| NAPTE | 826.1586            | 830.1586 | 830.2546 | 835.8627 |
| W     | 828.1748            | 832.1747 | 832.2707 | 837.8788 |
| G     | 826.7356            | 826.7356 | 830.8316 | 836.4396 |
| E     | 828.6838            | 830.6838 | 830.7155 | 833.5358 |
| SE    | 828.6652            | 830.6652 | 830.6969 | 833.5172 |

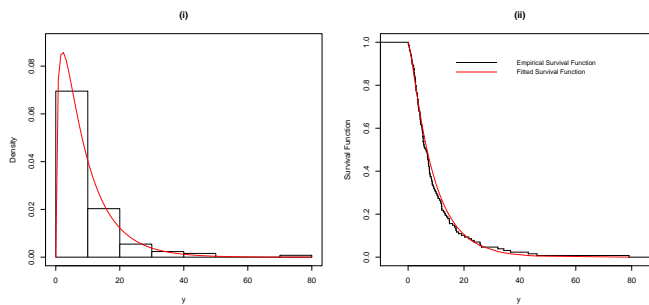


Fig. 4. (i) The relative histogram and the fitted SEE distribution. (ii) The fitted SEE survival function and empirical survival function for data set II.

of the likelihood function can be expressed as

$$l(\Theta) = -n \log \theta - \theta \sum_{i=1}^n y_i - \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \frac{\alpha \pi}{2} (1 - e^{-\theta y_i})^\alpha \times \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} (1 - e^{-\theta y_i})^\alpha\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} (1 - e^{-\theta y_i})^\alpha\right) \right)$$

TABLE VII  
MLEs (STANDARD ERRORS IN PARENTHESES), K-S STATISTIC, AND P-VALUES FOR THE DATA SET III.

| Model | Estimates              |                      |                      | Statistics |           |
|-------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------|-----------|
|       | $\hat{\alpha}$         | $\hat{\theta}$       | $\hat{\lambda}$      | K-S        | p-value   |
| WE    | 0.00881<br>(0.00405)   | 0.94623<br>(0.97387) | 1.48174<br>(1.57994) | 0.13208    | 0.22180   |
| MW    | 0.32687<br>(0.04119)   | 0.01191<br>(0.29582) | 0.00100<br>0.08371   | 0.09427    | 0.63000   |
| SEE   | 65.75017<br>(25.39974) | 1.37387<br>(0.13296) | -                    | 0.08654    | 0.73290   |
| APE   | 6.68161<br>(1.67772)   | 1.04561<br>(4.81109) | -                    | 0.18082    | 0.03250   |
| NAPTE | 5.56317<br>(1.18632)   | 1.04092<br>(4.70195) | -                    | 0.16544    | 0.06358   |
| W     | 4.85846<br>(0.24854)   | 0.00337<br>(0.00105) | -                    | 0.11335    | 0.39320   |
| G     | 25.59175<br>(0.26389)  | 8.36522<br>(0.03032) | -                    | 0.08980    | 0.70120   |
| E     | 0.32687<br>(0.04118)   | -                    | -                    | 0.48600    | 2.378e-13 |
| SE    | 0.00881<br>(0.02182)   | -                    | -                    | 0.48152    | 4.103e-13 |

TABLE VIII  
 $-2l(\hat{\theta})$ , AIC, AICC, BIC FOR THE DATA SET III.

| Model | $-2l(\hat{\theta})$ | AIC      | AICC     | BIC      |
|-------|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| WE    | 138.4807            | 144.4807 | 144.8875 | 150.9102 |
| MW    | 115.6353            | 119.6353 | 119.8353 | 123.9216 |
| SEE   | 113.0204            | 117.0204 | 117.4272 | 121.3067 |
| APE   | 147.2311            | 151.2311 | 151.4311 | 155.5173 |
| NAPTE | 144.4528            | 148.4528 | 148.6528 | 152.7391 |
| W     | 124.9071            | 128.9071 | 129.1071 | 133.1934 |
| G     | 113.7575            | 117.7575 | 118.1643 | 118.1643 |
| E     | 266.8915            | 268.8915 | 268.9571 | 271.0347 |
| SE    | 259.0475            | 261.0475 | 261.4543 | 263.1907 |

The maximum likelihood estimators of  $\Theta$  can be obtained by solving the non linear normal equations  $\frac{\partial l}{\partial \Theta}(\Theta) = 0$ . These equations cannot be solved analytically, so in order to get MLEs of parameters we use R software.

B. Simulation study

In this subsection, a Monte Carlo simulation study has been carried out by using R software to attest the consistency of the MLEs. This study is replicated 500 times each with sample sizes (n=50, n=100) with different values of parameters  $\alpha = (0.5, 1, 1.5, 3)$ ,  $\theta = (0.5, 1, 1.5, 2, 3)$  were generated from SEE. In each case, the average values of MLEs and the corresponding empirical mean squared errors (MSEs) and bias were attained. The simulation results are presented in table I and table II. In particular, with respect to the theory, we observe that the MSEs and biases decrease with increasing sample size.

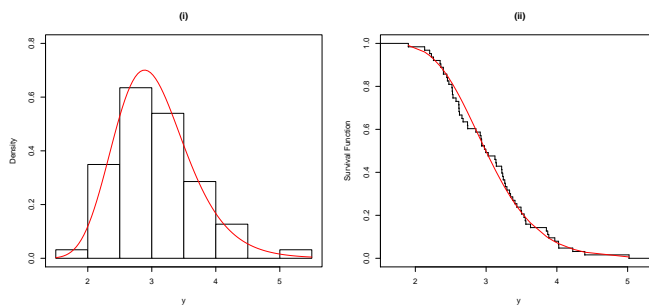


Fig. 5. (i) The relative histogram and the fitted SEE distribution. (ii) The fitted SEE survival function and empirical survival function for data set III.

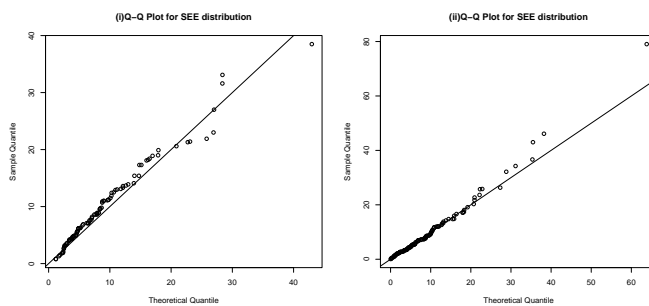


Fig. 6. Q-Q plot for the SEE distribution for data set I and data set II, respectively.

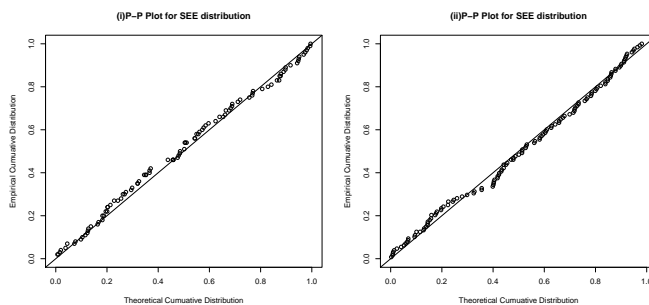


Fig. 7. P-P plot for the SEE distribution for data set I and data set II, respectively.

V. APPLICATION

To test the applicability of the SEE distribution, three real data sets were analyzed. The data set I corresponds to the waiting time (in minutes) of 100 bank customers. The data were taken from Ghitany et al. (2008) and also reported by Bhat et al. (2018).

The data set II corresponds to the remission time in months of 128 bladder cancer patients. The data were taken from Aldeni et al. (2017) and was recently reported by Ijaz et al. (2021). The data set III which is related to engineering field consists of 63 observations of the gauge length of 10mm taken from Kundu and Raqab (2009).

For comparison purpose, we have fitted the proposed SEE with several other models, namely Weibull exponential (WE) Oguntunde et al. (2015), modified Weibull (MW) Sarhan

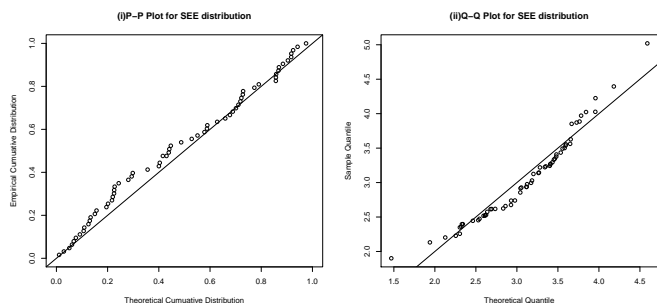


Fig. 8. P-P and Q-Q plots for the SEE distribution for data set III.

and Zaindin (2009), alpha power exponential (APE) Mahdavi and Kundu (2017), noval alpha power transformed exponential (NAPTE) Ijaz et al. (2021), Weibull (W), gamma (G), exponential (E) and sine exponential (SE) Kumar et al. (2015) distributions, their corresponding density functions for  $y > 0$  are as follows

$$\text{WE } f(y) = \alpha\beta\theta(1 - e^{-\theta y})^{\beta-1}e^{\theta\beta y - \alpha(e^{\theta y} - 1)^\beta}$$

$$\text{MW } f(y) = (\alpha + \theta\beta y^{\beta-1})e^{-\alpha y - \theta y^\beta}$$

$$\text{APE } f(y) = \frac{\log\alpha}{\alpha - 1}\theta e^{-\theta y}\alpha^{1 - e^{-\theta y}}$$

$$\text{NAPTE } f(y) = \theta \log(\alpha) \frac{\alpha^{\log(1 - e^{-\theta y})}}{e^{\theta y} - 1}$$

$$\text{SE } f(y) = \frac{\pi}{2}\theta e^{-\theta y} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(1 - e^{-\theta y})\right)$$

From Table III, Table IV, Table V, Table VI, Table VII and Table VIII it is apparent that SEE distribution has lowest  $-2l(\hat{\theta})$ , AIC, AICC, BIC, K-S statistic and highest p-value among all the other competitive models. Hence the introduced model offers the better fit than the other models for the given data sets.

The relative histogram and the fitted SEE distribution of the data set I, II and III are displayed in Figures 3(i), 4(i) and 5(i) respectively. The plots of the fitted SEE survival function and empirical survival function of the data set I, II and III are displayed in Figures 3(ii), 4(ii) and 5(ii) respectively. The Q-Q plots for data set I and II are displayed in Figure 6(i) and 6(ii) respectively. Also, the P-P plots for data set I and II are displayed in Figure 7(i) and 7(ii) respectively, for data set III the P-P and Q-Q plots are displayed in figure 8 that permits us to make a comparison between the empirical distribution of the data with the SEE distribution. These graphical goodness of fit measures undoubtedly support the results given in Tables III, Table IV, Table V, Table VI, Table VII and Table VIII

## VI. CONCLUSION

A noval family of distributions called SET has been introduced. SET family has been specialized on the exponential distribution and a new two-parameter SEE distribution has been

obtained. Various mathematical properties of SEE distribution were highlighted. It has been noticed that the two-parameter SEE distribution has more flexibility in terms of the hazard rate and density functions. The potentiality of the proposed model is compared with other existing models by using goodness of fit measures. The model has been fitted to three different real data sets, the figures display that the proposed model provides reasonable fit for all the three data sets in comparison to all other competitive models.

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