

Classes of Ordinary Differential Equations Obtained for the Probability Functions of Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy Distribution

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Abstract— Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution was obtained by compounding two Kumaraswamy random variables. In this paper, homogenous ordinary differential equations (ODEs) of different orders were obtained for the probability density function, quantile function, survival function and hazard function of Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution. This is possible since the aforementioned probability functions are differentiable. Differentiation and modified product rule were used to obtain the required ordinary differential equations, whose solutions are the respective probability functions. The different conditions necessary for the existence of the ODEs were obtained and it is almost in consistent with the support that defined the various probability functions considered. The parameters that defined each distribution greatly affect the nature of the ODEs obtained. This method provides new ways of classifying and approximating other probability distributions apart from Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution considered in this research.

Index Terms— Differentiation, product rule, quantile function, survival function, approximation, hazard function.

I. INTRODUCTION

CALCULUS is a very key tool in the determination of mode of a given probability distribution and in estimation of parameters of probability distributions, amongst other uses. The method of maximum likelihood is an example.

Differential equations often arise from the understanding and modeling of real life problems or some observed physical phenomena. Approximations of probability functions are one of the major areas of application of calculus and ordinary differential equations in mathematical statistics. The approximations are helpful in the recovery of the probability functions of complex distributions [1-4].

Apart from mode estimation, parameter estimation and approximation, probability density function (PDF) of probability distributions can be expressed as ODE whose

solution is the PDF. Some of which are available. They include: beta distribution [5], Lomax distribution [6], beta prime distribution [7], Laplace distribution [8] and raised cosine distribution [9].

The aim of this research is to develop homogenous ordinary differential equations for the probability density function (PDF), Quantile function (QF), survival function (SF) and hazard function (HF) of Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution. The ODE for the invese survival function and reversed hazard function (RHF) of the distribution are complex and not included in the paper. This will also help to provide the answers as to whether there are discrepancies between the support of the distribution and the necessary conditions for the existence of the ODEs. Similar results for other distributions have been proposed, see [10-22] for details.

Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution was obtained by compounding two Kumaraswamy random variables. It is one of the interval bounded support probability distributions. The distribution was proposed by El-Sherpieny and Ahmed [23] and generalized by Mahmoud et al. [24]. Also, Ahmed et al. [25] proposed the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy Weibull distribution as an improved model over the parent distributions. The boundary properties and notes of the distribution were discussed extensively in Okagbue et al. [26] and Hamedani [27].

The ordinary differential calculus was used to obtain the results.

II. PROBABILITY DENSITY FUNCTION

The probability density function of the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy is given as;

$$f(x) = ab\alpha\beta x^{\alpha-1} (1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1} \left[1 - (1-x^\alpha)^\beta\right]^{a-1} \left\{1 - \left[1 - (1-x^\alpha)^\beta\right]^a\right\}^{b-1} \quad (1)$$

To obtain the first order ordinary differential equation, differentiate equation (1).

The probability density function is broken into distinct components to ease the differentiation.

$$f(x) = ab\alpha\beta ABCD \quad (2)$$

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Table 1: Derivative of components of the probability density function

	Function	Derivative
A	$x^{\alpha-1}$	$(\alpha-1)x^{\alpha-2}$
B	$(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1}$	$(\beta-1)(-\alpha x^{\alpha-1})(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-2}$
C	$[1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta]^{a-1}$	$\alpha\beta(a-1)x^{\alpha-1}(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1}$ $[1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta]^{a-2}$
D	$\left\{1-[1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta]^a\right\}$	$\left\{\frac{b-1}{(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^{a-1}}\right\}$ $\alpha\beta x^{\alpha-1}(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1}$ $(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^{b-2}$

$$f'(x) = \left(\frac{A'}{A} + \frac{B'}{B} + \frac{C'}{C} + \frac{D'}{D} \right) f(x) \quad (3)$$

$$f'(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{(\alpha-1)x^{\alpha-2}}{x^{\alpha-1}} \\ \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha x^{\alpha-1})(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-2}}{(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1}} \\ \alpha\beta(a-1)x^{\alpha-1}(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1} \\ \frac{(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^{a-2}}{[1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta]^{a-1}} \\ a(b-1)\alpha\beta x^{\alpha-1}(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1} \\ \frac{(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^{a-1}}{\{1-(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^a\}^{b-2}} \\ \frac{\{1-(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^a\}^{b-2}}{\{1-(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^a\}^{b-1}} \end{array} \right\} f(x) \quad (4)$$

The necessary condition for the existence of equation (4) is that $x^\alpha < 1$.

Simplifying;

$$f'(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\alpha-1}{x} - \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha x^{\alpha-1})}{1-x^\alpha} \\ + \frac{\alpha\beta(a-1)x^{\alpha-1}(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1}}{[1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta]} \\ a(b-1)\alpha\beta x^{\alpha-1}(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1} \\ \frac{(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^{a-1}}{\{1-(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)^a\}} \end{array} \right\} f(x) \quad (5)$$

The condition necessary for the existence of the equation is $a, b, \alpha, \beta > 0, 0 < x < 1$.

The ordinary differential equations can be obtained for particular values of a, b, α and β .

Special cases

1. When $a = 1$, equation (5) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\alpha-1}{x} - \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha x^{\alpha-1})}{1-x^\alpha} \\ \frac{(b-1)\alpha\beta x^{\alpha-1}(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1}}{\{1-(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)\}} \end{array} \right\} f(x) \quad (6)$$

2. When $b = 1$, equation (5) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\alpha-1}{x} - \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha x^{\alpha-1})}{1-x^\alpha} \\ + \frac{\alpha\beta(a-1)x^{\alpha-1}(1-x^\alpha)^{\beta-1}}{(1-(1-x^\alpha)^\beta)} \end{array} \right\} f(x) \quad (7)$$

3. When $\alpha = 1$, equation (5) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} -\frac{(\beta-1)}{1-x} + \frac{\beta(a-1)(1-x)^{\beta-1}}{[1-(1-x)^\beta]} \\ \frac{a(b-1)\beta(1-x)^{\beta-1}(1-(1-x)^\beta)^{a-1}}{\{1-(1-(1-x)^\beta)^a\}} \end{array} \right\} f(x) \quad (8)$$

4. When $\beta = 1$, equation (5) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\alpha-1}{x} + \frac{\alpha(a-1)x^{\alpha-1}}{x^\alpha} \\ \frac{a(b-1)\alpha x^{\alpha-1}(x^\alpha)^{a-1}}{(1-x^\alpha)^a} \end{array} \right\} f(x) \quad (9)$$

5. When $a = 1, b = 1$, equation (6) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{x} - \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha x^{\alpha-1})}{1-x^\alpha} \right) f(x) \quad (10)$$

6. When $a = 1, \alpha = 1$; equation (6) becomes;

$$f'(x) = -\left(\frac{\beta-1}{1-x} + \frac{(b-1)\beta}{1-x} \right) f(x) \quad (11)$$

Simplifying;

$$(1-x)f'(x) + (\beta b - 1)f(x) = 0 \quad (12)$$

7. When $a = 1, \beta = 1$; equation (6) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left\{ \frac{\alpha-1}{x} - \frac{(b-1)\alpha x^{\alpha-1}}{1-x^\alpha} \right\} f(x) \quad (13)$$

8. When $b = 1, \alpha = 1$, equation (7) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left(-\frac{(\beta-1)}{1-x} + \frac{\beta(a-1)(1-x)^{\beta-1}}{(1-(1-x)^\beta)} \right) f(x) \quad (14)$$

9. When $b = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (7) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{x} + \frac{\alpha(a-1)}{x} \right) f(x) \quad (15)$$

Simplifying;

$$xf'(x) - (\alpha a - 1)f(x) = 0 \quad (16)$$

10. When $\alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (8) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left(\frac{a-1}{x} - \frac{a(b-1)x^a}{x(1-x)^a} \right) f(x) \quad (17)$$

11. When $a = 1, b = 1, \alpha = 1$, equation (10) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left(-\frac{\beta-1}{1-x} \right) f(x) \quad (18)$$

Simplifying;

$$(1-x)f'(x) + (\beta-1)f(x) = 0 \quad (19)$$

12. When $a = 1, b = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (10) becomes;

$$f'(x) = \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{x} \right) f(x) \quad (20)$$

Simplifying

$$xf'(x) - (\alpha-1)f(x) = 0 \quad (21)$$

13. When $b = 1, \alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (14) is the same with equation 205;

$$f'(x) = \left(\frac{a-1}{x} \right) f(x) \quad (22)$$

Simplifying

$$xf'(x) - (a-1)f(x) = 0 \quad (23)$$

III. QUANTILE FUNCTION

The Quantile function of the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy is given as;

$$Q(p) = \left\{ 1 - \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \right\}^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} \quad (24)$$

In order to obtain the first order ordinary differential equation for the Quantile function of the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution, differentiate equation (24);

$$Q'(p) = \frac{1}{ab\alpha\beta} (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}-1} \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}-1} \left\{ 1 - \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \right\}^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1} \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}-1} \quad (25)$$

Equation can be simplified using equation (24) to obtain;

$$(1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}$$

$$Q'(p) = \frac{\left\{ 1 - \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \right\}^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}}{ab\alpha\beta(1-p) \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right] \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}}$$

$$\left\{ 1 - \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \right\} \quad (26)$$

The necessary condition for the existence of equation is that: $a, b, \alpha, \beta > 0, 0 < p < 1$.

The following equations obtained from equation (24) are needed in the simplification of equation (26).

$$Q^\alpha(p) = 1 - \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \quad (27)$$

$$1 - Q^\alpha(p) = \left(1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \quad (28)$$

$$(1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta = 1 - \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \quad (29)$$

$$1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta = \left[1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \right]^{\frac{1}{a}} \quad (30)$$

$$[1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta]^a = 1 - (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \quad (31)$$

$$1 - [1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta]^a = (1-p)^{\frac{1}{b}} \quad (32)$$

$$(1 - [1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta]^a)^b = 1 - p \quad (33)$$

Substitute equations (24) (27)-(33) into equation (26) to obtain;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - [1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta]^a)}{ab\alpha\beta(1 - [1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta]^a)^b} (1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta)(1 - Q^\alpha(p))Q(p)$$

$$[1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta]^a (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta Q^\alpha(p) \quad (34)$$

Simplify equation (34);

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - [1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta]^a)^{1-b} (1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta)^{1-a} (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^{1-\beta} Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{ab\alpha\beta} \quad (35)$$

The ordinary differential equations can be obtained for particular values of a, b, α and β .

Special cases

1. When $a = 1$, equation (35) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta)^{1-b} (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^{1-\beta} Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{b\alpha\beta} \quad (36)$$

2. When $b = 1$, equation (35) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^\beta)^{1-a} (1 - Q^\alpha(p))^{1-\beta} Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{a\alpha\beta} \quad (37)$$

3. When $\alpha = 1$, equation (35) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - [1 - (1 - Q(p))^\beta]^a)^{1-b} (1 - (1 - Q(p))^\beta)^{1-a} (1 - Q(p))^{1-\beta} Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{ab\beta} \quad (38)$$

4. When $\beta = 1$, equation (35) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - (Q^\alpha(p))^\alpha)^{1-b} (Q^\alpha(p))^{1-\alpha} Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{ab\alpha} \quad (39)$$

5. When $a = 1, b = 1$, equation (36) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - Q^\alpha(p))^{1-\beta} Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{\alpha\beta} \quad (40)$$

6. When $a = 1, \alpha = 1$; equation (36) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - Q(p))^\beta)^{1-b} (1 - Q(p))^{1-\beta}}{b\beta} \quad (41)$$

7. When $a = 1, \beta = 1$; equation (36) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - Q^\alpha(p))^{1-b} Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{b\alpha} \quad (42)$$

8. When $b = 1, \alpha = 1$, equation (37) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - (1 - Q(p))^\beta)^{1-a} (1 - Q(p))^{1-\beta}}{a\beta} \quad (43)$$

9. When $b = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (37) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(Q^\alpha(p))^{1-a} Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{a\alpha} \quad (44)$$

10. When $\alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (38) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - Q^\alpha(p))^{1-b} (Q(p))^{1-a}}{ab} \quad (45)$$

11. When $a = 1, b = 1, \alpha = 1$, equation (40) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - Q(p))^{1-\beta}}{\beta} \quad (46)$$

12. When $a = 1, b = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (40) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{Q^{1-\alpha}(p)}{\alpha} \quad (47)$$

13. When $b = 1, \alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (43) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(Q(p))^{1-a}}{a} \quad (48)$$

14. When $a = 1, \alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (41) becomes;

$$Q'(p) = \frac{(1 - Q(p))^{1-b}}{b} \quad (49)$$

IV. SURVIVAL FUNCTION

The Survival function of the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy is given as;

$$S(t) = \left\{ 1 - [1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta]^a \right\}^b \quad (50)$$

In order to obtain the first order ordinary differential equation for the Survival function of the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution, differentiate equation (50);

$$S'(t) = -ab\alpha\beta t^{\alpha-1} (1 - t^\alpha)^{\beta-1} [1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta]^a \left\{ 1 - [1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta]^a \right\}^{b-1} \quad (51)$$

$$S'(t) = -f(t) \Rightarrow S'(t) + f(t) = 0 \quad (52)$$

Equation (51) can also be written as;

$$S'(t) = -\frac{ab\alpha\beta t^\alpha (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta [1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta]^a \left\{ 1 - [1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta]^a \right\}^b}{t(1 - t^\alpha) [1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta]} \quad (53)$$

The condition necessary for the existence of the equation is $a, b, \alpha, \beta > 0, 0 < t < 1$.

The following equations obtained from equation (50) are needed in the simplification of equation (53).

$$S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t) = 1 - [1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta]^a \quad (54)$$

$$1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t) = [1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta]^a \quad (55)$$

$$(1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{\frac{1}{a}} = 1 - (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta \quad (56)$$

$$1 - (1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{\frac{1}{a}} = (1 - t^\alpha)^\beta \quad (57)$$

$$(1 - (1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{\frac{1}{a}})^{\frac{1}{\beta}} = 1 - t^\alpha \quad (58)$$

Substitute equations (50), (54)-(58) into equation (53);

$$S'(t) = - \frac{ab\alpha\beta t^\alpha \left(1 - (1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{\frac{1}{a}}\right) \left(1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t)\right) S(t)}{t \left(1 - (1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{\frac{1}{a}}\right)^\beta \left(1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t)\right)^{\frac{1}{a}} S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t)} \quad (59)$$

Simplify equation (59);

$$S'(t) = - \frac{ab\alpha\beta t^\alpha \left(1 - (1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{\frac{1}{a}}\right)^{1-\frac{1}{\beta}} \left(1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t)\right)^{1-\frac{1}{a}} S^{1-\frac{1}{b}}(t)}{t} \quad (60)$$

The ordinary differential equations can be obtained for particular values of a, b, α and β .

Special cases

1. When $a = 1$, equation (60) becomes;

$$S'(t) = - \frac{b\alpha\beta t^\alpha (S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{1-\frac{1}{\beta}} S^{1-\frac{1}{b}}(t)}{t} \quad (61)$$

2. When $b = 1$, equation (60) becomes;

$$S'(t) = - \frac{a\alpha\beta t^\alpha (1 - (1 - S(t))^{\frac{1}{a}})^{1-\frac{1}{\beta}} (1 - S(t))^{1-\frac{1}{a}}}{t} \quad (62)$$

3. When $\alpha = 1$, equation (60) becomes;

$$S'(t) = -ab\beta \left(1 - (1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{\frac{1}{a}}\right)^{1-\frac{1}{\beta}} \left(1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t)\right)^{1-\frac{1}{a}} S^{1-\frac{1}{b}}(t) \quad (63)$$

4. When $\beta = 1$, equation (60) becomes;

$$S'(t) = - \frac{ab\alpha t^\alpha (1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{1-\frac{1}{a}} S^{1-\frac{1}{b}}(t)}{t} \quad (64)$$

5. When $a = 1, b = 1$, equation (61) becomes;

$$S'(t) = - \frac{\alpha\beta t^\alpha (S(t))^{\frac{1}{\beta}}}{t} \quad (65)$$

6. When $a = 1, \alpha = 1$; equation (61) becomes;

$$S'(t) = -b\beta (S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{1-\frac{1}{\beta}} S^{1-\frac{1}{b}}(t) \quad (66)$$

7. When $a = 1, \beta = 1$; equation (61) becomes;

$$S'(t) = - \frac{b\alpha t^\alpha S^{1-\frac{1}{b}}(t)}{t} \quad (67)$$

8. When $b = 1, \alpha = 1$, equation (62) becomes;

$$S'(t) = -a\beta (1 - (1 - S(t))^{\frac{1}{a}})^{1-\frac{1}{\beta}} (1 - S(t))^{1-\frac{1}{a}} \quad (68)$$

9. When $b = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (62) becomes;

$$S'(t) = - \frac{a\alpha t^\alpha (1 - S(t))^{1-\frac{1}{a}}}{t} \quad (69)$$

10. When $\alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (63) becomes;

$$S'(t) = -ab(1 - S^{\frac{1}{b}}(t))^{1-\frac{1}{a}} S^{1-\frac{1}{b}}(t) \quad (70)$$

11. When $a = 1, b = 1, \alpha = 1$, equation (65) becomes;

$$S'(t) = -\beta (S(t))^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \quad (71)$$

12. When $a = 1, b = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (65) becomes;

$$S'(t) = - \frac{\alpha t^\alpha}{t} \quad (72)$$

13. When $b = 1, \alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (68) becomes;

$$S'(t) = -a(1 - S(t))^{1-\frac{1}{a}} \quad (73)$$

14. When $a = 1, \alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (66) becomes;

$$S'(t) = -bS^{1-\frac{1}{b}}(t) \quad (74)$$

V. HAZARD FUNCTION

The Hazard function of the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy is given as;

$$h(t) = \frac{ab\alpha\beta t^{\alpha-1} (1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1} [1 - (1-t^\alpha)^\beta]^{a-1}}{\left\{1 - [1 - (1-t^\alpha)^\beta]^a\right\}} \quad (75)$$

In order to obtain the first order ordinary differential equation for the Hazard function of the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution, differentiate equation (75); The equation is broken into distinct components to ease the differentiation.

$$h(t) = ab\alpha\beta ABCD \quad (76)$$

Table 2: Derivative of components of the hazard function

	Function	Derivative
A	$t^{\alpha-1}$	$(\alpha-1)t^{\alpha-2}$
B	$(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}$	$(\beta-1)(-\alpha t^{\alpha-1})(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-2}$
C	$[1 - (1-t^\alpha)^\beta]^{a-1}$	$\alpha\beta(a-1)t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}$ $[1 - (1-t^\alpha)^\beta]^{a-2}$
D	$\left\{1 - [1 - (1-t^\alpha)^\beta]^a\right\}^{-1}$	$-a(-1)\alpha\beta t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}$ $(1 - (1-t^\alpha)^\beta)^{a-1}$ $(1 - (1 - (1-t^\alpha)^\beta))^2$

$$h(t) = \left(\frac{A'}{A} + \frac{B'}{B} + \frac{C'}{C} + \frac{D'}{D} \right) h(t) \quad (77)$$

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \frac{((\beta-1)(\alpha t^{\alpha-1})(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-2})}{(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}} + \\ & \frac{\alpha\beta(a-1)t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)^{a-2}}{[1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta]^{a-1}} \\ & + \frac{(\alpha-1)t^{\alpha-2}}{t^{\alpha-1}} \\ & \frac{\alpha\alpha\beta t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)^{a-1}}{\{1-(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)^a\}^{-2}} \\ & - \frac{\{1-(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)^a\}^{-2}}{\{1-(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)^a\}^{-1}} \end{aligned} \right\} h(t) \quad (78)$$

Simplify equation (78);

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \frac{(\alpha-1)}{t} + \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha t^{\alpha-1})}{1-t^\alpha} \\ & + \frac{\alpha\beta(a-1)t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}}{(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)} \\ & - \frac{\alpha\alpha\beta t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)^{a-1}}{(1-(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)^a)} \end{aligned} \right\} h(t) \quad (79)$$

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \frac{(\alpha-1)}{t} + \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha t^{\alpha-1})}{1-t^\alpha} \\ & + \frac{\alpha\beta(a-1)t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}}{(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)} - \frac{h(t)}{b} \end{aligned} \right\} h(t) \quad (80)$$

The condition necessary for the existence of the equation is $a, b, \alpha, \beta > 0, 0 < t < 1$.

The ordinary differential equations can be obtained for particular values of a, b, α and β .

Special cases

1. When $a = 1$, equation (80) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\alpha-1)}{t} + \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha t^{\alpha-1})}{1-t^\alpha} - \frac{h(t)}{b} \right\} h(t) \quad (81)$$

2. When $b = 1$, equation (80) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \frac{(\alpha-1)}{t} + \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha t^{\alpha-1})}{1-t^\alpha} \\ & + \frac{\alpha\beta(a-1)t^{\alpha-1}(1-t^\alpha)^{\beta-1}}{(1-(1-t^\alpha)^\beta)} - h(t) \end{aligned} \right\} h(t) \quad (82)$$

3. When $\alpha = 1$, equation (80) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\beta-1)}{1-t} + \frac{\beta(a-1)(1-t)^{\beta-1}}{(1-(1-t)^\beta)} - \frac{h(t)}{b} \right\} h(t)$$

4. When $\beta = 1$, equation (80) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\alpha a - 1)}{t} - \frac{h(t)}{b} \right\} h(t) \quad (84)$$

5. When $a = 1, b = 1$, equation (81) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\alpha-1)}{t} + \frac{(\beta-1)(\alpha t^{\alpha-1})}{1-t^\alpha} - h(t) \right\} h(t) \quad (85)$$

6. When $a = 1, \alpha = 1$; equation (81) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\beta-1)}{1-t} - \frac{h(t)}{b} \right\} h(t) \quad (86)$$

7. When $a = 1, \beta = 1$; equation (81) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\alpha-1)}{t} - \frac{h(t)}{b} \right\} h(t) \quad (87)$$

8. When $b = 1, \alpha = 1$, equation (82) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\beta-1)}{1-t} + \frac{\beta(a-1)(1-t)^{\beta-1}}{(1-(1-t)^\beta)} - h(t) \right\} h(t) \quad (88)$$

9. When $b = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (82) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\alpha a - 1)}{t} - h(t) \right\} h(t) \quad (89)$$

10. When $\alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (83) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(a-1)}{t} - \frac{h(t)}{b} \right\} h(t) \quad (90)$$

11. When $a = 1, b = 1, \alpha = 1$, equation (85) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\beta-1)}{1-t} - h(t) \right\} h(t) \quad (91)$$

12. When $a = 1, b = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (85) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(\alpha-1)}{t} - h(t) \right\} h(t) \quad (92)$$

13. When $b = 1, \alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (88) becomes;

$$h'(t) = \left\{ \frac{(a-1)}{t} - h(t) \right\} h(t) \quad (93)$$

14. When $a = 1, \alpha = 1, \beta = 1$, equation (86) becomes;

$$h'(t) = - \left\{ \frac{h(t)}{b} \right\} h(t) \quad (94)$$

The individual ODE can be simplified and solved.

VI. CONCLUDING REMARKS

Ordinary differential equations (ODEs) has been obtained for the probability density function (PDF), Quantile function (QF), survival function (SF) and hazard function (HF) of Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution. The case of the inverse survival function (ISF) and reversed hazard function (RHF) were not considered because of its complexity. This differential calculus, modified product rule and efficient algebraic simplifications were used to derive the various classes of the ODEs. The parameter and the supports that

characterize the Kumaraswamy Kumaraswamy distribution determine the nature, existence, orientation and uniqueness of the ODEs. The results are in agreement with those available in scientific literature. Furthermore several methods can be used to obtain desirable solutions to the ODEs. This method of characterizing distributions cannot be applied to distributions whose PDF or CDF are either not differentiable or the domain of the support of the distribution contains singular points.

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