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On the joint distribution of order statistics from independent non-identical bivariate distributions

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Abstract

In this note, the exact joint probability density function (*jpdf*) of bivariate order statistics from independent non-identical bivariate distributions is obtained. Furthermore, this result is applied to derive the joint distribution of a new sample rank obtained from the r th order statistics of the first component and the s th order statistics of the second component.

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Introduction

Multivariate order statistics especially Bivariate order statistics have attracted the interest of several researchers, for example, see [1]. The distribution of bivariate order statistics can be easily obtained from the bivariate binomial distribution, which was first introduced by [2]. Considering a bivariate sample, David et al. [3] studied the distribution of the sample rank for a concomitant of an order statistic. Bairamove and Kemalbay [4] introduced new modifications of bivariate binomial distribution, which can be applied to derive the distribution of bivariate order statistics if a certain number of observations are within the given threshold set. Barakat [5] derived the exact explicit expression for the product moments (of any order) of bivariate order statistics from any arbitrary continuous bivariate distribution function (df). Bairamove and Kemalbay [6] used the derived *jpdf* by [5] to derive the joint distribution on new sample rank of bivariate order statistics. Moreover, Barakat [7] studied the limit behavior of the extreme order statistics arising from n two-dimensional independent and non-identically distributed random vectors. The class of limit dfs of multivariate order statistics from independent and identical random vectors with random sample size was fully characterized by [8].

Consider n two-dimensional independent random vectors $\underline{W}_j = (X_j, Y_j)$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$, with the respective distribution function (df) $F_j(\underline{w}) = F_j(x, y) = P(X_j \leq x, Y_j \leq y)$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$. Let $X_{1:n} \leq X_{2:n} \leq \dots \leq X_{n:n}$ and $Y_{1:n} \leq Y_{2:n} \leq \dots \leq Y_{n:n}$ be the order statistics of the X and Y samples, respectively. The main object of this work is to derive the *jpdf* of the random vector $Z_{k,k':n} = (X_{n-k+1:n}, Y_{n-k'+1:n})$, where $1 \leq k, k' \leq n$. Let $G_j(\underline{w}) = P(\underline{W}_j > \underline{w})$ be the survival function of $F_j(\underline{w})$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ and let $F_{1,j}(\cdot)$, $F_{2,j}(\cdot)$, $G_{1,j}(\cdot) =$

$1 - F_{1,j}(\cdot)$ and $G_{2,j}(\cdot) = 1 - F_{2,j}(\cdot)$ the marginal dfs and the marginal survival functions of $\Phi_{k,k':n} = P(Z_{k,k':n} \leq w)$, $F_j(w)$ and $G_j(w)$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$, respectively. Furthermore, let $F_j^{1*} = \frac{\partial F_j(w)}{\partial x}$ and $F_j^{*1} = \frac{\partial F_j(w)}{\partial y}$. Also, the *joint pdf* of $(X_{n-k+1:n}, Y_{n-k'+1:n})$ is conveniently denoted by $f_{k,k':n}(w)$. Finally, the abbreviations $\min(a, b) = a \wedge b$, and $\max(a, b) = a \vee b$ will be adopted.

The *joint pdf* of non-identical bivariate order statistics

The following theorem gives the exact formula of the *joint pdf* of non-identical bivariate order statistics.

Theorem 1 *The *joint pdf* of non-identical bivariate order statistics is given by*

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_{k,k':n}(w) &= \sum_{\theta, \varphi=0}^1 \sum_{r=r^{**}}^{r^{**}} \sum_{\rho \in \rho_{\theta, \varphi, r}} \Pi_{j=1}^{\theta} F_{i_j}^{*1}(w) \Pi_{j=\theta+1}^1 (f_{2,i_j}(y) - F_{i_j}^{*1}(w)) \Pi_{j=2}^{\varphi+1} F_{i_j}^{1*}(w) \\
 &\quad \times \Pi_{j=\varphi+2}^2 (f_{1,i_j}(x) - F_{i_j}^{1*}(w)) \Pi_{j=3}^{k-\theta-r+1} (F_{1,i_j}(x) - F_{i_j}(w)) \Pi_{j=k-\theta-r+2}^{k-\theta+1} F_{i_j}(w) \\
 &\quad \times \Pi_{j=k-\theta+2}^{k+k'-\theta-\varphi-r} (F_{2,i_j}(y) - F_{i_j}(w)) \Pi_{j=k+k'-\theta-\varphi-r+1}^n G_{i_j}(w) + \sum_{r=0 \vee (k+k'-n-1)}^{(k-1) \wedge (k'-1)} \sum_{\rho_r} f_j(w) \\
 &\quad \Pi_{j=2}^{k-r} (F_{1,i_j}(x) - F_{i_j}(w)) \times \Pi_{j=k-r+1}^k F_{i_j}(w) \Pi_{j=k+1}^{k+k'-r} (F_{2,i_j}(y) - F_{i_j}(w)) \Pi_{j=k+k'-r+1}^n G_{i_j}(w),
 \end{aligned}$$

where $r^{**} = 0 \vee (k + k' - \theta - \varphi - n)$, $r^{**} = (k - \theta - 1) \wedge (k' - \varphi - 1)$, \sum_{ρ} denotes summation subject to the condition ρ , and $\sum_{\rho_{\theta_1, \theta_2, \varphi_1, \varphi_2, \omega, r}}$ denotes the set of permutations of i_1, \dots, i_n such that $i_{j_1} < \dots < i_{j_n}$.

Proof A convenient expression of $f_{k,k':n}(w)$ may be derived by noting that the compound event $E = \{x < X_{k:n} < x + \delta x, y < Y_{k':n} < y + \delta y\}$ may be realized as follows: $r; \varphi_1; s_1; \theta_1; \omega; \theta_2; s_2; \varphi_2$ and t observations must fall respectively in the regions $I_1 = (-\infty, x] \cap (-\infty, y]; I_2 = (x, x + \delta x] \cap (-\infty, y]; I_3 = (x + \delta x, \infty] \cap (-\infty, y]; I_4 = (-\infty, x] \cap (y, y + \delta y]; I_5 = (x, x + \delta x] \cap (y, y + \delta y]; I_6 = (x + \delta x, \infty] \cap (y, y + \delta y]; I_7 = (-\infty, x] \cap (y + \delta y, \infty); I_8 = (x, x + \delta x] \cap (y + \delta y, \infty);$ and $I_9 = (x + \delta x, \infty) \cap (y + \delta y, \infty)$ with the corresponding probability $P_{ij} = P(W_j \in I_i), i = 1, 2, \dots, 9$. Therefore, the joint density function $f_{k,k':n}(w)$ of $(X_{k:n}, Y_{k':n})$ is the limit of $\frac{P(E)}{\delta x \delta y}$ as $\delta x, \delta y \rightarrow 0$, where $P(E)$ can be derived by noting that $\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \omega = \varphi_1 + \varphi_2 + \omega = 1; r + \theta_1 + s_2 = k - 1; r + \varphi_1 + s_1 = k' - 1; r, \theta_1, s_2, \varphi_1, \omega, \theta_2, s_1, \varphi_2, t \geq 0; P_{1j} = F_j(w), P_{2j} = F_j^{1*}(w) \delta x, P_{3j} = F_{2,j}(y) - F_j(x + \delta x, y), P_{4j} = F_j^{*1}(w) \delta y, P_{5j} \cong F_j^{1*1}(w) \delta x \delta y = f_j(w) \delta x \delta y, P_{6j} \cong (f_{2,j}(y) - F_j^{*1}(w + \delta w)) \delta y$, where $f_{2,j}(y) = \frac{\partial F_{2,j}(y)}{\partial y}, j = 1, 2, \dots, n, \partial w = (\delta x, \delta y), w + \delta w = (x + \delta x, y + \delta y), P_{7j} = F_{1,j}(x) - F_j(x, y + \delta y), P_{8j} = (f_{1,j}(x) - F_j^{1*}(w + \delta w)) \delta x, P_{9j} = 1 - F_{1,j}(x + \delta x) - F_{2,j}(y + \delta y) + F_j(w)$. Thus, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_{k,k':n}(w) &= \sum_{\theta_1, \varphi_1, \theta_2, \varphi_2=0}^1 \sum_{r=r^*}^{r^*} \sum_{\rho \in \rho_{\theta_1, \theta_2, \varphi_1, \varphi_2, \omega, r}} \Pi_{j=1}^{\theta_1} P_{4i_j} \Pi_{\theta_1+1}^{\theta_1+1} P_{2i_j} \Pi_{\theta_1+\varphi_1+1}^{\theta_1+\varphi_1+\theta_2} P_{6i_j} \Pi_{\theta_1+\varphi_1+\theta_2+1}^{\theta_1+\varphi_1+\theta_2+\varphi_2} P_{8i_j} \\
 &\quad \Pi_{j=\theta_1+\varphi_1+\theta_2+\varphi_2+\omega}^{\theta_1+\varphi_1+\theta_2+\varphi_2+\omega} P_{5i_j} \Pi_{j=\theta_1+\varphi_1+\theta_2+\varphi_2+\omega+1}^{\theta_2+\varphi_1+\theta_2+\omega+k-r-1} P_{7i_j} \Pi_{j=\theta_2+\varphi_1+\varphi_2+\omega+k-1}^{\varphi_1+\theta_2+\varphi_2+\omega+k-1} P_{1i_j} \Pi_{j=\varphi_1+\theta_2+\varphi_2+\omega+k}^{\theta_2+\varphi_2+\omega+k+k'-r-2} P_{3i_j} \\
 &\quad \Pi_{j=\theta_2+\varphi_2+\omega+k+k'-r-1}^n P_{9i_j},
 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

where $r_* = 0 \vee (k + k' + \theta_2 + \varphi_2 + \omega - r - 1 - n)$, $r^* = (k - \theta_1 - 1) \wedge (k' - \varphi_1 - 1)$, \sum_ρ denotes summation subject to the condition ρ , and $\sum_{\rho_{\theta_1, \theta_2, \varphi_1, \varphi_2, \omega, r}}$ denotes the set of permutations of i_1, \dots, i_n such that $i_{j_1} < \dots < i_{j_n}$ for each product of the type $\prod_{j=j_1}^{j_2}$. Moreover, if $j_1 > j_2$, then $\prod_{j=j_1}^{j_2} = 1$. But (1) can be written in the following simpler form

$$P(E) = \sum_{\theta, \varphi=0}^1 \sum_{r=r_{**}}^{r_{**}} \sum_{\rho_{\theta, \varphi, r}} \prod_{j=1}^\theta P_{4i_j} \prod_{j=\theta+1}^1 P_{6i_j} \prod_{j=2}^{\varphi+1} P_{2i_j} \prod_{j=\varphi+2}^2 P_{8i_j} \prod_{j=3}^{k-\theta-r+1} P_{7i_j} \prod_{j=k-\theta-r+2}^{k-\theta+1} P_{1i_j} \prod_{j=k-\theta+2}^{k+k'-\theta-\varphi-r} P_{3i_j} \prod_{j=k+k'-\theta-\varphi-r+1}^n P_{9i_j} + \sum_{r=0 \vee (k+k'-n-1)}^{(k-1) \wedge (k'-1)} \sum_{\rho_r} P_{5i_3} \prod_{j=2}^{k-r} P_{7i_j} \prod_{j=k-r+1}^k P_{1i_j} \prod_{j=k+1}^{k+k'-r} P_{3i_j} \prod_{j=k+k'-r}^n P_{9i_j},$$

where $r_{**} = 0 \vee (k + k' - \theta - \varphi - n)$, $r_{**} = (k - \theta - 1) \wedge (k' - \varphi - 1)$. Therefore,

$$f_{k, k': n}(w) = \sum_{\theta, \varphi=0}^1 \sum_{r=r_{**}}^{r_{**}} \sum_{\rho_{\theta, \varphi, r}} \prod_{j=1}^\theta P_{4i_j} \prod_{j=\theta+1}^1 P_{6i_j} \prod_{j=2}^{\varphi+1} P_{2i_j} \prod_{j=\varphi+2}^2 P_{8i_j} \prod_{j=3}^{k-\theta-r+1} P_{7i_j} \prod_{j=k-\theta-r+2}^{k-\theta+1} P_{1i_j} \prod_{j=k-\theta+2}^{k+k'-\theta-\varphi-r} P_{3i_j} \prod_{j=k+k'-\theta-\varphi-r+1}^n P_{9i_j} + \sum_{r=0 \vee (k+k'-n-1)}^{(k-1) \wedge (k'-1)} \sum_{\rho_r} P_{5i_3} \prod_{j=2}^{k-r} P_{7i_j} \prod_{j=k-r+1}^k P_{1i_j} \prod_{j=k+1}^{k+k'-r} P_{3i_j} \prod_{j=k+k'-r}^n P_{9i_j}. \tag{2}$$

Thus, we get

$$f_{k, k': n}(w) = \sum_{\theta, \varphi=0}^1 \sum_{r=r_{**}}^{r_{**}} \sum_{\rho_{\theta, \varphi, r}} \prod_{j=1}^\theta F_{i_j}^1(w) \prod_{j=\theta+1}^1 (f_{2, i_j}(y) - F_{i_j}^1(w)) \prod_{j=2}^{\varphi+1} F_{i_j}^1(w) \prod_{j=\varphi+2}^2 (f_{1, i_j}(x) - F_{i_j}^1(w)) \prod_{j=3}^{k-\theta-r+1} (F_{2, i_j}(x) - F_{i_j}(w)) \prod_{j=k-\theta-r+2}^{k-\theta+1} F_{i_j}(w) \prod_{j=k-\theta+2}^{k+k'-\theta-\varphi-r} (F_{2, i_j}(y) - F_{i_j}(w)) \prod_{j=k+k'-\theta-\varphi-r+1}^n G_{i_j}(w) + \sum_{r=0 \vee (k+k'-n-1)}^{(k-1) \wedge (k'-1)} \sum_{\rho_r} f_{i_3}(w) \prod_{j=2}^{k-r} (F_{1, i_j}(x) - F_{i_j}(w)) \prod_{j=k-r+1}^k F_{i_j}(w) \prod_{j=k+1}^{k+k'-r} (F_{2, i_j}(y) - F_{i_j}(w)) \prod_{j=k+k'-r+1}^n G_{i_j}(w). \tag{3}$$

□

Hence, the proof.

Relation (3) may be written in term of permanents (c.f [9]) as follows:

$$f_{k, k': n}(w) = \sum_{\theta, \varphi=0}^1 \sum_{r=r_{**}}^{r_{**}} \frac{1}{(k - \theta - r - 1)! r! (k' - \varphi - r - 1)! (n - k - k' + \varphi + \theta + r - 1)!} \text{Per} \begin{bmatrix} \underline{U}_{1,1}^1 & (\underline{U}_{1,1}^1 - \underline{U}_{1,1}^1) & \underline{U}_{1,1}^1 & (\underline{U}_{1,1}^1 - \underline{U}_{1,1}^1) & (\underline{U}_{1,1}^1 - \underline{U}_{1,1}^1) & \underline{U}_{1,1} & (\underline{U}_{1,1} - \underline{U}_{1,1}) \\ \theta & 1 - \theta & \varphi & 1 - \varphi & k - \theta - r - 1 & r & k' - \varphi - r - 1 \\ (1 - \underline{U}_{1,1} - \underline{U}_{1,1} + \underline{U}_{1,1}) & & & & & & \\ n - k - k' + \theta + \varphi + r - 1 & & & & & & \end{bmatrix} + \sum_{r=r_*}^{r^*} \frac{1}{(k - r)! r! (k' - r)! (n - k - k' + r)!} \text{Per} \begin{bmatrix} \underline{U}_{1,1}^1 & (\underline{U}_{1,1}^1 - \underline{U}_{1,1}^1) & \underline{U}_{1,1} & (\underline{U}_{1,1} - \underline{U}_{1,1}) & (1 - \underline{U}_{1,1} - \underline{U}_{1,1} + \underline{U}_{1,1}) \\ 1 & k - r & r & k' - r & n - k - k' + r - 1 \end{bmatrix}, \tag{4}$$

where $\underline{U}_{1,1} = (F_{11}(x_1) \ F_{12}(x_1) \ \dots \ F_{1n}(x_1))'$, $\underline{U}_{,1} = (F_{2,1}(x_2) \ F_{2,2}(x_2) \ \dots \ F_{2,n}(x_2))'$, $\underline{U}_{1,1} = (F_1(x) \ F_2(x) \ \dots \ F_n(x))'$ and $\underline{1}$ is the $n \times 1$ column vector of ones. Moreover, if $\underline{a}_1, \underline{a}_2, \dots$ are column vectors, then

$$\text{Per} \begin{bmatrix} \underline{a}_1 & \underline{a}_2 & \dots \\ i_1 & i_2 & \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

will denote the matrix obtained by taking i_1 copies of \underline{a}_1 , i_2 copies of \underline{a}_2 , and so on.

Finally, when $k = k' = 1$, in (3), we get

$$f_{1,1:n}(\underline{w}) = \sum_{\rho\theta,\varphi,r} (f_{2,i_1}(y) - F_{i_1}^{1'}(\underline{w}))(f_{1,i_2}(x) - F_{i_2}^{1'}(\underline{w}))\prod_{j=3}^n G_{ij}(\underline{w}) + \sum_{\rho_r} f_{i_3}(\underline{w}) (F_{2,i_2}(y) - F_{i_2}(\underline{w}))\prod_{j=3}^n G_{i_3}(\underline{w}).$$

Also, for $k = k' = n$, we get

$$f_{n,n:n}(\underline{w}) = \sum_{\rho\theta,\varphi,r} F_{i_1}^{n-1}(\underline{w})F_{i_2}^{1'}(\underline{w})\prod_{j=3}^n F_{ij}(\underline{w}) + \sum_{\rho_r} f_{i_3}(\underline{w})\prod_{j=2}^n F_{ij}(\underline{w})(F_{2,i_{n+1}}(y) - F_{i_{n+1}}(\underline{w})).$$

Joint distribution of the new sample rank of $X_{r:n}$ and $Y_{s:n}$

Consider n two-dimensional independent vectors $\underline{W}_j = (X_j, Y_j), j = 1, \dots, n$, with the respective df $F_j(\underline{W})$ and the *joint pdf* $f_j(\underline{W})$. Further assume that $(X_{n+1}, Y_{n+1}), (X_{n+2}, Y_{n+2}), \dots, (X_{n+m}, Y_{n+m}), (m \geq 1)$ is another random sample with absolutely continuous df $G_j^*(x, y), j = 1, \dots, m$ and *joint pdf* $g_j(x, y)$. We assume that the two samples $(X_{n+1}, Y_{n+1}), (X_{n+2}, Y_{n+2}), \dots, (X_{n+m}, Y_{n+m}), (m \geq 1)$ and $(X_1, Y_1), (X_2, Y_2), \dots, (X_n, Y_n)$ are independent.

For $1 \leq r, s \leq n, m \geq 1$, we define the random variables η_1 and η_2 as follows:

$$\eta_1 = \sum_{i=1}^m I_{(X_{r:n} - X_{n+i})}$$

and

$$\eta_2 = \sum_{i=1}^m I_{(Y_{s:n} - Y_{n+i})},$$

where $I(x) = 1$ if $x > 0$ and $I(x) = 0$ if $x \leq 0$ is an indicator function. The random variables η_1 and η_2 are referred to as exceedance statistics. Clearly η_1 shows the total number of new X observations $X_{n+1}, X_{n+2}, \dots, X_{n+m}$ which does not exceed a random threshold based on the r th order statistic $X_{r:n}$. Similarly, η_2 is the number of new observations $Y_{n+1}, Y_{n+2}, \dots, Y_{n+m}$ which does not exceed $Y_{s:n}$.

The random variable $\zeta_1 = \eta_1 + 1$ indicates the rank of $X_{r:n}$ in the new sample $X_{n+1}, X_{n+2}, \dots, X_{n+m}$, and the random variable $\zeta_2 = \eta_2 + 1$ indicates the rank of $Y_{s:n}$ in the new sample $Y_{n+1}, Y_{n+2}, \dots, Y_{n+m}$. We are interested in the joint probability mass function of random variables ζ_1 and ζ_2 . We will need the following representation of the compound event $P(\zeta_1 = p, \zeta_2 = q) = P(\eta_1 = p - 1, \eta_2 = q - 1)$.

Definition 1 Denote $A = \{X_{n+i} \leq X_{r:n}\}, A^c = \{X_{n+i} > X_{r:n}\}, B = \{Y_{n+i} \leq Y_{s:n}\}$ and $B^c = \{Y_{n+i} > Y_{s:n}\}$. Assume that in a fourfold sampling scheme, the outcome of the random experiment is one of the events A or A^c , and simultaneously one of B or B^c , where A^c is the complement of A .

In m independent repetitions of this experiment, if A appears together with B ℓ times, then A and B^c appear together $p - \ell - 1$ times. Therefore, B appears together with

A^c $q - \ell - 1$ times and B^c $m - p - q + \ell + 2$ times. This can be described as follows:

$A \setminus B$	B	B^c
A	ℓ	$p - \ell - 1$
A^c	$q - \ell - 1$	$m - p - q + \ell + 2$

Clearly, the random variables η_1 and η_2 are the number of occurrences of the events A and B in m independent trials of the fourfold sampling scheme, respectively. By conditioning on $X_{r:n} = x$ and $Y_{s:n} = y$, the joint distribution of η_1 and η_2 can be obtained from bivariate binomial distribution considering the four sampling scheme with events $A = \{X_{n+i} \leq x\}$, $B = \{Y_{n+i} \leq y\}$, and with respective probabilities

$$\begin{aligned} P(AB) &= P(X_{n+i} \leq x, Y_{n+i} \leq y), \\ P(AB^c) &= P(X_{n+i} \leq x, Y_{n+i} > y), \\ P(A^cB) &= P(X_{n+i} > x, Y_{n+i} \leq y), \\ P(A^cB^c) &= P(X_{n+i} > x, Y_{n+i} > y). \end{aligned}$$

Now, we can state the following theorem.

Theorem 2 The joint probability mass function of ζ_1 and ζ_2 , is given by

$$\begin{aligned} P(\zeta_1 = p, \zeta_2 = q) &= P(\eta_1 = p - 1, \eta_2 = q - 1) = \sum_{\ell=\max(0,p+q-m-2)}^{\min(p-1,q-1)} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \\ &\prod_{j=1}^{\ell} G_{ij}^*(x, y) \prod_{j=\ell+1}^{p-1} [G_{1ij}^*(x) - G_{ij}^*(x, y)] \prod_{j=p}^{q-\ell-1+p} [G_{2ij}^*(y) - G_{ij}^*(x, y)] \prod_{j=q-\ell+p}^{m+2} \bar{G}_{1ij}^*(x) f_{k,k':n}(w) dx dy, \end{aligned}$$

where, $p, q = 1, \dots, m + 1$, $f_{k,k':n}(w)$ is defined in (3).

Proof Consider the fourfold sampling scheme described in Definition (1). By conditioning with respect to $X_{r:n} = x$ and $Y_{s:n} = y$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} P(\zeta_1 = p, \zeta_2 = q) &\equiv P(\eta_1 = p - 1, \eta_2 = q - 1) = P \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m I_{(X_{r:n}-X_{n+i})} = p - 1, I_{(Y_{r:n}-Y_{n+i})} = q - 1 \right\} \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m I_{(X_{r:n}-X_{n+i})} = p - 1, I_{(Y_{s:n}-Y_{n+i})} = q - 1 \mid X_{r:n} = x, Y_{s:n} = y \right\} \\ &\quad \times P\{X_{r:n} = x, Y_{s:n} = y\} dx dy \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m I_{(x-X_{n+i})} = p - 1, I_{(y-Y_{n+i})} = q - 1 \right\} dF_{r,s:n}(x, y). \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

□

On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} P \left(\sum_{i=1}^m I_{(x-X_{n+i})} = p - 1, I_{(y-Y_{n+i})} = q - 1 \right) &= \sum_{\ell=\max(0,p+q-m-2)}^{\min(p-1,q-1)} \prod_{j=1}^{\ell} P_{ij}(AB) \prod_{j=\ell+1}^{p-1} P_{ij}(AB^c) \\ &\quad \prod_{j=p}^{q-\ell-2+p} P_{ij} \prod_{j=q-\ell-1+p}^m P_{ij}. \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

Substituting (6) in (5), we get

$$\begin{aligned} P(\zeta_1 = p, \zeta_2 = q) &= P(\eta_1 = p - 1, \eta_2 = q - 1) = \sum_{\ell=\max(0,p+q-m-2)}^{\min(p-1,q-1)} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \prod_{j=1}^{\ell} G_{ij}^*(x, y) \\ &\prod_{j=\ell+1}^{p-1} [G_{1ij}^*(x) - G_{ij}^*(x, y)] \prod_{j=p}^{q-\ell-1+p} [G_{2ij}^*(y) - G_{ij}^*(x, y)] \prod_{j=q-\ell+p}^m \bar{G}_{1ij}^*(x) f_{k,k':n}(w) dx dy, \end{aligned}$$

where $p, q = 1, \dots, m + 1$. This completes the proof.

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