

$$E_{p(r)}(r) = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \beta}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E_{p(r)}(r^2) &= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \int_0^1 r^2 \times r^{\alpha-1} (1-r)^{\beta-1} dr \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \int_0^1 r^{\alpha+1} (1-r)^{\beta-1} dr. \end{aligned}$$

$$\alpha = \alpha' - 2$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \int_0^1 r^{\alpha'-1} (1-r)^{\beta-1} dr.$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \times \frac{\Gamma(\alpha')\Gamma(\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha' + \beta)}$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)\Gamma(\alpha + 2)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\alpha + 2 + \beta)}$$

$$= \frac{(\alpha + 1)\alpha \times \Gamma(\alpha + \beta)\Gamma(\alpha)}{(\alpha + \beta + 1)(\alpha + \beta)\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}$$

$$= \frac{\alpha(\alpha + 1)}{(\alpha + \beta + 1)(\alpha + \beta)}$$

$$\text{Var}(r) = E_{p(r)}(r^2) - [E_{p(r)}(r)]^2$$

$$= \frac{\alpha(\alpha+1)}{(\alpha+\beta)(\alpha+\beta+1)} - \left( \frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta} \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{\alpha(\alpha+1)}{(\alpha+\beta)(\alpha+\beta+1)} - \frac{\alpha^2}{(\alpha+\beta)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\alpha(\alpha+1)(\alpha+\beta) - \alpha^2(\alpha+\beta+1)}{(\alpha+\beta)^2(\alpha+\beta+1)}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{\alpha^3} + \cancel{\alpha^2} + \cancel{\alpha^2\beta} + \alpha\beta - \cancel{\alpha^3} - \cancel{\alpha^2\beta} - \cancel{\alpha^2}}{(\alpha+\beta)^2(\alpha+\beta+1)}$$

$$= \frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta)(\alpha+\beta+1)}$$