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Dear Pearson:

I cannot find the paper, but I feel pretty sure that in the Statistical Journal I only treated the case of fixed independent variates; but is any extension necessary? I mean that if

$$\frac{\eta^2 - R^2}{1 - \eta^2}$$

has a known distribution for one special series x_1, \dots, x_n and the same distribution for any other series, then it must have that very distribution for any mixture of series.

I may have missed your point altogether.

Yours sincerely,