

Supplementary Notes to Open Tables

Full Proofs

There are a few basic equalities that will be used throughout the proofs. First, let $\beta = (\beta_0, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_n)$ be an arbitrary $n + 1$ dimensional vector. Then:

$$\sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(x))^i F(x)^{n-i} \beta_i = \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(x))^{i+j} F(x)^{n-i-j} \beta_{i+j} \quad (3)$$

Proof. By Vandermonde's identity, $\binom{n}{i} = \sum_{j=0}^i \binom{m}{i-j} \binom{n-m}{j}$.

Thus the left hand side of (3) is equal to $\sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=0}^i \binom{m}{i-j} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(x))^i F(x)^{n-i} \beta_i$.

If we replace i with $i+j$, then this becomes $\sum_{i+j=0}^n \sum_{j=0}^{i+j} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(x))^{i+j} F(x)^{n-i-j} \beta_{i+j}$.

We can rewrite this expression as $\sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=0}^{n-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(x))^{i+j} F(x)^{n-i-j} \beta_{i+j}$.

Because $\binom{a}{b} = 0$ for $a < b$, this is equivalent to $\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(x))^{i+j} F(x)^{n-i-j} \beta_{i+j}$. \square

$$\kappa(x) = \lambda(x, x) + m(1 - F(x)) \quad (4)$$

Proof. Recall that $\kappa(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(x))^i F(x)^{n-i} \min\{m, i\}$.

By expression (3), this equals $\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(x))^{i+j} F(x)^{n-i-j} \min\{m, i+j\}$.

Rearranging terms, thus becomes:

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} (1 - F(x))^i F(x)^{m-i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(x))^j F(x)^{n-m-j} (\min\{m - i, j\} + i).$$

This last expression is equivalent to $\lambda(x, x) + m(1 - F(x))$. \square

$$\frac{d}{dx} E[v|v \geq x] = \frac{f(x)}{1 - F(x)} (E[v|v \geq x] - x) \quad (5)$$

Proof. Recall that $E[v|v \geq x] = \int_x^\infty \frac{vf(v)}{1-F(x)} dv$, or $\frac{1}{1-F(x)} \int_x^\infty vf(v) dv$. Using the chain rule,

$$\frac{d}{dx}E[v|v \geq x] = \frac{f(x)}{(1-F(x))^2} \int_x^\infty v f(v) dv - \frac{1}{1-F(x)} x f(x), \text{ or } \frac{f(x)}{1-F(x)} (E[v|v \geq x] - x). \quad \square$$

The proofs of the following three statements are straightforward and left to readers.

$$\kappa'(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} (1-F(x))^i F(x)^{n-i} \left(\frac{n-i}{F(x)} - \frac{i}{1-F(x)} \right) f(x) \min\{m, i\} \quad (6)$$

$$\left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0} = \frac{n(1-F(p))}{\kappa(p)} \quad (7)$$

$$\left. \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \right|_{c=0} = \frac{(n-m)(1-F(p))}{\lambda(p, p)} \quad (8)$$

Proof of Theorems 2.1 and 2.2.

If we take the derivative of $W_r(c)$ with respect to the transportation cost, c , we get:

$$W'_r(c) = \kappa'(p+c) (E[v|v \geq p+c] - c) + \kappa(p+c) \left(\left[\frac{d}{d(p+c)} E[v|v \geq p+c] \right] - 1 \right).$$

Evaluated at $c = 0$, this becomes:

$$W'_r(0) = \kappa'(p) E[v|v \geq p] + \kappa(p) \left[\frac{d}{dp} E[v|v \geq p] \right] - \kappa(p).$$

If we take the derivative of $W_o(c)$ with respect to the transportation cost, c , we get:

$$W'_o(c) = \kappa'(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dc} E[v|v \geq v^*] + \kappa(v^*) \left[\frac{d}{dv^*} E[v|v \geq v^*] \right] \frac{dv^*}{dc} - n(1-F(v^*)) + n f(v^*) c \frac{dv^*}{dc}.$$

Evaluated at $c = 0$, this becomes:

$$W'_o(0) = \kappa'(p) \left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0} E[v|v \geq p] + \kappa(p) \left[\frac{d}{dp} E[v|v \geq p] \right] \left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0} - n(1-F(v^*)).$$

Using expression (7) and simplifying, we have:

$$W'_o(0) = \left(\kappa'(p) E[v|v \geq p] + \kappa(p) \left[\frac{d}{dp} E[v|v \geq p] \right] - \kappa(p) \right) \left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0}.$$

Or, $W'_o(0) = W'_r(0) \left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0}$. Expression (7) is greater than one, thus

$$W'_r(0) \geq W'_o(0) \text{ if and only if } W'_r(0) \leq 0.$$

This is equivalent to: $\kappa(p) \frac{f(p)}{1-F(p)} (E[v|v \geq p] - p) \leq \kappa(p) - \kappa'(p)E[v|v \geq p]$.

Evaluated at $p = 0$ this is: $\kappa(0)f(0)E[v|v \geq 0] \leq \kappa(0)$.

This is true if and only if: $f(0) \int_0^\infty xf(x)dx \leq 1$, which proves Theorem 2.1.

By assumption, $\Gamma'(p) \leq 0$, which implies that $\frac{f(p)}{1-F(p)} (E[v|v \geq p] - p) \leq 1$.

This implies that $\kappa(p) \frac{f(p)}{1-F(p)} (E[v|v \geq p] - p) \leq \kappa(p)$.

It follows from the fact that $\kappa'(p) \leq 0$ and $E[v|v \geq p] > 0$ that $W'_r(0) \geq W'_o(0)$ for all prices p .

Furthermore, because $\kappa'(p) < 0$ for all $p > 0$, it follows that $W'_r(0) > W'_o(0)$ for all prices $p > 0$.

At $p = 0$, the fact that $\kappa'(0) = 0$ implies that $W'_r(0) > W'_o(0)$ if and only if

$$\kappa(p) \frac{f(p)}{1-F(p)} (E[v|v \geq p] - p) < \kappa(p), \text{ which is true if and only if } \Gamma'(0) < 0.$$

This proves Theorem 2.2.

Proof of Theorem 2.3.

At $c = 0$, $W_o(c, p) = W_r(c, p)$ so $\arg \max_p W_o(c, p) = \arg \max_p W_r(c, p)$. Thus $W_o(0, p_o) = W_r(0, p_r)$. To evaluate whether reservations dominates open tables we compare the first derivatives with respect to c .

$$\frac{d}{dc} W_o(c, p_o) = \kappa'(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dc} E[v|v \geq v^*] + \kappa(v^*) \frac{d}{dv^*} E[v|v \geq v^*] \frac{dv^*}{dc} + n * c * f(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dc} - n(1 - F(v^*)),$$

or

$$\left(\kappa'(v^*) E[v|v \geq v^*] + \kappa(v^*) \frac{d}{dv^*} E[v|v \geq v^*] + n * c * f(v^*) \right) \frac{dv^*}{dc} - n(1 - F(v^*)).$$

Because $p_o = \arg \max_p W_o(c, p)$, it follows that $\frac{d}{dp} W_o(c, p_o) = 0$.

$$\frac{d}{dp} W_o(c, p) = \kappa'(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dp} E[v|v \geq v^*] + \kappa(v^*) \frac{d}{dv^*} E[v|v \geq v^*] \frac{dv^*}{dp} + n * c * f(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dp}.$$

Because $\frac{dv^*}{dp} > 0$, this implies that

$$\kappa'(v^*) E[v|v \geq v^*] + \kappa(v^*) \frac{d}{dv^*} E[v|v \geq v^*] + n * c * f(v^*) = 0.$$

Therefore, $\frac{d}{dc} W_o(c, p_o) = -n(1 - F(v^*))$.

If we let c go to zero, $\frac{d}{dc} W_o(0, p_o) = -n(1 - F(p))$, where $p \equiv \lim_{c \rightarrow 0} p_o = \lim_{c \rightarrow 0} p_r$.

Next, $\frac{d}{dc} W_r(c, p_r) = \kappa'(p+c)(E[v|v \geq p+c] - c) + \kappa(p+c) \left(\frac{d}{d(p+c)} E[v|v \geq v^*] - 1 \right)$.

Recall that $p_r = \arg \max_p W_r(c, p)$. Consequently, $\frac{d}{dp} W_r(c, p_r) = 0$.

Because $\frac{d}{dp} W_r(c, p) = \kappa'(p+c)(E[v|v \geq p+c] - c) + \kappa(p+c) \frac{d}{d(p+c)} E[v|v \geq v^*]$, it follows that $\frac{d}{dc} W_r(c, p_r) = -\kappa(p+c)$. If we let c go to zero, $\frac{d}{dc} W_r(0, p_r) = -\kappa(p)$. Because $-\kappa(p) > -n(1 - F(p))$, it follows that, at sufficiently small c , $W_r(c, p_o) > W_o(c, p_r)$.

Unstated Theorems

The following two theorems and lemma are alluded to in the text:

Theorem 3.1. *Suppose that the price $p_o = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(v^*)$ and that the price $p_r = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(p+c)$. For sufficiently small c , if $\Gamma'(p) \leq 0$, then $W_r(c, p_r) > W_o(c, p_o)$.*

Theorem 3.2. *Suppose that the price $p_o = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(v^*)$ and that the price $p_r = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(p+c)$. For sufficiently small c , if $W_o(c, p_o) > W_r(c, p_r)$, then $p_o < p^*$, where p^* is the socially optimal price.*

Proof. At $c = 0$, $v^* = p + c = p$, so $\arg \max_p p * \kappa(v^*)|_{c=0} = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(p+c)|_{c=0}$. Thus $W_o(0, p_o) = W_r(0, p_r)$. To evaluate whether reservations dominates open tables we compare the first derivatives with respect to c .

$$\frac{d}{dc} W_o(c, p) = \kappa'(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dc} E[v|v \geq v^*] + \kappa(v^*) \frac{d}{dv^*} E[v|v \geq v^*] \frac{dv^*}{dc} + n * c * f(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dc} - n(1 - F(v^*)),$$

or

$$\left(\kappa'(v^*) E[v|v \geq v^*] + \kappa(v^*) \frac{d}{dv^*} E[v|v \geq v^*] + n * c * f(v^*) - \kappa(v^*) \right) \frac{dv^*}{dc}.$$

The profit maximizing price $p_o = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(v^*)$ is given by $\kappa(v^*) = -p_o \kappa'(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dp} \Big|_{p=p_o}$, and therefore

$$\frac{d}{dc} W_o(c, p_o) = \left(\kappa'(v^*) E[v|v \geq v^*] - p_o \kappa'(v^*) \frac{dv^*}{dp} \Big|_{p=p_o} \Gamma'(v^*) + n * c * f(v^*) \right) \frac{dv^*}{dc}.$$

Because $\lim_{c \rightarrow 0} \left. \frac{dv^*}{dp} \right|_{p=p_o} = 0$, it follows that

$$\frac{d}{dc} W_o(0, p_o) = \kappa'(p) (E[v|v \geq p] - p\Gamma'(p)) \left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0}.$$

Next, $\frac{d}{dc} W_r(c, p) = \kappa'(p+c) (E[v|v \geq p+c] - c) + \kappa(p+c) \left(\frac{d}{d(p+c)} E[v|v \geq p+c] - 1 \right)$. The profit maximizing price $p_r = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(p+c)$ is given by $\kappa(p_r+c) = -p_r \kappa'(p_r+c)$, and thus:

$$\frac{d}{dc} W_r(c, p_r) = \kappa'(p_r+c) (E[v|v \geq p_r+c] - c) - p_r \kappa'(p_r+c) \Gamma'(p_r+c)$$

If we let c go to zero, $\frac{d}{dc} W_r(0, p_r) = \kappa'(p) (E[v|v \geq p] - p\Gamma'(p))$.

Therefore, $\frac{d}{dc} W_o(0, p_o) = \frac{d}{dc} W_r(0, p_r) * \left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0}$.

As $\left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0} > 1$, it follows that $\frac{d}{dc} W_o(0, p_o) \geq \frac{d}{dc} W_r(0, p_r)$ if and only if $\frac{d}{dc} W_r(0, p_r) > 0$. Therefore, social welfare is increasing at the profit-maximizing price. This proves Theorem 2.5. Because $\kappa'(p) < 0$, it follows that $\frac{d}{dc} W_o(0, p_o) \geq \frac{d}{dc} W_r(0, p_r)$ if and only if $E[v|v \geq p] \leq p\Gamma'(p)$. By assumption $\Gamma'(p) \leq 0$, therefore $\frac{d}{dc} W_r(0, p_r) \geq \frac{d}{dc} W_o(0, p_o)$. This proves Theorem 2.4. \square

Lemma 3.3. *Suppose that the price $p_o = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(v^*)$ and that the price $p_r = \arg \max_p p * \kappa(p+c)$. For any c , $p_o * \kappa(v^*) < p_r * \kappa(p_r+c)$.*

Proof. The function $\kappa(p)$ is decreasing in p . Because $v^* \geq p+c$, it follows that, for any price p , $p * \kappa(v^*) \leq p * \kappa(p+c)$. Therefore, $p_o * \kappa(v^*) < p_o * \kappa(p_o+c)$. By construction, because p_r is the profit-maximizing price, $p_o * \kappa(p_o+c) < p_r * \kappa(p_r+c)$. Therefore $p_o * \kappa(v^*) < p_r * \kappa(p_r+c)$. \square

Proof of Lemma 2.4.

If $c = 0$, $\hat{v} = p$, and thus $W_s(0) = m(1 - F(p)) E[v|v \geq p] + \lambda(p, p) E[v|v \geq p]$.

By expression (4), this equals $\kappa(p) E[v|v \geq p] = W_o(0)$.

Proof of Lemma 2.5.

Let $O(c) = \kappa(v^*)$, and let $S(c) = m(1 - F(p+c)) + \lambda(\hat{v}, p+c)$.

When $c = 0$, $v^* = \hat{v} = p$, therefore, $O(0) = \kappa(p)$ and $S(0) = m(1 - F(p)) + \lambda(p, p)$. By statement (4), $\kappa(p) = m(1 - F(p)) + \lambda(p, p)$, and therefore $O(0) = S(0)$.

Computing the derivatives, we find that $O'(c) = \kappa'(v^*) \left. \frac{dv^*}{dc} \right|_{c=0}$ and therefore, $O'(0) = \frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)}$. Also, $S'(c) = \frac{d}{dc} \lambda(\hat{v}, p+c) - mf(p+c)$, and therefore $S'(0) = \frac{d}{dc} \lambda(\hat{v}, p+c) \Big|_{c=0} -$

$mf(p)$. Therefore, $O'(0) \geq S'(0)$ if and only if

$$\frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} \geq \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} - mf(p). \quad (9)$$

Note that $\frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} =$

$$\begin{aligned} & - \frac{f(p+c)}{(1-F(p+c))F(p+c)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} (1-F(p+c))^i F(p+c)^{m-i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(\hat{v}))^j F(\hat{v})^{n-m-j} \\ & \min\{m-i, j\} i + \frac{mf(p+c)}{F(p+c)} \lambda(\hat{v}, p+c) \\ & - \frac{f(\hat{v})}{(1-F(\hat{v}))F(\hat{v})} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} (1-F(p+c))^i F(p+c)^{m-i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(\hat{v}))^j F(\hat{v})^{n-m-j} \\ & \min\{m-i, j\} j + \frac{(n-m)f(\hat{v})}{F(\hat{v})} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \lambda(\hat{v}, p+c). \end{aligned}$$

Evaluated at $c=0$, this becomes: $\frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} =$

$$\begin{aligned} & - \frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} i + \frac{mf(p)}{F(p)} \lambda(p, p) \\ & - \frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} j + \frac{(n-m)f(p)}{F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \lambda(p, p). \end{aligned}$$

Using expression (4), and collecting terms, this simplifies to:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} = \left(\frac{mf(p)}{F(p)} + \frac{(n-m)f(p)}{F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \right) (\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \\ & - \frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} (i+j \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0}). \end{aligned}$$

Thus expression (10) becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} + mf(p) - \left(\frac{mf(p)}{F(p)} + \frac{(n-m)f(p)}{F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \right) (\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \geq \\ & - \frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} (i+j \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0}). \end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} + \left(\frac{mf(p)}{F(p)} + \frac{(n-m)f(p)}{F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \right) (m - \kappa(p)) - mf(p) (m + (n-m) \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} - 1) \geq \\ & - \frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} (i+j \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0}). \end{aligned}$$

Evaluated at $c=0$, and using expression (8), this becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} = f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \\ & \left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j}{1-F(p)} \right) \frac{(n-m)(1-F(p))}{\lambda(p,p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} \end{aligned}$$

This simplifies to:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} = f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \\ & \left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j}{1-F(p)} \right) \frac{(n-m)(1-F(p))}{\lambda(p,p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} \end{aligned}$$

Thus $W'_o(0) \geq W'_s(0)$ if and only if:

$$\frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} \geq f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j}$$

$$\left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j}{1-F(p)} \right) \frac{(n-m)(1-F(p))}{\lambda(p,p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} - mf(p)$$

Multiplying each side by $\lambda(p, p)\kappa(p)$:

$$\lambda(p, p)n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p) \geq f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\}$$

$$\left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) \lambda(p, p)\kappa(p) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j+\frac{m}{n-m}}{1-F(p)} \right) \kappa(p)(n-m)(1-F(p)) \right)$$

Combining statements (6) and (3):

$$\kappa'(p) = \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \left(\frac{n-i-j}{F(p)} - \frac{i+j}{1-F(p)} \right) f(p) \min\{m, i+j\}.$$

Rearranging terms and applying statement (3):

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa'(p) &= f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \left(\frac{n-i-j}{F(p)} - \frac{i+j}{1-F(p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} + \\ &mf(p) (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-1-i} \left(\frac{n-1-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i+1}{1-F(p)} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-1-i} \left(\frac{n-1-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i+1}{1-F(p)} \right) = \frac{-1}{1-F(p)}$. Thus:

$$\kappa'(p) = f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \left(\frac{n-i-j}{F(p)} - \frac{i+j}{1-F(p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} - mf(p).$$

Substituting for $\kappa'(p)$ and dividing each side by $f(p)$, it follows that $W'_o(p) \geq W'_s(p)$ if and only if:

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\ &\left(\left(\frac{n-i-j}{F(p)} - \frac{i+j}{1-F(p)} \right) \lambda(p, p) - m \right) n(1-F(p)) \geq \\ &\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\ &\left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) \lambda(p, p)\kappa(p) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j+\frac{m}{n-m}}{1-F(p)} \right) \kappa(p)(n-m)(1-F(p)) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying each side by $F(p)$:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& (n^2(1-F(p))\lambda(p, p) - n(i+j)\lambda(p, p) - mn(1-F(p))F(p)) \geq \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left(m\lambda(p, p) - \frac{i\lambda(p, p)}{1-F(p)} + (n-m)^2(1-F(p)) - (n-m)j - mF(p) \right) \kappa(p)
\end{aligned}$$

Rearranging terms:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& (n^2(1-F(p))\lambda(p, p) - mn(1-F(p))F(p) + (mF(p) - m\lambda(p, p) - (n-m)^2(1-F(p)))\kappa(p)) \geq \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left(n(i+j)\lambda(p, p) - \frac{i\lambda(p, p)\kappa(p)}{1-F(p)} - (n-m)j\kappa(p) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Using the substitution in statement (4) and cancelling terms:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left[-m(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 - mF(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \geq \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left(n(i+j)(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - \frac{i(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p)))\kappa(p)}{1-F(p)} - (n-m)j\kappa(p) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Note that $\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} X_{ij}$

$$\begin{aligned}
& = \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i) X_{ij} \\
& - \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j) X_{ij}.
\end{aligned}$$

It follows that $W'_o(p) \geq W'_s(p)$ if and only if:

$$\begin{aligned}
& -m \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq \\
& m \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \\
& \left((i+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - i \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) - j(n-m)\kappa(p) \right) \\
& - \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} i \\
& \left((i+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - i \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) - j(n-m)\kappa(p) \right) \\
& - \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j)(i+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) + \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j)i \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) + \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j)j(n-m)\kappa(p)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& -m \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq \\
& -m^2 (n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \\
& -m(1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{i-1} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i-1+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \\
& \left((i+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - i \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) - j(n-m)\kappa(p) \right) - \\
& (1-F(p)) \sum_{k=1}^m \binom{n-1}{k-1} (1-F(p))^{k-1} F(p)^{n-k} (m-k)n^2 (\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) + \\
& (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m-1}{i-1} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i-1+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j)m \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) + \\
& (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=1}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m-1}{j-1} (1-F(p))^{i+j-1} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j)(n-m)^2 \kappa(p)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& -m \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq \\
& -m^2 (n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \\
& -m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} \\
& \left((k+j+1)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - (k+1) \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) - j(n-m)\kappa(p) \right) \\
& - (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m-i)n^2 (\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \\
& + (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m-i)m \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\
& + (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m-i)(n-m)^2 \kappa(p)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& -m \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq \\
& -m^2 (n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \\
& -m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} (k+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \\
& -m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \\
& +m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} k \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\
& +m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\
& +m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} j(n-m)\kappa(p)
\end{aligned}$$

$$+m(n(1-F(p))-\kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m-i)$$

Dividing each side by m :

$$\begin{aligned} & - \left[(n(1-F(p))-\kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p))-\kappa(p)) \right] \\ & \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i}(m-i) \right] \geq \\ & -m(n(1-F(p))-\kappa(p))^2 \\ & -(n-1)(1-F(p))^2 \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \binom{n-2}{k-1} (1-F(p))^{k-1} F(p)^{n-1-k} n(\kappa(p)-m(1-F(p))) \\ & -(1-F(p))n(\kappa(p)-m(1-F(p))) \\ & +(m-1)(1-F(p))^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-2}{k-1} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\ & +(1-F(p)) \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\ & +(n-m)(1-F(p))^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=1}^{n-m-1} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m-1}{j-1} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} (n-m)\kappa(p) \\ & +(n(1-F(p))-\kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m-i) \end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned} & - \left[(n(1-F(p))-\kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p))-\kappa(p)) \right] \\ & \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i}(m-i) \right] \geq \\ & -m(n(1-F(p))-\kappa(p))^2 \\ & -(n^2-n)(1-F(p))^2 \kappa(p) + m(n^2-n)(1-F(p))^3 \\ & -(1-F(p))n\kappa(p) + nm(1-F(p))^2 \\ & +(m-1)(1-F(p))\kappa(p)^2 - (m^2-m)(1-F(p))^2 \kappa(p) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& +\kappa(p)^2 - m(1 - F(p))\kappa(p) \\
& +(n - m)^2(1 - F(p))^2\kappa(p) \\
& +(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m - i)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \left[mF(p)(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + mF(p)^2(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& + \left[(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i}(m - i) \geq \\
& -m(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 F(p) \\
& + (m(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p)) F(p) \\
& + (n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m - i)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left[(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i}(m - i) \geq \\
& (m - \kappa(p))(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p)) F(p) \\
& + (n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m - i)
\end{aligned}$$

Note that $m - \kappa(p) = m - \lambda(p, p) - m(1 - F(p)) = \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i}(m - i)$.

Thus:

$$\begin{aligned}
& (n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i}(m - i) \geq \\
& (n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + (n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m - i)
\end{aligned}$$

It follows that $W'_o(p) \geq W'_s(p)$ if and only if:

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) - \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) \geq 0$$

Using the identity $\binom{n-1}{i} = \binom{n}{i} - \binom{n-1}{i-1}$, this equation becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) \\ & + \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

This reduces to:

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i+1} (m - i) \geq 0$$

Because $\binom{n-1}{-1} = 0$, and substituting j for $i - 1$, we get:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) - \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \binom{n-1}{j} (1 - F(p))^j F(p)^{n-j} (m - j - 1) \\ & = \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

This last statement is clearly true, and the inequality holds strictly if and only if $p > 0$.

Proof of Theorem 2.6.

If we take the derivative of $W_s(c)$ with respect to the transportation cost, c , we get:

$$\begin{aligned} W'_s(c) &= -mf(p+c) (E[v|v \geq p+c] - c) \\ &+ m(1 - F(p+c)) \left(\frac{f(p+c)}{1-F(p+c)} (E[v|v \geq p+c] - p - c) - 1 \right) + \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{\hat{v}, p+c\} E[v|v \geq \hat{v}] \\ &+ \lambda \{\hat{v}, p+c\} \frac{f(\hat{v})}{1-F(\hat{v})} (E[v|v \geq \hat{v}] - \hat{v}) \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} - (n-m)(1 - F(\hat{v})) + (n-m)f(\hat{v}) \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} c. \end{aligned}$$

After simplifying:

$$\begin{aligned} W'_s(c) &= -mpf(p+c) - m(1 - F(p+c)) - (n-m)(1 - F(\hat{v})) + (n-m)f(\hat{v}) \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} c \\ &- \lambda \{\hat{v}, p+c\} \frac{\hat{v}f(\hat{v})}{1-F(\hat{v})} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} + E[v|v \geq \hat{v}] \left[\frac{\lambda \{\hat{v}, p+c\} f(\hat{v})}{1-F(\hat{v})} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} + \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{\hat{v}, p+c\} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

At $c = 0$, if we substitute expression (8), this becomes:

$$W'_s(0) = E[v|v \geq p] \left[(n-m)f(p) + \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} \right] - npf(p) - n(1-F(p)).$$

From the proof of Theorem 2.1 and substituting expression (7), we get:

$$W'_o(0) = n \left(f(p) + \frac{(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} \right) E[v|v \geq p] - npf(p) - n(1-F(p)).$$

Thus, $W'_o(0) \geq W'_s(0)$ if and only if

$$\frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} \geq \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} - mf(p). \quad (10)$$

Note that $\frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} =$
 $-\frac{f(p+c)}{(1-F(p+c))F(p+c)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} (1-F(p+c))^i F(p+c)^{m-i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(\hat{v}))^j F(\hat{v})^{n-m-j}$
 $\min\{m-i, j\} i + \frac{mf(p+c)}{F(p+c)} \lambda(\hat{v}, p+c)$
 $-\frac{f(\hat{v})}{(1-F(\hat{v}))F(\hat{v})} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} (1-F(p+c))^i F(p+c)^{m-i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(\hat{v}))^j F(\hat{v})^{n-m-j}$
 $\min\{m-i, j\} j + \frac{(n-m)f(\hat{v})}{F(\hat{v})} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \lambda(\hat{v}, p+c).$

Evaluated at $c = 0$, this becomes: $\frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} =$

$$-\frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} i + \frac{mf(p)}{F(p)} \lambda(p, p)$$

$$-\frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} j + \frac{(n-m)f(p)}{F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \lambda(p, p).$$

Using expression (4), and collecting terms, this simplifies to:

$$\frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} = \left(\frac{mf(p)}{F(p)} + \frac{(n-m)f(p)}{F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \right) (\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p)))$$

$$-\frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} (i+j \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0}).$$

Thus expression (10) becomes:

$$\frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} + mf(p) - \left(\frac{mf(p)}{F(p)} + \frac{(n-m)f(p)}{F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \right) (\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \geq$$

$$-\frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} (i+j \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0}).$$

Or:

$$\frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} + \left(\frac{mf(p)}{F(p)} + \frac{(n-m)f(p)}{F(p)} \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} \right) (m - \kappa(p)) - mf(p) (m + (n-m) \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0} - 1) \geq$$

$$-\frac{f(p)}{(1-F(p))F(p)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{m}{i} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} (i+j \frac{d\hat{v}}{dc} \Big|_{c=0}).$$

Evaluated at $c = 0$, and using expression (8), this becomes:

$$\frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p+c \} \Big|_{c=0} = f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j}$$

$$\left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j}{1-F(p)} \right) \frac{(n-m)(1-F(p))}{\lambda(p,p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\}$$

This simplifies to:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dc} \lambda \{ \hat{v}, p + c \} \Big|_{c=0} &= f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \\ &\left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j}{1-F(p)} \right) \frac{(n-m)(1-F(p))}{\lambda(p,p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} \end{aligned}$$

Thus $W'_o(0) \geq W'_s(0)$ if and only if:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{n(1-F(p))\kappa'(p)}{\kappa(p)} &\geq f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \\ &\left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j}{1-F(p)} \right) \frac{(n-m)(1-F(p))}{\lambda(p,p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} - mf(p) \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying each side by $\lambda(p, p)\kappa(p)$:

$$\lambda(p, p)n(1 - F(p))\kappa'(p) \geq f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\}$$

$$\left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) \lambda(p, p)\kappa(p) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j+\frac{m}{n-m}}{1-F(p)} \right) \kappa(p)(n-m)(1 - F(p)) \right)$$

Combining statements (6) and (3):

$$\kappa'(p) = \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \left(\frac{n-i-j}{F(p)} - \frac{i+j}{1-F(p)} \right) f(p) \min\{m, i+j\}.$$

Rearranging terms and applying statement (3):

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa'(p) &= f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \left(\frac{n-i-j}{F(p)} - \frac{i+j}{1-F(p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} + \\ &mf(p)(1 - F(p)) \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-1-i} \left(\frac{n-1-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i+1}{1-F(p)} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-1-i} \left(\frac{n-1-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i+1}{1-F(p)} \right) = \frac{-1}{1-F(p)}$. Thus:

$$\kappa'(p) = f(p) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \left(\frac{n-i-j}{F(p)} - \frac{i+j}{1-F(p)} \right) \min\{m-i, j\} - mf(p).$$

Substituting for $\kappa'(p)$ and dividing each side by $f(p)$, it follows that $W'_o(p) \geq W'_s(p)$ if and only if:

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left(\left(\frac{n-i-j}{F(p)} - \frac{i+j}{1-F(p)} \right) \lambda(p, p) - m \right) n (1 - F(p)) \geq \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left(\left(\frac{m-i}{F(p)} - \frac{i}{1-F(p)} \right) \lambda(p, p) \kappa(p) + \left(\frac{n-m-j}{F(p)} - \frac{j+\frac{m}{n-m}}{1-F(p)} \right) \kappa(p) (n-m) (1 - F(p)) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Multiplying each side by $F(p)$:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& (n^2 (1 - F(p)) \lambda(p, p) - n(i+j) \lambda(p, p) - mn (1 - F(p)) F(p)) \geq \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left(m \lambda(p, p) - \frac{i \lambda(p, p)}{1-F(p)} + (n-m)^2 (1 - F(p)) - (n-m)j - mF(p) \right) \kappa(p)
\end{aligned}$$

Rearranging terms:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& (n^2 (1 - F(p)) \lambda(p, p) - mn (1 - F(p)) F(p) + (mF(p) - m \lambda(p, p) - (n-m)^2 (1 - F(p))) \kappa(p)) \geq \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left(n(i+j) \lambda(p, p) - \frac{i \lambda(p, p) \kappa(p)}{1-F(p)} - (n-m)j \kappa(p) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Using the substitution in statement (4) and cancelling terms:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left[-m (n (1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 - mF(p) (n (1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \geq \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1 - F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} \\
& \left(n(i+j) (\kappa(p) - m (1 - F(p))) - \frac{i(\kappa(p) - m(1 - F(p))) \kappa(p)}{1-F(p)} - (n-m)j \kappa(p) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Note that $\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} \min\{m-i, j\} X_{ij}$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i) X_{ij}$$

$$- \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j) X_{ij}.$$

It follows that $W'_o(p) \geq W'_s(p)$ if and only if:

$$-m \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right]$$

$$\left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq$$

$$m \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j}$$

$$\left((i+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - i \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) - j(n-m)\kappa(p) \right)$$

$$- \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} i$$

$$\left((i+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - i \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) - j(n-m)\kappa(p) \right)$$

$$- \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j) (i+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) +$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j) i \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) +$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j) j(n-m)\kappa(p)$$

Or:

$$-m \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right]$$

$$\left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq$$

$$-m^2 (n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2$$

$$-m(1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{i-1} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i-1+j} F(p)^{n-i-j}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left((i+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - i \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) - j(n-m)\kappa(p) \right) - \\
& (1-F(p)) \sum_{k=1}^m \binom{n-1}{k-1} (1-F(p))^{k-1} F(p)^{n-k} (m-k)n^2 (\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) + \\
& (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=0}^{m-i} \binom{m-1}{i-1} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{i-1+j} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j)m \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) + \\
& (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=1}^{m-i} \binom{m}{i} \binom{n-m-1}{j-1} (1-F(p))^{i+j-1} F(p)^{n-i-j} (m-i-j)(n-m)^2 \kappa(p)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& -m \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq \\
& -m^2 (n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \\
& -m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} \\
& \left((k+j+1)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) - (k+1) \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) - j(n-m)\kappa(p) \right) \\
& - (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m-i)n^2 (\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \\
& + (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m-i)m \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\
& + (1-F(p)) \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m-i)(n-m)^2 \kappa(p)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& -m \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq \\
& -m^2 (n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \\
& -m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} (k+j)n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p)))
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \\
& +m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} k \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\
& +m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\
& +m(1-F(p)) \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} j(n-m)\kappa(p) \\
& +m(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m-i)
\end{aligned}$$

Dividing each side by m :

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq \\
& -m(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \\
& -(n-1)(1-F(p))^2 \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \binom{n-2}{k-1} (1-F(p))^{k-1} F(p)^{n-1-k} n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \\
& -(1-F(p))n(\kappa(p) - m(1-F(p))) \\
& +(m-1)(1-F(p))^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=0}^{n-m} \binom{m-2}{k-1} \binom{n-m}{j} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\
& +(1-F(p)) \left(\frac{\kappa(p)^2}{1-F(p)} - m\kappa(p) \right) \\
& +(n-m)(1-F(p))^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \sum_{j=1}^{n-m-1} \binom{m-1}{k} \binom{n-m-1}{j-1} (1-F(p))^{k+j} F(p)^{n-1-k-j} (n-m)\kappa(p) \\
& +(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m-i)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \left[mF(p) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m-i) \right] \geq
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -m(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \\
& -(n^2 - n)(1-F(p))^2 \kappa(p) + m(n^2 - n)(1-F(p))^3 \\
& -(1-F(p))n\kappa(p) + nm(1-F(p))^2 \\
& +(m-1)(1-F(p))\kappa(p)^2 - (m^2 - m)(1-F(p))^2 \kappa(p) \\
& +\kappa(p)^2 - m(1-F(p))\kappa(p) \\
& +(n-m)^2(1-F(p))^2 \kappa(p) \\
& +(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m-i)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \left[mF(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + mF(p)^2(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& + \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i}(m-i) \geq \\
& -m(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 F(p) \\
& + (m(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) F(p) \\
& + (n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m-i)
\end{aligned}$$

Or:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left[(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + F(p)(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) \right] \\
& \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1-F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i}(m-i) \geq \\
& (m - \kappa(p))(n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p)) F(p) \\
& + (n(1-F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1-F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i}(m-i)
\end{aligned}$$

Note that $m - \kappa(p) = m - \lambda(p, p) - m(1 - F(p)) = \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i)$.
Thus:

$$(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) \geq$$

$$(n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 + (n(1 - F(p)) - \kappa(p))^2 \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m - i)$$

It follows that $W'_o(p) \geq W'_s(p)$ if and only if:

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) - \sum_{i=1}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) \geq 0$$

Using the identity $\binom{n-1}{i} = \binom{n}{i} - \binom{n-1}{i-1}$, this equation becomes:

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i)$$

$$+ \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) \geq 0$$

This reduces to:

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) - \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i-1} (1 - F(p))^{i-1} F(p)^{n-i+1} (m - i) \geq 0$$

Because $\binom{n-1}{-1} = 0$, and substituting j for $i - 1$, we get:

$$\sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} (m - i) - \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \binom{n-1}{j} (1 - F(p))^j F(p)^{n-j} (m - j - 1)$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{n-1}{i} (1 - F(p))^i F(p)^{n-i} \geq 0.$$

This last statement is clearly true, and the inequality holds strictly if and only if $p > 0$.