

# Gamma Distribution

$$f(x) = \frac{a (ax)^{b-1} e^{-ax}}{\Gamma(b)} \quad x, a, b > 0$$

Transformation	General PDF	Example: Gamma(2,2)										
	PDF	PDF	CDF	HF	IDF	$\mu$	$\sigma^2$	MF	MGF	HF Shape	Support	Comment
$x^2$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	DFR	$0, \infty$	general ✓
$\sqrt{x}$	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	✓	✓	✓	✓	IFR	$0, \infty$	general ✓
$x^{-1}$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	UBT	$0, \infty$	inverted gamma
$\arctan(x)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, \pi/2$	
$e^x$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\infty$	$\partial$	$\partial$	UBT	$1, \infty$	
$\ln(x)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$-\infty, \infty$	log gamma
$e^{-x}$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	IFR	$0, 1$	
$-\ln(x)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$		$-\infty, \infty$	
$\ln(x+1)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, \infty$	
$1/\ln(x+2)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, 1/\ln(2)$	
$\tanh(x)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, 1$	
$\sinh(x)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\infty$	$\partial$	$\partial$	UBT	$0, \infty$	memoryless HF
$\operatorname{arcsinh}(x)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, \infty$	
$\operatorname{csch}(x+1)$	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$		$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, 2/(-e + e^{-1})$	
$\operatorname{arccsch}(x+1)$	✓	✓	✓	✓		$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, \ln(1 + \sqrt{2})$	
$1/\tanh(x+1)$	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$		$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	BT	$1, (e + e^{-1})/(e - e^{-1})$	
$1/\sinh(x+1)$	✓	✓	✓	✓						IFR	$2, 2/(e - e^{-1})$	
$1/\operatorname{arcsinh}(x+1)$	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$			$\partial$		IFR	$0, 1/\ln(1 + \sqrt{2})$	
$1/\operatorname{csch}(x) + 1$	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$		$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	UBT	$1, \infty$	
$\tanh(x^{-1})$	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$		$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, 1$	
$\operatorname{csch}(x^{-1})$	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$		$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$		$1, \infty$	
$\operatorname{arccsch}(x^{-1})$	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	$\partial$	IFR	$0, \infty$	

## Legend

Symbol	Meaning
✓	Exists, Closed Form
$\partial$	Exists, Not Closed Form
$\emptyset$	Not Possible
	Not Calculated