

The probability functions of the GP2 distribution and their derivatives

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1 The log-density $\log f$

1.1 Expression

Define z by

$$z := \frac{y}{\sigma}. \quad (1)$$

Define A and B by

$$A :=, \quad B := \quad (2)$$

then the log-density is given by

$$\log f = .$$

1.2 Taylor expansion for $\xi \approx 0$

Raw expression

The Taylor approximation of $\log f$ for $\xi \approx 0$ is

$$\log f =$$

Simplified expression

$$\log f = -[\log \sigma + z] + \frac{z(z-2)}{2} \xi - \frac{z^2(2z-3)}{6} \xi^2 + o(\xi^2)$$

1.3 First-order derivatives: expressions

Raw expressions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \log f}{\partial \sigma} &= \\ \frac{\partial \log f}{\partial \xi} &= \end{aligned}$$

Simplified expressions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \log f}{\partial \sigma} &= -\frac{1}{\sigma} [1 - (\xi + 1)B] \\ \frac{\partial \log f}{\partial \xi} &= \frac{1}{\xi^2} [A - \xi(\xi + 1)B]\end{aligned}$$

1.4 First-order derivatives: Taylor expansions for $\xi \approx 0$

Raw expressions

For $\xi \approx 0$ we have

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \log f}{\partial \sigma} &= \\ \frac{\partial \log f}{\partial \xi} &= \end{aligned}$$

Simplified expressions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \log f}{\partial \sigma} &= \frac{z-1}{\sigma} - \frac{z(z-1)}{\sigma} \xi + o(\xi) \\ \frac{\partial \log f}{\partial \xi} &= \frac{z(z-2)}{2} - \frac{z^2(2z-3)}{3} \xi + o(\xi)\end{aligned}$$

1.5 Second-order derivatives: expressions

Raw expressions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \sigma^2} \log f &= \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} \log f &= \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi^2} \log f &= \end{aligned}$$

Simplified expressions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \sigma^2} \log f &= \frac{1}{\sigma^2} [1 - 2(\xi + 1)B + \xi(\xi + 1)B^2] \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} \log f &= \frac{1}{\sigma} [B - (\xi + 1)B^2] \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi^2} \log f &= \frac{1}{\xi^3} [-2A + 2\xi B + \xi^2(\xi + 1)B^2]\end{aligned}$$

1.6 Second-order derivatives: limits for $\xi \rightarrow 0$

Raw expressions

Here are the limits for $\xi \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \log f}{\partial \sigma^2} &= \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \log f}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} &= \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \log f}{\partial \xi^2} &= \end{aligned}$$

Simplified expressions

The corresponding simplified expressions are

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \log f}{\partial \sigma^2} &= \frac{1 - 2z}{\sigma^2} \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \log f}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} &= -\frac{z(z - 1)}{\sigma} \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \log f}{\partial \xi^2} &= -\frac{z^2(2z - 3)}{3}.\end{aligned}$$

2 Cumulated hazard (log-survival) $H = \log S$

2.1 Expression

The cumulated hazard $H(y) = \log S(y)$

$$H :=$$

2.2 Taylor approximation for $\xi \approx 0$

Raw expression

$$H =$$

Simplified expression

$$H = z - \frac{z^2}{2} \xi + \frac{z^3}{3} \xi^2 + o(\xi^2) \quad (3)$$

2.3 First-order derivatives: expressions

Raw expressions

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial H}{\partial \sigma} &= \\ \frac{\partial H}{\partial \xi} &= \end{aligned}$$

Simplified expressions

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial H}{\partial \sigma} &= -\frac{1}{\sigma} B \\ \frac{\partial H}{\partial \xi} &= -\frac{1}{\xi^2} [A - \xi B] \end{aligned}$$

2.4 First-order derivatives: Taylor expansions for $\xi \approx 0$

Raw expressions

Here are the limits for $\xi \approx 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial H}{\partial \sigma} &= \\ \frac{\partial H}{\partial \xi} &= \end{aligned}$$

Simplified expressions

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial H}{\partial \sigma} &= -\frac{z}{\sigma} + \frac{z^2}{\sigma} \xi + o(\xi) \\ \frac{\partial H}{\partial \xi} &= -\frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{2z^3}{3} \xi + o(\xi) \end{aligned}$$

2.5 Second-order derivatives: expressions

Raw expressions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \sigma^2} H &= \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} H &= \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi^2} H &= \end{aligned}$$

Simplified expressions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \sigma^2} H &= \frac{1}{\sigma^2} [2B - \xi B^2] \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} H &= \frac{1}{\sigma} B^2 \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi^2} H &= \frac{1}{\xi^3} [2A - 2\xi B - \xi^2 B^2]\end{aligned}$$

2.6 Second-order derivatives: limits for $\xi \rightarrow 0$

Here are the limits for $\xi \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial \sigma^2} &= \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} &= \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial \xi^2} &= \end{aligned}$$

The corresponding simplified expressions are

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial \sigma^2} &= \frac{2z}{\sigma^2} \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} &= \frac{z^2}{\sigma} \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial \xi^2} &= \frac{2z^3}{3}.\end{aligned}$$

3 Quantile or return period

3.1 Expression

The quantile corresponding to an exceedance probability $q := 1 - p$ for $\xi \neq 0$

$$\rho =$$

3.2 Taylor approximation for $\xi \approx 0$

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3.3 First-order derivatives: expressions

When $\xi \neq 0$ we have

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \sigma} &= \\ \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \xi} &= \end{aligned}$$

3.4 First-order derivatives: Taylor approximation

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \sigma} &= \\ \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \xi} &= \end{aligned}$$

3.5 Second-order derivatives: expressions

Raw expressions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \sigma^2} &= \\ \frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} &= \\ \frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \xi^2} &= \end{aligned}$$

Simplified expressions

Define $V := [q^{-\xi} - 1]/\xi$ so that $\rho = \sigma V$, and

$$W := \frac{\partial V}{\partial \xi} = -\frac{1}{\xi} \left\{ V + q^{-\xi} \log q \right\}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \sigma^2} &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} &= W \\ \frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \xi^2} &= \frac{\sigma}{\xi^2} \left\{ 2V + q^{-\xi} \log q [2 + \xi \log q] \right\}\end{aligned}$$

3.6 Second-order derivatives: limit for $\xi \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \sigma^2} &= \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \sigma \partial \xi} &= \\ \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial \xi^2} &= \end{aligned}$$