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Description

Electrical conductivity of soil paste extracts from the Lower Arkansas River Valley, at sites upstream and downstream of the John Martin Reservoir.

Usage

```
data(ArkansasRiver)
```

Format

```
The format is: List of 2 $ upstream : num [1:823] 2.37 3.53 3.06 3.35 3.07 ... $ downstream: num [1:435] 8.75 6.59 5.09 6.03 5.64 ...
```

Details

Electrical conductivity is a measure of soil water salinity.

Source

This data set was supplied by Eric Morway (<emorway@usgs.gov>).

References

Eric D. Morway and Timothy K. Gates (2011) Regional assessment of soil water salinity across an extensively irrigated river valley. Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering, doi:10.1061/(ASCE)IR.1943-4774.0000411

```
data(ArkansasRiver)
lapply(ArkansasRiver, summary)
upstream <- ArkansasRiver[[1]]
downstream <- ArkansasRiver[[2]]
## Fit normal inverse Gaussian
## Hyperbolic can also be fitted but fit is not as good
fitUpstream <- nigFit(upstream)
summary(fitUpstream)
par(mfrow = c(2,2))
plot(fitUpstream)
fitDownstream <- nigFit(downstream)</pre>
```

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```
summary(fitDownstream)
plot(fitDownstream)
par(mfrow = c(1,1))
## Combined plot to compare
## Reproduces Figure 3 from Morway and Gates (2011)
hist(upstream, col = "grey", xlab = "", ylab = "", cex.axis = 1.25,
     main = "", breaks = seq(0,20, by = 1), xlim = c(0,15), las = 1,
     ylim = c(0,0.5), freq = FALSE)
param <- coef(fitUpstream)</pre>
nigDens <- function(x) dnig(x, param = param)</pre>
curve(nigDens, 0, 15, n = 201, add = TRUE,
      ylab = NULL, col = "red", lty = 1, lwd = 1.7)
hist(downstream, add = TRUE, col = "black", angle = 45, density = 15,
     breaks = seq(0,20, by = 1), freq = FALSE)
param <- coef(fitDownstream)</pre>
nigDens <- function(x) dnig(x, param = param)</pre>
curve(nigDens, 0, 15, n = 201, add = TRUE,
      ylab = NULL, col = "red", lty = 1, lwd = 1.7)
mtext(expression(EC[e]), side = 1, line = 3, cex = 1.25)
mtext("Frequency", side = 2, line = 3, cex = 1.25)
legend(x = 7.5, y = 0.250, c("Upstream Region", "Downstream Region"),
       col = c("black","black"), density = c(NA,25),
       fill = c("grey", "black"), angle = c(NA,45),
       cex = 1.25, bty = "n", xpd = TRUE)
```

Functions for Moments Functions for Calculating Moments

Description

Functions used to calculate the mean, variance, skewness and kurtosis of a hyperbolic distribution. Not expected to be called directly by users.

Usage

```
RLambda(zeta, lambda = 1)
SLambda(zeta, lambda = 1)
MLambda(zeta, lambda = 1)
WLambda1(zeta, lambda = 1)
WLambda2(zeta, lambda = 1)
WLambda3(zeta, lambda = 1)
WLambda4(zeta, lambda = 1)
gammaLambda1(hyperbPi, zeta, lambda = 1)
gammaLambda1(hyperbPi, zeta, lambda = 1)
```

Arguments

hyperbPi Value of the parameter π of the hyperbolic distribution. Value of the parameter ζ of the hyperbolic distribution.

lambda Parameter related to order of Bessel functions.

Value

The functions RLambda and SLambda are used in the calculation of the mean and variance. They are functions of the Bessel functions of the third kind, implemented in R as besselK. The other functions are used in calculation of higher moments. See Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P. (1981) for details of the calculations.

The parameterization of the hyperbolic distribution used for this and other components of the HyperbolicDist package is the (π, ζ) one. See hyperbChangePars to transfer between parameterizations.

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P (1981). Hyperbolic distributions and ramifications: contributions to theory and application. In *Statistical Distributions in Scientific Work*, eds., Taillie, C., Patil, G. P., and Baldessari, B. A., Vol. 4, pp. 19–44. Dordrecht: Reidel.

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P (1983). Hyperbolic distributions. In *Encyclopedia of Statistical Sciences*, eds., Johnson, N. L., Kotz, S. and Read, C. B., Vol. 3, pp. 700–707. New York: Wiley.

See Also

dhyperb, hyperbMean, hyperbChangePars, besselK

Generalized Inverse Gaussian

Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Density function, cumulative distribution function, quantile function and random number generation for the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution with parameter vector param. Utility routines are included for the derivative of the density function and to find suitable break points for use in determining the distribution function.

Usage

Arguments

| x, q | Vector of quantiles. |
|------------|--|
| р | Vector of probabilities. |
| n | Number of observations to be generated. |
| chi | A shape parameter that by default holds a value of 1. |
| psi | Another shape parameter that is set to 1 by default. |
| lambda | Shape parameter of the GIG distribution. Common to all forms of parameterization. By default this is set to 1. |
| param | Parameter vector taking the form c(chi, psi, lambda) for rgig, or c(chi, psi) for rgig1. |
| method | Character. If "spline" quantiles are found from a spline approximation to the distribution function. If "integrate", the distribution function used is always obtained by integration. |
| lower.tail | Logical. If TRUE, probabilities are $P(X \le x)$, otherwise as $P(X > x)$. |
| KOmega | Sets the value of the Bessel function in the density or derivative of the density. See Details . |
| ibfTol | Value of tolerance to be passed to incompleteBesselK by pgig. |
| nmax | Value of maximum order of the approximating series to be passed to incompleteBesselK by pgig. |
| nInterpol | The number of points used in qgig for cubic spline interpolation (see splinefun) of the distribution function. |
| uniTol | Value of tol in calls to uniroot. See uniroot. |
| | Passes arguments to uniroot. See Details . |

Details

The generalized inverse Gaussian distribution has density

$$f(x) = \frac{(\psi/\chi)^{\frac{\lambda}{2}}}{2K_{\lambda}(\sqrt{\psi\chi})} x^{\lambda - 1} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\chi x^{-1} + \psi x)}$$

for x > 0, where $K_{\lambda}()$ is the modified Bessel function of the third kind with order λ .

The generalized inverse Gaussian distribution is investigated in detail in Jörgensen (1982).

Use gigChangePars to convert from the (δ, γ) , (α, β) , or (ω, η) parameterizations to the (χ, ψ) , parameterization used above.

pgig calls the function incompleteBesselK from the package **DistributionUtils** to integrate the density function dgig. This can be expected to be accurate to about 13 decimal places on a 32-bit computer, often more accurate. The algorithm used is due to Slavinsky and Safouhi (2010).

Calculation of quantiles using qgig permits the use of two different methods. Both methods use uniroot to find the value of x for which a given q is equal F(x) where F denotes the cumulative distribution function. The difference is in how the numerical approximation to F is obtained. The obvious and more accurate method is to calculate the value of F(x) whenever it is required using a call to pghyp. This is what is done if the method is specified as "integrate". It is clear that the time required for this approach is roughly linear in the number of quantiles being calculated. A Q-Q plot of a large data set will clearly take some time. The alternative (and default) method is that for the major part of the distribution a spline approximation to F(x) is calculated and quantiles found using uniroot with this approximation. For extreme values (for which the tail probability is less than 10^{-7}), the integration method is still used even when the method specifed is "spline".

If accurate probabilities or quantiles are required, tolerances (intTol and uniTol) should be set to small values, say 10^{-10} or 10^{-12} with method = "integrate". Generally then accuracy might be expected to be at least 10^{-9} . If the default values of the functions are used, accuracy can only be expected to be around 10^{-4} . Note that on 32-bit systems .Machine\$double.eps^0.25 = 0.0001220703 is a typical value.

Generalized inverse Gaussian observations are obtained via the algorithm of Dagpunar (1989).

Value

dgig gives the density, pgig gives the distribution function, qgig gives the quantile function, and rgig generates random variates. rgig1 generates random variates in the special case where $\lambda=1$. ddgig gives the derivative of dgig.

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Slevinsky, Richard M., and Safouhi, Hassan (2010) A recursive algorithm for the G transformation and accurate computation of incomplete Bessel functions. *Appl. Numer. Math.*, In press.

See Also

safeIntegrate, integrate for its shortfalls, splinefun, uniroot and gigChangePars for changing parameters to the (χ, ψ) parameterization, dghyp for the generalized hyperbolic distribution.

Examples

```
param <- c(2, 3, 1)
gigRange <- gigCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3))</pre>
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
curve(dgig(x, param = param), from = gigRange[1], to = gigRange[2],
      n = 1000)
title("Density of the\n Generalized Inverse Gaussian")
curve(pgig(x, param = param), from = gigRange[1], to = gigRange[2],
      n = 1000)
title("Distribution Function of the\n Generalized Inverse Gaussian")
dataVector <- rgig(500, param = param)</pre>
curve(dgig(x, param = param), range(dataVector)[1], range(dataVector)[2],
      n = 500)
hist(dataVector, freq = FALSE, add = TRUE)
title("Density and Histogram\n of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian")
DistributionUtils::logHist(dataVector, main =
        "Log-Density and Log-Histogram\n of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian")
curve(log(dgig(x, param = param)), add = TRUE,
      range(dataVector)[1], range(dataVector)[2], n = 500)
par(mfrow = c(2, 1))
curve(dgig(x, param = param), from = gigRange[1], to = gigRange[2],
      n = 1000)
title("Density of the\n Generalized Inverse Gaussian")
curve(ddgig(x, param = param), from = gigRange[1], to = gigRange[2],
      n = 1000
title("Derivative of the Density\n of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian")
```

GeneralizedHyperbolic The Package 'GeneralizedHyperbolic': Summary Information

Description

This package provides a collection of functions for working with the generalized hyperbolic and related distributions.

For the hyperbolic distribution functions are provided for the density function, distribution function, quantiles, random number generation and fitting the hyperbolic distribution to data (hyperbFit). The function hyperbChangePars will interchange parameter values between different parameterizations. The mean, variance, skewness, kurtosis and mode of a given hyperbolic distribution are given by hyperbMean, hyperbVar, hyperbSkew, hyperbKurt, and hyperbMode respectively. For assessing the fit of the hyperbolic distribution to a set of data, the log-histogram is useful. See

logHist from package **DistributionUtils**. Q-Q and P-P plots are also provided for assessing the fit of a hyperbolic distribution. A Crämer-von~Mises test of the goodness of fit of data to a hyperbolic distribution is given by hyperbCvMTest. S3 print, plot and summary methods are provided for the output of hyperbFit.

For the generalized hyperbolic distribution functions are provided for the density function, distribution function, quantiles, and for random number generation. The function ghypChangePars will interchange parameter values between different parameterizations. The mean, variance, and mode of a given generalized hyperbolic distribution are given by ghypMean, ghypVar, ghypSkew, ghypKurt, and ghypMode respectively. Q-Q and P-P plots are also provided for assessing the fit of a generalized hyperbolic distribution.

For the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution functions are provided for the density function, distribution function, quantiles, and for random number generation. The function gigChangePars will interchange parameter values between different parameterizations. The mean, variance, skewness, kurtosis and mode of a given generalized inverse Gaussian distribution are given by gigMean, gigVar, gigSkew, gigKurt, and gigMode respectively. Q-Q and P-P plots are also provided for assessing the fit of a generalized inverse Gaussian distribution.

For the skew-Laplace distribution functions are provided for the density function, distribution function, quantiles, and for random number generation. Q-Q and P-P plots are also provided for assessing the fit of a skew-Laplace distribution.

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Jörgensen, B. (1982). Statistical Properties of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution. Lecture Notes in Statistics, Vol. 9, Springer-Verlag, New York.

Prause, K. (1999) *The generalized hyperbolic models: Estimation, financial derivatives and risk measurement.* PhD Thesis, Mathematics Faculty, University of Freiburg.

GeneralizedHyperbolicDistribution

Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Density function, distribution function, quantiles and random number generation for the generalized hyperbolic distribution, with parameters α (tail), β (skewness), δ (peakness), μ (location) and λ (shape).

Usage

Arguments

| x,q | Vector of quantiles. |
|--------|---|
| р | Vector of probabilities. |
| n | Number of random variates to be generated. |
| mu | Location parameter μ , default is 0. |
| delta | Scale parameter δ , default is 1. |
| alpha | Tail parameter α , default is 1. |
| beta | Skewness parameter β , default is 0. |
| lambda | Shape parameter λ , default is 1. |
| param | Specifying the parameters as a vector of the form $c(mu,delta,alpha,beta,lambda)$. |

| method | Character. If "spline" quantiles are found from a spline approximation to the distribution function. If "integrate", the distribution function used is always obtained by integration. |
|--------------|--|
| lower.tail | Logical. If TRUE, probabilities are $P(X \le x)$, otherwise they are $P(X > x)$. |
| subdivisions | The maximum number of subdivisions used to integrate the density and determine the accuracy of the distribution function calculation. |
| intTol | Value of rel.tol and hence abs.tol in calls to integrate. See integrate. |
| valueOnly | Logical. If valueOnly = TRUE calls to pghyp only return the value obtained for the integral. If valueOnly = FALSE an estimate of the accuracy of the numerical integration is also returned. |
| nInterpol | Number of points used in qghyp for cubic spline interpolation of the distribution function. |
| uniTol | Value of tol in calls to uniroot. See uniroot. |
| ••• | Passes additional arguments to integrate in pghyp and qghyp, and to uniroot in qghyp. |

Details

Users may either specify the values of the parameters individually or as a vector. If both forms are specified, then the values specified by the vector param will overwrite the other ones. In addition the parameter values are examined by calling the function ghypCheckPars to see if they are valid.

The density function is

$$f(x) = c(\lambda, \alpha, \beta, \delta) \times \frac{K_{\lambda - 1/2}(\alpha\sqrt{\delta^2 + (x - \mu)^2})}{(\frac{\sqrt{\delta^2 + (x - \mu)^2}}{\alpha})^{1/2 - \lambda}} e^{\beta(x - \mu)}$$

where $K_{\nu}()$ is the modified Bessel function of the third kind with order ν , and

$$c(\lambda, \alpha, \beta, \delta) = \frac{(\frac{\sqrt{\alpha^2 - \beta^2}}{\delta})^{\lambda}}{\sqrt{2\pi} K_{\lambda} (\delta \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \beta^2})}$$

Use ghypChangePars to convert from the (ρ, ζ) , (ξ, χ) , $(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta})$, or (π, ζ) parameterizations to the (α, β) parameterization used above.

pghyp uses the function integrate to numerically integrate the density function. The integration is from -Inf to x if x is to the left of the mode, and from x to Inf if x is to the right of the mode. The probability calculated this way is subtracted from 1 if required. Integration in this manner appears to make calculation of the quantile function more stable in extreme cases.

Calculation of quantiles using qghyp permits the use of two different methods. Both methods use uniroot to find the value of x for which a given q is equal F(x) where F denotes the cumulative distribution function. The difference is in how the numerical approximation to F is obtained. The obvious and more accurate method is to calculate the value of F(x) whenever it is required using a call to pghyp. This is what is done if the method is specified as "integrate". It is clear that the time required for this approach is roughly linear in the number of quantiles being calculated. A Q-Q plot of a large data set will clearly take some time. The alternative (and default) method is that for

the major part of the distribution a spline approximation to F(x) is calculated and quantiles found using uniroot with this approximation. For extreme values (for which the tail probability is less than 10^{-7}), the integration method is still used even when the method specified is "spline".

If accurate probabilities or quantiles are required, tolerances (intTol and uniTol) should be set to small values, say 10^{-10} or 10^{-12} with method = "integrate". Generally then accuracy might be expected to be at least 10^{-9} . If the default values of the functions are used, accuracy can only be expected to be around 10^{-4} . Note that on 32-bit systems .Machine\$double.eps^0.25 = 0.0001220703 is a typical value.

Value

dghyp gives the density function, pghyp gives the distribution function, qghyp gives the quantile function and rghyp generates random variates.

An estimate of the accuracy of the approximation to the distribution function can be found by setting valueOnly = FALSE in the call to pghyp which returns a list with components value and error. ddghyp gives the derivative of dghyp.

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O., and Blæsild, P (1983). Hyperbolic distributions. In *Encyclopedia of Statistical Sciences*, eds., Johnson, N. L., Kotz, S., and Read, C. B., Vol. 3, pp. 700–707.-New York: Wiley.

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Prause, K. (1999) *The generalized hyperbolic models: Estimation, financial derivatives and risk measurement.* PhD Thesis, Mathematics Faculty, University of Freiburg.

See Also

dhyperb for the hyperbolic distribution, dgig for the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution, safeIntegrate, integrate for its shortfalls, also splinefun, uniroot and ghypChangePars for changing parameters to the (α, β) parameterization.

```
param <- c(0, 1, 3, 1, 1/2)
ghypRange <- ghypCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3))
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))

### curves of density and distribution
curve(dghyp(x, param = param), ghypRange[1], ghypRange[2], n = 1000)
title("Density of the \n Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution")</pre>
```

```
curve(pghyp(x, param = param), ghypRange[1], ghypRange[2], n = 500)
title("Distribution Function of the \n Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution")
### curves of density and log density
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
data <- rghyp(1000, param = param)</pre>
curve(dghyp(x, param = param), range(data)[1], range(data)[2],
      n = 1000, col = 2)
hist(data, freq = FALSE, add = TRUE)
title("Density and Histogram of the\n Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution")
DistributionUtils::logHist(data,
    main = "Log-Density and Log-Histogram of\n the Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution")
curve(log(dghyp(x, param = param)),
      range(data)[1], range(data)[2],
      n = 500, add = TRUE, col = 2)
### plots of density and derivative
par(mfrow = c(2, 1))
curve(dghyp(x, param = param), ghypRange[1], ghypRange[2], n = 1000)
title("Density of the\n Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution")
curve(ddghyp(x, param = param), ghypRange[1], ghypRange[2], n = 1000)
title("Derivative of the Density of the\n Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution")
```

GeneralizedHyperbolicPlots

Generalized Hyperbolic Quantile-Quantile and Percent-Percent Plots

Description

qqghyp produces a generalized hyperbolic Q-Q plot of the values in y.

ppghyp produces a generalized hyperbolic P-P (percent-percent) or probability plot of the values in y.

Graphical parameters may be given as arguments to qqghyp, and ppghyp.

Usage

Arguments

| У | The data sample. |
|----------------|---|
| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| lambda | λ is the shape parameter and dictates the shape that the distribution shall take. Default value is 1. |
| param | Parameters of the generalized hyperbolic distribution. |
| xlab, ylab, ma | in |
| | Plot labels. |
| plot.it | Logical. Should the result be plotted? |
| line | Add line through origin with unit slope. |
| | Further graphical parameters. |

Value

For qqghyp and ppghyp, a list with components:

x The x coordinates of the points that are to be plotted.y The y coordinates of the points that are to be plotted.

References

Wilk, M. B. and Gnanadesikan, R. (1968) Probability plotting methods for the analysis of data. *Biometrika*. **55**, 1–17.

See Also

```
ppoints, dghyp.
```

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
y <- rghyp(200, param = c(2, 2, 2, 1, 2))
qqghyp(y, param = c(2, 2, 2, 1, 2), line = FALSE)
abline(0, 1, col = 2)
ppghyp(y, param = c(2, 2, 2, 1, 2))</pre>
```

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| ghypCalcRange Range of a Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution |
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| ghypCalcRange Range of a Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution |

Description

Given the parameter vector Theta of a generalized hyperbolic distribution, this function determines the range outside of which the density function is negligible, to a specified tolerance. The parameterization used is the (α, β) one (see dghyp). To use another parameterization, use ghypChangePars.

Usage

```
ghypCalcRange(mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0, lambda = 1, param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta, lambda), tol = 10^{(-5)}, density = TRUE, ...)
```

Arguments

| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
|---------|--|
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| lambda | λ is the shape parameter and dictates the shape that the distribution shall take. Default value is 1. |
| param | Value of parameter vector specifying the generalized hyperbolic distribution. This takes the form c(mu, delta,alpha, beta, lambda). |
| tol | Tolerance. |
| density | Logical. If TRUE, the bounds are for the density function. If FALSE, they should be for the probability distribution, but this has not yet been implemented. |
| | Extra arguments for calls to uniroot. |

Details

The particular generalized hyperbolic distribution being considered is specified by the value of the parameter value param.

If density = TRUE, the function gives a range, outside of which the density is less than the given tolerance. Useful for plotting the density. Also used in determining break points for the separate sections over which numerical integration is used to determine the distribution function. The points are found by using uniroot on the density function.

If density = FALSE, the function returns the message: "Distribution function bounds not yet implemented".

Value

A two-component vector giving the lower and upper ends of the range.

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Author(s)

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P (1983). Hyperbolic distributions. In *Encyclopedia of Statistical Sciences*, eds., Johnson, N. L., Kotz, S. and Read, C. B., Vol. 3, pp. 700–707. New York: Wiley.

See Also

```
dghyp, ghypChangePars
```

Examples

```
param <- c(0, 1, 5, 3, 1)
maxDens <- dghyp(ghypMode(param = param), param = param)
ghypRange <- ghypCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3) * maxDens)
ghypRange
curve(dghyp(x, param = param), ghypRange[1], ghypRange[2])
## Not run: ghypCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3), density = FALSE)</pre>
```

ghypChangePars

Change Parameterizations of the Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

This function interchanges between the following 5 parameterizations of the generalized hyperbolic distribution:

```
1. \mu, \delta, \alpha, \beta, \lambda
```

2. μ , δ , ρ , ζ , λ

3. μ , δ , ξ , χ , λ

4. μ , δ , $\bar{\alpha}$, $\bar{\beta}$, λ

5. μ , δ , π , ζ , λ

The first four are the parameterizations given in Prause (1999). The final parameterization has proven useful in fitting.

Usage

```
ghypChangePars(from, to, param, noNames = FALSE)
```

Arguments

from The set of parameters to change from. to The set of parameters to change to.

param "from" parameter vector consisting of 5 numerical elements.

noNames Logical. When TRUE, suppresses the parameter names in the output.

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Details

In the 5 parameterizations, the following must be positive:

- 1. α, δ
- $2. \zeta, \delta$
- 3. ξ , δ
- 4. $\bar{\alpha}, \delta$
- 5. ζ , δ

Furthermore, note that in the first parameterization α must be greater than the absolute value of β ; in the third parameterization, ξ must be less than one, and the absolute value of χ must be less than ξ ; and in the fourth parameterization, $\bar{\alpha}$ must be greater than the absolute value of $\bar{\beta}$.

Value

A numerical vector of length 5 representing param in the to parameterization.

Author(s)

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P. (1983). Hyperbolic distributions. In *Encyclopedia of Statistical Sciences*, eds., Johnson, N. L., Kotz, S. and Read, C. B., Vol. 3, pp. 700–707. New York: Wiley.

Prause, K. (1999) *The generalized hyperbolic models: Estimation, financial derivatives and risk measurement.* PhD Thesis, Mathematics Faculty, University of Freiburg.

See Also

dghyp

```
param1 <- c(0, 3, 2, 1, 2)  # Parameterization 1
param2 <- ghypChangePars(1, 2, param1)  # Convert to parameterization 2
param2  # Parameterization 2
ghypChangePars(2, 1, param2)  # Back to parameterization 1</pre>
```

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ghypCheckPars

Check Parameters of the Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Given a putative set of parameters for the generalized hyperbolic distribution, the functions checks if they are in the correct range, and if they correspond to the boundary cases.

Usage

```
ghypCheckPars(param)
```

Arguments

param

Numeric. Putative parameter values for a generalized hyperblic distribution.

Details

The vector param takes the form c(mu, delta, alpha, beta, lambda).

If alpha is negative, an error is returned.

If lambda is 0 then the absolute value of beta must be less than alpha and delta must be greater than zero. If either of these conditions are false, than a error is returned.

If lambda is greater than 0 the absolute value of beta must be less than alpha. delta must also be non-negative. When either one of these is not true, an error is returned.

If lambda is less than 0 then the absolute value of beta must be equal to alpha. delta must be greater than 0, if both conditions are not true, an error is returned.

Value

A list with components:

case Either "" or "error".

errMessage An appropriate error message if an error was found, the empty string "" other-

wise.

Author(s)

David Scott <d.scott@auckland.ac.nz>

References

Paolella, Marc S. (2007) Intermediate Probability: A Computational Approach, Chichester: Wiley

See Also

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Examples

```
ghypCheckPars(c(0, 2.5, -0.5, 1, 0))
                                          # error
ghypCheckPars(c(0, 2.5, 0.5, 0, 0))
                                          # normal
ghypCheckPars(c(0, 1, 1, -1, 0))
                                          # error
ghypCheckPars(c(2, 0, 1, 0.5, 0))
                                          # error
ghypCheckPars(c(0, 5, 2, 1.5, 0))
                                          # normal
ghypCheckPars(c(0, -2.5, -0.5, 1, 1))
ghypCheckPars(c(0, -1, 0.5, 1, 1))
                                          # error
ghypCheckPars(c(0, 0, -0.5, -1, 1))
                                          # error
ghypCheckPars(c(2, 0, 0.5, 0, -1))
                                          # error
ghypCheckPars(c(2, 0, 1, 0.5, 1))
                                          # skew laplace
ghypCheckPars(c(0, 1, 1, 1, -1))
                                          # skew hyperbolic
```

ghypMom

Calculate Moments of the Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Function to calculate raw moments, mu moments, central moments and moments about any other given location for the generalized hyperbolic distribution.

Usage

Arguments

| order | Numeric. The order of the moment to be calculated. Not permitted to be a vector. Must be a positive whole number except for moments about zero. |
|---------|---|
| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| lambda | λ is the shape parameter and dictates the shape that the distribution shall take. Default value is 1. |
| param | Numeric. The parameter vector specifying the generalized hyperbolic distribution. Of the form c(mu, delta, alpha, beta, lambda) (see dghyp). |
| momType | Common types of moments to be calculated, default is "raw". See Details . |
| about | Numeric. The point around which the moment is to be calculated. |

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Details

Checking whether order is a whole number is carried out using the function is. wholenumber.

momType can be either "raw" (moments about zero), "mu" (moments about mu), or "central" (moments about mean). If one of these moment types is specified, then there is no need to specify the about value. For moments about any other location, the about value must be specified. In the case that both momType and about are specified and contradicting, the function will always calculate the moments based on about rather than momType.

To calculate moments of the generalized hyperbolic distribution, the function firstly calculates mu moments by formula defined below and then transforms mu moments to central moments or raw moments or moments about any other locations as required by calling momChangeAbout.

The mu moments are obtained from the recursion formula given in Scott, Würtz and Tran (2011).

Value

The moment specified.

Author(s)

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References

Scott, D. J., Würtz, D., Dong, C. and Tran, T. T. (2011) Moments of the generalized hyperbolic distribution. *Comp. Statistics.*, **26**, 459–476.

See Also

ghypChangePars and from package **DistributionUtils**: logHist, is.wholenumber, momChangeAbout, and momIntegrated.

Further, ghypMean, ghypVar, ghypSkew, ghypKurt.

```
param <- c(1, 2, 2, 1, 2)
mu <- param[1]
### mu moments
m1 <- ghypMean(param = param)
m1 - mu
ghypMom(1, param = param, momType = "mu")

### Comparison, using momIntegrated from pkg 'DistributionUtils':
momIntegrated <- DistributionUtils :: momIntegrated

momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 1, param = param, about = mu)
ghypMom(2, param = param, momType = "mu")
momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 2, param = param, about = mu)
ghypMom(10, param = param, momType = "mu")
momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 10, param = param, about = mu)</pre>
```

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```
### raw moments
ghypMean(param = param)
ghypMom(1, param = param, momType = "raw")
momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 1, param = param, about = 0)
ghypMom(2, param = param, momType = "raw")
momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 2, param = param, about = 0)
ghypMom(10, param = param, momType = "raw")
momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 10, param = param, about = 0)
### central moments
ghypMom(1, param = param, momType = "central")
momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 1, param = param, about = m1)
ghypVar(param = param)
ghypMom(2, param = param, momType = "central")
momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 2, param = param, about = m1)
ghypMom(10, param = param, momType = "central")
momIntegrated("ghyp", order = 10, param = param, about = m1)
```

ghypParam

Parameter Sets for the Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

These objects store different parameter sets of the generalized hyperbolic distribution as matrices for testing or demonstration purposes.

The parameter sets ghypSmallShape and ghypLargeShape have a constant location parameter of $\mu=0$, and constant scale parameter $\delta=1$. In ghypSmallParam and ghypLargeParam the values of the location and scale parameters vary. In these parameter sets the location parameter $\mu=0$ takes values from $\{0,1\}$ and $\{-1,0,1,2\}$ respectively. For the scale parameter δ , values are drawn from $\{1,5\}$ and $\{1,2,5,10\}$ respectively.

For the shape parameters α and β the approach is more complex. The values for these shape parameters were chosen by choosing values of ξ and χ which range over the shape triangle, then the function ghypChangePars was applied to convert them to the α,β parameterization. The resulting α,β values were then rounded to three decimal places. See the examples for the values of ξ and χ for the large parameter sets.

The values of λ are drawn from {-0.5, 0, 1} in ghypSmallShape and {-1, -0.5, 0, 0.5, 1, 2} in ghypLargeShape.

Usage

```
ghypSmallShape
ghypLargeShape
ghypSmallParam
ghypLargeParam
```

Format

ghypSmallShape: a 22 by 5 matrix; ghypLargeShape: a 90 by 5 matrix; ghypSmallParam: a 84 by 5 matrix; ghypLargeParam: a 1440 by 5 matrix.

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Examples

ghypScale

Rescale a generalized hyperbolic distribution

Description

Given a specific mean and standard deviation will rescale any given generalized hyperbolic distribution to have the same shape but the specified mean and standard deviation. Can be used to standardize a generalized hyperbolic distribution to have mean zero and standard deviation one.

Usage

Arguments

| newMean | Numeric. The required mean of the rescaled distribution. |
|---------|---|
| newSD | Numeric. The required standard deviation of the rescaled distribution. |
| mu | Numeric. Location parameter μ of the starting distribution, default is 0. |
| delta | Numeric. Scale parameter δ of the starting distribution, default is 1. |
| alpha | Numeric. Tail parameter α of the starting distribution, default is 1. |
| beta | Numeric. Skewness parameter β of the starting distribution, default is 0. |

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lambda Numeric. Shape parameter λ of the starting distribution, default is 1.

param Numeric. Specifying the parameters of the starting distribution as a vector of

the form

c(mu,delta,alpha,beta,lambda).

Value

A numerical vector of length 5 giving the value of the parameters in the rescaled generalized hyperbolic distribution in the usual (α, β) parameterization.

Author(s)

David Scott <d.scott@auckland.ac.nz>

Examples

```
param <- c(2,10,0.1,0.07,-0.5) # a normal inverse Gaussian
ghypMean(param = param)
ghypVar(param = param)
## convert to standardized parameters
(newParam <- ghypScale(0, 1, param = param))
ghypMean(param = newParam)
ghypVar(param = newParam)

## try some other mean and sd
(newParam <- ghypScale(1, 1, param = param))
ghypMean(param = newParam)
sqrt(ghypVar(param = newParam))
(newParam <- ghypScale(10, 2, param = param))
ghypMean(param = newParam)
sqrt(ghypVar(param = newParam))</pre>
```

gigCalcRange

Range of a Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Given the parameter vector param of a generalized inverse Gaussian distribution, this function determines the range outside of which the density function is negligible, to a specified tolerance. The parameterization used is the (χ,ψ) one (see dgig). To use another parameterization, use gigChangePars.

Usage

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Arguments

| chi | A shape parameter that by default holds a value of 1. |
|---------|--|
| psi | Another shape parameter that is set to 1 by default. |
| lambda | Shape parameter of the GIG distribution. Common to all forms of parameterization. By default this is set to 1. |
| param | Value of parameter vector specifying the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution. |
| tol | Tolerance. |
| density | Logical. If TRUE, the bounds are for the density function. If FALSE, they should be for the probability distribution, but this has not yet been implemented. |

Details

The particular generalized inverse Gaussian distribution being considered is specified by the value of the parameter value param.

If density = TRUE, the function gives a range, outside of which the density is less than the given tolerance. Useful for plotting the density. Also used in determining break points for the separate sections over which numerical integration is used to determine the distribution function. The points are found by using uniroot on the density function.

If density = FALSE, the function returns the message: "Distribution function bounds not yet implemented".

Value

A two-component vector giving the lower and upper ends of the range.

Extra arguments for calls to uniroot.

Author(s)

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References

Jörgensen, B. (1982). Statistical Properties of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution. Lecture Notes in Statistics, Vol. 9, Springer-Verlag, New York.

See Also

```
dgig, gigChangePars
```

```
param <- c(2.5, 0.5, 5)
maxDens <- dgig(gigMode(param = param), param = param)
gigRange <- gigCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3) * maxDens)
gigRange
curve(dgig(x, param = param), gigRange[1], gigRange[2])
## Not run: gigCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3), density = FALSE)</pre>
```

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|--|---------------|---|
|--|---------------|---|

Description

This function interchanges between the following 4 parameterizations of the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution:

```
1. (\chi, \psi, \lambda)
```

2. $(\delta, \gamma, \lambda)$

3. (α, β, λ)

4. (ω, η, λ)

See Jörgensen (1982) and Dagpunar (1989)

Usage

```
gigChangePars(from, to, param, noNames = FALSE)
```

Arguments

from The set of parameters to change from. to The set of parameters to change to.

param "from" parameter vector consisting of 3 numerical elements.

noNames Logical. When TRUE, suppresses the parameter names in the output.

Details

The range of λ is the whole real line. In each parameterization, the other two parameters must take positive values.

Value

A numerical vector of length 3 representing param in the "to" parameterization.

Author(s)

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References

Jörgensen, B. (1982). *Statistical Properties of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution*. Lecture Notes in Statistics, Vol. 9, Springer-Verlag, New York.

Dagpunar, J. S. (1989). An easily implemented generalised inverse Gaussian generator, *Commun. Statist.—Simula.*, **18**, 703–710.

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See Also

```
dgig
```

Examples

```
param1 <- c(2.5, 0.5, 5)  # Parameterisation 1
param2 <- gigChangePars(1, 2, param1)  # Convert to parameterization 2
param2  # Parameterization 2
gigChangePars(2, 1, as.numeric(param2)) # Convert back to parameterization 1</pre>
```

gigCheckPars

Check Parameters of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Given a putative set of parameters for the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution, the functions checks if they are in the correct range, and if they correspond to the boundary cases.

Usage

```
gigCheckPars(param, ...)
```

Arguments

Numeric. Putative parameter values for a generalized inverse Gaussian distribution.

... Further arguments for calls to all.equal.

Details

The vector param takes the form c(chi, psi, lambda).

If either chi or psi is negative, an error is returned.

If chi is 0 (to within tolerance allowed by all.equal) then psi and lambda must be positive or an error is returned. If these conditions are satisfied, the distribution is identified as a gamma distribution.

If psi is 0 (to within tolerance allowed by all.equal) then chi must be positive and lambda must be negative or an error is returned. If these conditions are satisfied, the distribution is identified as an inverse gamma distribution.

If both chi and psi are positive, then the distribution is identified as a normal generalized inverse Gaussian distribution.

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Value

A list with components:

case Whichever of "error", "gamma", invgamma, or "normal" is identified by the

function.

errMessage An appropriate error message if an error was found, the empty string "" other-

wise.

Author(s)

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References

Paolella, Marc S. (2007) Intermediate Probability: A Computational Approach, Chichester: Wiley

See Also

dgig

Examples

```
gigCheckPars(c(5, 2.5, -0.5))
                                   # normal
gigCheckPars(c(-5, 2.5, 0.5))
                                   # error
gigCheckPars(c(5, -2.5, 0.5))
                                   # error
gigCheckPars(c(-5, -2.5, 0.5))
                                   # error
gigCheckPars(c(0, 2.5, 0.5))
                                   # gamma
gigCheckPars(c(0, 2.5, -0.5))
                                   # error
gigCheckPars(c(0, 0, 0.5))
                                   # error
gigCheckPars(c(0, 0, -0.5))
                                   # error
gigCheckPars(c(5, 0, 0.5))
                                   # error
gigCheckPars(c(5, 0, -0.5))
                                   # invgamma
```

gigFit

Fit the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution to Data

Description

Fits a generalized inverse Gaussian distribution to data. Displays the histogram, log-histogram (both with fitted densities), Q-Q plot and P-P plot for the fit which has the maximum likelihood.

Usage

```
gigFit(x, freq = NULL, paramStart = NULL,
    startMethod = c("Nelder-Mead", "BFGS"),
    startValues = c("LM", "GammaIG", "MoM", "Symb", "US"),
    method = c("Nelder-Mead", "BFGS", "nlm"),
    stand = TRUE, plots = FALSE, printOut = FALSE,
```

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```
controlBFGS = list(maxit = 200),
         controlNM = list(maxit = 1000),
         maxitNLM = 1500, \ldots)
  ## S3 method for class 'gigFit'
print(x,
        digits = max(3, getOption("digits") - 3), ...)
  ## S3 method for class 'gigFit'
plot(x, which = 1:4,
       plotTitles = paste(c("Histogram of ", "Log-Histogram of ",
                           "Q-Q Plot of ", "P-P Plot of "),
                          x$obsName, sep = ""),
       ask = prod(par("mfcol")) < length(which) & dev.interactive(), ...)</pre>
  ## S3 method for class 'gigFit'
coef(object, ...)
  ## S3 method for class 'gigFit'
vcov(object, ...)
```

Arguments ×

| freq | A vector of weights with length equal to length(x). |
|-------------|---|
| paramStart | A user specified starting parameter vector param taking the form c(chi, psi, lambda). |
| startMethod | Method used by gigFitStartMoM in calls to optim. |
| startValues | Code giving the method of determining starting values for finding the maximum likelihood estimate of param. |
| method | Different optimisation methods to consider. See Details . |
| stand | Logical. If TRUE, the data is first standardized by dividing by the sample standard deviation. |
| plots | Logical. If FALSE suppresses printing of the histogram, log-histogram, Q-Q plot and P-P plot. |
| printOut | Logical. If FALSE suppresses printing of results of fitting. |
| controlBFGS | A list of control parameters for optim when using the "BFGS" optimisation. |
| controlNM | A list of control parameters for optim when using the "Nelder-Mead" optimisation. |
| maxitNLM | A positive integer specifying the maximum number of iterations when using the "nlm" optimisation. |
| digits | Desired number of digits when the object is printed. |
| which | If a subset of the plots is required, specify a subset of the numbers 1:4. |
| plotTitles | Titles to appear above the plots. |

Data vector for gigFit. Object of class "gigFit" for print.gigFit and plot.gigFit.

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| ask | Logical. If TRUE, the user is $asked$ before each plot, see par(ask = .). |
|--------|---|
| | Passes arguments to optim, par, hist, logHist, qqgig and ppgig. |
| object | Object of class "gigFit" for coef.gigFit and for vcov.gigFit. |

Details

Possible values of the argument startValues are the following:

- "LM"Based on fitting linear models to the upper tails of the data x and the inverse of the data
- "GammaIG"Based on fitting gamma and inverse gamma distributions.
- "MoM" Method of moments.
- "Symb"Not yet implemented.
- "US" User-supplied.

If startValues = "US" then a value must be supplied for paramStart.

For the details concerning the use of paramStart, startMethod, and startValues, see gigFitStart.

The three optimisation methods currently available are:

- "BFGS"Uses the quasi-Newton method "BFGS" as documented in optim.
- "Nelder-Mead" Uses an implementation of the Nelder and Mead method as documented in optim.
- "nlm"Uses the nlm function in R.

For details of how to pass control information for optimisation using optim and nlm, see optim and nlm.

When method = "nlm" is used, warnings may be produced. These do not appear to be a problem.

Value

gigFit returns a list with components:

| param | A vector giving the maximum likelihood estimate of param, as c(chi, psi, lambda). |
|-------------|--|
| maxLik | The value of the maximised log-likelihood. |
| method | Optimisation method used. |
| conv | Convergence code. See the relevant documentation (either optim or nlm) for details on convergence. |
| iter | Number of iterations of optimisation routine. |
| obs | The data used to fit the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution. |
| obsName | A character string with the actual x argument name. |
| paramStart | Starting value of param returned by call to gigFitStart. |
| svName | Descriptive name for the method finding start values. |
| startValues | Acronym for the method of finding start values. |
| breaks | The cell boundaries found by a call to hist. |
| midpoints | The cell midpoints found by a call to hist. |
| empDens | The estimated density found by a call to hist. |

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Author(s)

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References

Jörgensen, B. (1982). Statistical Properties of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution. Lecture Notes in Statistics, Vol. 9, Springer-Verlag, New York.

See Also

```
optim, par, hist, logHist (pkg Distribution Utils), qqgig, ppgig, and gigFitStart.
```

Examples

```
param <- c(1, 1, 1)
dataVector <- rgig(500, param = param)
## See how well gigFit works
gigFit(dataVector)
##gigFit(dataVector, plots = TRUE)

## See how well gigFit works in the limiting cases
## Gamma case
dataVector2 <- rgamma(500, shape = 1, rate = 1)
gigFit(dataVector2)

## Inverse gamma
require(actuar)
dataVector3 <- rinvgamma(500, shape = 1, rate = 1)
gigFit(dataVector3)

## Use nlm instead of default
gigFit(dataVector, method = "nlm")</pre>
```

gigFitStart

Find Starting Values for Fitting a Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Finds starting values for input to a maximum likelihood routine for fitting the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution to data.

Usage

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```
startMethodMoM = "Nelder-Mead", ...)
gigFitStartLM(x, ...)
```

Arguments

x Data vector.

startValues Acronym indicating the method to use for obtaining starting values to be used as input to gigFit. See **Details**.

paramStart Starting values for param if startValues = "US".

startMethodMoM Method used by call to optim in finding method of moments estimates.

... Passes arguments to optim and calls to hist.

Details

Possible values of the argument startValues are the following:

- "LM"Based on fitting linear models to the upper tails of the data x and the inverse of the data 1/x.
- "GammaIG"Based on fitting gamma and inverse gamma distributions.
- "MoM" Method of moments.
- "Symb"Not yet implemented.
- "US" User-supplied.

If startValues = "US" then a value must be supplied for paramStart.

When startValues = "MoM" an initial optimisation is needed to find the starting values. This optimisations starts from arbitrary values, c(1,1,1) for the parameters (χ,ψ,λ) and calls optim with the method given by startMethodMoM. Other starting values for the method of moments can be used by supplying a value for paramStart.

The default method of finding starting values is "LM". Testing indicates this is quite fast and finds good starting values. In addition, it does not require any starting values itself.

gigFitStartMoM is called by gigFitStart and implements the method of moments approach.

gigFitStartLM is called by gigFitStart and implements the linear models approach.

Value

gigFitStart returns a list with components:

paramStart A vector with elements chi, psi, and lambda giving the starting value of param.

breaks The cell boundaries found by a call to hist.

midpoints The cell midpoints found by a call to hist.

empDens The estimated density found by a call to hist.

gigFitStartMoM and gigFitStartLM each return paramStart, the starting value of param, to the calling function gigFitStart

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See Also

```
dgig, gigFit.
```

Examples

```
param <- c(1, 1, 1)
dataVector <- rgig(500, param = param)
gigFitStart(dataVector)</pre>
```

gigHessian

Calculate Two-Sided Hessian for the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Calculates the Hessian of a function, either exactly or approximately. Used to obtaining the information matrix for maximum likelihood estimation.

Usage

Arguments

x Data vector.

param The maximum likelihood estimates parameter vector of the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution. There are five different sets of parameterazations can be used in this function, the first four sets are listed in gigChangePars and the last set is the log scale of the first set of the parameterization, i.e., mu,log(delta),Pi,log(zeta).

hessianMethod Only the approximate method ("tsHessian") has actually been implemented so far.

whichParam Numeric. A number between indicating which parameterization the argument

Details

The approximate Hessian is obtained via a call to tsHessian from the package DistributionUtils. summary.gigFit calls the function gigHessian to calculate the Hessian matrix when the argument hessian = TRUE.

param relates to. Only parameterization 1 is available so far.

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Value

gigHessian gives the approximate Hessian matrix for the data vector x and the estimated parameter vector param.

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Examples

gigMom

Calculate Moments of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Functions to calculate raw moments and moments about a given location for the generalized inverse Gaussian (GIG) distribution, including the gamma and inverse gamma distributions as special cases.

Usage

Arguments

| order | Numeric. The order of the moment to be calculated. Not permitted to be a vector. Must be a positive whole number except for moments about zero. |
|--------|---|
| chi | A shape parameter that by default holds a value of 1. |
| psi | Another shape parameter that is set to 1 by default. |
| lambda | Shape parameter of the GIG distribution. Common to all forms of parameterization. By default this is set to 1. |
| param | Numeric. The parameter vector specifying the GIG distribution. Of the form c(chi, psi, lambda) (see dgig). |

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| about | Numeric. The point around which the moment is to be calculated. |
|-------|---|
| shape | Numeric. The shape parameter, must be non-negative, not permitted to be a vector. |
| scale | Numeric. The scale parameter, must be positive, not permitted to be a vector. |
| rate | Numeric. The rate parameter, an alternative way to specify the scale. |

Details

The vector param of parameters is examined using gigCheckPars to see if the parameters are valid for the GIG distribution and if they correspond to the special cases which are the gamma and inverse gamma distributions. Checking of special cases and valid parameter vector values is carried out using the function gigCheckPars. Checking whether order is a whole number is carried out using the function is.wholenumber.

Raw moments (moments about zero) are calculated using the functions gigRawMom or gammaRawMom. For moments not about zero, the function momChangeAbout is used to derive moments about another point from raw moments. Note that raw moments of the inverse gamma distribution can be obtained from the raw moments of the gamma distribution because of the relationship between the two distributions. An alternative implementation of raw moments of the gamma and inverse gamma distributions may be found in the package **actuar** and these may be faster since they are written in C.

To calculate the raw moments of the GIG distribution it is convenient to use the alternative parameterization of the GIG in terms of ω and η , given as parameterization 3 in gigChangePars. Then the raw moment of the GIG distribution of order k is given by

$$\eta^k K_{\lambda+k}(\omega)/K_{\lambda}(\omega)$$

where $K_{\lambda}()$ is the modified Bessel function of the third kind of order λ .

The raw moment of the gamma distribution of order k with shape parameter α and rate parameter β is given by

$$\beta^{-k}\Gamma(\alpha+k)/\Gamma(\alpha)$$

The raw moment of order k of the inverse gamma distribution with shape parameter α and rate parameter β is the raw moment of order -k of the gamma distribution with shape parameter α and rate parameter $1/\beta$.

Value

The moment specified. In the case of raw moments, Inf is returned if the moment is infinite.

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References

Paolella, Marc S. (2007) Intermediate Probability: A Computational Approach, Chichester: Wiley

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See Also

 $\verb|gigCheckPars|, \verb|gigChangePars| and from package \verb| Distribution Utils|: \verb| is.wholenumber|, momChangeAbout|, momIntegrated|$

Further, gigMean, gigVar, gigSkew, gigKurt.

```
## Computations, using momIntegrated from pkg 'DistributionUtils':
momIntegrated <- DistributionUtils :: momIntegrated</pre>
### Raw moments of the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution
param <- c(5, 2.5, -0.5)
gigRawMom(1, param = param)
momIntegrated("gig", order = 1, param = param, about = 0)
gigRawMom(2, param = param)
momIntegrated("gig", order = 2, param = param, about = 0)
gigRawMom(10, param = param)
momIntegrated("gig", order = 10, param = param, about = 0)
gigRawMom(2.5, param = param)
### Moments of the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution
param <- c(5, 2.5, -0.5)
(m1 <- gigRawMom(1, param = param))</pre>
gigMom(1, param = param)
gigMom(2, param = param, about = m1)
(m2 <- momIntegrated("gig", order = 2, param = param, about = m1))</pre>
gigMom(1, param = param, about = m1)
gigMom(3, param = param, about = m1)
momIntegrated("gig", order = 3, param = param, about = m1)
### Raw moments of the gamma distribution
shape <- 2
rate <- 3
param <- c(shape, rate)</pre>
gammaRawMom(1, shape, rate)
momIntegrated("gamma", order = 1, shape = shape, rate = rate, about = 0)
gammaRawMom(2, shape, rate)
momIntegrated("gamma", order = 2, shape = shape, rate = rate, about = 0)
gammaRawMom(10, shape, rate)
momIntegrated("gamma", order = 10, shape = shape, rate = rate, about = 0)
### Moments of the inverse gamma distribution
param <- c(5, 0, -0.5)
                                         # Inf
gigRawMom(2, param = param)
gigRawMom(-2, param = param)
momIntegrated("invgamma", order = -2, shape = -param[3],
              rate = param[1]/2, about = 0)
### An example where the moment is infinite: inverse gamma
param <- c(5, 0, -0.5)
gigMom(1, param = param)
gigMom(2, param = param)
```

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Parameter Sets for the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

These objects store different parameter sets of the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution as matrices for testing or demonstration purposes.

The parameter sets gigSmallParam and gigLargeParam give combinations of values of the parameters χ, ψ and λ . For gigSmallParam, the values of χ and ψ are chosen from {0.1, 0.5, 2, 5, 20, 50}, and the values of λ from {-0.5, 0, 0.5, 1, 5}. For gigLargeParam, the values of χ and ψ are chosen from {0.1, 0.2, 0.5, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50, 100}, and the values of λ from {-2, -1, -0.5, 0, 0.1, 0.2, 0.5, 1, 2, 5, 10}.

Usage

```
gigSmallParam
gigLargeParam
```

Format

gigSmallParam: a 125 by 3 matrix; gigLargeParam: a 1100 by 3 matrix.

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```
data(gigParam)
## Check values of chi and psi
plot(gigLargeParam[, 1], gigLargeParam[, 2])
### Check all three parameters
pairs(gigLargeParam,
    labels = c(expression(chi),expression(psi),expression(lambda)))
## Testing the accuracy of gigMean
for (i in 1:nrow(gigSmallParam)) {
    param <- gigSmallParam[i, ]
        x <- rgig(1000, param = param)
        sampleMean <- mean(x)
        funMean <- gigMean(param = param)
        difference <- abs(sampleMean - funMean)
        print(difference)
}</pre>
```

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| GIGPlots | Generalized Inverse Gaussian Quantile-Quantile and Percent-Percent |
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Description

qqgig produces a generalized inverse Gaussian QQ plot of the values in y.

ppgig produces a generalized inverse Gaussian PP (percent-percent) or probability plot of the values in y.

If line = TRUE, a line with zero intercept and unit slope is added to the plot.

Graphical parameters may be given as arguments to qqgig, and ppgig.

Usage

| У | The data sample. | |
|------------------|--|--|
| chi | A shape parameter that by default holds a value of 1. | |
| psi | Another shape parameter that is set to 1 by default. | |
| lambda | Shape parameter of the GIG distribution. Common to all forms of parameterization. By default this is set to 1. | |
| param | Parameters of the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution. | |
| xlab, ylab, main | | |
| | Plot labels. | |
| plot.it | Logical. TRUE denotes the results should be plotted. | |
| line | Logical. If TRUE, a line with zero intercept and unit slope is added to the plot. | |
| | Further graphical parameters. | |

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Value

For qqgig and ppgig, a list with components:

- x The x coordinates of the points that are be plotted.
- y The y coordinates of the points that are be plotted.

References

Wilk, M. B. and Gnanadesikan, R. (1968) Probability plotting methods for the analysis of data. *Biometrika*. **55**, 1–17.

See Also

```
ppoints, dgig.
```

Examples

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
y <- rgig(1000, param = c(2, 3, 1))
qqgig(y, param = c(2, 3, 1), line = FALSE)
abline(0, 1, col = 2)
ppgig(y, param = c(2, 3, 1))</pre>
```

hyperbCalcRange

Range of a Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Given the parameter vector param of a hyperbolic distribution, this function calculates the range outside of which the distribution has negligible probability, or the density function is negligible, to a specified tolerance. The parameterization used is the (α, β) one (see dhyperb). To use another parameterization, use hyperbChangePars.

Usage

| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
|-------|--|
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| param | Value of parameter vector specifying the hyperbolic distribution. This takes the form c(mu, delta, alpha, beta). |

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tol Tolerance.

density Logical. If FALSE, the bounds are for the probability distribution. If TRUE, they

are for the density function.

... Extra arguments for calls to uniroot.

Details

The particular hyperbolic distribution being considered is specified by the value of the parameter value param.

If density = FALSE, the function calculates the effective range of the distribution, which is used in calculating the distribution function and quantiles, and may be used in determining the range when plotting the distribution. By effective range is meant that the probability of an observation being greater than the upper end is less than the specified tolerance tol. Likewise for being smaller than the lower end of the range. Note that this has not been implemented yet.

If density = TRUE, the function gives a range, outside of which the density is less than the given tolerance. Useful for plotting the density.

Value

A two-component vector giving the lower and upper ends of the range.

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P (1983). Hyperbolic distributions. In *Encyclopedia of Statistical Sciences*, eds., Johnson, N. L., Kotz, S. and Read, C. B., Vol. 3, pp. 700–707. New York: Wiley.

See Also

dhyperb, hyperbChangePars

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
param <- c(0, 1, 3, 1)
hyperbRange <- hyperbCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3))
hyperbRange
curve(phyperb(x, param = param), hyperbRange[1], hyperbRange[2])
maxDens <- dhyperb(hyperbMode(param = param), param = param)
hyperbRange <- hyperbCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3) * maxDens, density = TRUE)
hyperbRange
curve(dhyperb(x, param = param), hyperbRange[1], hyperbRange[2])</pre>
```

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Change Parameterizations of the Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

This function interchanges between the following 4 parameterizations of the hyperbolic distribution:

```
1. \mu, \delta, \pi, \zeta
```

2. $\mu, \delta, \alpha, \beta$

3. μ , δ , ϕ , γ

4. μ , δ , ξ , χ

The first three are given in Barndorff-Nielsen and Blæsild (1983), and the fourth in Prause (1999)

Usage

```
hyperbChangePars(from, to, param, noNames = FALSE)
```

Arguments

from The set of parameters to change from. to The set of parameters to change to.

param "from" parameter vector consisting of 4 numerical elements.

noNames Logical. When TRUE, suppresses the parameter names in the output.

Details

In the 4 parameterizations, the following must be positive:

- 1. ζ , δ
- 2. α, δ
- 3. ϕ, γ, δ
- 4. ξ , δ

Furthermore, note that in the second parameterization α must be greater than the absolute value of β , while in the fourth parameterization, ξ must be less than one, and the absolute value of χ must be less than ξ .

Value

A numerical vector of length 4 representing param in the to parameterization.

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P. (1983). Hyperbolic distributions. In *Encyclopedia of Statistical Sciences*, eds., Johnson, N. L., Kotz, S. and Read, C. B., Vol. 3, pp. 700–707. New York: Wiley.

Prause, K. (1999) *The generalized hyperbolic models: Estimation, financial derivatives and risk measurement.* PhD Thesis, Mathematics Faculty, University of Freiburg.

See Also

dhyperb

Examples

```
param1 <- c(2, 1, 3, 1)  # Parameterization 1
param2 <- hyperbChangePars(1, 2, param1)  # Convert to parameterization 2
param2  # Parameterization 2
hyperbChangePars(2, 1, param2)  # Back to parameterization 1</pre>
```

hyperbCvMTest

Cramer-von~Mises Test of a Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Carry out a Crämer-von~Mises test of a hyperbolic distribution where the parameters of the distribution are estimated, or calculate the p-value for such a test.

Usage

| X | A numeric vector of data values for hyperbCvMTest, or object of class "hyperbCvMTest" for print.hyperbCvMTest. |
|------------|--|
| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| param | Parameters of the hyperbolic distribution taking the form c(mu, delta, alpha, beta). |
| conf.level | Confidence level of the the confidence interval. |

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... Further arguments to be passed to or from methods.

Wsq Value of the test statistic in the Crämer-von~Mises test of the hyperbolic distri-

bution.

digits Number of decimal places for p-value.

prefix Character(s) to be printed before the description of the test.

Details

hyperbCvMTest carries out a Crämer-von~Mises goodness-of-fit test of the hyperbolic distribution. The parameter param must be given in the (α, β) parameterization.

hyperbCvMTestPValue calculates the p-value of the test, and is not expected to be called by the user. The method used is interpolation in Table 5 given in Puig & Stephens (2001), which assumes all the parameters of the distribution are unknown. Since the table used is limited, large p-values are simply given as ">~0.25" and very small ones as "<~0.01". The table is created as the matrix wsqTable when the package GeneralizedHyperbolic is invoked.

print.hyperbCvMTest prints the output from the Crämer-von~Mises goodness-of-fit test for the hyperbolic distribution in very similar format to that provided by print.htest. The only reason for having a special print method is that p-values can be given as less than some value or greater than some value, such as "< \sim 0.01", or "> \sim 0.25".

Value

hyperbCvMTest returns a list with class hyperbCvMTest containing the following components:

statistic The value of the test statistic.

method A character string with the value "Crämer-von~Mises test of hyperbolic distri-

bution".

data. name A character string giving the name(s) of the data.

parameter The value of the parameter param

p. value The p-value of the test.

warn A warning if the parameter values are outside the limits of the table given in

Puig & Stephens (2001).

hyperbCvMTestPValue returns a list with the elements p. value and warn only.

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References

Puig, Pedro and Stephens, Michael A. (2001), Goodness-of-fit tests for the hyperbolic distribution. *The Canadian Journal of Statistics/La Revue Canadienne de Statistique*, **29**, 309–320.

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Examples

```
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1.5)
dataVector <- rhyperb(500, param = param)
fittedparam <- hyperbFit(dataVector)$param
hyperbCvMTest(dataVector, param = fittedparam)
dataVector <- rnorm(1000)
fittedparam <- hyperbFit(dataVector, startValues = "FN")$param
hyperbCvMTest(dataVector, param = fittedparam)</pre>
```

hyperbFit

Fit the Hyperbolic Distribution to Data

Description

Fits a hyperbolic distribution to data. Displays the histogram, log-histogram (both with fitted densities), Q-Q plot and P-P plot for the fit which has the maximum likelihood.

Usage

```
hyperbFit(x, freq = NULL, paramStart = NULL,
            startMethod = c("Nelder-Mead", "BFGS"),
            startValues = c("BN","US","FN","SL","MoM"),
            criterion = "MLE",
            method = c("Nelder-Mead", "BFGS", "nlm",
                       "L-BFGS-B", "nlminb", "constrOptim"),
            plots = FALSE, printOut = FALSE,
            controlBFGS = list(maxit = 200),
            controlNM = list(maxit = 1000), maxitNLM = 1500,
            controlLBFGSB = list(maxit = 200),
            controlNLMINB = list(),
            controlCO = list(), ...)
  ## S3 method for class 'hyperbFit'
print(x,
        digits = max(3, getOption("digits") - 3), ...)
  ## S3 method for class 'hyperbFit'
plot(x, which = 1:4,
     plotTitles = paste(c("Histogram of ","Log-Histogram of ",
                         "Q-Q Plot of ", "P-P Plot of "), x$obsName,
                        sep = ""),
     ask = prod(par("mfcol")) < length(which) & dev.interactive(), ...)</pre>
  ## S3 method for class 'hyperbFit'
coef(object, ...)
  ## S3 method for class 'hyperbFit'
vcov(object, ...)
```

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Arguments

x Data vector for hyperbFit. Object of class "hyperbFit" for print.hyperbFit

and plot.hyperbFit.

freq A vector of weights with length equal to length(x).

paramStart A user specified starting parameter vector param taking the form c(mu, delta, alpha, beta).

startMethod Method used by hyperbFitStart in calls to optim.

startValues Code giving the method of determining starting values for finding the maximum

likelihood estimate of param.

criterion Currently only "MLE" is implemented.

method Different optimisation methods to consider. See **Details**.

plots Logical. If FALSE suppresses printing of the histogram, log-histogram, Q-Q plot

and P-P plot.

printOut Logical. If FALSE suppresses printing of results of fitting.

controlBFGS A list of control parameters for optim when using the "BFGS" optimisation.

controlNM A list of control parameters for optim when using the "Nelder-Mead" optimi-

sation.

maxitNLM A positive integer specifying the maximum number of iterations when using the

"nlm" optimisation.

controlLBFGSB A list of control parameters for optim when using the "L-BFGS-B" optimisation. controlNLMINB A list of control parameters for nlminb when using the "nlminb" optimisation.

controlCO A list of control parameters for constrOptim when using the "constrOptim"

optimisation.

digits Desired number of digits when the object is printed.

which If a subset of the plots is required, specify a subset of the numbers 1:4.

plotTitles Titles to appear above the plots.

ask Logical. If TRUE, the user is asked before each plot, see par(ask = .).

... Passes arguments to par, hist, logHist, qqhyperb and pphyperb.

object Object of class "hyperbFit" for coef.hyperbFit and for vcov.hyperbFit.

Details

startMethod can be either "BFGS" or "Nelder-Mead".

startValues can be one of the following:

- "US" User-supplied.
- "BN" Based on Barndorff-Nielsen (1977).
- "FN" A fitted normal distribution.
- "SL"Based on a fitted skew-Laplace distribution.
- "MoM" Method of moments.

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For the details concerning the use of paramStart, startMethod, and startValues, see hyperbFitStart. The six optimisation methods currently available are:

- "BFGS" Uses the quasi-Newton method "BFGS" as documented in optim.
- "Nelder-Mead" Uses an implementation of the Nelder and Mead method as documented in optim.
- "nlm"Uses the nlm function in R.
- "L-BFGS-B"Uses the quasi-Newton method with box constraints "L-BFGS-B" as documented in optim.
- "nlminb"Uses the nlminb function in R.
- "constrOptim"Uses the constrOptim function in R.

For details of how to pass control information for optimisation using optim, nlm, nlminb and constrOptim, see optim, nlm, nlminb and constrOptim.

When method = "nlm" is used, warnings may be produced. These do not appear to be a problem.

Value

hyperbFit returns a list with components:

| param | A vector giving the maximum likelihood estimate of param, as $c(mu, delta, alpha, beta)$. |
|-------------|--|
| maxLik | The value of the maximised log-likelihood. |
| method | Optimisation method used. |
| conv | Convergence code. See the relevant documentation (either optim or nlm) for details on convergence. |
| iter | Number of iterations of optimisation routine. |
| obs | The data used to fit the hyperbolic distribution. |
| obsName | A character string with the actual x argument name. |
| paramStart | Starting value of param returned by call to hyperbFitStart. |
| svName | Descriptive name for the method finding start values. |
| startValues | Acronym for the method of finding start values. |
| breaks | The cell boundaries found by a call to hist. |
| midpoints | The cell midpoints found by a call to hist. |
| empDens | The estimated density found by a call to hist. |

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. (1977) Exponentially decreasing distributions for the logarithm of particle size, *Proc. Roy. Soc. Lond.* A**353**, 401–419.

Fieller, N. J., Flenley, E. C. and Olbricht, W. (1992) Statistics of particle size data. *Appl. Statist.* **41**, 127–146.

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See Also

optim, nlm, nlminb, constrOptim, par, hist, logHist (pkg **DistributionUtils**), qqhyperb, pphyperb, dskewlap and hyperbFitStart.

Examples

```
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1)
dataVector <- rhyperb(500, param = param)
## See how well hyperbFit works
hyperbFit(dataVector)
hyperbFit(dataVector, plots = TRUE)
fit <- hyperbFit(dataVector)
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
plot(fit, which = c(1, 3))
## Use nlm instead of default
hyperbFit(dataVector, method = "nlm")</pre>
```

hyperbFitStart

Find Starting Values for Fitting a Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Finds starting values for input to a maximum likelihood routine for fitting hyperbolic distribution to data.

Usage

```
x Data vector.

startValues Vector of the different starting values to consider. See Details.

paramStart Starting values for param if startValues = "US".

startMethodSL Method used by call to optim in finding skew Laplace estimates.

startMethodMoM Method used by call to optim in finding method of moments estimates.

Passes arguments to hist and optim.
```

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Details

Possible values of the argument startValues are the following:

- "US" User-supplied.
- "BN"Based on Barndorff-Nielsen (1977).
- "FN" A fitted normal distribution.
- "SL"Based on a fitted skew-Laplace distribution.
- "MoM" Method of moments.

If startValues = "US" then a value must be supplied for paramStart.

If startValues = "MoM", hyperbFitStartMoM is called. These starting values are based on Barndorff-Nielsen *et al* (1985).

If startValues = "SL", or startValues = "MoM" an initial optimisation is needed to find the starting values. These optimisations call optim.

Value

hyperbFitStart returns a list with components:

paramStart A vector with elements mu, delta, alpha and beta giving the starting value of

param.

breaks The cell boundaries found by a call to hist.

midpoints The cell midpoints found by a call to hist.

empDens The estimated density found by a call to hist.

hyperbFitStartMoM returns only the method of moments estimates as a vector with elements mu, delta, alpha and beta.

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References

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Barndorff-Nielsen, O., Blæsild, P., Jensen, J., and Sörenson, M. (1985). The fascination of sand. In *A celebration of statistics, The ISI Centenary Volume*, eds., Atkinson, A. C. and Fienberg, S. E., pp. 57–87. New York: Springer-Verlag.

Fieller, N. J., Flenley, E. C. and Olbricht, W. (1992) Statistics of particle size data. *Appl. Statist.*, **41**, 127–146.

See Also

dhyperb, dskewlap, hyperbFit, hist, and optim.

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Examples

```
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1)
dataVector <- rhyperb(500, param = param)
hyperbFitStart(dataVector, startValues = "FN")
hyperbFitStartMoM(dataVector)
hyperbFitStart(dataVector, startValues = "MoM")</pre>
```

hyperbHessian

Calculate Two-Sided Hessian for the Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Calculates the Hessian of a function, either exactly or approximately. Used to obtain the information matrix for maximum likelihood estimation.

Usage

Arguments

| X | Data vector. |
|---------------|--|
| param | The maximum likelihood estimates parameter vector of the hyperbolic distribution. There are five different sets of parameterazations can be used in this function, the first four sets are listed in hyperbChangePars and the last set is the log scale of the first set of the parameterization, i.e., mu, log(delta), Pi, log(zeta). |
| hessianMethod | Two methods are available to calculate the Hessian exactly (" ${\sf exact}$ ") or approximately (" ${\sf tsHessian}$ "). |
| whichParam | Numeric. A number between 1 to 5 indicating which set of the parameterization is the specified value in argument param belong to. |
| mu | Value of the parameter μ of the hyperbolic distribution. |
| delta | Value of the parameter δ of the hyperbolic distribution. |
| r | Parameter used in calculating a cumulative sum of the data vector x. |
| k | Parameter used in calculating a cumulative sum of the data vector x. |
| | |

Details

The formulae for the exact Hessian are derived by Maple software with some simplifications. For now, the exact Hessian can only be obtained based on the first, second or the last parameterization sets. The approximate Hessian is obtained via a call to tsHessian from the package DistributionUtils. summary.hyperbFit calls the function hyperbHessian to calculate the Hessian matrix when the argument hessian = TRUE.

Value

hyperbHessian gives the approximate or exact Hessian matrix for the data vector x and the estimated parameter vector param. sumX is a sum term used in calculating the exact Hessian. It is called by hyperbHessian when the argument hessianMethod = "exact". It is not expected to be called directly by users.

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Examples

hyperblm

Fitting Linear Models with Hyperbolic Errors

Description

Fits linear models with hyperbolic errors. Can be used to carry out linear regression for data exhibiting heavy tails and skewness. Displays the histogram, log-histogram (both with fitted error distribution), Q-Q plot and residuals vs. fitted values plot for the fitted linear model.

Usage

Arguments

an object of class "formula" (or one that can be coerced to that class): a symformula bolic description of the model to be fitted. The details of model specification are given under 'Details'. data an optional data frame, list or environment (or object coercible by as. data. frame to a data frame) containing the variables in the model. If not found in data, the variables are taken from environment (formula), typically the environment from which 1m is called. an optional vector specifying a subset of observations to be used in the fitting subset process. weights an optional vector of weights to be used in the fitting process. Should be NULL or a numeric vector. If non-NULL, weighted least squares is used with weights weights (that is, minimizing sum(w*e^2)); otherwise ordinary least squares is used. See also 'Details', na.action A function which indicates what should happen when the data contain NAs. The default is set by the na.action setting of options, and is na.fail if that is unset. The 'factory-fresh' default is na.omit. Another possible value is NULL, no action. Value na. exclude can be useful. Logicals. If TRUE, the corresponding components of the fit (the explanatory xx, y matrix and the response vector) are returned. contrasts An optional list. See the contrasts.arg of model.matrix.default.

offset An optional vector. See **Details**.

method Character. Possible values are "BFGS", "Nelder-Mead" and "nlm". See **Details**.

startMethod Character. Possible values are "BFGS" and "Nelder-Mead". See **Details**.

startStarts Character. Possible values are "BN", "FN", "SL", "US" and "MoM". See **Details**.

paramStart An optional vector. A vector of parameter start values for the optimization rou-

tine. See Details.

maxiter Numeric. The maximum number of two-stage optimization alternating itera-

tions. See Details.

tolerance Numeric. The two-stage optimization convergence ratio. See **Details**.

controlBFGS, controlNM

Lists. Lists of control parameters for optim when using corresponding (BFGS,

Nelder-Mead) optimisation method in first stage. See optim.

maxitNLM Numeric. The maximum number of iterations for the NLM optimizer.

controlCO List. A list of control parameters for constrOptim in second stage.

silent Logical. If TRUE, the error messgae of optimizer will not be displayed.

x An object of class "hyperblm".

object An object of class "hyperblm".

breaks May be a vector, a single number or a character string. See hist.

plotTitles Titles to appear above the plots.

digits Numeric. Desired number of digits when the object is printed.

... Passes additional arguments to function hyperbFitStand, optim and constrOptim.

Details

Models for hyperblm are specified symbolically. A typical model has the form response ~ terms where response is the (numeric) response vector and terms is a series of terms which specifies a linear predictor for response. A terms specification of the form first + second indicates all the terms in first together with all the terms in second with duplicates removed. A specification of the form first: second indicates the set of terms obtained by taking the interactions of all terms in first with all terms in second. The specification first*second indicates the *cross* of first and second. This is the same as first + second + first:second.

If the formula includes an offset, this is evaluated and subtracted from the response.

If response is a matrix a linear model is fitted separately by least-squares to each column of the matrix.

See model.matrix for some further details. The terms in the formula will be re-ordered so that main effects come first, followed by the interactions, all second-order, all third-order and so on.

A formula has an implied intercept term. To remove this use either $y \sim x - 1$ or $y \sim 0 + x$. See formula for more details of allowed formulae.

Non-NULL weights can be used to indicate that different observations have different variances (with the values in weights being inversely proportional to the variances); or equivalently, when the elements of weights are positive integers w_i , that each response y_i is the mean of w_i unit-weight observations (including the case that there are w_i observations equal to y_i and the data have been summarized).

hyperblm calls the lower level function hyperblmFit for the actual numerical computations.

All of weights, subset and offset are evaluated in the same way as variables in formula, that is first in data and then in the environment of formula.

hyperblmFit uses a two-stage alternating optimization routine. The quality of parameter start values (especially the error distribution parameters) is crucial to the routine's convergence. The user can specify the start values via the paramStart argument, otherwise the function finds reliable start values by calling the hyperbFitStand function.

startMethod in the argument list is the optimization method for function hyperbFitStandStart which finds the start values for function hyperbFitStand. It is set to "Nelder-Mead" by default due to the robustness of this optimizer. The "BFGS" method is also implemented as it is relatively fast to converge. Since "BFGS" method is a quasi-Newton method it will not as robust and for some data will not achieve convergence.

startStarts is the method used to find the start values for function hyperbFitStandStart which includes:

- "BN" A method from Barndorff-Nielsen (1977) based on estimates of ψ and γ the absolute slopes of the left and right asymptotes to the log density function
- "FN"Based on a fitted normal distribution as it is a limit of the hyperbolic distribution
- "SL"Based on a fitted skew-Laplace distribution for which the log density has the form of two straight line with absolute slopes $1/\alpha$, $1/\beta$
- "MoM" A method of moment approach
- "US"User specified

method is the method used in stage one of the two-stage alternating optimization routine. As the startMethod, it is set to "Nelder-Mead" by default. Besides "BFGS", "nlm" is also implemented as a alternative. Since BFGS method is a quasi-Newton method it will not as robust and for some data will not achieve convergence.

If the maximum of the ratio the change of the individual coefficients is smaller than tolerance then the routine assumes convergence, otherwise if the alternating iteration number exceeds maxiter with the maximum of the ratio the change of the individual coefficients larger than tolerance, the routine is considered not to have converged.

Value

hyperblm returns an object of class "hyperblm" which is a list containing:

coefficients A named vector of regression coefficients.

distributionParams

A named vector of fitted hyperbolic error distribution parameters.

fitted.values The fitted values from the model.

residuals The remainder after subtracting fitted values from response.

mle The maximum likelihood value of the model.

method The optimization method for stage one.

paramStart The start values of parameters that the user specified (only where relevant).

residsParamStart

The start values of parameters obtained by hyperbFitStand (only where rele-

vant).

call The matched call.

terms The terms object used.

contrasts The contrasts used (only where relevant).

xlevels The levels of the factors used in the fitting (only where relevant).

offset The offset used (only where relevant)

xNames The names of each explanatory variables. If explanatory variables don't have

names then they will be named x.

yVec The response vector.

xMatrix The explanatory variables matrix.

iterations Number of two-stage alternating iterations to convergence.

convergence The convergence code for two stage optimization: 0 is the system converged,

1 is first stage does not converge, 2 is second stage does not converge, 3 is the

both stages do not converge.

breaks The cell boundaries found by a call the hist.

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See Also

print.hyperblm prints the regression result in a table. coef.hyperblm obtains the regression coefficients and error distribution parameters of the fitted model. summary.hyperblm obtains a summary output of class hyperblm object. print.summary.hyperblm prints the summary output in a table. plot.hyperblm obtains a residual vs fitted value plot, a histgram of residuals with error distribution density curve on top, a histgram of log residuals with error distribution error density curve on top and a QQ plot. hyperblmFit, optim, nlm, constrOptim, hist, hyperbFitStand, hyperbFitStandStart.

```
### stackloss data example
## Not run:
airflow <- stackloss[, 1]
temperature <- stackloss[, 2]</pre>
```

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```
acid <- stackloss[, 3]
stack <- stackloss[, 4]

hyperblm.fit <- hyperblm(stack ~ airflow + temperature + acid)

coef.hyperblm(hyperblm.fit)
plot.hyperblm(hyperblm.fit, breaks = 20)
summary.hyperblm(hyperblm.fit, hessian = FALSE)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

Hyperbolic

Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Density function, distribution function, quantiles and random number generation for the hyperbolic distribution with parameter vector param. Utility routines are included for the derivative of the density function and to find suitable break points for use in determining the distribution function.

Usage

```
dhyperb(x, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
        param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta))
phyperb(q, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
        param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta),
        lower.tail = TRUE, subdivisions = 100,
        intTol = .Machine$double.eps^0.25,
        valueOnly = TRUE, ...)
qhyperb(p, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
        param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta),
        lower.tail = TRUE, method = c("spline", "integrate"),
        nInterpol = 501, uniTol = .Machine$double.eps^0.25,
        subdivisions = 100, intTol = uniTol, ...)
rhyperb(n, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
        param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta))
ddhyperb(x, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
         param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta))
```

| x,q | Vector of quantiles. |
|-------|---|
| р | Vector of probabilities. |
| n | Number of observations to be generated. |
| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |

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| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
|--------------|--|
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| param | Parameter vector taking the form c(mu, delta, alpha, beta). |
| method | Character. If "spline" quantiles are found from a spline approximation to the distribution function. If "integrate", the distribution function used is always obtained by integration. |
| lower.tail | $\label{logical} Logical. \ If \ lower. \ \ tail = \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ $ |
| subdivisions | The maximum number of subdivisions used to integrate the density and determine the accuracy of the distribution function calculation. |
| intTol | Value of rel.tol and hence abs.tol in calls to integrate. See integrate. |
| valueOnly | Logical. If valueOnly = TRUE calls to pghyp only return the value obtained for the integral. If valueOnly = FALSE an estimate of the accuracy of the numerical integration is also returned. |
| nInterpol | Number of points used in qghyp for cubic spline interpolation of the distribution function. |
| uniTol | Value of tol in calls to uniroot. See uniroot. |
| ••• | Passes arguments to uniroot. See Details . |

Details

The hyperbolic distribution has density

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\delta\sqrt{1+\pi^2}K_1(\zeta)}e^{-\zeta[\sqrt{1+\pi^2}\sqrt{1+(\frac{x-\mu}{\delta})^2} - \pi\frac{x-\mu}{\delta}]}$$

where $K_1()$ is the modified Bessel function of the third kind with order 1.

A succinct description of the hyperbolic distribution is given in Barndorff-Nielsen and Blæsild (1983). Three different possible parameterizations are described in that paper. A fourth parameterization is given in Prause (1999). All use location and scale parameters μ and δ . There are two other parameters in each case.

Use hyperbChangePars to convert from the (π, ζ) (ϕ, γ) or (ξ, χ) parameterizations to the (α, β) parameterization used above.

Each of the functions are wrapper functions for their equivalent generalized hyperbolic counterpart. For example, dhyperb calls dghyp. See dghyp.

The hyperbolic distribution is a special case of the generalized hyperbolic distribution (Barndorff-Nielsen and Blæsild (1983)). The generalized hyperbolic distribution can be represented as a particular mixture of the normal distribution where the mixing distribution is the generalized inverse Gaussian. rhyperb uses this representation to generate observations from the hyperbolic distribution. Generalized inverse Gaussian observations are obtained via the algorithm of Dagpunar (1989).

Value

dhyperb gives the density, phyperb gives the distribution function, qhyperb gives the quantile function and rhyperb generates random variates. An estimate of the accuracy of the approximation to the distribution function may be found by setting accuracy = TRUE in the call to phyperb which then returns a list with components value and error.

ddhyperb gives the derivative of dhyperb.

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References

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Prause, K. (1999) *The generalized hyperbolic models: Estimation, financial derivatives and risk measurement.* PhD Thesis, Mathematics Faculty, University of Freiburg.

See Also

safeIntegrate, integrate for its shortfalls, splinefun, uniroot and hyperbChangePars for changing parameters to the (α,β) parameterization, dghyp for the generalized hyperbolic distribution.

```
param <- c(0, 2, 1, 0)
hyperbRange <- hyperbCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3))
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
curve(dhyperb(x, param = param), from = hyperbRange[1], to = hyperbRange[2],
     n = 1000
title("Density of the\n Hyperbolic Distribution")
curve(phyperb(x, param = param), from = hyperbRange[1], to = hyperbRange[2],
      n = 1000
title("Distribution Function of the\n Hyperbolic Distribution")
dataVector <- rhyperb(500, param = param)</pre>
curve(dhyperb(x, param = param), range(dataVector)[1], range(dataVector)[2],
     n = 500)
hist(dataVector, freq = FALSE, add =TRUE)
title("Density and Histogram\n of the Hyperbolic Distribution")
DistributionUtils::logHist(dataVector, main =
        "Log-Density and Log-Histogram\n of the Hyperbolic Distribution")
curve(log(dhyperb(x, param = param)), add = TRUE,
      range(dataVector)[1], range(dataVector)[2], n = 500)
par(mfrow = c(2, 1))
curve(dhyperb(x, param = param), from = hyperbRange[1], to = hyperbRange[2],
     n = 1000)
```

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hyperbParam

Parameter Sets for the Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

These objects store different parameter sets of the hyperbolic distribution as matrices for testing or demonstration purposes.

The parameter sets hyperbSmallShape and hyperbLargeShape have a constant location parameter of $\mu=0$, and constant scale parameter $\delta=1$. In hyperbSmallParam and hyperbLargeParam the values of the location and scale parameters vary. In these parameter sets the location parameter $\mu=0$ takes values from $\{0,1\}$ and $\{-1,0,1,2\}$ respectively. For the scale parameter δ , values are drawn from $\{1,5\}$ and $\{1,2,5,10\}$ respectively.

For the shape parameters α and β the approach is more complex. The values for these shape parameters were chosen by choosing values of ξ and χ which range over the shape triangle, then the function hyperbChangePars was applied to convert them to the α , β parameterization. The resulting α , β values were then rounded to three decimal places. See the examples for the values of ξ and χ for the large parameter sets.

Usage

```
hyperbSmallShape
hyperbLargeShape
hyperbSmallParam
hyperbLargeParam
```

Format

hyperbSmallShape: a 7 by 4 matrix; hyperbLargeShape: a 15 by 4 matrix; hyperbSmallParam: a 28 by 4 matrix; hyperbLargeParam: a 240 by 4 matrix.

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```
## Testing the accuracy of hyperbMean
for (i in 1:nrow(hyperbSmallParam)) {
   param <- hyperbSmallParam[i, ]
   x <- rhyperb(1000, param = param)
   sampleMean <- mean(x)
   funMean <- hyperbMean(param = param)
   difference <- abs(sampleMean - funMean)
   print(difference)
}</pre>
```

HyperbPlots

Hyperbolic Quantile-Quantile and Percent-Percent Plots

Description

qqhyperb produces a hyperbolic Q-Q plot of the values in y.

pphyperb produces a hyperbolic P-P (percent-percent) or probability plot of the values in y.

Graphical parameters may be given as arguments to qqhyperb, and pphyperb.

Usage

| У | The data sample. |
|-------|---|
| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| param | Parameters of the hyperbolic distribution. |

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```
xlab, ylab, main
Plot labels.

plot.it Logical. Should the result be plotted?

line Add line through origin with unit slope.

... Further graphical parameters.
```

Value

For qqhyperb and pphyperb, a list with components:

x The x coordinates of the points that are to be plotted.

y The y coordinates of the points that are to be plotted.

References

Wilk, M. B. and Gnanadesikan, R. (1968) Probability plotting methods for the analysis of data. *Biometrika*. **55**, 1–17.

See Also

```
ppoints, dhyperb, hyperbFit
```

Examples

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1.5)
y <- rhyperb(200, param = param)
qqhyperb(y, param = param, line = FALSE)
abline(0, 1, col = 2)
pphyperb(y, param = param)</pre>
```

hyperbWSqTable

Percentage Points for the Cramer-von Mises Test of the Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

This gives Table 5 of Puig & Stephens (2001) which is used for testing the goodness-of-fit of the hyperbolic distribution using the Crämer-von~Mises test. It is for internal use by hyperbCvMTest and hyperbCvMTestPValue only and is not intended to be accessed by the user. It is loaded automatically when the package **HyperbolicDist** is invoked.

Usage

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Format

The hyperbWSqTable matrix has 55 rows and 5 columns, giving percentage points of W^2 for different values of ξ and α (the rows), and of χ (the columns).

Source

Puig, Pedro and Stephens, Michael A. (2001), Goodness-of-fit tests for the hyperbolic distribution. *The Canadian Journal of Statistics/La Revue Canadienne de Statistique*, **29**, 309–320.

mamquam

Size of Gravels from Mamquam River

Description

Size of gravels collected from a sandbar in the Mamquam River, British Columbia, Canada. Summary data, giving the frequency of observations in 16 different size classes.

Usage

data(mamquam)

Format

The mamquam data frame has 16 rows and 2 columns.

[, 1] midpoints midpoints of intervals (psi units) [, 2] counts number of observations in interval

Details

Gravel sizes are determined by passing clasts through templates of particular sizes. This gives a range in which the size of each clast lies. Sizes (in mm) are then converted into psi units by taking the base 2 logarithm of the size. The midpoints specified are the midpoints of the psi unit ranges, and counts gives the number of observations in each size range. The classes are of length 0.5 psi units. There are 3574 observations.

Source

Rice, Stephen and Church, Michael (1996) Sampling surficial gravels: the precision of size distribution percentile estimates. *J. of Sedimentary Research*, **66**, 654–665.

```
data(mamquam)
str(mamquam)
### Construct data from frequency summary, taking all observations
### at midpoints of intervals
```

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```
psi <- rep(mamquam$midpoints, mamquam$counts)
barplot(table(psi))
### Fit the hyperbolic distribution
hyperbFit(psi)
### Actually hyperbFit can deal with frequency data
hyperbFit(mamquam$midpoints, freq = mamquam$counts)</pre>
```

momRecursion

Computes the moment coefficients recursively for generalized hyperbolic and related distributions

Description

This function computes all of the moments coefficients by recursion based on Scott, Würtz and Tran (2008). See **Details** for the formula.

Usage

```
momRecursion(order = 12, printMatrix = FALSE)
```

Arguments

order Numeric. The order of the moment coefficients to be calculated. Not permitted

to be a vector. Must be a positive whole number except for moments about zero.

printMatrix Logical. Should the coefficients matrix be printed?

Details

The moment coefficients recursively as $a_{1,1} = 1$ and

$$a_{k,\ell} = a_{k-1,\ell-1} + (2\ell - k + 1)a_{k-1,\ell}$$

with $a_{k,\ell} = 0$ for $\ell < \lfloor (k+1)/2 \rfloor$ or $\ell > k$ where k = order, ℓ is equal to the integers from (k+1)/2 to k.

This formula is given in Scott, Würtz and Tran (2008, working paper).

The function also calculates M which is equal to $2\ell - k$. It is a common term which will appear in the formulae for calculating moments of generalized hyperbolic and related distributions.

Value

lmin

| a | The non-zero moment coefficients for the specified order. |
|---|---|
| 1 | Integers from $(order+1)/2$ to order. It is used when computing the moment coefficients and the mu moments. |
| М | The common term used when computing mu moments for generalized hyperbolic and related distributions, M = $2\ell-k$, k =order |

The minimum of ℓ , which is equal to (order+1)/2.

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References

Scott, D. J., Würtz, D. and Tran, T. T. (2008) Moments of the Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution. Preprint.

Examples

```
momRecursion(order = 12)

#print out the matrix
momRecursion(order = 12, "true")
```

nervePulse

Intervals Between Pulses Along a Nerve Fibre

Description

Times between successive electric pulses on the surface of isolated muscle fibres.

Usage

```
data(nervePulse)
```

Format

The nervePulse data is a vector with 799 observations.

Details

The end-plates of resting muscle fibres are the seat of spontaneous electric discharges. The occurence of these spontaneous discharges at apparently normal synapses is studied in depth in Fatt and Katz (1951). The frequency and amplitute of these discharges was recorded. The times between each discharge were taken in milliseconds and this has been converted into the number of 1/50 sec intervals between successive pulses. There are 799 observations.

Source

Fatt, P., Katz, B. (1952) Spontaneous subthreshold activity at motor nerve endings. *J. of Physiology*, **117**, 109–128.

Jörgensen, B. (1982) Statistical Properties of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution. *Lecture Notes in Statistics, Vol. 9, Springer-Verlag, New York*

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Examples

```
data(nervePulse)
str(nervePulse)
### Fit the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution
gigFit(nervePulse)
```

NIG

Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Density function, distribution function, quantiles and random number generation for the normal inverse Gaussian distribution with parameter vector param. Utility routines are included for the derivative of the density function and to find suitable break points for use in determining the distribution function.

Usage

```
dnig(x, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
    param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta))
pnig(q, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
    param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta),
    lower.tail = TRUE, subdivisions = 100,
    intTol = .Machine$double.eps^0.25, valueOnly = TRUE, ...)
qnig(p, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
    param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta),
    lower.tail = TRUE, method = c("spline", "integrate"),
    nInterpol = 501, uniTol = .Machine$double.eps^0.25,
    subdivisions = 100, intTol = uniTol, ...)
rnig(n, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
    param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta))
ddnig(x, mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
    param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta))
```

| x,q | Vector of quantiles. |
|-------|---|
| p | Vector of probabilities. |
| n | Number of observations to be generated. |
| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |

| param | Parameter vector taking the form c(mu, delta, alpha, beta). |
|--------------|--|
| method | Character. If "spline" quantiles are found from a spline approximation to the distribution function. If "integrate", the distribution function used is always obtained by integration. |
| lower.tail | Logical. If lower.tail = TRUE, the cumulative density is taken from the lower tail. |
| subdivisions | The maximum number of subdivisions used to integrate the density and determine the accuracy of the distribution function calculation. |
| intTol | Value of rel.tol and hence abs.tol in calls to integrate. See integrate. |
| valueOnly | Logical. If valueOnly = TRUE calls to pghyp only return the value obtained for the integral. If valueOnly = FALSE an estimate of the accuracy of the numerical integration is also returned. |
| nInterpol | Number of points used in qghyp for cubic spline interpolation of the distribution function. |
| uniTol | Value of tol in calls to uniroot. See uniroot. |
| | Passes arguments to uniroot. See Details . |
| | |

Details

The normal inverse Gaussian distribution has density

$$e^{\delta\sqrt{\alpha^2-\beta^2}} \frac{\alpha\delta}{\pi\sqrt{\delta^2+(x-\mu)^2}} K_1(\alpha\sqrt{\delta^2+(x-\mu)^2}) e^{\beta(x-\mu)}$$

where $K_1()$ is the modified Bessel function of the third kind with order 1.

A succinct description of the normal inverse Gaussian distribution is given in Paolella (2007). Because both of the normal inverse Gaussian distribution and the hyperbolic distribution are special cases of the generalized hyperbolic distribution (with different values of λ), the normal inverse Gaussian distribution has the same sets of parameterizations as the hyperbolic distribution. And therefore one can use hyperbChangePars to interchange between different parameterizations for the normal inverse Gaussian distribution as well (see hyperbChangePars for details).

Each of the functions are wrapper functions for their equivalent generalized hyperbolic distribution. For example, dnig calls dghyp.

pnig breaks the real line into eight regions in order to determine the integral of dnig. The break points determining the regions are found by nigBreaks, based on the values of small, tiny, and deriv. In the extreme tails of the distribution where the probability is tiny according to nigCalcRange, the probability is taken to be zero. In the range between where the probability is tiny and small according to nigCalcRange, an exponential approximation to the hyperbolic distribution is used. In the inner part of the distribution, the range is divided in 4 regions, 2 above the mode, and 2 below. On each side of the mode, the break point which forms the 2 regions is where the derivative of the density function is deriv times the maximum value of the derivative on that side of the mode. In each of the 4 inner regions the numerical integration routine safeIntegrate (which is a wrapper for integrate) is used to integrate the density dnig.

qnig uses the breakup of the real line into the same 8 regions as pnig. For quantiles which fall in the 2 extreme regions, the quantile is returned as -Inf or Inf as appropriate. In the range between

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where the probability is tiny and small according to nigCalcRange, an exponential approximation to the hyperbolic distribution is used from which the quantile may be found in closed form. In the 4 inner regions splinefun is used to fit values of the distribution function generated by pnig. The quantiles are then found using the uniroot function.

pnig and qnig may generally be expected to be accurate to 5 decimal places.

Recall that the normal inverse Gaussian distribution is a special case of the generalized hyperbolic distribution and the generalized hyperbolic distribution can be represented as a particular mixture of the normal distribution where the mixing distribution is the generalized inverse Gaussian. rnig uses this representation to generate observations from the normal inverse Gaussian distribution. Generalized inverse Gaussian observations are obtained via the algorithm of Dagpunar (1989).

Value

dnig gives the density, pnig gives the distribution function, qnig gives the quantile function and rnig generates random variates. An estimate of the accuracy of the approximation to the distribution function may be found by setting accuracy = TRUE in the call to pnig which then returns a list with components value and error.

ddnig gives the derivative of dnig.

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See Also

safeIntegrate, integrate for its shortfalls, splinefun, uniroot and hyperbChangePars for changing parameters to the (α,β) parameterization, dghyp for the generalized hyperbolic distribution.

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```
dataVector <- rnig(500, param = param)</pre>
curve(dnig(x, param = param), range(dataVector)[1], range(dataVector)[2],
      n = 500)
hist(dataVector, freq = FALSE, add =TRUE)
title("Density and Histogram\n of the Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution")
DistributionUtils::logHist(dataVector, main =
        "Log-Density and Log-Histogram\n of the Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution")
curve(log(dnig(x, param = param)), add = TRUE,
      range(dataVector)[1], range(dataVector)[2], n = 500)
par(mfrow = c(2, 1))
curve(dnig(x, param = param), from = nigRange[1], to = nigRange[2],
      n = 1000
title("Density of the\n Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution")
curve(ddnig(x, param = param), from = nigRange[1], to = nigRange[2],
      n = 1000)
title("Derivative of the Density\n of the Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution")
```

nigCalcRange

Range of a normal inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Given the parameter vector param of a normal inverse Gaussian distribution, this function calculates the range outside of which the distribution has negligible probability, or the density function is negligible, to a specified tolerance. The parameterization used is the (α, β) one (see dnig). To use another parameterization, use hyperbChangePars.

Usage

| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
|---------|--|
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| param | Value of parameter vector specifying the normal inverse Gaussian distribution. This takes the form $c(mu, delta, alpha, beta)$. |
| tol | Tolerance. |
| density | Logical. If FALSE, the bounds are for the probability distribution. If TRUE, they are for the density function. |
| | Extra arguments for calls to uniroot. |

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Details

The particular normal inverse Gaussian distribution being considered is specified by the parameter value param.

If density = FALSE, the function calculates the effective range of the distribution, which is used in calculating the distribution function and quantiles, and may be used in determining the range when plotting the distribution. By effective range is meant that the probability of an observation being greater than the upper end is less than the specified tolerance tol. Likewise for being smaller than the lower end of the range. Note that this has not been implemented yet.

If density = TRUE, the function gives a range, outside of which the density is less than the given tolerance. Useful for plotting the density.

Value

A two-component vector giving the lower and upper ends of the range.

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P (1983). Hyperbolic distributions. In *Encyclopedia of Statistical Sciences*, eds., Johnson, N. L., Kotz, S. and Read, C. B., Vol. 3, pp. 700–707. New York: Wiley.

Paolella, Marc S. (2007) Intermediate Probability: A Computational Approach, Chichester: Wiley

See Also

dnig, hyperbChangePars

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
param <- c(0, 1, 3, 1)
nigRange <- nigCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3))
nigRange
curve(pnig(x, param = param), nigRange[1], nigRange[2])
maxDens <- dnig(nigMode(param = param), param = param)
nigRange <- nigCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3) * maxDens, density = TRUE)
nigRange
curve(dnig(x, param = param), nigRange[1], nigRange[2])</pre>
```

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nigFit

Fit the normal inverse Gaussian Distribution to Data

Description

Fits a normal inverse Gaussian distribution to data. Displays the histogram, log-histogram (both with fitted densities), Q-Q plot and P-P plot for the fit which has the maximum likelihood.

Usage

```
nigFit(x, freq = NULL, paramStart = NULL,
         startMethod = c("Nelder-Mead", "BFGS"),
         startValues = c("FN", "Cauchy", "MoM", "US"),
         criterion = "MLE",
         method = c("Nelder-Mead", "BFGS", "nlm",
                   "L-BFGS-B", "nlminb", "constrOptim"),
         plots = FALSE, printOut = FALSE,
         controlBFGS = list(maxit = 200),
         controlNM = list(maxit = 1000), maxitNLM = 1500,
         controlLBFGSB = list(maxit = 200),
         controlNLMINB = list(),
         controlCO = list(), ...)
  ## S3 method for class 'nigFit'
print(x,
        digits = max(3, getOption("digits") - 3), ...)
  ## S3 method for class 'nigFit'
plot(x, which = 1:4,
       plotTitles = paste(c("Histogram of ","Log-Histogram of ",
                             "Q-Q Plot of ", "P-P Plot of "), x$obsName,
                           sep = ""),
       ask = prod(par("mfcol")) < length(which) & dev.interactive(), ...)</pre>
  ## S3 method for class 'nigFit'
coef(object, ...)
  ## S3 method for class 'nigFit'
vcov(object, ...)
```

Arguments

Data vector for nigFit. Object of class "nigFit" for print.nigFit and plot.nigFit.

A vector of weights with length equal to length(x).

A user specified starting parameter vector param taking the form c(mu, delta, alpha, beta).

Method used by nigFitStart in calls to optim.

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| startValues | Code giving the method of determining starting values for finding the maximum likelihood estimate of param. |
|---------------|---|
| criterion | Currently only "MLE" is implemented. |
| method | Different optimisation methods to consider. See Details . |
| plots | Logical. If FALSE suppresses printing of the histogram, log-histogram, Q-Q plot and P-P plot. |
| printOut | Logical. If FALSE suppresses printing of results of fitting. |
| controlBFGS | A list of control parameters for optim when using the "BFGS" optimisation. |
| controlNM | A list of control parameters for optim when using the "Nelder-Mead" optimisation. |
| maxitNLM | A positive integer specifying the maximum number of iterations when using the "nlm" optimisation. |
| controlLBFGSB | A list of control parameters for optim when using the "L-BFGS-B" optimisation. |
| controlNLMINB | A list of control parameters for nlminb when using the "nlminb" optimisation. |
| controlCO | A list of control parameters for constr0ptim when using the "constr0ptim" optimisation. |
| digits | Desired number of digits when the object is printed. |
| which | If a subset of the plots is required, specify a subset of the numbers 1:4. |
| plotTitles | Titles to appear above the plots. |
| ask | Logical. If TRUE, the user is $asked$ before each plot, see par(ask = .). |
| | Passes arguments to par, hist, logHist, qqnig and ppnig. |
| object | Object of class "nigFit" for coef.nigFit and for vcov.nigFit. |

Details

startMethod can be either "BFGS" or "Nelder-Mead". startValues can be one of the following:

- ar evalues can be one of the following
- "US" User-supplied.
- "FN" A fitted normal distribution.
- "Cauchy"Based on a fitted Cauchy distribution.
- "MoM" Method of moments.

For the details concerning the use of paramStart, startMethod, and startValues, see nigFitStart. The three optimisation methods currently available are:

- "BFGS" Uses the quasi-Newton method "BFGS" as documented in optim.
- "Nelder-Mead" Uses an implementation of the Nelder and Mead method as documented in optim.
- "nlm"Uses the nlm function in R.

For details of how to pass control information for optimisation using optim and nlm, see optim and nlm.

When method = "nlm" is used, warnings may be produced. These do not appear to be a problem.

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Value

A list with components:

param A vector giving the maximum likelihood estimate of param, as c(mu, delta, alpha, beta).

maxLik The value of the maximised log-likelihood.

method Optimisation method used.

conv Convergence code. See the relevant documentation (either optim or nlm) for

details on convergence.

iter Number of iterations of optimisation routine.

x The data used to fit the normal inverse Gaussian distribution.

xName A character string with the actual x argument name.

paramStart Starting value of param returned by call to nigFitStart.

svName Descriptive name for the method finding start values.

startValues Acronym for the method of finding start values.

breaks The cell boundaries found by a call to hist.

midpoints The cell midpoints found by a call to hist.

empDens The estimated density found by a call to hist.

Author(s)

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. (1977) Exponentially decreasing distributions for the logarithm of particle size, *Proc. Roy. Soc. Lond.*, A**353**, 401–419.

Fieller, N. J., Flenley, E. C. and Olbricht, W. (1992) Statistics of particle size data. *Appl. Statist.*, **41**, 127–146.

Paolella, Marc S. (2007) Intermediate Probability: A Computational Approach, Chichester: Wiley

See Also

optim, nlm, par, hist, logHist, qqnig, ppnig, dskewlap and nigFitStart.

```
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1)
dataVector <- rnig(500, param = param)
## See how well nigFit works
nigFit(dataVector)
nigFit(dataVector, plots = TRUE)
fit <- nigFit(dataVector)
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
plot(fit, which = c(1, 3))
## Use nlm instead of default
nigFit(dataVector, method = "nlm")</pre>
```

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| nigFitStart | Find Starting Values for Fitting a normal inverse Gaussian Distribution |
|-------------|---|
| | ve01v |

Description

Finds starting values for input to a maximum likelihood routine for fitting normal inverse Gaussian distribution to data.

Usage

Arguments

```
x data vector.

startValues a character strin specifying the method for starting values to consider. See 
Details.

paramStart starting values for param if startValues = "US".

startMethodMoM Method used by call to optim in finding method of moments estimates.

... Passes arguments to hist and optim.
```

Details

Possible values of the argument startValues are the following:

- "US" User-supplied.
- "FN" A fitted normal distribution.
- "Cauchy"Based on a fitted Cauchy distribution, from fitdistr() of the MASS package.
- "MoM" Method of moments.

If startValues = "US" then a value must be supplied for paramStart.

If startValues = "MoM", nigFitStartMoM is called. If startValues = "MoM" an initial optimisation is needed to find the starting values. These optimisations call optim.

Value

 $\label{limit} \mbox{\ensuremath{\mbox{nigFitStart}}\xspace returns a list with components:}$

paramStart A vector with elements mu, delta, alpha and beta giving the starting value of param.

xName A character string with the actual x argument name.

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breaks The cell boundaries found by a call to hist.

midpoints The cell midpoints found by a call to hist.

empDens The estimated density found by a call to hist.

nigFitStartMoM returns only the method of moments estimates as a vector with elements mu, delta, alpha and beta.

Author(s)

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. (1977) Exponentially decreasing distributions for the logarithm of particle size, *Proc. Roy. Soc. Lond.*, A**353**, 401–419.

Barndorff-Nielsen, O., Blæsild, P., Jensen, J., and Sörenson, M. (1985). The fascination of sand. In *A celebration of statistics, The ISI Centenary Volume*, eds., Atkinson, A. C. and Fienberg, S. E., pp. 57–87. New York: Springer-Verlag.

Fieller, N. J., Flenley, E. C. and Olbricht, W. (1992) Statistics of particle size data. *Appl. Statist.*, **41**, 127–146.

See Also

```
dnig, dskewlap, nigFit, hist, optim, fitdistr.
```

Examples

```
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1)
dataVector <- rnig(500, param = param)
nigFitStart(dataVector, startValues = "FN")
nigFitStartMoM(dataVector)
nigFitStart(dataVector, startValues = "MoM")</pre>
```

nigHessian Calculate Two-Sided Hessian for the Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Description

Calculates the Hessian of a function, either exactly or approximately. Used to obtaining the information matrix for maximum likelihood estimation.

Usage

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Arguments

Χ

| param | The maximum likelihood estimates parameter vector of the normal inverse Gaus- |
|-------|---|

sian distribution. The normal inverse Gaussian distribution has the same sets of parameterizations as the hyperbolic distribution. There are five different sets of parameterazations can be used in this function, the first four sets are listed in hyperbChangePars and the last set is the log scale of the first set of the param-

eterization, i.e., mu, log(delta), Pi, log(zeta).

hessianMethod Only the approximate method ("tsHessian") has actually been implemented so

far.

Data vector.

whichParam Numeric. A number between 1 to 5 indicating which set of the parameterization

is the specified value in argument param belong to.

... Values of other parameters of the function fun if required.

Details

The approximate Hessian is obtained via a call to tsHessian from the package DistributionUtils. summary.nigFit calls the function nigHessian to calculate the Hessian matrix when the argument hessian = TRUE.

Value

nigHessian gives the approximate or exact Hessian matrix for the data vector x and the estimated parameter vector param.

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nigParam

Parameter Sets for the Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

These objects store different parameter sets of the normal inverse Gaussian distribution as matrices for testing or demonstration purposes.

The parameter sets nigSmallShape and nigLargeShape have a constant location parameter of μ = 0, and constant scale parameter δ = 1. In nigSmallParam and nigLargeParam the values of the location and scale parameters vary. In these parameter sets the location parameter μ = 0 takes values from {0, 1} and {-1, 0, 1, 2} respectively. For the scale parameter δ , values are drawn from {1, 5} and {1, 2, 5, 10} respectively.

For the shape parameters α and β the approach is more complex. The values for these shape parameters were chosen by choosing values of ξ and χ which range over the shape triangle, then the function nigChangePars was applied to convert them to the α,β parameterization. The resulting α,β values were then rounded to three decimal places. See the examples for the values of ξ and χ for the large parameter sets.

Usage

```
nigSmallShape
nigLargeShape
nigSmallParam
nigLargeParam
```

Format

nigSmallShape: a 7 by 4 matrix; nigLargeShape: a 15 by 4 matrix; nigSmallParam: a 28 by 4 matrix; nigLargeParam: a 240 by 4 matrix.

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```
sampleMean <- mean(x)
funMean <- nigMean(param = param)
difference <- abs(sampleMean - funMean)
print(difference)
}</pre>
```

nigPlots

Normal inverse Gaussian Quantile-Quantile and Percent-Percent Plots

Description

qqnig produces a normal inverse Gaussian Q-Q plot of the values in y.

ppnig produces a normal inverse Gaussian P-P (percent-percent) or probability plot of the values in y.

Graphical parameters may be given as arguments to qqnig, and ppnig.

Usage

Arguments

```
The data sample.
У
                    \mu is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0.
mu
delta
                    \delta is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set.
                    \alpha is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1.
alpha
                    \beta is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0.
beta
param
                    Parameters of the normal inverse Gaussian distribution.
xlab, ylab, main
                   Plot labels.
                   Logical. Should the result be plotted?
plot.it
line
                    Add line through origin with unit slope.
                   Further graphical parameters.
```

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Value

For qqnig and ppnig, a list with components:

x The x coordinates of the points that are to be plotted.

y The y coordinates of the points that are to be plotted.

References

Wilk, M. B. and Gnanadesikan, R. (1968) Probability plotting methods for the analysis of data. *Biometrika*. **55**, 1–17.

See Also

```
ppoints, dnig, nigFit
```

Examples

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1.5)
y <- rnig(200, param = param)
qqnig(y, param = param, line = FALSE)
abline(0, 1, col = 2)
ppnig(y, param = param)</pre>
```

plotShapeTriangle

Plot the Shape Triangle

Description

Plots the shape triangle for a hyperbolic distribution or generalized hyperbolic distribution. For the hyperbolic distribution the parameter χ is related to the skewness, and the parameter ξ is related to the kurtosis. See Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P. (1981).

Usage

Arguments

| xgap | Gap between the left- and right-hand edges of the shape triangle and the border surrounding the graph. |
|------|--|
| ygap | Gap between the top and bottom of the shape triangle and the border surrounding the graph. |
| main | Title for the plot. |
| | Values of other graphical parameters. |

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References

Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Blæsild, P (1981). Hyperbolic distributions and ramifications: contributions to theory and application. In *Statistical Distributions in Scientific Work*, eds., Taillie, C., Patil, G. P., and Baldessari, B. A., Vol. 4, pp. 19–44. Dordrecht: Reidel.

Examples

```
plotShapeTriangle()
```

resistors

Resistance of One-half-ohm Resistors

Description

This data set gives the resistance in ohms of 500 nominally one-half-ohm resistors, presented in Hahn and Shapiro (1967). Summary data giving the frequency of observations in 28 intervals.

Usage

```
data(resistors)
```

Format

The resistors data frame has 28 rows and 2 columns.

- [, 1] midpoints midpoints of intervals (ohm)
- [, 2] counts number of observations in interval

Source

Hahn, Gerald J. and Shapiro, Samuel S. (1967) *Statistical Models in Engineering*. New York: Wiley, page 207.

References

Chen, Hanfeng, and Kamburowska, Grazyna (2001) Fitting data to the Johnson system. *J. Statist. Comput. Simul.* **70**, 21–32.

```
data(resistors)
str(resistors)
### Construct data from frequency summary, taking all observations
```

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```
### at midpoints of intervals
resistances <- rep(resistors$midpoints, resistors$counts)
hist(resistances)
DistributionUtils::logHist(resistances)
## Fit the hyperbolic distribution
hyperbFit(resistances)

## Actually fit.hyperb can deal with frequency data
hyperbFit(resistors$midpoints, freq = resistors$counts)</pre>
```

SandP500

S\&P 500

Description

This data set gives the value of Standard and Poor's most notable stock market price index (the S&P 500) at year end, from 1800 to 2001.

Usage

data(SandP500)

Format

A vector of 202 observations.

Source

At the time, http://www.globalfindata.com which no longer exists.

References

Brown, Barry W., Spears, Floyd M. and Levy, Lawrence B. (2002) The log *F*: a distribution for all seasons. *Computational Statistics*, **17**, 47–58.

```
data(SandP500)
### Consider proportional changes in the index
change <- SandP500[-length(SandP500)] / SandP500[-1]
hist(change)
### Fit hyperbolic distribution to changes
hyperbFit(change)</pre>
```

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SkewLaplace

Skew-Laplace Distribution

Description

Density function, distribution function, quantiles and random number generation for the skew-Laplace distribution.

Usage

Arguments

| x, q | Vector of quantiles. |
|-------------|--|
| p | Vector of probabilities. |
| n | Number of observations to be generated. |
| mu | The location parameter, set to 0 by default. |
| alpha, beta | The shape parameters, both set to 1 by default. |
| param | Vector of parameters of the skew-Laplace distribution: μ , α and β . |
| logPars | Logical. If TRUE the second and third components of param are taken to be $log(\alpha)$ and $log(\beta)$ respectively. |

Details

The central skew-Laplace has mode zero, and is a mixture of a (negative) exponential distribution with mean β , and the negative of an exponential distribution with mean α . The weights of the positive and negative components are proportional to their means.

The general skew-Laplace distribution is a shifted central skew-Laplace distribution, where the mode is given by μ .

The density is given by:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\alpha + \beta} e^{(x-\mu)/\alpha}$$

for $x \leq \mu$, and

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\alpha + \beta} e^{-(x-\mu)/\beta}$$

for $x \ge \mu$

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Value

dskewlap gives the density, pskewlap gives the distribution function, qskewlap gives the quantile function and rskewlap generates random variates. The distribution function is obtained by elementary integration of the density function. Random variates are generated from exponential observations using the characterization of the skew-Laplace as a mixture of exponential observations.

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References

Fieller, N. J., Flenley, E. C. and Olbricht, W. (1992) Statistics of particle size data. *Appl. Statist.*, **41**, 127–146.

See Also

hyperbFitStart

Examples

SkewLaplacePlots

Skew-Laplace Quantile-Quantile and Percent-Percent Plots

Description

 ${\tt qqskewlap}$ produces a skew-Laplace QQ plot of the values in y.

ppskewlap produces a skew-Laplace PP (percent-percent) or probability plot of the values in y.

If line = TRUE, a line with zero intercept and unit slope is added to the plot.

Graphical parameters may be given as arguments to qqskewlap, and ppskewlap.

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Usage

Arguments

y The data sample.

mu The location parameter, set to 0 by default.

param Parameters of the skew-Laplace distribution.

xlab, ylab, main

Plot labels.

plot.it Logical. TRUE denotes the results should be plotted.

line Logical. If TRUE, a line with zero intercept and unit slope is added to the plot.

... Further graphical parameters.

Value

For qqskewlap and ppskewlap, a list with components:

x The x coordinates of the points that are be plotted.

y The y coordinates of the points that are be plotted.

References

Wilk, M. B. and Gnanadesikan, R. (1968) Probability plotting methods for the analysis of data. *Biometrika*. **55**, 1–17.

See Also

```
ppoints, dskewlap.
```

Examples

```
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
y <- rskewlap(1000, param = c(2, 0.5, 1))
qqskewlap(y, param = c(2, 0.5, 1), line = FALSE)
abline(0, 1, col = 2)
ppskewlap(y, param = c(2, 0.5, 1))</pre>
```

Specific Generalized Hyperbolic Moments and Mode

Moments and Mode of the Generalized Hyperbolic Distribution

Description

Functions to calculate the mean, variance, skewness, kurtosis and mode of a specific generalized hyperbolic distribution.

Usage

Arguments

```
mu \mu is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0.

delta \delta is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set.

alpha \alpha is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1.

beta \beta is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0.

lambda \lambda is the shape parameter and dictates the shape that the distribution shall take. Default value is 1.

param Parameter vector of the generalized hyperbolic distribution.
```

Value

ghypMean gives the mean of the generalized hyperbolic distribution, ghypVar the variance, ghypSkew the skewness, ghypKurt the kurtosis, and ghypMode the mode. The formulae used for the mean is given in Prause (1999). The variance, skewness and kurtosis are obtained using the recursive formula implemented in ghypMom which can calculate moments of all orders about any point.

The mode is found by a numerical optimisation using optim. For the special case of the hyperbolic distribution a formula for the mode is available, see hyperbMode.

The parameterization of the generalized hyperbolic distribution used for these functions is the (α, β) one. See ghypChangePars to transfer between parameterizations.

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References

Prause, K. (1999) *The generalized hyperbolic models: Estimation, financial derivatives and risk measurement.* PhD Thesis, Mathematics Faculty, University of Freiburg.

See Also

dghyp, ghypChangePars, besselK, RLambda.

Examples

```
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1, 2)
ghypMean(param = param)
ghypVar(param = param)
ghypSkew(param = param)
ghypKurt(param = param)
ghypMode(param = param)
maxDens <- dghyp(ghypMode(param = param), param = param)
ghypRange <- ghypCalcRange(param = param, tol = 10^(-3) * maxDens)
curve(dghyp(x, param = param), ghypRange[1], ghypRange[2])
abline(v = ghypMode(param = param), col = "blue")
abline(v = ghypMean(param = param), col = "red")</pre>
```

Specific Generalized Inverse Gaussian Moments and Mode

Moments and Mode of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution

Description

Functions to calculate the mean, variance, skewness, kurtosis and mode of a specific generalized inverse Gaussian distribution.

Usage

```
param = c(chi, psi, lambda))
gigKurt(chi = 1, psi = 1, lambda = 1,
    param = c(chi, psi, lambda))
gigMode(chi = 1, psi = 1, lambda = 1,
    param = c(chi, psi, lambda))
```

Arguments

chi A shape parameter that by default holds a value of 1.
psi Another shape parameter that is set to 1 by default.

lambda Shape parameter of the GIG distribution. Common to all forms of parameteri-

zation. By default this is set to 1.

param Parameter vector of the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution.

Value

gigMean gives the mean of the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution, gigVar the variance, gigSkew the skewness, gigKurt the kurtosis, and gigMode the mode. The formulae used are as given in Jorgensen (1982), pp. 13–17. Note that the kurtosis is the standardised fourth cumulant or what is sometimes called the kurtosis excess. (See http://mathworld.wolfram.com/Kurtosis.html for a discussion.)

The parameterization used for the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution is the (χ, ψ) one (see dgig). To use another parameterization, use gigChangePars.

Author(s)

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References

Jorgensen, B. (1982). *Statistical Properties of the Generalized Inverse Gaussian Distribution*. Lecture Notes in Statistics, Vol. 9, Springer-Verlag, New York.

See Also

```
dgig, gigChangePars, besselK
```

```
param <- c(5, 2.5, -0.5)
gigMean(param = param)
gigVar(param = param)
gigSkew(param = param)
gigKurt(param = param)
gigMode(param = param)</pre>
```

```
Specific Hyperbolic Distribution Moments and Mode

Moments and Mode of the Hyperbolic Distribution
```

Description

Functions to calculate the mean, variance, skewness, kurtosis and mode of a specific hyperbolic distribution.

Usage

Arguments

```
mu \mu is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. delta \delta is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. alpha \alpha is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. beta \beta is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. parameter vector of the hyperbolic distribution.
```

Details

The formulae used for the mean, variance and mode are as given in Barndorff-Nielsen and Blæsild (1983), p. 702. The formulae used for the skewness and kurtosis are those of Barndorff-Nielsen and Blæsild (1981), Appendix 2.

Note that the variance, skewness and kurtosis can be obtained from the functions for the generalized hyperbolic distribution as special cases. Likewise other moments can be obtained from the function ghypMom which implements a recursive method to moments of any desired order. Note that functions for the generalized hyperbolic distribution use a different parameterization, so care is required.

Value

hyperbMean gives the mean of the hyperbolic distribution, hyperbVar the variance, hyperbSkew the skewness, hyperbKurt the kurtosis and hyperbMode the mode.

Note that the kurtosis is the standardised fourth cumulant or what is sometimes called the kurtosis excess. (See http://mathworld.wolfram.com/Kurtosis.html for a discussion.)

The parameterization of the hyperbolic distribution used for this and other components of the GeneralizedHyperbolic package is the (α,β) one. See hyperbChangePars to transfer between parameterizations.

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See Also

dhyperb, hyperbChangePars, besselK, ghypMom, ghypMean, ghypVar, ghypSkew, ghypKurt

Examples

```
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1)
hyperbMean(param = param)
hyperbVar(param = param)
hyperbSkew(param = param)
hyperbKurt(param = param)
hyperbMode(param = param)</pre>
```

Specific Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution Moments and Mode ${\it Moments~and~Mode~of~the~Normal~Inverse~Gaussian~Distribution}$

Description

Functions to calculate the mean, variance, skewness, kurtosis and mode of a specific normal inverse Gaussian distribution.

Usage

```
param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta))
nigMode(mu = 0, delta = 1, alpha = 1, beta = 0,
    param = c(mu, delta, alpha, beta))
```

Arguments

| mu | μ is the location parameter. By default this is set to 0. |
|-------|---|
| delta | δ is the scale parameter of the distribution. A default value of 1 has been set. |
| alpha | α is the tail parameter, with a default value of 1. |
| beta | β is the skewness parameter, by default this is 0. |
| param | Parameter vector of the normal inverse Gaussian distribution. |

Details

The mean, variance, skewness, kurtosis and mode for the normal inverse Gaussian distribution can be obtained from the functions for the generalized hyperbolic distribution as special cases (i.e., λ = -1/2). Likewise other moments can be obtained from the function ghypMom which implements a recursive method to moments of any desired order.

The proper formulae for the mean, variance and skewness of the normal inverse Gaussian distribution can be found in Paolella, Marc S. (2007), Chapter 9, p325.

Value

nigMean gives the mean of the normal inverse Gaussian distribution, nigVar the variance, nigSkew the skewness, nigKurt the kurtosis and nigMode the mode.

Note that the kurtosis is the standardised fourth cumulant or what is sometimes called the kurtosis excess. (See http://mathworld.wolfram.com/Kurtosis.html for a discussion.)

The parameterization of the normal inverse Gaussian distribution used for this and other components of the GeneralizedHyperbolic package is the (α, β) one. See hyperbChangePars to transfer between parameterizations.

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Paolella, Marc S. (2007) Intermediate Probability: A Computational Approach, Chichester: Wiley

See Also

dnig, hyperbChangePars, besselK, ghypMom, ghypMean, ghypVar, ghypSkew, ghypKurt

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Examples

```
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1)
nigMean(param = param)
nigVar(param = param)
nigSkew(param = param)
nigKurt(param = param)
nigMode(param = param)</pre>
```

summary.gigFit

Summarizing Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution Fit

Description

```
summary Method for class "gigFit".
```

Usage

Arguments

object An object of class "gigFit", resulting from a call to gigFit.

hessian Logical. If TRUE the Hessian is printed.

hessianMethod The two-sided Hessian approximation given by tsHessian from the package

DistributionUtils is the only method implemented so far.

x An object of class "summary.gigFit", resulting from a call to summary.gigFit.

digits The number of significant digits to use when printing.
... Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

Details

If hessian = FALSE no calculations are performed, the class of object is simply changed from gigFit to summary.gigFit so that it can be passed to print.summary.gigFit for printing in a convenient form.

If hessian = TRUE the Hessian is calculated via a call to gigHessian and the standard errors of the parameter estimates are calculated using the Hessian and these are added to the original list object. The class of the object returned is again changed to summary.gigFit.

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Value

summary.gigFit returns a list comprised of the original object object and additional elements hessian and sds if hessian = TRUE, otherwise it returns the original object. The class of the object returned is changed to summary.gigFit.

See gigFit for the composition of an object of class gigFit.

If the Hessian and standard errors have not been added to the object x, print.summary.gigFit prints a summary in the same format as print.gigFit. When the Hessian and standard errors are available, the Hessian is printed and the standard errors for the parameter estimates are printed in parentheses beneath the parameter estimates, in the manner of fitdistr in the package MASS.

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See Also

```
gigFit, summary, gigHessian.
```

Examples

```
### Continuing the gigFit(.) example:
param <- c(1,1,1)
dataVector <- rgig(500, param = param)
fit <- gigFit(dataVector)
print(fit)
summary(fit, hessian = TRUE, hessianMethod = "tsHessian")</pre>
```

summary.hyperbFit

Summarizing Hyperbolic Distribution Fit

Description

```
summary Method for class "hyperbFit".
```

Usage

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Arguments

object An object of class "hyperbFit", resulting from a call to hyperbFit.

hessian Logical. If TRUE the Hessian is printed.

hessianMethod Two methods are available to calculate the Hessian exactly ("exact") or ap-

proximately ("tsHessian").

x An object of class "summary.hyperbFit", resulting from a call to summary.hyperbFit.

digits The number of significant digits to use when printing.
... Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

Details

If hessian = FALSE no calculations are performed, the class of object is simply changed from hyperbFit to summary.hyperbFit so that it can be passed to print.summary.hyperbFit for printing in a convenient form.

If hessian = TRUE the Hessian is calculated via a call to hyperbHessian and the standard errors of the parameter estimates are calculated using the Hessian and these are added to the original list object. The class of the object returned is again changed to summary.hyperbFit.

Value

summary.hyperbFit returns a list comprised of the original object object and additional elements hessian and sds if hessian = TRUE, otherwise it returns the original object. The class of the object returned is changed to summary.hyperbFit.

See hyperbFit for the composition of an object of class hyperbFit.

If the Hessian and standard errors have not been added to the object x, print.summary.hyperbFit prints a summary in the same format as print.hyperbFit. When the Hessian and standard errors are available, the Hessian is printed and the standard errors for the parameter estimates are printed in parentheses beneath the parameter estimates, in the manner of fitdistr in the package MASS.

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See Also

hyperbFit, summary, hyperbHessian, tsHessian.

```
### Continuing the hyperbFit(.) example:
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1)
dataVector <- rhyperb(500, param = param)
fit <- hyperbFit(dataVector, method = "BFGS")
print(fit)
summary(fit, hessian = TRUE)</pre>
```

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| summary.hyperblm | Summary Output of Hyperbolic Regression | |
|------------------|---|--|
|------------------|---|--|

Description

It obtains summary output from class 'hyperblm' object. The summary output incldes the standard error, t-statistics, p values of the coefficients estimates. Also the estimated parameters of hyperbolic error distribution, the maximum likelihood, the stage one optimization method, the two-stage alternating iterations and the convergence code.

Usage

Arguments

| object | An object of class "hyperblm". |
|---------|---|
| x | An object of class "summary.hyperblm" resulting from a call to summary.hyperblm. |
| hessian | Logical. If is TRUE, the standard error is calculated by the hessian matrix and the also hessian matrix is returned. Otherwise, the standard error is approximated by bootstrapping. See Details . |
| nboots | Numeric. Number of bootstrap simulations to obtain the bootstrap estimate of parameters standard errors. |
| digits | Numeric. Desired number of digits when the object is printed. |
| | Passes additional arguments to functions bSE, hyperblmhessian. |

Details

The function summary.hyperblm provides two approaches to obtain the standard error of parameters due to the fact that approximated hessian matrix is not stable for such complex optimization. The first approach is by approximated hessian matrix. The setting in the argument list is hessian = TRUE. The Hessian matrix is approximated by function tsHessian. However it may not be reliable for some error distribution parameters, for instance, the function obtains negative variance from the Hessian matrix. The second approach is by parametric bootstrapping. The setting in the argument list is hessian = FALSE which is also the default setting. The default number of bootstrap stimulations is 1000, but users can increase this when accuracy has priority over efficiency. Although the bootstrapping is fairly slow, it provides reliable standard errors.

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Value

summary.hyperblm returns an object of class summary.hyperblm which is a list containing:

coefficients A names vector of regression coefficients.

distributionParams

A named vector of fitted hyperbolic error distribution parameters.

fitted.values The fitted mean values.

residuals The remaining after subtract fitted values from response.

MLE The maximum likelihood value of the model.

method The optimization method for stage one.

paramStart The start values of parameters that the user specified (only where relevant).

residsParamStart

The start values of parameters returned by hyperbFitStand (only where rele-

vant).

call The matched call.

terms The terms object used.

contrasts The contrasts used (only where relevant).

xlevels The levels of the factors used in the fitting (only where relevant).

offset The offset used (only where relevant).

xNames The names of each explanatory variables. If explanatory variables don't have

names then they shall be named x.

yVec The response vector.

xMatrix The explanatory variables matrix.

iterations Number of two-stage alternating iterations to convergency.

convergence The convergence code for two-stage optimization: 0 if the system converged; 1

if first stage did not converge, 2 if the second stage did not converge, 3 if the

both stages did not converge.

breaks The cell boundaries found by a call the hist.

hessian Hessian Matrix. Only where Hessian = TRUE. tval t-statistics of regression coefficient estimates.

rdf Degrees of freedom.

pval P-values of regression coefficients estimates.

sds Standard errors of regression coefficient estimates.

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See Also

print.summary.hyperblm prints the summary output in a table. hyperblm fits linear model with hyperbolic error distribution.print.hyperblm prints the regression result in a table.coef.hyperblm obtains the regression coefficients and error distribution parameters of the fitted model.plot.hyperblm obtains a residual vs fitted value plot, a histgram of residuals with error distribution density curve on top, a histgram of log residuals with error distribution error density curve on top and a QQ plot.tsHessian

Examples

```
## stackloss data example

# airflow <- stackloss[, 1]
# temperature <- stackloss[, 2]
# acid <- stackloss[, 3]
# stack <- stackloss[, 4]

# hyperblm.fit <- hyperblm(stack ~ airflow + temperature + acid,
# tolerance = 1e-11)

# coef.hyperblm(hyperblm.fit)
# plot.hyperblm(hyperblm.fit, breaks = 20)
# summary.hyperblm(hyperblm.fit, hessian = FALSE)</pre>
```

summary.nigFit

Summarizing Normal Inverse Gaussian Distribution Fit

Description

summary Method for class "nigFit".

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Usage

Arguments

object An object of class "nigFit", resulting from a call to nigFit.

hessian Logical. If TRUE the Hessian is printed.

hessianMethod The two-sided Hessian approximation given by tsHessian from the package

DistributionUtils is the only method implemented so far.

x An object of class "summary.nigFit", resulting from a call to summary.nigFit.

digits The number of significant digits to use when printing.
... Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

Details

If hessian = FALSE no calculations are performed, the class of object is simply changed from nigFit to summary.nigFit so that it can be passed to print.summary.nigFit for printing in a convenient form.

If hessian = TRUE the Hessian is calculated via a call to nigHessian and the standard errors of the parameter estimates are calculated using the Hessian and these are added to the original list object. The class of the object returned is again changed to summary.nigFit.

Value

summary.nigFit returns a list comprised of the original object object and additional elements hessian and sds if hessian = TRUE, otherwise it returns the original object. The class of the object returned is changed to summary.nigFit.

See nigFit for the composition of an object of class nigFit.

If the Hessian and standard errors have not been added to the object x, print.summary.nigFit prints a summary in the same format as print.nigFit. When the Hessian and standard errors are available, the Hessian is printed and the standard errors for the parameter estimates are printed in parentheses beneath the parameter estimates, in the manner of fitdistr in the package MASS.

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See Also

```
nigFit, summary, nigHessian.
```

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Examples

```
### Continuing the nigFit(.) example:
param <- c(2, 2, 2, 1)
dataVector <- rnig(500, param = param)
fit <- nigFit(dataVector, method = "BFGS")
print(fit)
summary(fit, hessian = TRUE, hessianMethod = "tsHessian")</pre>
```

traffic

Intervals Between Vehicles on a Road

Description

Intervals between the times that 129 successive vehicles pass a point on a road, measured in seconds.

Usage

```
data(traffic)
```

Format

The traffic data is a vector of 128 observations.

Source

Bartlett, M.S. (1963) Statistical estimation of density functions *Sankhya: The Indian Journal of Statistics*, **Series A, Vol. 25, No. 3**, 245–254.

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```
data(traffic)
str(traffic)
### Fit the generalized inverse Gaussian distribution
gigFit(traffic)
```

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