

# Package ‘ugomquantreg’

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**Description** Unit-Gompertz density, cumulative distribution, quantile functions and random deviate generation of the unit-Gompertz distribution. In addition, there are a function for fitting the Generalized Additive Models for Location, Scale and Shape.

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**ugomquantreg-package** *Overview of the ugomquantreg package*

## Description

The **ugomquantreg** package implements the probability density function, quantile function, cumulative distribution function and random number generation function for unit-Gompertz distribution parameterized as a function of its  $\tau$ -th quantile,  $0 < \tau < 1$ . Some function are written in C++ using **Rcpp**.

## Details

**ammonia**: Ammonia oxidized to acid nitric data set.

**bodyfat**: Body fat data set.

**UGOM**: For quantile modeling (con/in)ditional on covariate(s).

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**ammonia**

*Ammonia oxidized to acid nitric data set*

## Description

The data come from experiments with a plant where ammonia is oxidized to acid nitric.

## Usage

```
data(ammonia, package = "ugomquantreg")
```

## Format

A data-frame with 21 observations and 4 columns:

- **stackloss**: the percentage of ammonia lost.
- **airflow**: the air flow to the plant.
- **watertemp**: the cooling water inlet temperature.
- **acidconc**: the acid concentration.

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**Source**

<https://support.sas.com/rnd/app/stat/examples/BayesQuantile/quantile.htm>

**References**

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**Examples**

```
data(ammonia, package = "ugomquantreg")

library(gamlss)

tau <- 0.50
fit.logit <- gamlss(stackloss ~ airflow + watertemp + acidconc, data = ammonia,
family = UGOM(sigma.link="identity"))

tau <- 0.50
fit.probit <- gamlss(stackloss ~ airflow + watertemp + acidconc,
data = ammonia, family = UGOM(mu.link = "probit", sigma.link = "log"))

fittaus <- lapply(c(0.10, 0.25, 0.50, 0.75, 0.90), function(Tau){
  tau <<- Tau;
  gamlss(stackloss ~ airflow + watertemp + acidconc, data = ammonia,
  family = UGOM(mu.link = "logit", sigma.link = "log"))
})

sapply(fittaus, coef)
```

bodyfat

*Percentage of body fat data set***Description**

The body fat percentage of individuals assisted in a public hospital in Curitiba, Paraná, Brazil.

**Usage**

```
data(bodyfat, package = "ugomquantreg")
```

**Format**

A data-frame with 298 observations and 9 columns:

- ARMS: arms fat percentage.

- LEGS: legs fat percentage.
- BODY: body fat percentage.
- ANDROID: android fat percentage.
- GYNECOID: ginecoid fat percentage.
- AGE: age of individuals.
- BMI: body mass index.
- SEX: 1 for female, 2 for male.
- IPAQ: 0 for IPAQ = sedentary, 1 for IPAQ = insufficiently active and 2 for IPAQ = active.

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### **Source**

<http://www.leg.ufpr.br/doku.php/publications:papercompanions:multquasibeta>

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### **Examples**

```
data(bodyfat, package = "ugomquantreg")

library(gamlss)

tau <- 0.50
fit.logit <- gamlss(ARMS ~ AGE + I(BMI / 100) + as.factor(SEX) + as.factor(IPAQ),
data = bodyfat, family = UGOM(mu.link = "logit", sigma.link = "log"))

tau <- 0.50;
fit.probit <- gamlss(ARMS ~ AGE + I(BMI / 100) + as.factor(SEX) + as.factor(IPAQ),
data = bodyfat, family = UGOM(mu.link = "probit", sigma.link = "log"))
```

## Description

The function UGOM() define the unit-Gompertz distribution for a `gamlss.family` object to be used in GAMLSS fitting. UGOM() has the  $\tau$ -th quantile equal to the parameter mu and sigma as the shape parameter. The functions dUGOM, pUGOM, qUGOM and rUGOM define the density, distribution function, quantile function and random generation for unit-Gompertz distribution.

## Usage

```
dUGOM(x, mu, sigma, tau = 0.5, log = FALSE)

pUGOM(q, mu, sigma, tau = 0.5, lower.tail = TRUE, log.p = FALSE)

qUGOM(p, mu, sigma, tau = 0.5, lower.tail = TRUE, log.p = FALSE)

rUGOM(n, mu, sigma, tau = 0.5)

UGOM(mu.link = "logit", sigma.link = "log")
```

## Arguments

<code>x, q</code>	vector of quantiles on the (0,1) interval.
<code>mu</code>	vector of quantile parameter values.
<code>sigma</code>	vector of shape parameter values.
<code>tau</code>	the $\tau$ -th fixed quantile in [d-p-q-r]-UGOM function.
<code>log, log.p</code>	logical; If TRUE, probabilities p are given as log(p).
<code>lower.tail</code>	logical; If TRUE, (default), $P(X \leq x)$ are returned, otherwise $P(X > x)$ .
<code>p</code>	vector of probabilities.
<code>n</code>	the number of observations. If <code>length(n) &gt; 1</code> , the length is taken to be the number required.
<code>mu.link</code>	the mu link function with default logit.
<code>sigma.link</code>	the sigma link function with default logit.

## Details

Probability density function

$$f(x | \mu, \sigma, \tau) = \left( \frac{\log(\tau)}{1 - \mu^{-\sigma}} \right) \sigma x^{-(1+\sigma)} \exp \left[ \left( \frac{\log(\tau)}{1 - \mu^{-\sigma}} \right) (1 - x^{-\sigma}) \right]$$

Cumulative distribution function

$$F(x | \mu, \sigma, \tau) = \exp \left[ \left( \frac{\log(\tau)}{1 - \mu^{-\sigma}} \right) (1 - x^{-\sigma}) \right]$$

**Mean**

$$E(X) = \left( \frac{\log(\tau)}{1 - \mu^{-\sigma}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\theta}} \exp \left( \frac{\log(\tau)}{1 - \mu^{-\sigma}} \right) \Gamma \left( \frac{\sigma - 1}{\sigma}, \frac{\log(\tau)}{1 - \mu^{-\sigma}} \right)$$

where  $0 < (\bar{x}, \mu) < 1$ ,  $\mu$  is, for a fixed and known value of  $\tau$ , the  $\tau$ -th quantile,  $\sigma$  is the shape parameter and  $\Gamma(a, b)$  is the upper incomplete gamma function.

**Value**

UGOM() return a `gamlss.family` object which can be used to fit a unit-Gompertz distribution by `gamlss()` function.

**Note**

Note that for UGOM(), mu is the  $\tau$ -th quantile and sigma a shape parameter. The `gamlss` function is used for parameters estimation.

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**Examples**

```
set.seed(123)
x <- rUGOM(n = 1000, mu = 0.50, sigma = 1.69, tau = 0.50)
R <- range(x)
S <- seq(from = R[1], to = R[2], length.out = 1000)

hist(x, prob = TRUE, main = 'unit-Gompertz')
lines(S, dUGOM(x = S, mu = 0.50, sigma = 1.69, tau = 0.50), col = 2)
```

```
plot(ecdf(x))
lines(S, pUGOM(q = S, mu = 0.50, sigma = 1.69, tau = 0.50), col = 2)

plot(quantile(x, probs = S), type = "l")
lines(qUGOM(p = S, mu = 0.50, sigma = 1.69, tau = 0.50), col = 2)

library(gamlss)
set.seed(123)
data <- data.frame(y = rUGOM(n = 100, mu = 0.5, sigma = 2.0, tau = 0.5))

tau <- 0.50
fit <- gamlss(y ~ 1, data = data, family = UGOM)

set.seed(123)
n <- 100
x <- rbinom(n, size = 1, prob = 0.5)
eta <- 0.5 + 1 * x;
mu <- 1 / (1 + exp(-eta));
sigma <- 1.5;
y <- rUGOM(n, mu, sigma, tau = 0.5)
data <- data.frame(y, x)

tau <- 0.50
fit <- gamlss(y ~ x, data = data, family = UGOM(mu.link = "logit", sigma.link = "log"))
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