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Abstract

This paper considers the problem of distribution estimation for the studentized sample mean in the context of Long Memory and Negative Memory time series dynamics, adopting the fixed-bandwidth approach now popular in the econometrics literature. The distribution theory complements the Short Memory results of Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005). In particular, our results highlight the dependence on the employed kernel, whether or not the taper is nonzero at the boundary, and most importantly whether or not the process has short memory. We also demonstrate that small-bandwidth approaches fail when long memory or negative memory is present since the limiting distribution is either a point mass at zero or degenerate. Extensive numerical work provides approximations to the quantiles of the asymptotic distribution for a range of tapers and memory parameters; these quantiles can be used in practice for the construction of confidence intervals and hypothesis tests for the mean of the time series.

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1 Introduction

This paper considers the asymptotics of estimates of the variance of the sample mean constructed from a tapered sum of sample autocovariances, when the underlying data generating process (DGP) exhibits either short or long memory. As in Kiefer and Vogelsang (2002, 2005), we work out the so-called fixed b asymptotics, i.e., the case that bandwidth is a fixed proportion of sample size. In Kiefer, Vogelsang, and Bunzel (2000) results are obtained for the Bartlett kernel, which show that the limiting numerator and denominator are independent. However, this is not true in the case of long/intermediate memory, and more generally is not true when other kernels are used.

We study the situation that we have a sample $Y = \{Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n\}$ from a strictly stationary time series with mean $EY_t = \mu$, autocovariance $\gamma_h = Cov(Y_t, Y_{t+h})$, and integrable spectral density function $f(\lambda) = \sum_h \gamma_h e^{-ih\lambda}$. Memory strength can be parameterized through the partial sums of autocovariances:

$$\sum_{|h| < n} \gamma_h \sim CL(n)n^\beta, \tag{1}$$

where in general $A_n \sim B_n$ denotes $A_n/B_n \rightarrow 1$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. In (1), C is a positive constant, and L is slowly varying at infinity (Embrechts, Klüppelberg, and Mikosch, 1997), with a limit that can be zero, one, or infinity. Then β and L parametrize memory as follows: $1 > \beta > 0$ or $\beta = 0$ and L tending to infinity correspond to long memory (LM) in which case $f(0) = \infty$; $\beta = 0$ and L tending to unity correspond to the usual short memory (SM) where $0 < f(0) < \infty$; finally, $-1 < \beta < 0$ or $\beta = 0$ and L tending to zero correspond to the less-studied case where $f(0) = 0$ which we will denote by negative memory (NM). In this context, Brockwell and Davis (1991) used the terminology “intermediate memory”, whereas others have used “anti-persistence” (Lieberman and Phillips, 2006) or “negative dependence” (Samorodnitsky and Taqqu, 1994) due to negative correlations; our choice of terminology follows these latter authors. These definitions encompass ARFIMA models (Hosking, 1981), FEXP models (Beran (1993, 1994)), and fractional Gaussian Noise models. Some authors prefer to parametrize memory in terms of the rate of explosion of f or $1/f$ at frequency zero, but it is more convenient for us to work in the time domain; see Palma (2007) for a recent overview.

We stipulate $\beta < 1$ to ensure stationarity, and $\beta > -1$ to ensure that Y_t is not over-differenced, i.e., equal to the first difference of another stationary process. The SM case was covered in Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005) who used the Bartlett kernel for smoothing; our results provide extensions to LM and NM DGPs with a variety of kernels. The chief problem of interest is to properly normalize the partial sums $S_n = \sum_{t=1}^n Y_t$, which have finite-sample variance V_n . In general V_n grows at a rate dependent on β (e.g., see Taqqu (1975)), which makes the problem of normalization more tricky. Supposing that $V_n^{-1/2}(S_n - n\mu)$ converges weakly to a nondegenerate distribution, it is of interest to develop an estimate of V_n that can be plugged in. We consider an estimator $V_{\Lambda, M}$ based on a

tapered sum of sample autocovariances and bandwidth M , which grows at the same asymptotic rate as V_n .

Our main asymptotic result is contained in Section 2; it is the derivation of the limiting distribution of the studentized sample mean under different dependence structures, i.e., value of β in (1), and using any kernel from a general family of kernels. Since in practice β will be unknown, it must be estimated and plugged in. Aside from β , the limiting distribution is pivotal, facilitating the construction of confidence intervals and hypothesis tests. Interestingly—and conveniently—, the slowly varying function L in (1) does not affect the asymptotic distribution. Section 3 contains some additional theoretical results that are pertinent to understanding the impact of NM and LM. Section 4 investigates numerically the limiting distribution of the studentized sample mean, and presents tables of critical values that can be used by practitioners. Section 5 presents our conclusions, and technical proofs are deferred to the Appendix.

2 Asymptotic Results

As in Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005), let the bandwidth M be proportional to sample size n , i.e., $M = bn$ with $b \in (0, 1]$. We first introduce the following notation: the sample autocovariance is $\tilde{\gamma}_k = n^{-1} \sum_{t=1}^{n-k} (Y_{t+k} - \bar{Y})(Y_t - \bar{Y})$ for $0 \leq k < n$, and \bar{Y} the sample mean. Also let $\hat{S}_i = \sum_{t=1}^i (Y_t - \bar{Y})$ (so that $\hat{S}_n = 0$), and define the tapered sum of autocovariances by $V_{\Lambda, M} = \sum_h \Lambda(h/M) \tilde{\gamma}_h$, where Λ is a taper.

We consider tapers $\Lambda(x)$ from the following general family:

$$\left\{ \Lambda \text{ is an even function with support on } [-1, 1] \text{ such that } \Lambda(x) = 1 \text{ for } |x| \leq c, \text{ for some } c \in [0, 1]. \right. \\ \left. \text{Furthermore, } \Lambda \text{ is continuous everywhere and twice continuously differentiable on } (c, 1) \cup (-1, -c). \right\} \quad (2)$$

The above class of tapers includes the family of ‘flat-top’ kernels of Politis (2005) where $c > 0$, the Bartlett kernel (letting $c = 0$ and a linear decay of Λ), as well as other kernels considered in Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005).

A derivative of Λ from the left (with respect to x) is denoted $\dot{\Lambda}_-$, whereas from the right is $\dot{\Lambda}_+$; the second derivative is $\ddot{\Lambda}$. The greatest integer function is denoted by $[\cdot]$. With this notation, the following basic proposition is presented.

Proposition 1 *Let Λ be a kernel from family (2), and assume (1) with $|\beta| < 1$. Then*

$$\begin{aligned} nV_{\Lambda,M} &= \sum_{i,j=1}^n \widehat{S}_i \widehat{S}_j \left(2\Lambda \left(\frac{i-j}{M} \right) - \Lambda \left(\frac{i-j+1}{M} \right) - \Lambda \left(\frac{i-j-1}{M} \right) \right) \\ &= -\frac{2}{bn} \sum_{i=1}^{n-[cbn]} \widehat{S}_i \widehat{S}_{i+[cbn]} \left(\dot{\Lambda}_+(c) + \frac{1}{2bn} \ddot{\Lambda}(c) + O(n^{-2}) \right) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{b^2 n^2} \sum_{[cbn] < |i-j| < [bn]} \widehat{S}_i \widehat{S}_j \left(\ddot{\Lambda} \left(\frac{|i-j|}{bn} \right) + O(n^{-1}) \right) + \frac{2}{bn} \sum_{i=1}^{n-[bn]} \widehat{S}_i \widehat{S}_{i+[bn]} \left(\dot{\Lambda}_-(1) + O(n^{-1}) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Remark 1 In case the taper is continuously differentiable at c , $\dot{\Lambda}_+(c) = 0$ and the second derivative becomes dominant in the first term, which can then be recombined with the second term to yield

$$-\frac{1}{b^2 n^2} \sum_{[cbn] \leq |i-j| < [bn]} \widehat{S}_i \widehat{S}_j \left(\ddot{\Lambda} \left(\frac{|i-j|}{bn} \right) + O(n^{-1}) \right).$$

Likewise, if there is no kink at $|x| = 1$, then $\dot{\Lambda}_-(1) = 0$ and the third term vanishes completely.

Since we want the asymptotics of $nV_{\Lambda,M}$, we need functional limit theorems for the partial sums, since $\widehat{S}_i = S_i - i/n S_n$. To that end we suppose that

$$V_n^{-1/2} (S_{[nr]} - [nr]\mu) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} B(r) \quad (3)$$

in the sense that the corresponding probability measures on $\mathcal{D}[0, 1]$ (the space of functions on $[0, 1]$ that are right continuous with left limits, endowed with the Skorohod topology – Taniguchi and Kakizawa (2000)) converge weakly. Here $B(\cdot)$ is a Fractional Brownian Motion (FBM) process of parameter $(\beta + 1)/2$ (Samorodnitsky and Taqqu, 1994).

Sufficient conditions for (3) include linearity and a moment condition (see Theorem 5.2.4 of Taniguchi and Kakizawa (2000)), as well as supposing that the process is an instantaneous functional of a long memory Gaussian (see Theorem 5.1 of Taqqu (1975)). In the interest of brevity we will henceforth assume that (3) holds, from which it follows that $\widehat{S}_{[rn]}/\sqrt{V_n}$ converges weakly to the process $\widetilde{B}(r) = B(r) - rB(1)$, which is a Fractional Brownian Bridge (FBB). Then we may conclude the following result:

Theorem 1 *Let Λ be a kernel from family (2), and suppose that $\{Y_t\}$ is a DGP such that (3) holds. Also assume that (1) holds with $|\beta| < 1$. Then*

$$\frac{S_n - n\mu}{\sqrt{nV_{\Lambda,M}}} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} \frac{B(1)}{\sqrt{Q(b)}} \quad (4)$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, where $Q(b)$ is defined by

$$\begin{aligned} & -\frac{2}{b} \dot{\Lambda}_+(c) \int_0^{1-cb} \widetilde{B}(r) \widetilde{B}(r+cb) dr - \frac{1}{b^2} \int_{cb < |r-s| < b} \widetilde{B}(r) \widetilde{B}(s) \ddot{\Lambda} \left(\frac{|r-s|}{b} \right) dr ds \\ & + \frac{2}{b} \dot{\Lambda}_-(1) \int_0^{1-b} \widetilde{B}(r) \widetilde{B}(r+b) dr. \end{aligned}$$

Interestingly, the limit $Q(b)$ does not depend at all on the slowly varying function L that appears in (1), and thus L does not affect the asymptotic distribution of the studentized sample mean.

Remark 2 Note that $B(1)$ and $Q(b)$ in (4) will not be independent except in special cases. Such a special case is the set-up of Kiefer, Vogelsang and Bunzel (2000) who consider the case that $b = 1$ and $c = 0$, the kernel is the Bartlett, and $\beta = 0$. Then $Q(1) = 2 \int_0^1 \tilde{B}^2(r) dr$, and $B(1)$ is independent of $\tilde{B}(r)$ because the covariance of $B(1)$ and $\tilde{B}(r)$ is zero in that case. However, in general,

$$\text{Cov}\left(B(1), \tilde{B}(r)\right) = -r + \left(1 + r^{\beta+1} - (1-r)^{\beta+1}\right) / 2$$

which is nonzero unless of course $\beta = 0$. So, in general (say when $\beta \neq 0$ and/or the kernel is not the Bartlett) $B(1)$ and $Q(b)$ will be dependent. However, it is a simple matter to determine the limiting distribution of (4) numerically for any given value of β , and any choice of taper and bandwidth b .

Example 1 The trapezoidal taper is the benchmark flat-top taper whose use was proposed by Politis and Romano (1995); it is defined by

$$\Lambda^{T,c}(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } |x| \leq c \\ \frac{|x|-1}{c-1} & \text{if } c < |x| \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{else.} \end{cases}$$

Hence the second derivative for $|x| \in (c, 1]$ is zero, and

$$Q(b) = \frac{2}{b(c-1)} \left(\int_0^{1-b} \tilde{B}(r) \tilde{B}(r+b) dr - \int_0^{1-cb} \tilde{B}(r) \tilde{B}(r+cb) dr \right).$$

3 Theoretical Properties

We next discuss a few of the theoretical properties of $Q(b)$, which shed light on why the $\beta = 0$ case is so different from the LM and NM cases. Using the abbreviation

$$A(x) = 2 \int_0^{1-x} \tilde{B}(r) \tilde{B}(r+x) dr,$$

we can re-express $Q(b)$ as

$$Q(b) = -\frac{1}{b} \int_c^1 \dot{\Lambda}(x) A(bx) dx + \frac{1}{b} \left(\dot{\Lambda}_-(1) A(b) - \dot{\Lambda}_+(c) A(cb) \right). \quad (5)$$

The following proposition provides the first moment of $Q(b)$.

Proposition 2 Under the conditions of Theorem 1,

$$\mathbb{E}[A(x)] = \frac{2}{(\beta+2)(\beta+3)} \left((1-x)^{\beta+3} - x^{\beta+3} + 1 \right) + \frac{1}{3}(x^3 - 1) + \frac{1}{\beta+2} \left(2x + \beta x^{\beta+2} - (\beta+2)x^{\beta+1} \right).$$

Denoting this function by $g(x)$,

$$\mathbb{E}[Q(b)] = -\frac{1}{b} \int_c^1 \ddot{\Lambda}(x)g(bx) dx + \frac{1}{b} \left(\dot{\Lambda}_-(1)g(b) - \dot{\Lambda}_+(c)g(cb) \right) = \int_c^1 \dot{\Lambda}(x)\dot{g}(bx) dx,$$

where \dot{g} is an integrable function for $\beta > -1$ and is given by

$$\dot{g}(x) = -\frac{2}{\beta+2} \left((1-x)^{\beta+2} + x^{\beta+2} \right) + x^2 + \frac{1}{\beta+2} \left(2 + (\beta+2)x^\beta(\beta x - \beta - 1) \right).$$

Moreover,

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow 0} \mathbb{E}[Q(b)] = \begin{cases} 0 & \beta > 0 \\ 1 - \Lambda(1) & \beta = 0 \\ \infty & \beta < 0 \end{cases} . \quad (6)$$

Example 1 Continuing the example of the trapezoidal taper, the mean is calculated to be

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[Q(b)] &= \frac{2}{(\beta+2)(\beta+3)(1-c)b} \left[(1-cb)^{\beta+3} - (1-b)^{\beta+3} - b^{\beta+3}(c^{\beta+3} - 1) \right] - \frac{b^2}{3}(1+c+c^2) \\ &+ \frac{1}{(\beta+2)(\beta+3)} \left[2(c-1) + b^{\beta+1}\beta(c^{\beta+2} - 1) - b^\beta(\beta+2)(c^{\beta+1} - 1) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence the small bandwidth behavior is given by

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow 0} \mathbb{E}[Q(b)] = \lim_{b \rightarrow 0} b^\beta \frac{1 - c^{\beta+1}}{1 - c},$$

which equals ∞ , one, or zero depending on whether the DGP is NM ($\beta < 0$), SM ($\beta = 0$), or LM ($\beta > 0$).

More generally, by (6) we see that the small b mean of $Q(b)$ is ∞ , $1 - \Lambda(1)$, or zero depending on whether the DGP is NM, SM, or LM. Since $Q(b)$ is in the denominator of the limiting distribution in (4), this implies a small-bandwidth limiting distribution of zero, normal (standard normal if $\Lambda(1) = 0$), or infinity (informally speaking) for the self-normalized statistic (4) in the cases NM, SM, or LM respectively.

Mean calculations for other tapers, such as Parzen, Bohman, Daniell, etc., are quite involved and are not included here. However, when $\beta = 0$ the results of Proposition 2 reduce to those of Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005), but extended to include flat-top tapers as well as tapers with $\Lambda(1) \neq 0$ (that are not included in their Definition 1). Letting $\mu_0 = \int_0^1 \Lambda(x) dx$ and $\mu_1 = \int_0^1 \Lambda(x)x dx$, we obtain for the $\beta = 0$ case that

$$\mathbb{E}[Q(b)] = 1 - \Lambda_-(1) + 2b(\Lambda_-(1) - \mu_0) + 2b^2(\mu_1 - \Lambda_-(1)/2).$$

We compute these expectations for several tapers whose definition is standard; see e.g. Bohman (1960), Priestley (1981) or Politis (2005).

$$\text{Trapezoidal : } 1 - b(1 + c) + b^2(1 + c + c^2)/3$$

$$\text{Parzen : } 1 - 3b/4 + 7b^2/40$$

$$\text{Modified Quadratic Spectral : } 1 - 3/\pi^2 + b(9/\pi^2 - 3\zeta) + 3b^2/\pi^2$$

$$\text{Daniell : } 1 - 2\zeta b + 4b^2/\pi^2$$

$$\text{Tukey-Hanning : } 1 - b + b^2(1/2 - 2/\pi^2)$$

$$\text{Bohman : } 1 - 8b/\pi^2 + 2b^2/\pi^2,$$

where $\zeta = \int_0^1 \sin(\pi x)/(\pi x) dx \approx .589$. We wanted to include the Quadratic Spectral (QS) taper so that our results would be in conformity with Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005) – and also because it has some optimality properties among second order kernels (Priestley, 1981) – but the natural domain of this taper is \mathbb{R} . Therefore in restricting its support to $[-1, 1]$ we are greatly modifying its properties; the resulting restricted QS taper will be referred to as the Modified Quadratic Spectral (MQS), with formula given by $3(\sin(\pi x)/(\pi x) - \cos(\pi x))/(\pi x)^2$ for $x \in [-1, 1]$ and zero for $|x| > 1$. Then the MQS has a small-bandwidth bias, since $\mathbb{E}[Q(0)] = 1 - 3/\pi^2$; this is due to the fact that $\Lambda(\pm 1) = 3/\pi^2$. This bias causes an inflation to the variance of the limiting distribution, such that the limit is normal with variance 1.4367, rather than unity.

4 Numerical results

In this section we investigate the distribution $B(1)/\sqrt{Q(b)}$ of eq. (4) for various choices of β , b , and taper. Following Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005), we calculate upper quantiles of this distribution using the device of regressing on a convenient function of b for fixed taper, α -level, and β ; these quantiles can then be used to construct confidence intervals or to find critical values for hypothesis tests regarding the mean. Since the distribution of $B(1)/\sqrt{Q(b)}$ is symmetric for all $|\beta| < 1$, it is sufficient to consider the upper quantiles. However, there are some differences in our presentation from Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005), which we discuss below; we also present some discussion on the simulation of $Q(b)$ since the details are non-trivial.

In Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005) each quantile is approximated by a cubic function of b but with the intercept (which corresponds to $b = 0$) set equal to the normal quantiles. As noted in the previous section, this is inappropriate for the MQS kernel, unless one first rescales the normal distribution by $\sqrt{1.4367}$. Moreover, since in the NM and LM cases we may expect the small-bandwidth case ($b = 0$) to correspond to zero and infinity respectively, it is nonsensical to fix the intercept when $\beta \neq 0$. For coherency of results, neither do we fix the intercept when $\beta = 0$.

Next, we consider an appropriate function to regress our quantiles on. When regressing on a

cubic function, the intercept differed substantially from the normal quantiles in the $\beta = 0$ case for several of our tapers. This is due to increased variation in the quantile function for higher values of b ; this heteroscedasticity is stabilized by taking the logarithm of the quantiles. When the log-quantile is regressed on a quintic polynomial, the resulting intercepts actually corresponds to the normal quantiles (when exponentiated). Therefore for all values of β , we regress the log-quantiles on a quintic function of b , namely

$$cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$$

and report the corresponding coefficients a_0, a_1, \dots, a_5 , as well as the R^2 between the log-quantile and the above $cv(b)$.

Note that the log of the normal quantiles at level .90, .95, .975, and .99 are given by .248, .498, .673, and .844; these can be compared with the $cv(b)$ corresponding to the coefficients given in the entries of our Tables 1–9 which correspond to different values of the memory parameter $\beta = -.8, -.6, -.4, -.2, 0, .2, .4, .6, .8$.

For each value of β , the entries of the appropriate table were obtained by simulating 50,000 sample-paths of a FBB of length 1,000, and computing $B(1)/\sqrt{Q(b)}$ for 50 choices of b (evenly spaced between .02 and 1.0) and one of eight tapers. The tapers considered are: Bartlett, Parzen, Daniell, Modified Quadratic Spectral, Tukey-Hanning, Bohman, Trapezoidal ($c = .25$), and Trapezoidal ($c = .5$).

Before summarizing the results, we comment on the method of simulation. The best approach is to discretize (5) starting with a discretization of $A(x)$. For N the chosen mesh size, let A_j for $j = 0, \dots, N$ be defined by

$$A_j = \frac{2}{N} \sum_{k=1}^{N-[bj]} W_k W_{k+[bj]},$$

where $[\cdot]$ is the greatest integer function, and W_k is a discretization of FBB. Let $X_{j+1} = B(j + 1/N) - B(j/N)$ be an increment of FBM; then computation shows that this time series (for fixed N) is stationary with autocovariance function

$$\gamma(h) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{h+1}{N} \right)^{\beta+1} - \left(\frac{h}{N} \right)^{\beta+1} + \frac{1}{2} \left| \frac{h-1}{N} \right|^{\beta+1}; \quad (7)$$

cf. Hall, Jing, and Lahiri (1998). Hence the cumulation of the X_j time series (with initial condition $B(0) = 0$) will be a discrete sampling from FBM, and the FBB is then obtained by $W_k = B(k/N) - \frac{k}{N}B(1)$, for $k = 1, \dots, N$. Hence the first step is to generate a Gaussian time series with autocovariance function (7)¹, then cumulate to get the FBM, and finally obtain the

¹Simply find the corresponding $N \times N$ Toeplitz covariance matrix, compute the square root (or Cholesky factor), and right multiply by a standard normal Gaussian vector.

FBB. As a result, A_j is an approximation to $A(bj/N)$. We plug these A_j into a discretization of (5) utilizing the trapezoidal rule:

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{Q}(b) = & -\frac{1}{bN} \left(\frac{1}{2} \ddot{\Lambda}(0) A_0 + \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \ddot{\Lambda}(j/N) A_j + \frac{1}{2} \ddot{\Lambda}(1) A_N \right) \\ & + \frac{1}{b} \left(\dot{\Lambda}_-(1) A_N - \dot{\Lambda}_+(c) A_{[cN]} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Surprisingly, using the trapezoidal rule reduced substantial bias that arose in using the left-hand and right-hand integral discretization techniques; this bias was identified using the exact expectation for $\beta = 0$ from Section 3. In our simulations we used $N = 1000$, and had 50,000 repetitions for each choice of b , β , and taper. Each of these $50 \times 9 \times 8 = 360$ simulations required one to two hours of computing time on a 3.20 GHz processor (with 3 GB RAM), though the Trapezoidal kernels went much faster. The code was written in R.

The results in the tables demonstrate the sensitivity of these critical values to β ; in particular, the cost of falsely assuming $\beta = 0$ is acute for small bandwidth ($b \approx 0$). When $\beta > 0$, there is a change in the shape of the quantile function as b increases; initially the quantiles start out high, then they drop down a bit, and then rise steadily. This is reflected in the large positive value of the a_2 coefficient, and is consistent with the results of Proposition 2. But when $\beta < 0$ there is a downward facing parabolic shape, reflected in the negative values of a_2 . The variation of results between tapers is not as great (excepting the biased MQS taper).

5 Conclusion

The paper at hand investigates the distribution of the studentized sample mean in the context of NM and LM time series dynamics, adopting the fixed-bandwidth approach now popular in the econometrics literature. We derive the limiting distribution in Theorem 1, thus generalizing the results of Kiefer and Vogelsang (2005) not only to different dependence structures but also employing kernels other than the Bartlett. Our results highlight the influence of the kernel – e.g., whether or not the taper is nonzero at the boundary of its support – and the influence of the DGP’s type of memory. Notably, the cost of using the SM quantiles when NM or LM is present increases with $|\beta|$. A main finding from our calculations – see (6) – is that small-bandwidth approaches are doomed to failure when NM or LM is present, since the limiting distribution of the usual studentized sample mean is either a point mass at zero or degenerate; this provides further support for the fixed-bandwidth approach to hypothesis testing and confidence intervals for the mean.

If the practitioner suspects that the time series is NM or LM, it is important to get an accurate estimate of β , say $\widehat{\beta}$, so that the correct critical values can be used. There is a large literature on the estimation of the memory parameter β ; available methods are either parametric (e.g., Giraitis and Taquq (1999)), semiparametric (Giraitis and Surgailis (1990) and Hurvich (2002)), or even

nonparametric (McElroy and Politis (2007)). Once estimator $\widehat{\beta}$ is obtained, it will—of course— not be exactly equal to one of the values $-.8, -.6, -.4, -.2, 0, .2, .4, .6, .8$ considered in our Tables. Interpolation between the two closest β values (or regression using more than two values) can then be used to get the desired quantile corresponding to the estimated β ; in this way the tables of this paper can be used for practical data analysis.

Appendix

Proof of Proposition 1. For shorthand let $W_t = Y_t - \bar{Y}$. Then using summation by parts as in Kiefer and Vogelsang (2002, 2005),

$$\begin{aligned} nV_{\Lambda, M} &= \sum_{|h| < n} \Lambda(h/M) \sum_{t=1}^{n-|h|} W_t W_{t+|h|} \\ &= \sum_{i,j=1}^n W_i W_j \Lambda\left(\frac{|i-j|}{bn}\right) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n W_i \left[\sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \left(\Lambda\left(\frac{i-j}{bn}\right) - \Lambda\left(\frac{i-j-1}{bn}\right) \right) \widehat{S}_j \right] \\ &= \sum_{i,j=1}^n \widehat{S}_i \widehat{S}_j \left(2\Lambda\left(\frac{i-j}{bn}\right) - \Lambda\left(\frac{i-j+1}{bn}\right) - \Lambda\left(\frac{i-j-1}{bn}\right) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Consider $2\Lambda\left(\frac{h}{bn}\right) - \Lambda\left(\frac{h+1}{bn}\right) - \Lambda\left(\frac{h-1}{bn}\right)$. If $[cbn] < h < [bn]$, then the approximation $-b^{-2}n^{-2}\ddot{\Lambda}\left(\frac{h}{bn}\right)$ holds. If $h = [cbn]$, we obtain $2\Lambda(c) - \Lambda(c+1/bn) - 1 + o(1) = -\dot{\Lambda}_+(c)/bn - \ddot{\Lambda}(c)/(2b^2n^2) + O(n^{-3})$. Finally, if $h = [bn]$ we obtain $-\Lambda(1-1/bn) + o(1) = \dot{\Lambda}_-(1)/bn + O(n^{-2})$. This completes the proof of the Proposition. \square

Proof of Theorem 1. This follows at once from Proposition 1 and (3), noting that $V_n^{-1/2}(S_n - n\mu) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} B(1)$ jointly with $V_n^{-1/2}\widehat{S}_i$ tending to $\widetilde{B}(i/n)$. The second order terms in $nV_{\Lambda, M}$ in Proposition 1 drop out, and the summations become integrals. In the case that $\dot{\Lambda}_+(c) = 0$, we can apply Remark 1 and extend the integral to $|r-s| = cb$. Since this set has measure zero, it has no impact on the final limit $Q(b)$. \square

Proof of Proposition 2. The expectation of $A(x)$ hinges on the mean of $\widetilde{B}(r)\widetilde{B}(r+x)$, which by the definition of FBM is

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(r^{\beta+1} + (1-r)(r+x)^{\beta+1} - x^{\beta+1} + r \left((1-r-x)^{\beta+1} - 1 \right) - (r+x)(1+r^{\beta+1} - (1-r)^{\beta+1} - 2r) \right).$$

Integrating and consolidating yields the stated expression for $g(x)$, and the derivative follows at once. The expressions for $Q(b)$ follow from (5) and integration by parts. As for (6), if $\beta > 0$ we can

use the Dominated Convergence Theorem (DCT) to obtain the limit $\int_c^1 \dot{\Lambda}(x)\dot{g}(0) dx$, which is zero since $\dot{g}(0) = 0$. If $\beta = 0$, we easily find $\dot{g}(x) = -(1-x)^2$, and the result follows again by the DCT. But if $\beta < 0$, observe that all terms in \dot{g} are bounded except $-(\beta+1)x^\beta$. Therefore this term in $\dot{g}(bx)$ yields $-(\beta+1)b^\beta$ times integrable functions, and hence the mean tends to infinity at rate b^β (the minus sign is accounted for by the remaining factor $\int_c^1 \dot{\Lambda}(x)x^\beta dx$). \square

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| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|--------|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -1.410 | 9.695 | -34.317 | 63.846 | -56.797 | 19.224 | .9967 |
| .95 | -1.159 | 9.540 | -33.465 | 61.782 | -54.575 | 18.368 | .9967 |
| .975 | -.989 | 9.551 | -33.931 | 63.595 | -56.951 | 19.394 | .9962 |
| .99 | -.821 | 9.559 | -34.378 | 65.216 | -58.973 | 20.242 | .9959 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -1.088 | 9.058 | -31.482 | 58.387 | -51.795 | 17.500 | .9974 |
| .95 | -.836 | 8.988 | -31.152 | 58.112 | -51.685 | 17.473 | .9977 |
| .975 | -.660 | 8.888 | -30.478 | 57.181 | -51.128 | 17.358 | .9977 |
| .99 | -.482 | 8.776 | -29.408 | 54.918 | -48.646 | 16.293 | .9977 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.677 | 8.967 | -30.305 | 57.247 | -51.862 | 17.976 | .9980 |
| .95 | -.429 | 9.080 | -30.216 | 58.663 | -54.848 | 19.513 | .9982 |
| .975 | -.245 | 8.963 | -27.897 | 54.380 | -51.698 | 18.600 | .9985 |
| .99 | -.066 | 8.690 | -21.987 | 40.008 | -37.625 | 13.511 | .9984 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.886 | 9.137 | -31.976 | 62.030 | -57.255 | 20.026 | .9980 |
| .95 | -.639 | 9.258 | -32.272 | 64.311 | -60.716 | 21.521 | .9985 |
| .975 | -.460 | 9.236 | -31.493 | 64.633 | -62.641 | 22.520 | .9987 |
| .99 | -.292 | 9.309 | -28.922 | 59.095 | -57.544 | 20.579 | .9989 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.965 | 9.154 | -31.898 | 60.325 | -54.196 | 18.450 | .9981 |
| .95 | -.711 | 8.981 | -30.533 | 57.708 | -51.621 | 17.423 | .9982 |
| .975 | -.540 | 9.037 | -30.177 | 57.385 | -51.260 | 17.140 | .9986 |
| .99 | -.365 | 8.904 | -27.993 | 52.779 | -46.490 | 15.213 | .9985 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -1.061 | 9.140 | -32.077 | 60.142 | -53.690 | 18.173 | .9973 |
| .95 | -.813 | 9.137 | -32.048 | 60.617 | -54.452 | 18.516 | .9975 |
| .975 | -.631 | 8.904 | -30.504 | 57.451 | -51.337 | 17.342 | .9976 |
| .99 | -.449 | 8.667 | -28.566 | 53.245 | -47.195 | 15.836 | .9981 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.834 | 9.584 | -32.394 | 60.973 | -55.547 | 19.461 | .9977 |
| .95 | -.582 | 9.698 | -31.018 | 58.153 | -53.808 | 19.238 | .9980 |
| .975 | -.411 | 9.890 | -28.377 | 50.514 | -46.053 | 16.487 | .9984 |
| .99 | -.277 | 11.191 | -27.825 | 42.499 | -34.758 | 11.667 | .9984 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.673 | 9.486 | -32.366 | 56.970 | -46.597 | 14.423 | .9963 |
| .95 | -.393 | 9.760 | -31.125 | 51.790 | -40.265 | 11.905 | .9954 |
| .975 | -.196 | 10.965 | -34.642 | 56.959 | -44.042 | 13.001 | .9946 |
| .99 | .025 | 13.887 | -48.143 | 85.364 | -71.414 | 22.810 | .9932 |

Table 1: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = -.8$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.

| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|--------|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -1.012 | 7.763 | -27.159 | 51.464 | -46.627 | 16.011 | .9978 |
| .95 | -.753 | 7.591 | -25.846 | 48.185 | -43.152 | 14.688 | .9977 |
| .975 | -.575 | 7.547 | -25.412 | 47.203 | -42.182 | 14.326 | .9978 |
| .99 | -.413 | 7.785 | -26.355 | 49.255 | -44.355 | 15.195 | .9980 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.884 | 7.153 | -23.675 | 44.017 | -39.242 | 13.285 | .9982 |
| .95 | -.635 | 7.250 | -23.778 | 44.531 | -39.935 | 13.587 | .9985 |
| .975 | -.453 | 7.175 | -22.618 | 41.672 | -36.891 | 12.421 | .9985 |
| .99 | -.287 | 7.370 | -22.841 | 42.420 | -37.866 | 12.833 | .9985 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.545 | 7.522 | -23.534 | 44.649 | -40.780 | 14.150 | .9992 |
| .95 | -.296 | 7.765 | -23.605 | 46.104 | -43.555 | 15.511 | .9990 |
| .975 | -.115 | 7.804 | -21.481 | 41.398 | -39.392 | 14.091 | .9992 |
| .99 | .058 | 7.882 | -17.119 | 30.182 | -28.503 | 10.285 | .9992 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.749 | 7.718 | -25.650 | 50.491 | -47.222 | 16.607 | .9990 |
| .95 | -.497 | 7.864 | -25.312 | 50.594 | -47.965 | 16.951 | .9991 |
| .975 | -.318 | 7.908 | -24.092 | 49.067 | -47.536 | 16.987 | .9991 |
| .99 | -.129 | 7.719 | -20.079 | 41.198 | -41.320 | 15.086 | .9993 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.800 | 7.478 | -24.359 | 45.544 | -40.432 | 13.550 | .9986 |
| .95 | -.537 | 7.360 | -22.948 | 42.980 | -38.284 | 12.847 | .9987 |
| .975 | -.357 | 7.390 | -22.061 | 41.235 | -36.498 | 12.094 | .9985 |
| .99 | -.194 | 7.656 | -21.750 | 40.837 | -36.068 | 11.796 | .9985 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.859 | 7.113 | -23.061 | 41.989 | -36.565 | 12.094 | .9981 |
| .95 | -.611 | 7.255 | -23.462 | 43.321 | -38.150 | 12.722 | .9984 |
| .975 | -.433 | 7.242 | -22.837 | 42.356 | -37.586 | 12.636 | .9986 |
| .99 | -.267 | 7.595 | -24.227 | 46.306 | -42.110 | 14.404 | .9989 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.703 | 7.580 | -21.985 | 39.914 | -36.015 | 12.562 | .9986 |
| .95 | -.462 | 7.918 | -20.946 | 37.280 | -34.251 | 12.281 | .9987 |
| .975 | -.289 | 8.111 | -17.620 | 27.583 | -24.416 | 8.836 | .9989 |
| .99 | -.138 | 8.800 | -13.560 | 12.129 | -6.481 | 1.916 | .9992 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.632 | 8.738 | -27.311 | 46.583 | -37.689 | 11.616 | .9983 |
| .95 | -.401 | 10.023 | -30.596 | 50.310 | -39.324 | 11.730 | .9982 |
| .975 | -.257 | 11.979 | -37.015 | 60.362 | -46.841 | 13.896 | .9984 |
| .99 | -.142 | 15.826 | -52.471 | 88.995 | -71.582 | 21.961 | .9975 |

Table 2: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = -.6$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.

| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|-------|--------|---------|---------|---------|--------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.548 | 4.971 | -15.265 | 28.021 | -24.666 | 8.258 | .9982 |
| .95 | -.303 | 5.119 | -15.335 | 28.184 | -24.810 | 8.285 | .9981 |
| .975 | -.134 | 5.357 | -15.893 | 29.589 | -26.420 | 8.961 | .9984 |
| .99 | .030 | 5.703 | -17.068 | 32.980 | -30.438 | 10.584 | .9984 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.884 | 7.153 | -23.675 | 44.017 | -39.242 | 13.285 | .9988 |
| .95 | -.635 | 7.250 | -23.778 | 44.531 | -39.935 | 13.587 | .9990 |
| .975 | -.453 | 7.175 | -22.618 | 41.672 | -36.891 | 12.421 | .9991 |
| .99 | -.287 | 7.370 | -22.841 | 42.420 | -37.866 | 12.833 | .9991 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.251 | 5.222 | -13.989 | 26.530 | -24.577 | 8.645 | .9993 |
| .95 | -.003 | 5.550 | -14.401 | 28.960 | -28.566 | 10.523 | .9994 |
| .975 | .171 | 5.690 | -12.799 | 25.863 | -26.536 | 10.083 | .9992 |
| .99 | .345 | 5.696 | -8.054 | 13.768 | -14.639 | 5.831 | .9991 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.454 | 5.414 | -15.575 | 30.209 | -28.085 | 9.789 | .9992 |
| .95 | -.211 | 5.785 | -16.648 | 34.425 | -33.912 | 12.329 | .9994 |
| .975 | -.036 | 6.066 | -16.851 | 36.392 | -37.125 | 13.716 | .9995 |
| .99 | .143 | 6.120 | -14.225 | 31.851 | -34.370 | 13.121 | .9991 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.498 | 5.245 | -15.184 | 27.980 | -24.708 | 8.271 | .9994 |
| .95 | -.237 | 5.188 | -13.539 | 23.827 | -20.015 | 6.328 | .9993 |
| .975 | -.048 | 5.171 | -12.380 | 21.587 | -17.777 | 5.394 | .9993 |
| .99 | .122 | 5.376 | -12.083 | 22.611 | -20.255 | 6.672 | .9991 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.539 | 5.127 | -15.803 | 29.174 | -25.769 | 8.643 | .9991 |
| .95 | -.295 | 5.273 | -15.534 | 28.105 | -24.288 | 7.945 | .9991 |
| .975 | -.112 | 5.303 | -14.869 | 26.455 | -22.462 | 7.186 | .9989 |
| .99 | .056 | 5.557 | -15.377 | 28.275 | -24.893 | 8.218 | .9987 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.445 | 5.591 | -14.035 | 25.320 | -22.995 | 8.031 | .9991 |
| .95 | -.191 | 5.663 | -11.543 | 19.585 | -18.153 | 6.573 | .9991 |
| .975 | -.000 | 5.379 | -5.462 | 3.761 | -2.357 | 1.006 | .9992 |
| .99 | .154 | 5.722 | .794 | -16.005 | 18.875 | -6.737 | .9990 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.413 | 6.810 | -18.394 | 29.252 | -22.409 | 6.584 | .9990 |
| .95 | -.179 | 7.759 | -18.945 | 25.890 | -16.438 | 3.774 | .9992 |
| .975 | -.043 | 9.522 | -23.601 | 31.248 | -18.877 | 4.001 | .9992 |
| .99 | .058 | 12.974 | -35.633 | 51.040 | -34.468 | 8.747 | .9988 |

Table 3: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = -.4$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.

| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|-------|-------|---------|--------|---------|--------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.165 | 3.086 | -8.381 | 15.691 | -14.494 | 5.076 | .9986 |
| .95 | .081 | 3.258 | -8.480 | 15.584 | -14.397 | 5.076 | .9988 |
| .975 | .250 | 3.491 | -8.662 | 15.075 | -13.387 | 4.580 | .9990 |
| .99 | .413 | 3.724 | -8.620 | 14.000 | -11.913 | 3.973 | .9990 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.163 | 2.860 | -7.703 | 14.503 | -13.032 | 4.422 | .9994 |
| .95 | .091 | 2.911 | -7.215 | 13.556 | -12.297 | 4.225 | .9993 |
| .975 | .259 | 3.229 | -8.037 | 15.247 | -13.879 | 4.761 | .9993 |
| .99 | .416 | 3.788 | -10.190 | 20.591 | -19.695 | 7.012 | .9990 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .083 | 3.188 | -6.488 | 13.145 | -12.965 | 4.737 | .9996 |
| .95 | .337 | 3.290 | -5.215 | 11.095 | -11.872 | 4.547 | .9996 |
| .975 | .523 | 3.166 | -2.064 | 4.408 | -6.124 | 2.673 | .9992 |
| .99 | .688 | 3.438 | .735 | -2.004 | -1.028 | 1.266 | .9993 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.105 | 3.170 | -7.261 | 15.668 | -16.037 | 5.999 | .9995 |
| .95 | .144 | 3.378 | -7.095 | 16.661 | -18.260 | 7.074 | .9997 |
| .975 | .316 | 3.704 | -7.338 | 18.579 | -21.425 | 8.466 | .9996 |
| .99 | .502 | 3.657 | -4.141 | 12.201 | -16.082 | 6.637 | .9993 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.133 | 2.951 | -6.407 | 11.770 | -10.420 | 3.451 | .9993 |
| .95 | .112 | 3.251 | -6.895 | 13.147 | -11.902 | 3.961 | .9994 |
| .975 | .291 | 3.421 | -6.629 | 12.989 | -11.997 | 3.995 | .9993 |
| .99 | .475 | 3.311 | -3.716 | 6.061 | -4.497 | .920 | .9991 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.539 | 5.127 | -15.803 | 29.174 | -25.769 | 8.643 | .9991 |
| .95 | -.295 | 5.273 | -15.534 | 28.105 | -24.288 | 7.945 | .9991 |
| .975 | -.112 | 5.303 | -14.869 | 26.455 | -22.462 | 7.186 | .9989 |
| .99 | .056 | 5.557 | -15.377 | 28.275 | -24.893 | 8.218 | .9987 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.145 | 2.692 | -6.294 | 11.131 | -9.625 | 3.195 | .9991 |
| .95 | .105 | 2.868 | -6.480 | 11.652 | -10.155 | 3.347 | .9993 |
| .975 | .286 | 2.902 | -5.529 | 9.128 | -7.418 | 2.281 | .9994 |
| .99 | .449 | 3.204 | -5.746 | 9.418 | -7.755 | 2.430 | .9991 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | -.089 | 3.928 | -5.118 | 2.540 | 2.157 | -1.851 | .9993 |
| .95 | .152 | 4.594 | -4.067 | -3.820 | 10.383 | -5.238 | .9993 |
| .975 | .294 | 5.949 | -6.122 | -4.369 | 13.688 | -7.053 | .9991 |
| .99 | .378 | 9.279 | -16.717 | 11.008 | 3.580 | -4.670 | .9984 |

Table 4: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = -.2$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.

| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|-------|-------|--------|---------|---------|---------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .255 | .779 | 1.109 | -2.802 | 2.468 | -.801 | .9991 |
| .95 | .514 | .833 | 1.611 | -4.016 | 3.441 | -1.053 | .9994 |
| .975 | .679 | 1.195 | .644 | -2.276 | 1.703 | -.383 | .9992 |
| .99 | .841 | 1.692 | -.962 | .852 | -1.392 | .772 | .9988 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .250 | .825 | -.614 | 2.014 | -2.408 | .962 | .9992 |
| .95 | .496 | 1.015 | -.771 | 2.405 | -2.977 | 1.258 | .9993 |
| .975 | .677 | 1.115 | -.654 | 2.496 | -3.302 | 1.405 | .9993 |
| .99 | .847 | 1.311 | -.317 | 1.458 | -2.149 | .942 | .9992 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .438 | 1.238 | .441 | 1.139 | -2.917 | 1.498 | .9997 |
| .95 | .695 | 1.363 | 1.203 | 1.082 | -4.550 | 2.541 | .9997 |
| .975 | .876 | 1.537 | 2.116 | .460 | -5.544 | 3.298 | .9996 |
| .99 | 1.067 | 1.218 | 8.389 | -14.561 | 8.976 | -1.856 | .9994 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .262 | 1.137 | .239 | 1.891 | -3.834 | 1.871 | .9994 |
| .95 | .509 | 1.433 | .041 | 3.174 | -5.702 | 2.572 | .9996 |
| .975 | .684 | 1.851 | -1.483 | 9.764 | -15.082 | 6.709 | .9994 |
| .99 | .855 | 2.069 | .037 | 8.223 | -15.706 | 7.448 | .9992 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .250 | 1.032 | .063 | .591 | -.853 | .270 | .9995 |
| .95 | .492 | 1.372 | -.599 | 2.455 | -2.996 | 1.092 | .9994 |
| .975 | .671 | 1.439 | .579 | -.452 | .291 | -.322 | .9992 |
| .99 | .849 | 1.585 | 1.549 | -1.738 | .926 | -.470 | .9990 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .256 | .607 | 1.287 | -2.477 | 2.052 | -.632 | .9993 |
| .95 | .500 | .921 | .277 | .236 | -1.014 | .569 | .9994 |
| .975 | .671 | 1.215 | -.291 | 1.393 | -2.117 | .934 | .9994 |
| .99 | .841 | 1.466 | -.287 | 1.335 | -2.240 | 1.043 | .9990 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .262 | .785 | 4.191 | -7.571 | 5.633 | -1.549 | .9996 |
| .95 | .521 | .752 | 6.507 | -11.099 | 6.913 | -1.347 | .9997 |
| .975 | .709 | .598 | 11.065 | -21.668 | 16.119 | -4.177 | .9995 |
| .99 | .916 | -.310 | 23.179 | -52.791 | 47.640 | -15.519 | .9991 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .244 | 1.686 | 3.454 | -11.828 | 13.346 | -5.171 | .9994 |
| .95 | .483 | 2.158 | 5.704 | -20.594 | 23.550 | -9.124 | .9992 |
| .975 | .629 | 3.244 | 5.448 | -25.184 | 30.560 | -12.131 | .9986 |
| .99 | .738 | 5.472 | 1.321 | -23.692 | 33.088 | -13.879 | .9974 |

Table 5: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = 0$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.

| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|---------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .678 | -1.228 | 8.798 | -17.402 | 15.833 | -5.465 | .9982 |
| .95 | .924 | -.980 | 8.748 | -17.899 | 16.428 | -5.681 | .9983 |
| .975 | 1.102 | -.785 | 8.857 | -18.730 | 17.348 | -6.011 | .9980 |
| .99 | 1.263 | -.377 | 8.496 | -19.142 | 18.051 | -6.247 | .9976 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .675 | -1.183 | 6.788 | -11.619 | 9.471 | -2.943 | .9973 |
| .95 | .935 | -1.250 | 8.194 | -14.956 | 12.879 | -4.222 | .9984 |
| .975 | 1.103 | -.943 | 7.500 | -13.557 | 11.640 | -3.840 | .9977 |
| .99 | 1.278 | -.764 | 7.907 | -14.653 | 12.713 | -4.220 | .9985 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .835 | -.987 | 9.276 | -16.213 | 13.433 | -4.367 | .9993 |
| .95 | 1.093 | -.912 | 10.392 | -17.119 | 12.665 | -3.649 | .9993 |
| .975 | 1.271 | -.685 | 10.946 | -16.575 | 10.091 | -2.155 | .9991 |
| .99 | 1.460 | -.988 | 16.481 | -28.237 | 19.684 | -5.002 | .9993 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .658 | -1.124 | 9.621 | -17.263 | 14.728 | -4.917 | .9992 |
| .95 | .902 | -.650 | 8.070 | -11.860 | 7.578 | -1.845 | .9994 |
| .975 | 1.067 | -.070 | 5.907 | -4.639 | -1.606 | 1.945 | .9993 |
| .99 | 1.235 | .359 | 5.943 | -3.232 | -4.180 | 2.957 | .9991 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .654 | -1.013 | 7.605 | -13.186 | 11.180 | -3.735 | .9991 |
| .95 | .900 | -.742 | 7.409 | -12.634 | 10.684 | -3.654 | .9992 |
| .975 | 1.087 | -.887 | 10.176 | -19.760 | 18.529 | -6.779 | .9995 |
| .99 | 1.247 | -.258 | 8.206 | -13.893 | 11.531 | -3.967 | .9992 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .677 | -1.228 | 7.315 | -12.822 | 10.920 | -3.610 | .9980 |
| .95 | .930 | -1.158 | 8.247 | -15.692 | 14.442 | -5.127 | .9984 |
| .975 | 1.110 | -1.100 | 9.074 | -17.817 | 16.763 | -6.062 | .9986 |
| .99 | 1.282 | -.887 | 9.685 | -19.742 | 18.804 | -6.798 | .9989 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .656 | -1.274 | 11.419 | -20.659 | 17.395 | -5.636 | .9995 |
| .95 | .909 | -1.121 | 12.425 | -20.792 | 15.108 | -4.116 | .9994 |
| .975 | 1.100 | -1.334 | 16.315 | -27.904 | 19.471 | -4.818 | .9993 |
| .99 | 1.293 | -1.859 | 25.179 | -49.569 | 40.033 | -11.772 | .9991 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | .620 | -.760 | 13.406 | -30.443 | 29.705 | -10.622 | .9990 |
| .95 | .867 | -.531 | 17.119 | -42.306 | 42.653 | -15.443 | .9992 |
| .975 | 1.026 | .039 | 19.961 | -53.867 | 56.460 | -20.869 | .9986 |
| .99 | 1.153 | 1.659 | 19.677 | -61.712 | 68.686 | -26.239 | .9967 |

Table 6: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = .2$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.

| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|---------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.104 | -3.019 | 15.728 | -30.162 | 26.842 | -9.049 | .9954 |
| .95 | 1.351 | -2.627 | 14.613 | -27.628 | 23.920 | -7.842 | .9965 |
| .975 | 1.531 | -2.409 | 14.789 | -28.729 | 25.142 | -8.281 | .9963 |
| .99 | 1.709 | -2.101 | 14.812 | -30.042 | 27.025 | -9.095 | .9965 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.136 | -3.363 | 15.645 | -29.784 | 27.309 | -9.562 | .9943 |
| .95 | 1.392 | -3.289 | 16.238 | -31.119 | 28.526 | -9.973 | .9961 |
| .975 | 1.564 | -2.934 | 14.954 | -27.573 | 24.385 | -8.291 | .9974 |
| .99 | 1.741 | -2.791 | 15.530 | -28.655 | 24.889 | -8.226 | .9980 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.256 | -3.089 | 17.470 | -31.882 | 27.623 | -9.217 | .9990 |
| .95 | 1.496 | -2.476 | 15.224 | -24.382 | 17.734 | -4.916 | .9987 |
| .975 | 1.682 | -2.231 | 15.118 | -21.643 | 12.673 | -2.493 | .9989 |
| .99 | 1.863 | -1.991 | 16.537 | -22.569 | 10.943 | -1.172 | .9987 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.062 | -2.741 | 14.916 | -25.881 | 21.416 | -6.881 | .9986 |
| .95 | 1.306 | -2.252 | 13.259 | -20.056 | 13.581 | -3.446 | .9986 |
| .975 | 1.474 | -1.781 | 11.895 | -14.905 | 6.753 | -.656 | .9989 |
| .99 | 1.644 | -1.197 | 10.263 | -7.591 | -3.776 | 3.918 | .9987 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.092 | -3.055 | 15.551 | -28.336 | 24.703 | -8.265 | .9986 |
| .95 | 1.341 | -2.795 | 15.587 | -28.752 | 25.601 | -8.838 | .9989 |
| .975 | 1.523 | -2.589 | 15.643 | -28.386 | 24.954 | -8.590 | .9991 |
| .99 | 1.678 | -1.821 | 12.830 | -20.526 | 15.971 | -5.055 | .9987 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.113 | -2.924 | 13.161 | -23.281 | 20.076 | -6.706 | .9969 |
| .95 | 1.366 | -2.843 | 13.789 | -24.493 | 20.927 | -6.892 | .9980 |
| .975 | 1.544 | -2.680 | 14.144 | -25.600 | 22.243 | -7.471 | .9985 |
| .99 | 1.718 | -2.499 | 14.851 | -27.475 | 24.114 | -8.161 | .9985 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.057 | -3.070 | 17.831 | -32.526 | 28.366 | -9.580 | .9991 |
| .95 | 1.324 | -3.142 | 19.916 | -35.013 | 28.510 | -8.993 | .9990 |
| .975 | 1.524 | -3.295 | 22.595 | -38.112 | 28.001 | -7.668 | .9991 |
| .99 | 1.713 | -3.461 | 27.486 | -46.762 | 32.295 | -7.720 | .9990 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.018 | -2.753 | 20.574 | -42.682 | 39.933 | -13.986 | .9980 |
| .95 | 1.280 | -2.831 | 25.667 | -56.902 | 54.651 | -19.299 | .9981 |
| .975 | 1.454 | -2.577 | 29.791 | -69.788 | 68.183 | -24.089 | .9975 |
| .99 | 1.591 | -1.448 | 32.541 | -84.222 | 86.443 | -31.450 | .9961 |

Table 7: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = .4$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.

| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|-------|--------|--------|----------|---------|---------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.581 | -4.639 | 21.813 | -41.475 | 36.907 | -12.449 | .9908 |
| .95 | 1.842 | -4.533 | 22.555 | -43.441 | 38.659 | -12.996 | .9940 |
| .975 | 2.020 | -4.279 | 22.699 | -44.664 | 40.180 | -13.602 | .9935 |
| .99 | 2.203 | -4.122 | 23.940 | -49.053 | 45.372 | -15.725 | .9933 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.644 | -5.144 | 21.626 | -39.643 | 34.880 | -11.724 | .9898 |
| .95 | 1.895 | -4.967 | 21.913 | -40.801 | 36.433 | -12.435 | .9935 |
| .975 | 2.077 | -4.852 | 22.435 | -42.248 | 38.014 | -13.062 | .9960 |
| .99 | 2.255 | -4.709 | 23.233 | -44.332 | 40.117 | -13.823 | .9963 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.708 | -4.643 | 22.859 | -41.553 | 36.144 | -12.111 | .9977 |
| .95 | 1.966 | -4.419 | 23.174 | -40.957 | 34.251 | -11.106 | .9983 |
| .975 | 2.147 | -4.114 | 22.973 | -38.266 | 29.377 | -8.782 | .9990 |
| .99 | 2.353 | -4.372 | 26.798 | -43.682 | 31.147 | -8.421 | .9987 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.536 | -4.717 | 22.867 | -41.670 | 36.201 | -12.087 | .9978 |
| .95 | 1.783 | -4.131 | 20.435 | -34.012 | 26.739 | -8.190 | .9980 |
| .975 | 1.953 | -3.603 | 18.659 | -27.611 | 18.188 | -4.548 | .9985 |
| .99 | 2.130 | -2.984 | 16.299 | -17.793 | 4.532 | 1.353 | .9983 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.558 | -4.705 | 21.826 | -40.980 | 37.089 | -12.868 | .9959 |
| .95 | 1.814 | -4.413 | 21.256 | -38.959 | 34.540 | -11.845 | .9973 |
| .975 | 2.000 | -4.331 | 22.640 | -42.946 | 39.376 | -13.940 | .9981 |
| .99 | 2.175 | -3.968 | 22.813 | -43.576 | 40.497 | -14.673 | .9979 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.630 | -5.310 | 23.627 | -45.094 | 40.975 | -14.138 | .9914 |
| .95 | 1.876 | -4.954 | 22.863 | -43.646 | 39.735 | -13.777 | .9956 |
| .975 | 2.042 | -4.396 | 20.579 | -37.843 | 33.359 | -11.307 | .9964 |
| .99 | 2.210 | -3.993 | 20.186 | -37.623 | 33.474 | -11.422 | .9968 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.517 | -4.739 | 23.822 | -43.753 | 38.407 | -12.924 | .9985 |
| .95 | 1.773 | -4.530 | 24.069 | -41.863 | 34.278 | -10.861 | .9985 |
| .975 | 1.967 | -4.646 | 26.758 | -45.659 | 35.436 | -10.562 | .9987 |
| .99 | 2.160 | -5.018 | 33.266 | -59.748 | 47.282 | -14.159 | .9985 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 1.461 | -4.441 | 25.863 | -50.195 | 44.941 | -15.243 | .9978 |
| .95 | 1.728 | -4.675 | 31.834 | -66.064 | 60.887 | -20.851 | .9981 |
| .975 | 1.911 | -4.647 | 37.297 | -82.432 | 78.629 | -27.508 | .9978 |
| .99 | 2.086 | -4.392 | 44.662 | -106.439 | 105.577 | -37.756 | .9965 |

Table 8: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = .6$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.

| | a_0 | a_1 | a_2 | a_3 | a_4 | a_5 | R^2 |
|-----------------|-------|--------|--------|----------|---------|---------|-------|
| Bartlett | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 2.196 | -6.339 | 28.370 | -54.069 | 48.616 | -16.617 | .9877 |
| .95 | 2.452 | -6.094 | 28.774 | -55.811 | 50.527 | -17.327 | .9899 |
| .975 | 2.630 | -5.656 | 27.583 | -53.102 | 47.269 | -15.916 | .9911 |
| .99 | 2.805 | -5.249 | 27.490 | -53.850 | 47.896 | -15.985 | .9925 |
| Parzen | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 2.250 | -6.557 | 27.165 | -50.915 | 45.660 | -15.554 | .9817 |
| .95 | 2.511 | -6.289 | 26.375 | -48.600 | 42.854 | -14.379 | .9871 |
| .975 | 2.687 | -5.961 | 25.733 | -47.273 | 41.528 | -13.902 | .9901 |
| .99 | 2.875 | -5.785 | 26.058 | -48.010 | 42.185 | -14.135 | .9931 |
| MQS | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 2.295 | -6.125 | 28.550 | -53.038 | 47.183 | -16.090 | .9970 |
| .95 | 2.556 | -5.853 | 28.468 | -51.183 | 43.742 | -14.440 | .9976 |
| .975 | 2.730 | -5.281 | 26.155 | -42.562 | 32.023 | -9.344 | .9983 |
| .99 | 2.923 | -5.081 | 27.386 | -42.506 | 28.889 | -7.383 | .9978 |
| Daniell | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 2.125 | -6.016 | 26.961 | -48.723 | 42.362 | -14.186 | .9944 |
| .95 | 2.376 | -5.507 | 25.200 | -42.918 | 34.972 | -11.101 | .9959 |
| .975 | 2.543 | -4.915 | 23.144 | -36.322 | 26.759 | -7.776 | .9969 |
| .99 | 2.715 | -4.177 | 20.261 | -25.867 | 12.992 | -1.991 | .9972 |
| TH | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 2.176 | -6.434 | 28.150 | -52.233 | 46.427 | -15.759 | .9937 |
| .95 | 2.427 | -6.032 | 27.289 | -50.164 | 44.346 | -15.066 | .9957 |
| .975 | 2.606 | -5.717 | 27.165 | -49.951 | 44.163 | -15.056 | .9968 |
| .99 | 2.792 | -5.549 | 28.861 | -55.266 | 51.102 | -18.263 | .9972 |
| Bohman | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 2.232 | -6.458 | 26.538 | -48.330 | 42.122 | -14.000 | .9832 |
| .95 | 2.483 | -6.131 | 25.956 | -47.290 | 41.298 | -13.792 | .9893 |
| .975 | 2.660 | -5.842 | 25.649 | -46.988 | 41.296 | -13.904 | .9912 |
| .99 | 2.848 | -5.830 | 27.495 | -51.674 | 46.060 | -15.649 | .9943 |
| Trap, $c = 1/4$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 2.100 | -6.029 | 27.619 | -49.835 | 43.346 | -14.471 | .9975 |
| .95 | 2.363 | -5.865 | 28.190 | -49.156 | 40.910 | -13.157 | .9982 |
| .975 | 2.549 | -5.620 | 28.272 | -46.086 | 34.587 | -9.967 | .9984 |
| .99 | 2.743 | -5.630 | 31.008 | -48.080 | 31.387 | -7.170 | .9983 |
| Trap, $c = 1/2$ | | | | | | | |
| .90 | 2.034 | -5.835 | 29.821 | -55.220 | 47.814 | -15.820 | .9969 |
| .95 | 2.302 | -5.938 | 34.591 | -67.807 | 60.418 | -20.294 | .9976 |
| .975 | 2.509 | -6.417 | 42.426 | -88.224 | 80.751 | -27.361 | .9974 |
| .99 | 2.691 | -6.549 | 52.279 | -118.432 | 114.355 | -40.187 | .9970 |

Table 9: Fixed- b asymptotic critical value function coefficients for $cv(b) = \exp\{a_0 + a_1b + a_2b^2 + a_3b^3 + a_4b^4 + a_5b^5\}$. The memory parameter is $\beta = .8$. The R^2 indicates the fit of the polynomial through the log simulated asymptotic critical values.