CONTENTS

Articles
Correspondence Between Saddlepoint and Probability Distribution  
Hiroyuki Takeuchi 185
Bayesian Inference of Latent Threshold Models with Application to  
Japanese Macroeconomic Data  
Jouchi Nakajima 209

Special Topic: The JSS Prize Lecture
Quadratic Form and Holy Trinity  
Takesi Hayakawa 229
A New Framework of Statistics Education in Knowledge-based Society—Statistical Thinking  
through Scientific Inquiry, Problem Solving and Decision Making—  
Michiko Watanabe 253

Special Topic: The JSS Research Prize Lecture
Realized Stochastic Volatility Model—Bayesian Analysis Using  
Markov Chain Monte Carlo—  
Yasuhiro Omori and Toshiaki Watanabe 273

Book reviews (in Japanese)  
305

Vol. 42 Series J No. 2 March 2013
Japan Statistical Society