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checkGamma	<i>HR parameter matrix checks</i>
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Description

Checks whether the matrix given is a valid Huesler-Reiss parameter matrix in the role of Γ , Θ , or Σ , respectively.

Usage

```
checkGamma(Gamma, alert = NULL, tol = get_small_tol(), returnBoolean = FALSE)
```

```
checkSigmaTheta(  
  M,  
  k,  
  full,  
  matrixName = "Sigma",  
  tol = get_small_tol(),  
  alert = NULL,  
  returnBoolean = FALSE  
)
```

```
checkTheta(  
  Theta,  
  k = NULL,  
  full = FALSE,  
  tol = get_small_tol(),  
  alert = NULL,  
  returnBoolean = FALSE  
)
```

```
checkSigma(  
  Sigma,  
  k = NULL,  
  full = FALSE,  
  tol = get_small_tol(),  
  alert = NULL,  
  returnBoolean = FALSE  
)
```

```
checkMatrix(  
  M,  
  name = c("Gamma", "Sigma", "Theta")[1],  
  k = NULL,  
  full = FALSE,  
  tol = get_small_tol(),  
  alert = NULL,
```

```

    returnBoolean = FALSE
  )

  is_valid_Gamma(M, tol = get_small_tol())

  is_valid_Theta(Theta, k = NULL, full = FALSE, tol = get_small_tol())

  is_valid_Sigma(Sigma, k = NULL, full = FALSE, tol = get_small_tol())

```

Arguments

Gamma	Numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix.
alert	Passed to <code>get_alert_function</code> : NULL or TRUE to read the option value, FALSE to return a dummy function, or a function that takes an arbitrary number of strings as arguments (e.g. <code>stop()</code>).
tol	Numeric scalar. Values below this are considered as zero, when zeros are required (e.g. row-sums).
returnBoolean	Logical scalar, set to TRUE to return a boolean instead of the (adjusted) input.
M	Numeric matrix, Γ , Σ , or Θ .
k	NULL if the input/output matrix is Σ/Θ . Else, an integer between 1 and d indicating the value of k in Σ^k , Θ^k .
full	Logical. If TRUE and <code>!is.null(k)</code> , the input/output matrix is a $d \times d$ matrix with the k th row filled with zeros.
matrixName	Name of the matrix to be used in alerts/error messages.
Theta	Numeric $d \times d$ or $(d - 1) \times (d - 1)$ precision matrix.
Sigma	Numeric $d \times d$ or $(d - 1) \times (d - 1)$ covariance matrix.
name	Name of the input matrix, indicating which other function to call.

Details

The function `is_valid_*` are a wrapper around `check*`, with arguments `alert=FALSE` and `returnBoolean=TRUE`.

Value

For `check*`, the input matrix, passed through [ensure_matrix_symmetry_and_truncate_zeros](#).

For `is_valid_*`, a boolean indicating whether the input is a valid parameter matrix.

See Also

Other input validation functions: [check_graph\(\)](#), [check_partial_matrix_and_graph\(\)](#), [ensure_matrix_symmetry\(\)](#)

`chi2Gamma`*Transformation between χ and Γ*

Description

Transforms between the extremal correlation χ and the variogram Γ . Only valid for Huesler-Reiss distributions. Done element-wise, no checks of the entire matrix structure are performed.

Usage`chi2Gamma(chi)``Gamma2chi(Gamma)`**Arguments**

`chi` Numeric vector or matrix with entries between 0 and 1.
`Gamma` Numeric vector or matrix with non-negative entries.

Details

The formula for transformation from χ to Γ is element-wise

$$\Gamma = (2\Phi^{-1}(1 - 0.5\chi))^2,$$

where Φ^{-1} is the inverse of the standard normal distribution function.

The formula for transformation from Γ to χ is element-wise

$$\chi = 2 - 2\Phi(\sqrt{\Gamma}/2),$$

where Φ is the standard normal distribution function.

Value

Numeric vector or matrix containing the implied Γ .

Numeric vector or matrix containing the implied χ .

See Also

Other parameter matrix transformations: [Gamma2Sigma\(\)](#), [Gamma2graph\(\)](#), [par2Matrix\(\)](#)

complete_Gamma

*Completion of Gamma matrices***Description**

Given a graph and a (partial) variogram matrix Gamma, returns a full variogram matrix that agrees with Gamma in entries corresponding to edges of graph and whose corresponding precision matrix, obtained by `Gamma2Theta()`, has zeros in entries corresponding to non-edges of graph. For results on the existence and uniqueness of this completion, see Hentschel et al. (2022).

Usage

```
complete_Gamma(Gamma, graph = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

Gamma	Numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix.
graph	NULL or <code>igraph::graph</code> object. If NULL, the graph is implied by non-edge entries in Gamma being NA. Must be connected, undirected.
...	Further arguments passed to <code>complete_Gamma_general_split()</code> if graph is not decomposable

Details

If graph is decomposable, Gamma only needs to be specified on the edges of the graph, other entries are ignored. If graph is not decomposable, the graphical completion algorithm requires a fully specified (but non-graphical) variogram matrix Gamma to begin with. If necessary, this initial completion is computed using `edmcrc::npf()`.

Value

Completed $d \times d$ variogram matrix.

References

Hentschel M, Engelke S, Segers J (2022). “Statistical Inference for Hüsler-Reiss Graphical Models Through Matrix Completions.” doi:10.48550/ARXIV.2210.14292, <https://arxiv.org/abs/2210.14292>.

See Also

`Gamma2Theta()`

Other matrix completion related topics: `complete_Gamma_decomposable()`, `complete_Gamma_general_demo()`, `complete_Gamma_general_split()`, `complete_Gamma_general()`

Examples

```

## Block graph:
Gamma <- rbind(
  c(0, .5, NA, NA),
  c(.5, 0, 1, 1.5),
  c(NA, 1, 0, .8),
  c(NA, 1.5, .8, 0)
)

complete_Gamma(Gamma)

## Alternative representation of the same completion problem:
my_graph <- igraph::graph_from_adjacency_matrix(rbind(
  c(0, 1, 0, 0),
  c(1, 0, 1, 1),
  c(0, 1, 0, 1),
  c(0, 1, 1, 0)
), mode = "undirected")
Gamma_vec <- c(.5, 1, 1.5, .8)
complete_Gamma(Gamma_vec, my_graph)

## Decomposable graph:
G <- rbind(
  c(0, 5, 7, 6, NA),
  c(5, 0, 14, 15, NA),
  c(7, 14, 0, 5, 5),
  c(6, 15, 5, 0, 6),
  c(NA, NA, 5, 6, 0)
)

complete_Gamma(G)

## Non-decomposable graph:
G <- rbind(
  c(0, 5, 7, 6, 6),
  c(5, 0, 14, 15, 13),
  c(7, 14, 0, 5, 5),
  c(6, 15, 5, 0, 6),
  c(6, 13, 5, 6, 0)
)
g <- igraph::make_ring(5)

complete_Gamma(G, g)

```

Description

Given a decomposable graph and incomplete variogram matrix Gamma, returns the full Gamma matrix implied by the conditional independencies.

Usage

```
complete_Gamma_decomposable(Gamma, graph = NULL)
```

Arguments

Gamma	A variogram matrix that is specified on the edges of graph and the diagonals. All other entries are ignored (if graph is specified), or should be NA to indicate non-edges in graph.
graph	NULL or a decomposable [igraph::graph] object. If NULL, the structure of NA entries in Gamma is used instead.

Value

A complete variogram matrix that agrees with Gamma on the entries corresponding to edges in graph and the diagonals. The corresponding Θ matrix produced by [Gamma2Theta\(\)](#) has zeros in the remaining entries.

See Also

Other matrix completion related topics: [complete_Gamma_general_demo\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma_general_split\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma_general\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma\(\)](#)

complete_Gamma_general

Non-decomposable completion of variogram matrices

Description

Given a non-decomposable graph, and (non-graphical) variogram matrix Gamma, modifies Gamma in non-edge entries, such that the resulting matrix is a variogram matrix with graphical structure described by graph.

Usage

```
complete_Gamma_general(
  Gamma,
  graph,
  N = 10000,
  tol = get_large_tol(),
  check_tol = 100
)
```


Arguments

Gamma	Numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix.
graph	<code>igraph::graph()</code> object.
N	Maximum number of iterations.
tol	Numeric scalar. Tolerance to be used when completing submatrices.
check_tol	Numeric/integer scalar. How often to check the tolerance when completing submatrices.

Value

A completed $d \times d$ variogram matrix.

See Also

Other matrix completion related topics: [complete_Gamma_decomposable\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma_general_demo\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma_general_split\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma\(\)](#)

complete_Gamma_general_demo

DEMO-VERSION: Completion of non-decomposable Gamma matrices

Description

Given a graph and variogram matrix Gamma, returns the full Gamma matrix implied by the conditional independencies. DEMO VERSION: Returns a lot of details and allows specifying the graph list that is used. Is way slower than other functions.

Usage

```
complete_Gamma_general_demo(Gamma, graph, N = 1000, tol = 0, gList = NULL)
```

Arguments

Gamma	A complete variogram matrix (without any graphical structure).
graph	An <code>igraph::graph</code> object.
N	The maximal number of iterations of the algorithm.
tol	The tolerance to use when checking for zero entries in Theta.
gList	A list of graphs to be used instead of the output from make_sep_list() .

Value

A nested list, containing the following details. The "error term" is the maximal absolute value of Theta in a non-edge entry.

graph, N, tol As in the input

gList As in the input or computed by [make_sep_list\(\)](#).

Gamma0, Theta0, err0
 Initial Gamma, Theta, and error term.

iterations A nested list, containing the following infos for each performed iteration:

 n Number of the iteration

 t Corresponding index in gList

 g The graph used

 Gamma, Theta, err The value of Gamma, Theta, and error term after the iteration

See Also

Other matrix completion related topics: [complete_Gamma_decomposable\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma_general_split\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma_general\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma\(\)](#)

complete_Gamma_general_split

Non-decomposable completion of variogram matrices

Description

Given a non-decomposable graph, and (non-graphical) variogram matrix Gamma, modifies Gamma in non-edge entries, such that the resulting matrix is a variogram matrix with graphical structure described by graph. Does so by splitting graph at complete separators into smaller subgraphs, and calling [complete_Gamma_general](#) for each subgraph/submatrix, using multiple cores if available.

Usage

```
complete_Gamma_general_split(
  Gamma,
  graph,
  N = 10000,
  sub_tol = get_large_tol() * 0.001,
  check_tol = 100,
  mc_cores_overwrite = NULL,
  final_tol = get_large_tol()
)
```

Arguments

<code>Gamma</code>	Numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix.
<code>graph</code>	<code>igraph::graph()</code> object.
<code>N</code>	Maximum number of iterations.
<code>sub_tol</code>	Numeric scalar. Tolerance to be used when completing submatrices. Should be smaller than <code>final_tol</code> .
<code>check_tol</code>	Numeric/integer scalar. How often to check the tolerance when completing submatrices.
<code>mc_cores_overwrite</code>	NULL or numeric/integer scalar. Maximal number of cores to use.
<code>final_tol</code>	Numeric scalar. Check convergence of the final result with this tolerance. Skipped if this value is < 0 .

Value

A completed $d \times d$ variogram matrix.

See Also

Other matrix completion related topics: [complete_Gamma_decomposable\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma_general_demo\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma_general\(\)](#), [complete_Gamma\(\)](#)

danube	<i>Upper Danube basin dataset</i>
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Description

A dataset containing river discharge data for tributaries of the Danube.

Usage

```
danube
```

Format

A named list with four entries

`data_clustered` A numeric matrix, containing pre-processed discharge data for each gauging station

`data_raw` A numeric matrix, containing daily (raw) discharge data for each gauging station

`info` A data frame, containing information about each gauging station

`flow_edges` A two-column numeric matrix. Each row contains the indices (in `info`) of a pair of gauging stations that are directly connected by a river.

Details

To obtain the matrix `data_clustered`, the daily discharge data from the summer months of 1960 to 2010, given in `data_raw`, was declustered, yielding between seven and ten observations per year. Each row corresponds to one observation from this declustered time series, the *non-unique rownames* indicate which year an observation is from. Each column corresponds to one of the gauging stations, with column indices in `data_raw/data_clustered` corresponding to row indices in `info`. See (Asadi et al. 2015) for details on the preprocessing and declustering.

`info` is a data frame containing the following information for each of the gauging stations or its corresponding catchment area:

`RivNames` Name of the river at the gauging station

`Lat, Long` Coordinates of the gauging station

`Lat_Center, Long_Center` Coordinates of the center of the catchment corresponding to the gauging station

`Alt` Mean altitude of the catchment

`Area` Area of the catchment corresponding to the gauging station

`Slope` Mean slope of the catchment

`PlotCoordX, PlotCoordY` X-Y-coordinates which can be used to arrange the gauging stations when plotting a flow graph.

Source

Bavarian Environmental Agency <https://www.gkd.bayern.de>.

References

Asadi P, Davison AC, Engelke S (2015). “Extremes on river networks.” *Ann. Appl. Stat.*, **9**(4), 2023 – 2050. doi:10.1214/15AOAS863.

See Also

Other danubeData: [getDanubeFlowGraph\(\)](#), [plotDanube\(\)](#)

Other datasets: [flights](#)

Examples

```
dim(danube$data_clustered)
colnames(danube$info)
```

data2mpareto	<i>Data standardization to multivariate Pareto scale</i>
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Description

Transforms the data matrix empirically to the multivariate Pareto scale.

Usage

```
data2mpareto(data, p, na.rm = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix, where n is the number of observations and d is the dimension.
p	Numeric between 0 and 1. Probability used for the quantile to threshold the data.
na.rm	Logical. If rows containing NAs should be removed.

Details

The columns of the data matrix are first transformed empirically to standard Pareto distributions. Then, only the observations where at least one component exceeds the p -quantile of the standard Pareto distribution are kept. Those observations are finally divided by the p -quantile of the standard Pareto distribution to standardize them to the multivariate Pareto scale.

If `na.rm` is `FALSE`, missing entries are left as such during the transformation of univariate marginals. In the thresholding step, missing values are considered as `-Inf`.

Value

Numeric $m \times d$ matrix, where m is the number of rows in the original data matrix that are above the threshold.

See Also

Other parameter estimation methods: [emp_chi_multdim\(\)](#), [emp_chi\(\)](#), [emp_vario\(\)](#), [empt2\(\)](#), [fmpareto_HR_MLE\(\)](#), [fmpareto_graph_HR\(\)](#), [loglik_HR\(\)](#)

Other structure estimation methods: [eglearn\(\)](#), [emst\(\)](#), [fit_graph_to_Theta\(\)](#)

Examples

```
n <- 20
d <- 4
p <- .8
G <- cbind(
  c(0, 1.5, 1.5, 2),
  c(1.5, 0, 2, 1.5),
```

```

    c(1.5, 2, 0, 1.5),
    c(2, 1.5, 1.5, 0)
  )

  set.seed(123)
  my_data <- rmstable(n, "HR", d = d, par = G)
  data2mpareto(my_data, p)

```

 eglearn

Learning extremal graph structure

Description

Following the methodology from Engelke et al. (2022), fits an extremal graph structure using the neighborhood selection approach (see Meinshausen and Bühlmann (2006)) or graphical lasso (see Friedman et al. (2008)).

Usage

```

eglearn(
  data,
  p = NULL,
  rho1ist = c(0.1, 0.15, 0.19, 0.205),
  reg_method = c("ns", "glasso"),
  complete_Gamma = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

<code>data</code>	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix, where n is the number of observations and d is the dimension.
<code>p</code>	Numeric between 0 and 1 or NULL. If NULL (default), it is assumed that the data are already on multivariate Pareto scale. Else, p is used as the probability in the function <code>data2mpareto()</code> to standardize the data.
<code>rho1ist</code>	Numeric vector of non-negative regularization parameters for the lasso. Default is <code>rho1ist = c(0.1, 0.15, 0.19, 0.205)</code> . For details see <code>glasso::glassopath()</code> .
<code>reg_method</code>	One of "ns", "glasso", for neighborhood selection and graphical lasso, respectively. Default is <code>reg_method = "ns"</code> . For details see Meinshausen and Bühlmann (2006), Friedman et al. (2008).
<code>complete_Gamma</code>	Whether you want to try fit complete Gamma matrix. Default is <code>complete_Gamma = FALSE</code> .

Value

List made of:

graph	A list of <code>igraph::graph</code> objects representing the fitted graphs for each rho in <code>rholist</code> .
Gamma	A list of numeric estimated $d \times d$ variogram matrices Γ corresponding to the fitted graphs, for each rho in <code>rholist</code> . If <code>complete_Gamma = FALSE</code> or the underlying graph is not connected, it returns NULL.
rholist	The list of penalty coefficients.
graph_ic	A list of <code>igraph::graph</code> objects representing the optimal graph according to the <code>aic</code> , <code>bic</code> , and <code>mbic</code> information criteria. If <code>reg_method = "glasso"</code> , it returns a list of NULL.
Gamma_ic	A list of numeric $d \times d$ estimated variogram matrices Γ corresponding to the <code>aic</code> , <code>bic</code> , and <code>mbic</code> information criteria. If <code>reg_method = "glasso"</code> , <code>complete_Gamma = FALSE</code> , or the underlying graph is not connected, it returns a list of NULL.

References

Engelke S, Lalancette M, Volgushev S (2022). “Learning extremal graphical structures in high dimensions.” doi:10.48550/ARXIV.2111.00840, Available from <https://arxiv.org/abs/2111.00840>, 2111.00840, <https://arxiv.org/abs/2111.00840>.

Friedman J, Hastie T, Tibshirani R (2008). “Sparse inverse covariance estimation with the graphical lasso.” *Biostatistics*, **9**(3), 432–441.

Meinshausen N, Bühlmann P (2006). “High-dimensional graphs and variable selection with the Lasso.” *Ann. Statist.*, **34**(3), 1436 – 1462. doi:10.1214/009053606000000281.

See Also

Other structure estimation methods: `data2mpareto()`, `emst()`, `fit_graph_to_Theta()`

Examples

```
set.seed(2)
m <- generate_random_model(d=6)
y <- rmpareto(n=500, par=m$Gamma)
ret <- eglearn(y)
```

emp_chi

Empirical estimation of extremal correlation matrix χ

Description

Estimates empirically the matrix of bivariate extremal correlation coefficients χ .

Usage

```
emp_chi(data, p = NULL)

emp_chi_pairwise(data, p = NULL, verbose = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix, where n is the number of observations and d is the dimension.
p	Numeric scalar between 0 and 1 or NULL. If NULL (default), it is assumed that the data are already on multivariate Pareto scale. Else, p is used as the probability in data2mpareto() to standardize the data.
verbose	Print verbose progress information

Details

`emp_chi_pairwise` calls `emp_chi` for each pair of observations. This is more robust if the data contains many NAs, but can take rather long.

Value

Numeric matrix $d \times d$. The matrix contains the bivariate extremal coefficients χ_{ij} , for $i, j = 1, \dots, d$.

See Also

Other parameter estimation methods: [data2mpareto\(\)](#), [emp_chi_multdim\(\)](#), [emp_vario\(\)](#), [empt2\(\)](#), [fmpareto_HR_MLE\(\)](#), [fmpareto_graph_HR\(\)](#), [loglik_HR\(\)](#)

Examples

```
n <- 100
d <- 4
p <- .8
Gamma <- cbind(
  c(0, 1.5, 1.5, 2),
  c(1.5, 0, 2, 1.5),
  c(1.5, 2, 0, 1.5),
  c(2, 1.5, 1.5, 0)
)

set.seed(123)
my_data <- rmstable(n, "HR", d = d, par = Gamma)
emp_chi(my_data, p)
```

emp_chi_multdim	<i>Empirical estimation of extremal correlation χ</i>
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Description

Estimates the d -dimensional extremal correlation coefficient χ empirically.

Usage

```
emp_chi_multdim(data, p = NULL)
```

Arguments

data	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix, where n is the number of observations and d is the dimension.
p	Numeric scalar between 0 and 1 or NULL. If NULL (default), it is assumed that the data are already on multivariate Pareto scale. Else, p is used as the probability in data2mpareto() to standardize the data.

Value

Numeric scalar. The empirical d -dimensional extremal correlation coefficient χ for the data.

See Also

Other parameter estimation methods: [data2mpareto\(\)](#), [emp_chi\(\)](#), [emp_vario\(\)](#), [emptp2\(\)](#), [fmpareto_HR_MLE\(\)](#), [fmpareto_graph_HR\(\)](#), [loglik_HR\(\)](#)

Examples

```
n <- 100
d <- 2
p <- .8
G <- cbind(
  c(0, 1.5),
  c(1.5, 0)
)

set.seed(123)
my_data <- rmstable(n, "HR", d = d, par = G)
emp_chi_multdim(my_data, p)
```

emp_vario

*Estimation of the variogram matrix Γ of a Huesler-Reiss distribution***Description**

Estimates the variogram of the Huesler-Reiss distribution empirically.

Usage

```
emp_vario(data, k = NULL, p = NULL)
```

```
emp_vario_pairwise(data, k = NULL, p = NULL, verbose = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix, where n is the number of observations and d is the dimension.
k	Integer between 1 and d . Component of the multivariate observations that is conditioned to be larger than the threshold p . If NULL (default), then an average over all k is returned.
p	Numeric between 0 and 1 or NULL. If NULL (default), it is assumed that the data are already on multivariate Pareto scale. Else, p is used as the probability in the function data2mpareto() to standardize the data.
verbose	Print verbose progress information

Details

`emp_vario_pairwise` calls `emp_vario` for each pair of observations. This is more robust if the data contains many NAs, but can take rather long.

Value

Numeric $d \times d$ matrix. The estimated variogram of the Huesler-Reiss distribution.

See Also

Other parameter estimation methods: [data2mpareto\(\)](#), [emp_chi_multdim\(\)](#), [emp_chi\(\)](#), [emtp2\(\)](#), [fmpareto_HR_MLE\(\)](#), [fmpareto_graph_HR\(\)](#), [loglik_HR\(\)](#)

Examples

```
G <- generate_random_Gamma(d=5)
y <- rmpareto(n=100, par=G)
Ghat <- emp_vario(y)
```

emst

*Fitting extremal minimum spanning tree***Description**

Fits an extremal minimum spanning tree, where the edge weights are:

- negative maximized log-likelihoods of the bivariate Huesler-Reiss distributions, if method = "ML". See Engelke and Hitz (2020) for details.
- empirical extremal variogram, if method = "vario". See Engelke and Volgushev (2022) for details.
- empirical extremal correlation, if method = "chi". See Engelke and Volgushev (2022) for details.

Usage

```
emst(data, p = NULL, method = c("vario", "ML", "chi"), cens = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix, where n is the number of observations and d is the dimension.
p	Numeric between 0 and 1 or NULL. If NULL (default), it is assumed that the data are already on multivariate Pareto scale. Else, p is used as the probability in the function <code>data2mpareto()</code> to standardize the data.
method	One of "vario", "ML", "chi". Default is method = "vario".
cens	Logical. This argument is considered only if method = "ML". If TRUE, then censored likelihood contributions are used for components below the threshold. By default, cens = FALSE.

Value

List consisting of:

graph	An <code>igraph::graph</code> object. The fitted minimum spanning tree.
Gamma	Numeric $d \times d$ estimated variogram matrix Γ corresponding to the fitted minimum spanning tree.

References

Engelke S, Hitz AS (2020). "Graphical models for extremes (with discussion)." *J. R. Stat. Soc. Ser. B Stat. Methodol.*, **82**, 871–932.

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See Also

Other structure estimation methods: [data2mpareto\(\)](#), [eglearn\(\)](#), [fit_graph_to_Theta\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Fitting a 4-dimensional HR minimum spanning tree
my_graph <- igraph::graph_from_adjacency_matrix(
  rbind(
    c(0, 1, 0, 0),
    c(1, 0, 1, 1),
    c(0, 1, 0, 0),
    c(0, 1, 0, 0)
  ),
  mode = "undirected"
)
n <- 100
Gamma_vec <- c(.5, 1.4, .8)
complete_Gamma(Gamma = Gamma_vec, graph = my_graph) ## full Gamma matrix

set.seed(123)
my_data <- rmpareto_tree(n, "HR", tree = my_graph, par = Gamma_vec)
my_fit <- emst(my_data, p = NULL, method = "ML", cens = FALSE)
```

empt2

Performs Gaussian likelihood optimization under Laplacian matrix constraints.

Description

This function implements a block descent algorithm to find the maximum of the Gaussian log-likelihood under the constraint that the concentration matrix is a Laplacian matrix. See Röttger et al. (2021) for details.

Usage

```
empt2(Gamma, tol = 1e-06, verbose = TRUE, initial_point = TRUE)
```

Arguments

Gamma	conditionally negative semidefinite matrix. This will be typically the empirical variogram matrix.
tol	The convergence tolerance. The algorithm terminates when the sum of absolute differences between two iterations is below tol.
verbose	if TRUE (default) the output will be printed.
initial_point	if TRUE (default), the algorithm will construct an initial point before the iteration steps.

Value

A list consisting of:

G_emtp2	The optimal value of the variogram matrix
it	The number of iterations

References

Röttger F, Engelke S, Zwiernik P (2021). "Total positivity in multivariate extremes." doi:10.48550/ARXIV.2112.14727, <https://arxiv.org/abs/2112.14727>.

See Also

Other parameter estimation methods: [data2mpareto\(\)](#), [emp_chi_multdim\(\)](#), [emp_chi\(\)](#), [emp_vario\(\)](#), [fmpareto_HR_MLE\(\)](#), [fmpareto_graph_HR\(\)](#), [loglik_HR\(\)](#)

ensure_matrix_symmetry

Ensure numerical matrix symmetry/zero values

Description

Ensures the symmetry of a square matrix by averaging it with its transpose. Optionally verifies that the matrix was close to symmetric before.

Makes sure zeros are "numerically zero", by truncating all small values.

Usage

```
ensure_matrix_symmetry(M, checkTol = Inf, alert = NULL)
```

```
truncate_zeros(M, tol = get_small_tol())
```

```
ensure_matrix_symmetry_and_truncate_zeros(
  M,
  tol = get_small_tol(),
  checkTol = Inf
)
```

Arguments

M	Numeric square matrix.
checkTol	Positive scalar. If the maximum absolute difference between M and t(M) is larger, show a warning.
alert	Passed to <code>get_alert_function</code> : NULL or TRUE to read the option value, FALSE to return a dummy function, or a function that takes an arbitrary number of strings as arguments (e.g. <code>stop()</code>).
tol	All entries with absolute value below this value are truncated to zero.

Value

The adjusted value of M.

See Also

Other input validation functions: [checkGamma\(\)](#), [check_graph\(\)](#), [check_partial_matrix_and_graph\(\)](#)

`fit_graph_to_Theta` *Experimental: Fit graph using empirical Theta matrix*

Description

Fits a graph to an empirical Gamma matrix by computing the corresponding Theta matrix using [Gamma2Theta\(\)](#) and greedily chooses `m` edges that correspond to high absolute values in Theta.

Usage

```
fit_graph_to_Theta(data, m = NULL, Gamma_emp = NULL)
```

Arguments

<code>data</code>	The (standardized) data from which to compute Gamma
<code>m</code>	The number of edges to add, defaults to the number of edges in a tree
<code>Gamma_emp</code>	The empirical Gamma matrix (can be NULL if data is given)

Value

A list containing an `[igraph::graph]` object and a fitted Gamma matrix

See Also

Other structure estimation methods: [data2mpareto\(\)](#), [eglearn\(\)](#), [emst\(\)](#)

`flightCountMatrixToConnectionList`
Convert flight counts to connection list

Description

Convert a numeric matrix containing flight counts between airports to a data frame containing a list of connections.

Usage

```
flightCountMatrixToConnectionList(nFlightsPerConnection, directed = TRUE)
```

Arguments

- `nFlightsPerConnection` A square, numeric matrix with identical column- and row-names. Each entry represents the number of flights from the airport indexing the row to the airport indexing the column in some arbitrary time period.
- `directed` Logical scalar. Whether flights A->B and B->A should be considered separately.

Value

A data frame with columns `departureAirport`, `arrivalAirport`, `nFlights`. Each row represents one connection with ≥ 1 flights in the input matrix.

See Also

Other flight data related topics: [flights](#), [getFlightDelayData\(\)](#), [plotFlights\(\)](#)

Examples

```
flightCountMatrixToConnectionList(flights$flightCounts[1:100, 1:100, 1])
```

flights	<i>Flights delay data</i>
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Description

A dataset containing daily total delays of major U.S. airlines. The raw data was obtained from the U.S. [Bureau of Transportation Statistics](#), and pre-processed as described in Hentschel et al. (2022). *Note: The CRAN version of this package contains only data from 2010-2013. The full dataset is available in the GitHub version of this package.*

Usage

```
flights
```

Format

A named list with three entries:

`airports` A data.frame, containing information about US airports

`delays` A numeric matrix, containing daily aggregated delays at the airports in the dataset

`flightCounts` A numeric array, containing yearly flight numbers between airports in the dataset

Details

flightCounts is a three-dimensional array, containing the number of flights in the dataset between each pair of airports, aggregated on a yearly basis. Each entry is the total number of flights between the departure airport (row) and destination airport (column) in a given year (dimension 3). This array does not contain any NAs, even if an airport did not operate at all in a given year, which is simply indicated by zeros.

delays is a three-dimensional array containing daily total positive delays, in minutes, of incoming and outgoing flights respectively. Each column corresponds to an airport in the dataset and each row corresponds to a day. The third dimension has length two, 'arrivals' containing delays of incoming flights and 'departures' containing delays of outgoing flights. Zeros indicate that there were flights arriving/departing at that airport on a given day, but none of them had delays. NAs indicate that there were no flights arriving/departing at that airport on that day at all.

airports is a data frame containing the following information about a number of US airports. Some entries are missing, which is indicated by NAs.

IATA 3-letter IATA code

Name name of the airport

City main city served by the airport

Country country or territory where the airport is located (mostly "United States")

ICAO 4-letter ICAO code

Latitude latitude of the airport, in decimal degrees

Longitude longitude of the airport, in decimal degrees

Altitude altitude of the airport, in feet

Timezone timezone of the airport, in hours offset from UTC

DST Daylight savings time used at the airport. 'A'=US/Canada, 'N'=None.

Timezone2 name of the timezone of the airport

Source

Raw delays data:

- <https://www.bts.dot.gov/browse-statistical-products-and-data/bts-publications/airline-service-quality-performance-234-time>

Fields/Forms used in the raw data:

- <https://esubmit.rita.dot.gov/ViewReports.aspx>
- <https://esubmit.rita.dot.gov/On-Time-Form1.aspx>
- <https://esubmit.rita.dot.gov/On-Time-Form3A.aspx>

Airports (includes license information):

- <https://openflights.org/data>

References

Hentschel M, Engelke S, Segers J (2022). “Statistical Inference for Hüsler-Reiss Graphical Models Through Matrix Completions.” doi:10.48550/ARXIV.2210.14292, <https://arxiv.org/abs/2210.14292>.

See Also

Other flight data related topics: [flightCountMatrixToConnectionList\(\)](#), [getFlightDelayData\(\)](#), [plotFlights\(\)](#)

Other datasets: [danube](#)

Examples

```
# Get total number of flights in the dataset:
totalFlightCounts <- apply(flights$flightCounts, c(1,2), sum)

# Get number of flights for specific years in the dataset:
flightCounts_10_11 <- apply(flights$flightCounts[,c('2010', '2011')], c(1,2), sum)

# Get list of connections from 2008:
connections_10 <- flightCountMatrixToConnectionList(flights$flightCounts[, '2010'])
```

fmpareto_graph_HR *Parameter fitting for Huesler-Reiss graphical models*

Description

Fits the parameter matrix (variogram) of a multivariate Huesler-Reiss Pareto distribution with a given graphical structure, using maximum-likelihood estimation or the empirical variogram.

Usage

```
fmpareto_graph_HR(
  data,
  graph,
  p = NULL,
  method = c("vario", "ML"),
  handleCliques = c("average", "full", "sequential"),
  ...
)
```

Arguments

data Numeric $n \times d$ matrix, where n is the number of observations and d is the number of dimensions.

graph	Undirected, connected [igraph: : graph] object with d vertices, representing the graphical structure of the fitted Huesler-Reiss model.
p	Numeric between 0 and 1 or NULL. If NULL (default), it is assumed that the data is already on a multivariate Pareto scale. Else, p is used as the probability in the function data2mpareto() to standardize the data.
method	One of c('vario', 'ML'), with 'vario' as default, indicating the method to be used for parameter estimation. See details.
handleCliques	How to handle cliques and separators in the graph. See details.
...	Arguments passed to fmpareto_HR_MLE() . Currently cens, maxit, optMethod, and useTheta are supported.

Details

If handleCliques='average', the marginal parameter matrix is estimated for each maximal clique of the graph and then combined into a partial parameter matrix by taking the average of entries from overlapping cliques. Lastly, the full parameter matrix is computed using [complete_Gamma\(\)](#).

If handleCliques='full', first the full parameter matrix is estimated using the specified method and then the non-edge entries are adjusted such that the final parameter matrix has the graphical structure indicated by graph.

If handleCliques='sequential', graph must be decomposable, and method='ML' must be specified. The parameter matrix is first estimated on the (recursive) separators and then on the rest of the cliques, keeping previously estimated entries fixed.

If method='ML', the computational cost is mostly influenced by the total size of the graph (if handleCliques='full') or the size of the cliques, and can already take a significant amount of time for modest dimensions (e.g. d=3).

Value

The estimated parameter matrix.

See Also

Other parameter estimation methods: [data2mpareto\(\)](#), [emp_chi_multdim\(\)](#), [emp_chi\(\)](#), [emp_vario\(\)](#), [emtp2\(\)](#), [fmpareto_HR_MLE\(\)](#), [loglik_HR\(\)](#)

fmpareto_HR_MLE

Parameter fitting for multivariate Huesler-Reiss Pareto distribution

Description

Fits the parameters of a multivariate Huesler-Reiss Pareto distribution using (censored) maximum likelihood estimation.

Usage

```
fmpareto_HR_MLE(
  data,
  p = NULL,
  cens = FALSE,
  init = NULL,
  fixParams = integer(0),
  useTheta = TRUE,
  maxit = 100,
  graph = NULL,
  optMethod = "BFGS",
  nAttemptsFixInit = 3
)
```

Arguments

<code>data</code>	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix, where n is the number of observations and d is the number of dimensions.
<code>p</code>	Numeric scalar between 0 and 1 or NULL. If NULL (default), it is assumed that the data is already on a multivariate Pareto scale. Else, p is used as the probability in <code>data2mpareto()</code> to standardize the data.
<code>cens</code>	Logical scalar. If true, then censored likelihood contributions are used for components below the threshold. This is computationally expensive and by default <code>cens = FALSE</code> .
<code>init</code>	Numeric vector or numeric matrix. Initial parameter values in the optimization. If NULL, the empirical variogram is used instead. Otherwise should be a numeric vector with one entry per edge in <code>graph</code> , or a complete variogram/precision matrix.
<code>fixParams</code>	Numeric or logical vector. Indices of the parameter vectors that are kept fixed (identical to <code>init</code>) during the optimization. Default is <code>integer(0)</code> .
<code>useTheta</code>	Logical. Whether to perform the MLE optimization in terms of Theta or Gamma.
<code>maxit</code>	Positive integer. The maximum number of iterations in the optimization.
<code>graph</code>	Graph object from <code>igraph</code> package or NULL (implying the complete graph).
<code>optMethod</code>	String. A valid optimization method used by the function <code>stats::optim</code> . By default, <code>method = "BFGS"</code> .
<code>nAttemptsFixInit</code>	Numeric. If <code>useTheta=TRUE</code> and the initial parameter <code>init</code> is not valid, attempt to fix it first by making sure all off-diagonal entries are negative and then adding some random noise at most this many times.

Details

Only the parameters corresponding to edges in `graph` are optimized, the remaining entries are implied by the graphical structure. If `graph` is NULL, the complete graph is used. The optimization is done either in terms of the variogram (Gamma) or precision matrix (Theta), depending on the value of `useTheta`. If `graph` is non-decomposable, `useTheta=TRUE` is significantly faster, otherwise they are similar in performance.

Value

List consisting of:

convergence	Logical. Indicates whether the optimization converged or not.
Gamma	Numeric $d \times d$ matrix. Fitted variogram matrix.
Theta	Numeric $d \times d$ matrix. Fitted precision matrix.
par	Numeric vector. Optimal parameters, including fixed parameters.
par_opt	Numeric. Optimal parameters, excluding fixed parameters.
nllik	Numeric. Optimal value of the negative log-likelihood function.
hessian	Numeric matrix. Estimated Hessian matrix of the estimated parameters.

See Also

Other parameter estimation methods: [data2mpareto\(\)](#), [emp_chi_multdim\(\)](#), [emp_chi\(\)](#), [emp_vario\(\)](#), [empt2\(\)](#), [fmpareto_graph_HR\(\)](#), [loglik_HR\(\)](#)

Gamma2graph	<i>Convert matrix to graph</i>
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Description

Creates a graph object representing the graph structure implied by a parameter matrix.

Usage

```
Gamma2graph(Gamma, tol = get_large_tol(), check = TRUE)
```

```
Sigma2graph(Sigma, tol = get_large_tol(), k = NULL, full = FALSE, check = TRUE)
```

```
Theta2graph(Theta, tol = get_large_tol(), k = NULL, full = FALSE, check = TRUE)
```

```
partialMatrixToGraph(M)
```

Arguments

Gamma	Numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix.
tol	Numeric scalar. Entries in the precision matrix with absolute value smaller than this are considered to be zero.
check	Whether to check the inputs and call <code>ensure_matrix_symmetry_and_truncate_zeros</code> on the outputs.
Sigma	Numeric $d \times d$ or $(d - 1) \times (d - 1)$ covariance matrix.
k	NULL if the input/output matrix is Σ/Θ . Else, an integer between 1 and d indicating the value of k in Σ^k, Θ^k .
full	Logical. If TRUE and <code>!is.null(k)</code> , the input/output matrix is a $d \times d$ matrix with the k th row filled with zeros.
Theta	Numeric $d \times d$ or $(d - 1) \times (d - 1)$ precision matrix.
M	Partial matrix with NA entries indicating missing edges.

Value

An `igraph::graph` object.

See Also

Other parameter matrix transformations: `Gamma2Sigma()`, `chi2Gamma()`, `par2Matrix()`

Gamma2Sigma

Conversion between Huesler-Reiss parameter matrices

Description

Converts between different matrices that parametrize the same Huesler-Reiss distribution: Γ , Σ , Θ , Σ^k , Θ^k . The $(d-1) \times (d-1)$ matrices Σ^k and Θ^k can also be given/returned as $d \times d$ matrices with the k th row and column filled with zeros.

Usage

```
Gamma2Sigma(Gamma, k = NULL, full = FALSE, check = TRUE)
```

```
Gamma2Theta(Gamma, k = NULL, full = FALSE, check = TRUE)
```

```
Sigma2Gamma(Sigma, k = NULL, full = FALSE, check = TRUE)
```

```
Theta2Gamma(Theta, k = NULL, full = FALSE, check = TRUE)
```

```
Sigma2Theta(
  Sigma,
  k1 = NULL,
  k2 = NULL,
  full1 = FALSE,
  full2 = FALSE,
  check = TRUE
)
```

```
Theta2Sigma(
  Theta,
  k1 = NULL,
  k2 = NULL,
  full1 = FALSE,
  full2 = FALSE,
  check = TRUE
)
```

```
Theta2Theta(
  Theta,
  k1 = NULL,
```

```

    k2 = NULL,
    full1 = FALSE,
    full2 = FALSE,
    check = TRUE
)

Sigma2Sigma(
  Sigma,
  k1 = NULL,
  k2 = NULL,
  full1 = FALSE,
  full2 = FALSE,
  check = TRUE
)

Gamma2Gamma(Gamma, check = TRUE)

matrix2matrix(
  M,
  name1 = c("Gamma", "Sigma", "Theta")[1],
  name2 = c("Gamma", "Sigma", "Theta")[1],
  k1 = NULL,
  k2 = NULL,
  full1 = FALSE,
  full2 = FALSE,
  check = TRUE
)

```

Arguments

Gamma	Numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix.
k	NULL if the input/output matrix is Σ/Θ . Else, an integer between 1 and d indicating the value of k in Σ^k, Θ^k .
full	Logical. If TRUE and !is.null(k), the input/output matrix is a $d \times d$ matrix with the kth row filled with zeros.
check	Whether to check the inputs and call ensure_matrix_symmetry_and_truncate_zeros on the outputs.
Sigma	Numeric $d \times d$ or $(d - 1) \times (d - 1)$ covariance matrix.
Theta	Numeric $d \times d$ or $(d - 1) \times (d - 1)$ precision matrix.
k1	NULL if the input matrix is Σ/Θ . Else, an integer between 1 and d indicating the value of k in Σ^k, Θ^k .
k2	NULL if the output matrix is Σ/Θ . Else, an integer between 1 and d indicating the value of k in Σ^k, Θ^k .
full1	Logical. If TRUE and !is.null(k1), the input is a $d \times d$ matrix with the kth row filled with zeros.
full2	Logical. If TRUE and !is.null(k2), the output is a $d \times d$ matrix with the kth row filled with zeros.

M	Numeric matrix, Γ , Σ , or Θ .
name1	Name of the input representation.
name2	Name of the output representation.

Details

If k , $k1$, or $k2$ is NULL, the corresponding `full*` argument is ignored.

`Gamma2Gamma` only checks and returns the input.

`matrix2matrix` is a wrapper function that calls the corresponding conversion function implied by `name1`, `name2`.

Value

The desired parameter matrix corresponding to the specified inputs.

See Also

Other parameter matrix transformations: [Gamma2graph\(\)](#), [chi2Gamma\(\)](#), [par2Matrix\(\)](#)

generate_random_chordal_graph
Generate random graphs

Description

Generate random graphs with different structures. These do not follow well-defined distributions and are mostly meant for quickly generating test models.

Usage

```
generate_random_chordal_graph(
  d,
  cMin = 2,
  cMax = 6,
  sMin = 1,
  sMax = 4,
  block_graph = FALSE,
  ...
)

generate_random_connected_graph(
  d,
  m = NULL,
  p = 2/(d + 1),
  maxTries = 1000,
  ...
)
```

```
)
generate_random_tree(d)
generate_random_cactus(d, cMin = 2, cMax = 6)
```

Arguments

d	Number of vertices in the graph
cMin	Minimal size of cliques/blocks (last one might be smaller if necessary)
cMax	Maximal size of cliques/blocks
sMin	Minimal size of separators
sMax	Maximal size of separators
block_graph	Force sMin == sMax == 1 to produce a block graph
...	Ignored, only allowed for compatibility
m	Number of edges in the graph (specify this or p)
p	Probability of each edge being in the graph (specify this or m)
maxTries	Maximum number of tries to produce a connected Erdoes-Renyi graph

Details

`generate_random_chordal_graph` generates a random chordal graph by starting with a (small) complete graph and then adding new cliques until the specified size is reached. The sizes of cliques and separators can be specified.

`generate_random_connected_graph` first tries to generate an Erdoes-Renyi graph, if that fails, falls back to producing a tree and adding random edges to that tree.

`generate_random_cactus` generates a random cactus graph (mostly useful for benchmarking).

Value

An [igraph::graph] object

See Also

Other example generation functions: [generate_random_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_graphical_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_integer_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_model\(\)](#), [generate_random_spd_matrix\(\)](#)

generate_random_Gamma *Generate a random Gamma matrix*

Description

Generates a valid Gamma matrix with a given dimension

Usage

```
generate_random_Gamma(d, ...)
```

Arguments

d	Size of the matrix
...	Further arguments passed to generate_random_spd_matrix()

See Also

Other example generation functions: [generate_random_chordal_graph\(\)](#), [generate_random_graphical_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_integer_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_model\(\)](#), [generate_random_spd_matrix\(\)](#)

generate_random_graphical_Gamma
Generate a random Gamma matrix for a given graph

Description

Generates a valid Gamma matrix with conditional independence structure specified by a graph

Usage

```
generate_random_graphical_Gamma(graph, ...)
```

Arguments

graph	An <code>igraph::graph</code> object
...	Further arguments passed to generate_random_spd_matrix()

See Also

Other example generation functions: [generate_random_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_chordal_graph\(\)](#), [generate_random_integer_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_model\(\)](#), [generate_random_spd_matrix\(\)](#)

```
generate_random_integer_Gamma
```

Generate a random Gamma matrix containing only integers

Description

Generates a random variogram Matrix by producing a $(d - 1) \times (d - 1)$ matrix B with random integer entries between -b and b, computing $S = B \%*\% t(B)$, and passing this S to [Sigma2Gamma\(\)](#). This process is repeated with an increasing b until a valid Gamma matrix is produced.

Usage

```
generate_random_integer_Gamma(d, b = 2, b_step = 1)
```

Arguments

d	Number of rows/columns in the output matrix
b	Initial b used in the algorithm described above
b_step	By how much b is increased in each iteration

Value

A numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix with integer entries

See Also

Other example generation functions: [generate_random_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_chordal_graph\(\)](#), [generate_random_graphical_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_model\(\)](#), [generate_random_spd_matrix\(\)](#)

Examples

```
generate_random_integer_Gamma(5, 2, 0.1)
```

```
generate_random_model Generate random Huesler-Reiss Models
```

Description

Generates a random connected graph and Gamma matrix with conditional independence structure corresponding to that graph.

Usage

```
generate_random_model(d, graph_type = "general", ...)
```

Arguments

d	Number of vertices in the graph
graph_type	"tree", "block", "decomposable", "complete", or "general"
...	Further arguments passed to functions generating the graph and Gamma matrix

See Also

Other example generation functions: [generate_random_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_chordal_graph\(\)](#), [generate_random_graphical_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_integer_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_spd_matrix\(\)](#)

Examples

```
set.seed(1)
d <- 12

generate_random_model(d, 'tree')
generate_random_model(d, 'block')
generate_random_model(d, 'decomposable')
generate_random_model(d, 'general')
generate_random_model(d, 'complete')
```

```
generate_random_spd_matrix
```

Generate a random symmetric positive definite matrix

Description

Generates a random $d \times d$ symmetric positive definite matrix. This is done by generating a random $d \times d$ matrix B, then computing $B \%*\% t(B)$, and then normalizing the matrix to approximately single digit entries.

Usage

```
generate_random_spd_matrix(d, bMin = -10, bMax = 10, ...)
```

Arguments

d	Number of rows/columns
bMin	Minimum value of entries in B
bMax	Maximum value of entries in B
...	Ignored, only allowed for compatibility

See Also

Other example generation functions: [generate_random_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_chordal_graph\(\)](#), [generate_random_graphical_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_integer_Gamma\(\)](#), [generate_random_model\(\)](#)

getDanubeFlowGraph *Get Danube flow graph*

Description

Returns an `igraph::graph` object representing the flow graph of the `danube` dataset.

Usage

```
getDanubeFlowGraph(stationIndices = NULL, directed = FALSE)
```

Arguments

`stationIndices` Logical or numerical vector. Indicating which stations to include.
`directed` Logical. Whether the graph should be directed (in the direction of flow).

Value

An `igraph::graph` object.

See Also

Other `danubeData`: `danube`, `plotDanube()`

getFlightDelayData *Get filtered flight delays*

Description

Get filtered flight delay data, containing only a selection of dates and airports. Currently, all possible selections correspond to the case study in Hentschel et al. (2022).

Usage

```
getFlightDelayData(  
  what = c("delays", "IATAs", "dates"),  
  airportFilter = c("all", "tcCluster", "tcAll"),  
  dateFilter = c("all", "tcTrain", "tcTest", "tcAll"),  
  delayFilter = c("totals", "arrivals", "departures")[1]  
)
```

Arguments

what	Whether to get the array of delays (numerical), or just the vector of airport codes ("IATAs", strings) or dates (as strings). Specify exactly one.
airportFilter	Which airports to include. Specify exactly one. See details below.
dateFilter	Which dates to include. Specify exactly one. See details below.
delayFilter	Which kinds of delays to include. Specify one or more. Possible values are "arrivals", "departures", and "totals" (computed as sum of arrival and departure delays).

Details

The provided lists of airports and dates correspond to the ones used in the case study of Hentschel et al. (2022). The argument `airportFilter="tcCluster"` corresponds to the airports in the analyzed "Texas Cluster", `airportFilter="tcAll"` corresponds to all airports used in the previous clustering step, `airportFilter="all"` corresponds to all airports in the dataset.

Similarly, `dateFilter="tcTrain"` selects the dates from the training set, `dateFilter="tcTest"` the ones from the test/validation set. To get the union of these sets, specify `dateFilter="tcAll"`. To get all dates in the dataset (possibly more than for "tcAll"), specify `dateFilter="all"`.

Value

If `what="IATAs"` or `what="dates"`, a character vector. If required, it can be converted to `Date` objects using `as.Date()`.

If `what="delays"`, a three-dimensional array or two-dimensional matrix, with dimensions corresponding to dates, airports, and delay types.

References

Hentschel M, Engelke S, Segers J (2022). "Statistical Inference for Hüsler-Reiss Graphical Models Through Matrix Completions." doi:10.48550/ARXIV.2210.14292, <https://arxiv.org/abs/2210.14292>.

See Also

Other flight data related topics: `flightCountMatrixToConnectionList()`, `flights`, `plotFlights()`

get_alert_function *Get alert function*

Description

Get a function that can be used to alert the user of invalid inputs. Returns the value implied by the `overwrite` argument, or the option `"graphicalExtremes.default.alert"`, falling back to `warning()` if neither is specified.

Usage

```
get_alert_function(overwrite = NULL)
```

Arguments

overwrite NULL or TRUE to read the option value, FALSE to return a dummy function, or a function that takes an arbitrary number of strings as arguments (e.g. stop()).

Value

A function that takes an arbitrary number of strings as arguments.

See Also

[graphicalExtremes-package](#)

Other default parameters: [get_mc_cores\(\)](#), [get_small_tol\(\)](#)

get_mc_cores

Number of cores to be used in parallel computations

Description

Helper function that returns the number of cores to be used in parallel computations. Will always be 1 on Windows. On other systems, this value can be set using `setOption('graphicalExtremes.mc.cores', ...)`.

Usage

```
get_mc_cores(overwrite = NULL)
```

Arguments

overwrite Use this value (if it is valid and not on Windows)

Value

An integer to be used as number of cores

See Also

[graphicalExtremes-package](#)

Other default parameters: [get_alert_function\(\)](#), [get_small_tol\(\)](#)

get_small_tol	<i>Tolerances to be used in computations</i>
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Description

Helper function that returns the tolerance to be used in internal computations.

Usage

```
get_small_tol(overwrite = NULL)
```

```
get_large_tol(overwrite = NULL)
```

Arguments

`overwrite` NULL or numeric scalar. If specified, use this value instead of the option value.

Details

There are two different tolerances used in the package, for details see [graphicalExtremes-package](#). The default values for these tolerances can be set using the options "graphicalExtremes.tol.small" and "graphicalExtremes.tol.large".

Value

A non-negative numerical scalar

See Also

[graphicalExtremes-package](#)

Other default parameters: [get_alert_function\(\)](#), [get_mc_cores\(\)](#)

loglik_HR	<i>Compute Huesler-Reiss log-likelihood, AIC, and BIC</i>
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Description

Computes (censored) Huesler-Reiss log-likelihood, AIC, and BIC values.

Usage

```
loglik_HR(data, p = NULL, graph = NULL, Gamma, cens = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix. It contains observations following a multivariate HR Pareto distribution.
p	Numeric between 0 and 1 or NULL. If NULL (default), it is assumed that the data are already on multivariate Pareto scale. Else, p is used as the probability in the function <code>data2mpareto()</code> to standardize the data.
graph	An <code>[igraph::graph]</code> object or NULL. The graph must be undirected and connected. If no graph is specified, the complete graph is used.
Gamma	Numeric $n \times d$ matrix. It represents a variogram matrix Γ .
cens	Boolean. If true, then censored log-likelihood is computed. By default, cens = FALSE.

Value

Numeric vector `c("loglik"=..., "aic"=..., "bic"=...)` with the evaluated log-likelihood, AIC, and BIC values.

See Also

Other parameter estimation methods: `data2mpareto()`, `emp_chi_multdim()`, `emp_chi()`, `emp_vario()`, `emp2()`, `fmpareto_HR_MLE()`, `fmpareto_graph_HR()`

plotDanube

Plot Danube River Flow Data

Description

Plotting function to visualize the river flow data from the `danube` dataset. Requires `ggplot2` to be installed.

Usage

```
plotDanube(
  stationIndices = NULL,
  graph = NULL,
  directed = NULL,
  plotStations = TRUE,
  plotConnections = TRUE,
  labelStations = FALSE,
  returnGGPlot = FALSE,
  useStationVolume = FALSE,
  useConnectionVolume = FALSE,
  mapCountries = c("Germany"),
  vertexColors = NULL,
  vertexShapes = NULL,
  edgeColors = NULL,
```



```

    xyRatio = NULL,
    clipMap = 1.2,
    useLatex = FALSE,
    edgeAlpha = 0.2
  )

plotDanubeIGraph(
  stationIndices = NULL,
  graph = NULL,
  directed = NULL,
  labelStations = TRUE,
  vertexColors = NULL,
  vertexShapes = NULL,
  edgeColors = NULL,
  ...
)

```

Arguments

stationIndices	Logical or numerical vector, indicating the stations to be plotted.
graph	An <code>igraph::graph</code> object or NULL to use the flow graph.
directed	Logical. Whether to consider the flow graph as directed.
plotStations	Logical. Whether to plot the stations.
plotConnections	Logical. Whether to plot the connections.
labelStations	Logical. Whether to label stations.
returnGGPlot	If TRUE, a <code>ggplot2::ggplot</code> object is returned and not plotted immediately.
useStationVolume	Logical. Whether to indicate flow volume at a station by circle size.
useConnectionVolume	Logical. Whether to indicate flow volume on a connection by line width.
mapCountries	Which country borders to show using <code>ggplot2::map_data('world', mapCountries)</code> .
vertexColors	Vector with color information for vertices.
vertexShapes	Vector with shape information for vertices.
edgeColors	Vector with color information for edges.
xyRatio	Approximate X-Y-ratio (w.r.t. distance on the ground) of the area shown in the plot.
clipMap	Logical or numeric scalar. Whether to ignore the map image when determining the axis limits of the plot. If it is a positive scalar, the plot limits are extended by that factor.
useLatex	Whether to format numbers etc. as latex code (useful when plotting to tikz).
edgeAlpha	Numeric scalar between 0 and 1. The alpha value to be used when plotting edges/connections.
...	Passed through to <code>igraph::plot.igraph</code> .

Details

The values of `vertexColors`, `vertexShapes`, and `edgeColors` are interpreted differently by `ggplot2::geom_point/ggplot` and `igraph::plot.igraph()`.

`plotDanube` uses a combination of `ggplot2` functions to plot the graph.

`plotDanubeIGraph` uses `igraph::plot.igraph` to plot the graph.

See Also

[plotFlights](#)

Other `danubeData`: [danube](#), [getDanubeFlowGraph\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# Basic plot
graphicalExtremes::plotDanube()

# Plot flow volumes
graphicalExtremes::plotDanube(
  clipMap = 1.2,
  useConnectionVolume = TRUE,
  useStationVolume = TRUE
)

# Plot other graph structures
nStations <- nrow(graphicalExtremes::danube$info)
g <- igraph::erdos.renyi.game(nStations, nStations, 'gnm')
graphicalExtremes::plotDanube(
  clipMap = 1.2,
  graph = g
)
```

plotFlights

Plot flight data

Description

Plotting function to visualize the flight connections from the `flights` dataset. This function requires the package `ggplot2` to be installed.

Usage

```
plotFlights(
  airportIndices = NULL,
  airports_sel = NULL,
  connections_sel = NULL,
  graph = NULL,
```

```

plotAirports = TRUE,
plotConnections = TRUE,
labelAirports = FALSE,
returnGGPlot = FALSE,
useAirportNFlights = FALSE,
useConnectionNFlights = FALSE,
minNFlights = 0,
map = "state",
vertexColors = NULL,
vertexShapes = NULL,
edgeColors = NULL,
xyRatio = NULL,
clipMap = FALSE,
useLatex = FALSE,
edgeAlpha = 0.2
)

```

Arguments

airportIndices	The indices of the airports (w.r.t. airports_sel) to include.
airports_sel	The airports to plot. Might be further subset by arguments airportIndices, graph. If NULL, then <code>flights\$airports</code> will be used.
connections_sel	A three columns data frame as output by <code>flightCountMatrixToConnectionList()</code> . If NULL, then <code>flights\$nFlights</code> will be used to construct one.
graph	An optional <code>igraph::graph</code> object, containing a flight graph to plot. Vertices should either match the selected airports in number and order, or be named with the corresponding IATA codes of the airports they represent.
plotAirports	Logical. Whether to plot the airports specified.
plotConnections	Logical. Whether to plot the connections specified.
labelAirports	Logical. Whether to show the IATA code next to each plotted airport.
returnGGPlot	If TRUE, a <code>ggplot2::ggplot</code> object is returned and not plotted immediately.
useAirportNFlights	Logical. Whether to vary the size of the circles representing airports in the plot, according to the number of flights at that airport.
useConnectionNFlights	Logical. Whether to vary the size of the edges representing connections in the plot, according to the number of flights on that connection.
minNFlights	Numeric scalar. Only plot connections with at least this many flights.
map	String or <code>data.frame</code> or NULL. What map to use as the background image. Strings are passed to <code>ggplot2::map_data()</code> , data frames are assumed to be the output of <code>ggplot2::map_data()</code> .
vertexColors	Optional vector, named with IATA codes, to be used as colors for the vertices/airports.

vertexShapes	Optional vector, named with IATA codes, to be used as shapes for the vertices/airports. Is coerced to character.
edgeColors	Optional vector or symmetric matrix (character or numeric), to be used as colors for edges/connections. If this is a vector, its entries must match the plotted connections (in the order specified in <code>connections_sel</code> or implied by <code>igraph::get.edgelist</code>). If this is a matrix, its row/column names must be IATA codes, or its rows/columns match the plotted airports (in number and order).
xyRatio	Approximate X-Y-ratio (w.r.t. distance on the ground) of the area shown in the plot.
clipMap	Logical or numeric scalar. Whether to ignore the map image when determining the axis limits of the plot. If it is a positive scalar, the plot limits are extended by that factor.
useLatex	Whether to format numbers etc. as latex code (useful when plotting to tikz).
edgeAlpha	Numeric scalar between 0 and 1. The alpha value to be used when plotting edges/connections.

Value

If `returnGGPlot` is TRUE, a `ggplot2::ggplot` object, otherwise NULL.

See Also

[plotDanube](#)

Other flight data related topics: [flightCountMatrixToConnectionList\(\)](#), [flights](#), [getFlightDelayData\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# Plot all airports in the dataset
plotFlights(plotConnections = FALSE, map = 'world')

# Plot a selection of airports
plotFlights(c('JFK', 'SFO', 'LAX'), useConnectionNFlights = TRUE, useAirportNFlights = TRUE)

# Plot airports with a custom connections graph
IATAs <- c('ACV', 'BFL', 'EUG', 'SFO', 'MRY')
graph <- igraph::make_full_graph(length(IATAs))
plotFlights(IATAs, graph=graph, clipMap = 1.5)
```

Description

Simulates exact samples of a multivariate Pareto distribution.

Usage

```
rmpareto(
  n,
  model = c("HR", "logistic", "neglogistic", "dirichlet"),
  d = NULL,
  par
)
```

Arguments

n	Number of simulations.
model	The parametric model type; one of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HR (default), • logistic, • neglogistic, • dirichlet.
d	Dimension of the multivariate Pareto distribution. In some cases this can be NULL and will be inferred from par.
par	Respective parameter for the given model, that is, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Γ, numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix, if model = HR. • $\theta \in (0, 1)$, if model = logistic. • $\theta > 0$, if model = neglogistic. • α, numeric vector of size d with positive entries, if model = dirichlet.

Details

The simulation follows the algorithm in Engelke and Hitz (2020). For details on the parameters of the Huesler-Reiss, logistic and negative logistic distributions see Dombry et al. (2016), and for the Dirichlet distribution see Coles and Tawn (1991).

Value

Numeric $n \times d$ matrix of simulations of the multivariate Pareto distribution.

References

- Coles S, Tawn JA (1991). "Modelling extreme multivariate events." *J. R. Stat. Soc. Ser. B Stat. Methodol.*, **53**, 377–392.
- Dombry C, Engelke S, Oesting M (2016). "Exact simulation of max-stable processes." *Biometrika*, **103**, 303–317.
- Engelke S, Hitz AS (2020). "Graphical models for extremes (with discussion)." *J. R. Stat. Soc. Ser. B Stat. Methodol.*, **82**, 871–932.

See Also

Other sampling functions: [rmpareto_tree\(\)](#), [rmstable_tree\(\)](#), [rmstable\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## A 4-dimensional HR distribution
n <- 10
d <- 4
G <- cbind(
  c(0, 1.5, 1.5, 2),
  c(1.5, 0, 2, 1.5),
  c(1.5, 2, 0, 1.5),
  c(2, 1.5, 1.5, 0)
)

rmpareto(n, "HR", d = d, par = G)

## A 3-dimensional logistic distribution
n <- 10
d <- 3
theta <- .6
rmpareto(n, "logistic", d, par = theta)

## A 5-dimensional negative logistic distribution
n <- 10
d <- 5
theta <- 1.5
rmpareto(n, "neglogistic", d, par = theta)

## A 4-dimensional Dirichlet distribution
n <- 10
d <- 4
alpha <- c(.8, 1, .5, 2)
rmpareto(n, "dirichlet", d, par = alpha)
```

rmpareto_tree

Sampling of a multivariate Pareto distribution on a tree

Description

Simulates exact samples of a multivariate Pareto distribution that is an extremal graphical model on a tree as defined in Engelke and Hitz (2020).

Usage

```
rmpareto_tree(n, model = c("HR", "logistic", "dirichlet")[1], tree, par)
```

Arguments

n	Number of simulations.
model	The parametric model type; one of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HR (default), • logistic, • dirichlet.
tree	Graph object from igraph package. This object must be a tree, i.e., an undirected graph that is connected and has no cycles.
par	Respective parameter for the given model, that is, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Γ, numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix, where only the entries corresponding to the edges of the tree are used, if model = HR. Alternatively, can be a vector of length d-1 containing the entries of the variogram corresponding to the edges of the given tree. • $\theta \in (0, 1)$, vector of length d-1 containing the logistic parameters corresponding to the edges of the given tree, if model = logistic. • a matrix of size $(d - 1) \times 2$, where the rows contain the parameters vectors α of size 2 with positive entries for each of the edges in tree, if model = dirichlet.

Details

The simulation follows the algorithm in Engelke and Hitz (2020). For details on the parameters of the Huesler-Reiss, logistic and negative logistic distributions see Dombry et al. (2016), and for the Dirichlet distribution see Coles and Tawn (1991).

Value

Numeric $n \times d$ matrix of simulations of the multivariate Pareto distribution.

References

- Coles S, Tawn JA (1991). “Modelling extreme multivariate events.” *J. R. Stat. Soc. Ser. B Stat. Methodol.*, **53**, 377–392.
- Dombry C, Engelke S, Oesting M (2016). “Exact simulation of max-stable processes.” *Biometrika*, **103**, 303–317.
- Engelke S, Hitz AS (2020). “Graphical models for extremes (with discussion).” *J. R. Stat. Soc. Ser. B Stat. Methodol.*, **82**, 871–932.

See Also

Other sampling functions: [rmpareto\(\)](#), [rmstable_tree\(\)](#), [rmstable\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## A 4-dimensional HR tree model

my_tree <- igraph::graph_from_adjacency_matrix(rbind(
  c(0, 1, 0, 0),
  c(1, 0, 1, 1),
  c(0, 1, 0, 0),
  c(0, 1, 0, 0)
),
mode = "undirected"
)
n <- 10
Gamma_vec <- c(.5, 1.4, .8)
set.seed(123)
rmpareto_tree(n, "HR", tree = my_tree, par = Gamma_vec)

## A 4-dimensional Dirichlet model with asymmetric edge distributions

alpha <- cbind(c(.2, 1, .5), c(1.5, .6, .8))
rmpareto_tree(n, model = "dirichlet", tree = my_tree, par = alpha)
```

 rmstable

Sampling of a multivariate max-stable distribution

Description

Simulates exact samples of a multivariate max-stable distribution.

Usage

```
rmstable(n, model = c("HR", "logistic", "neglogistic", "dirichlet")[1], d, par)
```

Arguments

n	Number of simulations.
model	The parametric model type; one of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HR (default), • logistic, • neglogistic, • dirichlet.
d	Dimension of the multivariate Pareto distribution.
par	Respective parameter for the given model, that is, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Γ, numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix, if model = HR. • $\theta \in (0, 1)$, if model = logistic. • $\theta > 0$, if model = neglogistic. • α, numeric vector of size d with positive entries, if model = dirichlet.

Details

The simulation follows the extremal function algorithm in Dombry et al. (2016). For details on the parameters of the Huesler-Reiss, logistic and negative logistic distributions see Dombry et al. (2016), and for the Dirichlet distribution see Coles and Tawn (1991).

Value

Numeric $n \times d$ matrix of simulations of the multivariate max-stable distribution.

References

Coles S, Tawn JA (1991). “Modelling extreme multivariate events.” *J. R. Stat. Soc. Ser. B Stat. Methodol.*, **53**, 377–392.

Dombry C, Engelke S, Oesting M (2016). “Exact simulation of max-stable processes.” *Biometrika*, **103**, 303–317.

See Also

Other sampling functions: [rmpareto_tree\(\)](#), [rmpareto\(\)](#), [rmstable_tree\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## A 4-dimensional HR distribution
n <- 10
d <- 4
G <- cbind(
  c(0, 1.5, 1.5, 2),
  c(1.5, 0, 2, 1.5),
  c(1.5, 2, 0, 1.5),
  c(2, 1.5, 1.5, 0)
)

rmstable(n, "HR", d = d, par = G)

## A 3-dimensional logistic distribution
n <- 10
d <- 3
theta <- .6
rmstable(n, "logistic", d, par = theta)

## A 5-dimensional negative logistic distribution
n <- 10
d <- 5
theta <- 1.5
rmstable(n, "neglogistic", d, par = theta)

## A 4-dimensional Dirichlet distribution
n <- 10
d <- 4
alpha <- c(.8, 1, .5, 2)
```

```
rmstable(n, "dirichlet", d, par = alpha)
```

 rmstable_tree

Sampling of a multivariate max-stable distribution on a tree

Description

Simulates exact samples of a multivariate max-stable distribution that is an extremal graphical model on a tree as defined in Engelke and Hitz (2020).

Usage

```
rmstable_tree(n, model = c("HR", "logistic", "dirichlet")[1], tree, par)
```

Arguments

n	Number of simulations.
model	The parametric model type; one of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HR (default), • logistic, • dirichlet.
tree	Graph object from igraph package. This object must be a tree, i.e., an undirected graph that is connected and has no cycles.
par	Respective parameter for the given model, that is, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Γ, numeric $d \times d$ variogram matrix, where only the entries corresponding to the edges of the tree are used, if model = HR. Alternatively, can be a vector of length d-1 containing the entries of the variogram corresponding to the edges of the given tree. • $\theta \in (0, 1)$, vector of length d-1 containing the logistic parameters corresponding to the edges of the given tree, if model = logistic. • a matrix of size $(d - 1) \times 2$, where the rows contain the parameter vectors α of size 2 with positive entries for each of the edges in tree, if model = dirichlet.

Details

The simulation follows a combination of the extremal function algorithm in Dombry et al. (2016) and the theory in Engelke and Hitz (2020) to sample from a single extremal function. For details on the parameters of the Huesler-Reiss, logistic and negative logistic distributions see Dombry et al. (2016), and for the Dirichlet distribution see Coles and Tawn (1991).

Value

Numeric $n \times d$ matrix of simulations of the multivariate max-stable distribution.

References

Coles S, Tawn JA (1991). “Modelling extreme multivariate events.” *J. R. Stat. Soc. Ser. B Stat. Methodol.*, **53**, 377–392.

Dombry C, Engelke S, Oesting M (2016). “Exact simulation of max-stable processes.” *Biometrika*, **103**, 303–317.

Engelke S, Hitz AS (2020). “Graphical models for extremes (with discussion).” *J. R. Stat. Soc. Ser. B Stat. Methodol.*, **82**, 871–932.

See Also

Other sampling functions: `rmpareto_tree()`, `rmpareto()`, `rmstable()`

Examples

```
## A 4-dimensional HR tree model

my_tree <- igraph::graph_from_adjacency_matrix(rbind(
  c(0, 1, 0, 0),
  c(1, 0, 1, 1),
  c(0, 1, 0, 0),
  c(0, 1, 0, 0)
),
mode = "undirected"
)
n <- 10
Gamma_vec <- c(.5, 1.4, .8)
rmstable_tree(n, "HR", tree = my_tree, par = Gamma_vec)

## A 4-dimensional Dirichlet model with asymmetric edge distributions

alpha <- cbind(c(.2, 1, .5), c(1.5, .6, .8))
rmstable_tree(n, model = "dirichlet", tree = my_tree, par = alpha)
```

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