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alcohol   *Alcohol data*

Description

This data set contains physicochemical characteristics of 44 aliphatic alcohols. The aim of the experiment was the prediction of the solubility on the basis of molecular descriptors.

Usage

```
data(alcohol)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Format: 44 cases and 7 continuous variables. The columns are: 1. SAG=solvent accessible surface-bounded molecular volume 2. V=volume 3. log PC (PC=octanol–water partitions coefficient) 4. P=polarizability 5. RM=molar refractivity 6. Mass 7. log(Solubility) (response)

Source

Romanelli, G.P., Martino, C.M. and Castro, E.A. (2001), Modeling the solubility of aliphatic alcohols via molecular descriptors, Journal of the Chemical Society of Pakistan, 23, 195-199.

Examples

```
data(alcohol)
```

`algae`   *Algae data*

Description

Each row of the data set is a set of 90 measurements at a river in some place in Europe. There are 11 predictors. The response is the logarithm of the abundance of a certain class of algae. Description: The columns are: 1. season, categorical (1,2,3,4 for winter, spring, summer and autumn) 2. river size (categorical) (1,2,3 for small, medium and large) 3. fluid velocity (categorical) (1,2,3 for low, medium and high) 4-11 (numerci): content of nitrogen in the form of nitrates, nitrites and ammonia, and other chemical compounds. Col. 12 ia the response: abundance of a type of algae (type 6 in the complete file). For simplicity we deleted the rows with missing values and took the logarithm of the response.

Usage

```
data(algae)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Format 90 rows, 12 columns (3 categorical, 9 numeric)

Source

Hettich, S. and Bay, S.D. (1999), The UCI KDD Archive http://kdd.ics.uci.edu. Irvine, CA: University of California, Department of Information and Computer Science.

References

References go here.

Examples

```
data(algae)
```

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biochem	*Biochem data*

Description

Two biochemical measurements on 12 men with similar weights.

Usage

```
data(biochem)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Format: Numeric, 12 rows, two columns

Source

Seber, G.A.F. (1984), Multivariate Observations. New York: John Wiley.

Examples

```
data(biochem)
```

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bisquare	*Tuning parameter the rho loss functions*

Description

This function computes the tuning constant that yields an MM-regression estimator with a desired asymptotic efficiency when computed with a rho function in the corresponding family. The output of this function can be passed to the functions lmrobdet.control, scaleM and rho.

Usage

```
bisquare(e)
```

Arguments

e	the desired efficiency of the corresponding regression estimator for Gaussian errors

Value

A length-1 vector with the corresponding tuning constant.

Author(s)

Kjell Konis

Examples

```
# Tuning parameters for an 85%-efficient M-estimator at a Gaussian model
bisquare(.85)
```

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breslow.dat   *Breslow Data*

Description

Patients suffering from simple or complex partial seizures were randomized to receive either the antiepileptic drug progabide or a placebo. At each of four successive post randomization clinic visits, the number of seizures occuring over the previous two weeks was reported.

Usage

```
data(breslow.dat)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Description: A data frame with 59 observations on the following 12 variables: `ID`: an integer value specifying the patient identification number; `Y1`: an integer value, the number of seizures during the first two week period; `Y2`: an integer value, the number of seizures during the second two week period; `Y3`: an integer value, the number of seizures during the third two week period. `Y4`: an integer value, the number of seizures during the fourth two week period; `Base`: an integer value giving the eight-week baseline seizure count; `Age`: an integer value giving the age of the parient in years; `Trt`: the treatment: a factor with levels placebo and progabide; `Ysum`: an integer value, the sum of Y1, Y2, Y3 and Y4; `sumY`: an integer value, the sum of Y1, Y2, Y3 and Y4; `Age10`: a numeric value, Age divided by 10; `Base4`: a numeric value, Base divided by 4.

Format: Numeric, 59 rows and 12 columns.

Source

Breslow, N. E., and Clayton, D. G. (1993), "Approximate Inference in Generalized Linear Mixed Models," Journal of the American Statistical Association, Vol. 88, No. 421, pp. 9-25.

Thrall, P. F., and Vail, S. C. (1990), "Some Covariance Models for Longitudinal Count Data With Overdispersion," Biometrics, Vol. 46, pp. 657-671.

Examples

```
data(breslow.dat)
```

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bus	*Bus data*

Description

This data set corresponds to a study in automatic vehicle recognition. Each of the 218 rows corresponds to a view of a bus silhouette, and contains 18 attributes of the image. It was decided to exclude variable 9 and divide the remaining variables by their MADN's.

Usage

```
data(bus)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Description: The following features were extracted from the silhouettes. 1. compactness 2. circularity 3. distance circularity 4. radius ratio 5. principal axis aspect ratio 6. maximum length aspect ratio 7. scatter ratio 8. elongatedness 9. principal axis rectangularity 10. maximum length rectangularity 11. scaled variance along major axis 12. scaled variance along minor axis 13. scaled radius of gyration 14. skewness about major axis 15. skewness about minor axis 16. kurtosis about minor axis 17. kurtosis about major axis 18. hollows ratio

Format: Numeric, 218 rows and 18 columns.

Source

Hettich, S. and Bay, S.D. (1999), The UCI KDD Archive http://kdd.ics.uci.edu. Irvine, CA: University of California, Department of Information and Computer Science.

Examples

```
data(bus)
```

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cov.dcml   *Approximate covariance matrix of the DCML regression estimator.*

Description

The estimated covariance matrix of the DCML regression estimator. This function is used internally and not meant to be used directly.

Usage

```
cov.dcml(res.LS, res.R, CC, sig.R, t0, p, n, control)
```

Arguments

res.LS	vector of residuals from the least squares fit
res.R	vector of residuals from the robust regression fit
CC	estimated covariance matrix of the robust regression estimator
sig.R	robust estimate of the scale of the residuals
t0	mixing parameter
p, n	the dimensions of the problem, needed for the finite sample correction of the tuning constant of the M-scale
control	a list of control parameters as returned by lmrobdet.control

Value

The covariance matrix estimate.

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <victoryohai@gmail.com>

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covClassic   *Classical Covariance Estimation*

Description

Compute an estimate of the covariance/correlation matrix and location vector using classical methods.

Usage

```
covClassic(
  data,
  corr = FALSE,
  center = TRUE,
  distance = TRUE,
  na.action = na.fail,
  unbiased = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	a numeric matrix or data frame containing the data.
corr	a logical flag. If corr = TRUE then the estimated correlation matrix is computed.
center	a logical flag or a numeric vector of length p (where p is the number of columns of x) specifying the center. If center = TRUE then the center is estimated. Otherwise the center is taken to be 0.
distance	a logical flag. If distance = TRUE the Mahalanobis distances are computed.
na.action	a function to filter missing data. The default na.fail produces an error if missing values are present. An alternative is na.omit which deletes observations that contain one or more missing values.
unbiased	a logical flag. If TRUE the unbiased estimator is returned (computed with denominator equal to n-1), else the MLE (computed with denominator equal to n) is returned.

Details

Its main intention is to return an object compatible to that produced by [covRob](), but fit using classical methods.

Value

a list with class "covClassic" containing the following elements:

center	a numeric vector containing the estimate of the location vector.
cov	a numeric matrix containing the estimate of the covariance matrix.
cor	a numeric matrix containing the estimate of the correlation matrix if the argument corr = TRUE. Otherwise it is set to NULL.
dist	a numeric vector containing the squared Mahalanobis distances. Only present if distance = TRUE in the call.
call	an image of the call that produced the object with all the arguments named. The matched call.

Note

Originally, and in S-PLUS, this function was called cov; it has been renamed, as that did mask the function in the standard package **stats**.

Examples

```
data(wine)
round( covClassic(wine)$cov, 2)
```

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covRob   *Robust multivariate location and scatter estimators*

Description

This function computes robust estimators for multivariate location and scatter.

Usage

```
covRob(X, type = "auto", maxit = 50, tol = 1e-04, corr = FALSE)
```

Arguments

X	a data matrix with observations in rows.
type	a string indicating which estimator to compute. Valid options are "Rocke" for Rocke's S-estimator, "MM" for an MM-estimator with a SHR rho function, or "auto" (default) which selects "Rocke" if the number of variables is greater than or equal to 10, and "MM" otherwise.
maxit	Maximum number of iterations, defaults to 50.
tol	Tolerance for convergence, defaults to 1e-4.
corr	A logical value. If TRUE a correlation matrix is included in the element cor of the returned object. Defaults to FALSE.

Details

This function computes robust estimators for multivariate location and scatter. The default behaviour (type = "auto") computes a "Rocke" estimator (as implemented in covRobRocke) if the number of variables is greater than or equal to 10, and an MM-estimator with a SHR rho function (as implemented in covRobMM) otherwise.

Value

A list with class "covClassic" with the following components:

center	The location estimate.
cov	The scatter matrix estimate, scaled for consistency at the normal distribution.
cor	The correlation matrix estimate, if the argument cor equals TRUE. Otherwise it is set to NULL.
dist	Robust Mahalanobis distances
wts	weights

call	an image of the call that produced the object with all the arguments named. The matched call.
mu	The location estimate. Same as `center` above.
V	The scatter matrix estimate, scaled for consistency at the normal distribution. Same as `cov` above.

Author(s)

Ricardo Maronna, <rmaronna@retina.ar>

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

See Also

[covRobRocke](#), [covRobMM](#)

Examples

```
data(bus)
X0 <- as.matrix(bus)
X1 <- X0[,-9]
tmp <- covRob(X1)
round(tmp$cov[1:10, 1:10], 3)
tmp$mu
```

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covRobMM	*MM robust multivariate location and scatter estimator*

Description

This function computes an MM robust estimator for multivariate location and scatter with the "SHR" loss function.

Usage

```
covRobMM(X, maxit = 50, tolpar = 1e-04, corr = FALSE)
```

Arguments

X	a data matrix with observations in rows.
maxit	Maximum number of iterations.
tolpar	Tolerance to decide converngence.
corr	A logical value. If `TRUE` a correlation matrix is included in the element `cor` of the returned object. Defaults to `FALSE`.

Details

This function computes an MM robust estimator for multivariate location and scatter with the "SHR" loss function.

Value

A list with class "covRob" containing the following elements

center	The location estimate.
cov	The scatter matrix estimate, scaled for consistency at the normal distribution. Same as V above.
cor	The correlation matrix estimate, if the argument cor equals TRUE. Otherwise it is set to NULL.
dist	Robust Mahalanobis distances
wts	weights
call	an image of the call that produced the object with all the arguments named. The matched call.
mu	The location estimate. Same as center above.
V	The scatter or correlation matrix estimate, scaled for consistency at the normal distribution

Author(s)

Ricardo Maronna, <rmaronna@retina.ar>

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

Examples

```
data(bus)
X0 <- as.matrix(bus)
X1 <- X0[,-9]
tmp <- covRobMM(X1)
round(tmp$cov[1:10, 1:10], 3)
tmp$mu
```

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covRobRocke   *Rocke's robust multivariate location and scatter estimator*

Description

This function computes Rocke's robust estimator for multivariate location and scatter.

Usage

```
covRobRocke(
  X,
  initial = "K",
  maxsteps = 5,
  propmin = 2,
  qs = 2,
  maxit = 50,
  tol = 1e-04,
  corr = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

X	a data matrix with observations in rows.
initial	A character indicating the initial estimator. Valid options are 'K' (default) for the Pena-Prieto 'KSD' estimate, and 'mve' for the Minimum Volume Ellipsoid.
maxsteps	Maximum number of steps for the line search section of the algorithm.
propmin	Regulates the proportion of weights computed from the initial estimator that will be different from zero. The number of observations with initial non-zero weights will be at least p (the number of columns of X) times propmin.
qs	Tuning paramater for Rocke's loss functions.
maxit	Maximum number of iterations.
tol	Tolerance to decide converngence.
corr	A logical value. If TRUE a correlation matrix is included in the element cor of the returned object. Defaults to FALSE.

Details

This function computes Rocke's robust estimator for multivariate location and scatter.

Value

A list with class "covRob" containing the following elements:

center	The location estimate.
cov	The scatter matrix estimate, scaled for consistency at the normal distribution.

cor	The correlation matrix estimate, if the argument cor equals TRUE. Otherwise it is set to NULL.
dist	Robust Mahalanobis distances.
wts	weights
call	an image of the call that produced the object with all the arguments named. The matched call.
mu	The location estimate. Same as center above.
V	The scatter (or correlation) matrix estimate, scaled for consistency at the normal distribution. Same as cov above.
sig	sig
gamma	Final value of the constant gamma that regulates the efficiency.

Author(s)

Ricardo Maronna, <rmaronna@retina.ar>

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

Examples

```
data(bus)
X0 <- as.matrix(bus)
X1 <- X0[,-9]
tmp <- covRobRocke(X1)
round(tmp$cov[1:10, 1:10], 3)
tmp$mu
```

DCML   *DCML regression estimator*

Description

This function computes the DCML regression estimator. This function is used internally by lmrobdetDCML, and not meant to be used directly.

Usage

```
DCML(x, y, z, z0, control)
```

Arguments

x	design matrix
y	response vector
z	robust fit as returned by MMPY or SMPY
z0	least squares fit as returned by lm.fit
control	a list of control parameters as returned by lmrobdet.control

Value

a list with the following components

coefficients	the vector of regression coefficients
cov	the estimated covariance matrix of the DCML regression estimator
residuals	the vector of regression residuals from the DCML fit
scale	a robust residual (M-)scale estimate
t0	the mixing proportion between the least squares and robust regression estimators

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <victoryohai@gmail.com>, Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

See Also

DCML, MMPY, SMPY

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drop1.lmrobdetMM   *RFPE of submodels of an* lmrobdetMM *fit*

Description

This function computes the RFPE for the MM-estimators obtained with lmrobdetMM by recomputing it, successively removing each of a number of specified terms. It is used internally by step.lmrobdetMM and not meant to be used directly.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'lmrobdetMM'
drop1(object, scope, scale, keep, ...)
```

Arguments

object	the MM element (of class lmrob) in an object of class [lmrobdetMM]().
scope	an optional formula giving the terms to be considered for dropping. Typically this argument is omitted, in which case all possible terms are dropped (without breaking hierarchy rules). The scope can also be a character vector of term labels. If the argument is supplied as a formula, any . is interpreted relative to the formula implied by the object argument.
scale	an optional residual scale estimate. If missing the residual scale estimate in object is used.
keep	a character vector of names of components that should be saved for each subset model. Only names from the set "coefficients", "fitted" and "residuals" are allowed. If keep == TRUE, the complete set is saved. The default behavior is not to keep anything.
...	additional parameters to match generic method drop1

Value

An anova object consisting of the term labels, the degrees of freedom, and Robust Final Prediction Errors (RFPE) for each subset model. If keep is missing, the anova object is returned. If keep is present, a list with components "anova" and "keep" is returned. In this case, the "keep" component is a matrix of mode "list", with a column for each subset model, and a row for each component kept.

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <victoryohai@gmail.com>, Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

See Also

[lmrobdetMM]()

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fastmve	*Minimum Volume Ellipsoid covariance estimator*

Description

This function uses a fast algorithm to compute the Minimum Volume Ellipsoid (MVE) for multivariate location and scatter.

Usage

```
fastmve(x, nsamp = 500)
```

Arguments

x	data matrix (n x p) with cases stored in rows.
nsamp	number of random starts for the iterative algorithm, these are constructed using subsamples of the data.

Details

This function computes the Minimum Volume Ellipsoid (MVE) for multivariate location and scatter, using a fast algorithm related to the fast algorithm for S-regression estimators (see lmrob).

Value

A list with the following components:

center	a vector with the robust multivariate location estimate
cov	a matrix with the robust covariance / scatter matrix estimate
scale	A scalar that equals the median of the mahalanobis distances of the data to the center, multiplied by the determinant of the covariance matrix to the power 1/p
best	Indices of the observations that correspond to the MVE estimator
nsamp	Number of random starts used for the iterative algorithm
nsing	Number of random subsamples (among the nsamp attempted) that failed (resulting in singular initial values)

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

Examples

```
data(bus)
X0 <- as.matrix(bus)
X1 <- X0[,-9]
tmp <- fastmve(X1)
round(tmp$cov[1:10, 1:10], 3)
tmp$center
```

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flour   *Flour data*

Description

Determinations of the copper content in wholemeal flour (in parts per million), sorted in ascending order. Format: numeric vector of size 24.

Usage

```
data(flour)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Source

Analytical Methods Committee (1989), Robust statistics-How not to reject outliers, Analyst, 114, 1693-1702.

References

References go here.

Examples

```
data(flour)
```

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glass   *Glass data*

Description

Measurements of the presence of seven chemical constituents in 76 pieces of glass from nonfloat car windows.

Usage

```
data(glass)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Format: 76 cases and 7 continuous variables. Description: The columns are: 1. RI refractive index 2. Na2O sodium oxide (unit measurement: weight percent in corresponding oxide, as are the rest of attributes) 3. MgO magnesium oxide 4. Al2O3 aluminum oxide 5. SiO2 silcon oxide 6. K2O potassium oxide 7. CaO calcium oxide

Source

Hettich, S. and Bay, S.D. (1999), The UCI KDD Archive http://kdd.ics.uci.edu, Irvine, CA: University of California, Department of Information and Computer Science.

Examples

```
data(glass)
```

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hearing   *Hearing data*

Description

Prevalence rates in percent for men aged 55–64 with hearing levels 16 decibels or more above the audiometric zero.

Usage

```
data(hearing)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Format: Two-way ANOVA. Description: The rows correspond to different frequencies and to normal speech. 1. 500 hertz 2. 1000 hertz 3. 2000 hertz 4. 3000 hertz 5. 4000 hertz 6. 6000 hertz 7. Normal speech The columns classify the data in seven occupational groups: 1. professional–managerial 2. farm 3. clerical sales 4. craftsmen 5. operatives 6. service 7. laborers

Source

Roberts, J. and Cohrssen, J. (1968), Hearing levels of adults, US National Center for Health Statistics Publications, Series 11, No. 31

Examples

```
data(hearing)
```

---

huber   *Tuning parameter the rho loss functions*

Description

This function computes the tuning constant that yields an MM-regression estimator with a desired asymptotic efficiency when computed with a rho function in the corresponding family. The output of this function can be passed to the functions lmrobdet.control, scaleM and rho.

Usage

```
huber(e)
```

Arguments

e   the desired efficiency of the corresponding regression estimator for Gaussian errors

Value

A length-1 vector with the corresponding tuning constant.

Author(s)

Kjell Konis

Examples

```
# Tuning parameters for an 85%-efficient M-estimator at a Gaussian model
huber(.95)
```

---

image   *Image data*

Description

These data are part of a synthetic aperture satellite radar image corresponding to a suburb of Munich, and contain the values corresponding to three frequency bands for each of 1573 pixels of a radar image.

Usage

```
data(image)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Format: 1573 cases and 3 variables.

Source

Source: Frery, A. (2005), Personal communication.

Examples

```
data(image)
```

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initPP   *Robust multivariate location and scatter estimators*

Description

This function computes robust multivariate location and scatter estimators using both random and deterministic starting points.

Usage

```
initPP(X, muldirand = 20, muldifix = 10, dirmin = 1000)
```

Arguments

X	a data matrix with observations in rows.
muldirand	used to determine the number of random directions (candidates), which is max(p*muldirand, dirmin), where p is the number of columns in X.
muldifix	used to determine the number of random directions (candidates), which is min(n, 2*muldifix*p).
dirmin	minimum number of random directions

Details

This function computes robust multivariate location and scatter using both Pen~a-Prieto and random candidates.

Value

A list with the following components:

idx	A zero/one vector with ones in the positions of the suspected outliers
disma	Robust squared Mahalanobis distances
center	Robust mean estimate
cova	Robust covariance matrix estimate
t	Outlyingness of data points

Author(s)

Ricardo Maronna, <rmaronna@retina.ar>, based on original code by D. Pen~a and J. Prieto

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

Examples

```
data(bus)
X0 <- as.matrix(bus)
X1 <- X0[,-9]
tmp <- initPP(X1)
round(tmp$cov[1:10, 1:10], 3)
tmp$center
```

INVTR2   *Robust R^2 coefficient of determination*

Description

This function computes a robust version of the R^2 coefficient of determination. It is used internally by [lmrobdetMM](#), and not meant to be used directly.

Usage

```
INVTR2(RR2, family, cc)
```

Arguments

RR2	the proportional difference in loss functions (a naive robust R^2 coefficient).
family	family string specifying the name of the family of loss function to be used (current valid options are "bisquare", "opt" and "mopt").
cc	tuning parameters to be computed according to efficiency and / or breakdown considerations. See [lmrobdet.control](#), [bisquare](#), [mopt](#) and [opt](#).

Details

This function computes a robust version of the R^2 coefficient. It is used internally by `lmrobdetMM`, and not meant to be used directly.

Value

An unbiased version of the robust R^2 coefficient of determination.

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <victoryohai@gmail.com>

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

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leuk.dat   *Leukemia Data*

Description

Records for 33 leukemia patients.

Usage

```
data(leuk.dat)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Description: The following features are present: `wbc`: white blood cell count; `ag`: presence or absence of a certain morphological characteristic in the white cells; and y: binary response variable, equals 1 if the patient survives more than 52 weeks, 0 otherwise.

Format: Numeric, 33 rows and 3 columns.

Source

Cook, R.D. and Weisberg, S. (1982). Residuals and Influence in Regression, Chapman and Hall; Johnson, W. (1985), Influence measures for logistic regression: another point of view, Biometrika, 72, 59-65.

Examples

```
data(leuk.dat)
```

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lmrobdet.control   *Tuning parameters for lmrobdetMM and lmrobdetDCML*

Description

This function sets tuning parameters for the MM estimator implemented in `lmrobdetMM` and the
Distance Constrained Maximum Likelihood regression estimators computed by `lmrobdetDCML`.

Usage

```
lmrobdet.control(
  bb = 0.5,
  efficiency = 0.95,
  family = "mopt",
  tuning.psi,
  tuning.chi,
  compute.rd = FALSE,
  corr.b = TRUE,
  split.type = "f",
  initial = "S",
  max.it = 100,
  refine.tol = 1e-07,
  rel.tol = 1e-07,
  refine.S.py = 1e-07,
  refine.PY = 10,
  solve.tol = 1e-07,
  trace.lev = 0,
  psc_keep = 0.5,
  resid_keep_method = "threshold",
  resid_keep_thresh = 2,
  resid_keep_prop = 0.2,
  py_maxit = 20,
  py_eps = 1e-05,
  mscale_maxit = 50,
  mscale_tol = 1e-06,
  mscale_rho_fun = "bisquare"
)
```

Arguments

bb   tuning constant (between 0 and 1/2) for the M-scale used to compute the initial
              S-estimator. It determines the robusness (breakdown point) of the resulting MM-
              estimator, which is bb. Defaults to 0.5.

efficiency   desired asymptotic efficiency of the final regression M-estimator. Defaults to
              0.95.

family	string specifying the name of the family of loss function to be used (current valid options are "bisquare", "opt" and "mopt"). Incomplete entries will be matched to the current valid options. Defaults to "mopt".
tuning.psi	tuning parameters for the regression M-estimator computed with a rho function as specified with argument family. If missing, it is computed inside lmrobdet.control to match the value of efficiency according to the family of rho functions specified in family. Appropriate values for tuning.psi for a given desired efficiency for Gaussian errors can be constructed using the functions bisquare, mopt and opt.
tuning.chi	tuning constant for the function used to compute the M-scale used for the initial S-estimator. If missing, it is computed inside lmrobdet.control to match the value of bb according to the family of rho functions specified in family.
compute.rd	logical value indicating whether robust leverage distances need to be computed.
corr.b	logical value indicating whether a finite-sample correction should be applied to the M-scale parameter bb.
split.type	determines how categorical and continuous variables are split. See splitFrame.
initial	string specifying the initial value for the M-step of the MM-estimator. Valid options are 'S', for an S-estimator and 'MS' for an M-S estimator which is appropriate when there are categorical explanatory variables in the model.
max.it	maximum number of IRWLS iterations for the MM-estimator
refine.tol	relative convergence tolerance for the S-estimator
rel.tol	relative convergence tolerance for the IRWLS iterations for the MM-estimator
refine.S.py	relative convergence tolerance for the local improvements of the Pena-Yohai candidates for the S-estimator
refine.PY	number of refinement steps for the Pen~a-Yohai candidates
solve.tol	(for the S algorithm): relative tolerance for matrix inversion. Hence, this corresponds to solve.default's tol.
trace.lev	positive values (increasingly) provide details on the progress of the MM-algorithm
psc_keep	For pyinit, proportion of observations to remove based on PSCs. The effective proportion of removed observations is adjusted according to the sample size to be prosac*(1-p/n). See pyinit.
resid_keep_method	
	For pyinit, how to clean the data based on large residuals. If "threshold", all observations with scaled residuals larger than C.res will be removed, if "proportion", observations with the largest prop residuals will be removed. See pyinit.
resid_keep_thresh	
	See parameter resid_keep_method above. See pyinit.
resid_keep_prop	
	See parameter resid_keep_method above. See pyinit.
py_maxit	Maximum number of iterations. See pyinit.
py_eps	Relative tolerance for convergence. See pyinit.

mscale_maxit   Maximum number of iterations for the M-scale algorithm. See pyinit and
                [scaleM](#).

mscale_tol   Convergence tolerance for the M-scale algorithm. See [scaleM](#).

mscale_rho_fun String indicating the loss function used for the M-scale. See pyinit.

Details

The argument family specifies the name of the family of loss function to be used. Current valid
options are "bisquare", "opt", "mopt", "optV0" and "moptV0". "mopt" is a modified version of the
optimal psi function to make it strictly increasing close to 0, and to make the corresponding weight
function non-increasing.

Value

A list with the necessary tuning parameters.

Choice of Rho Loss Function

As of RobStatTM Versopm 1.0.7, the opt and mopt rhos functions are calculated using polynomials,
rather than using the standard normal error function (erf) as in versions of RobStatTM prior to 1.0.7.
The numerical results one now gets with the opt or mopt choices will differ by small amounts from
those in earlier RobStatTM versions. Users who wish to replicate results from releases prior to
1.0.7 may do so using the family arguments family = "optV0" or family = "moptV0". Note that
the derivative of the rho loss function, known as the "psi" function, is not the derivative of the rho
polynomial,instead it is still the analytic optimal psi function whose formula is given in the second
of the Vignettes referenced just below.

Related Vignettes

For further details, see the Vignettes "Polynomial Opt and mOpt Rho Functions", and "Optimal
Bias Robust Regression Psi and Rho".

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

See Also

[scaleM](#).

Examples

```
data(coleman, package='robustbase')
m2 <- lmrobdetMM(Y ~ ., data=coleman, control=lmrobdet.control(refine.PY=50))
m2
summary(m2)
```

---

lmrobdetDCML	*Robust Distance Constrained Maximum Likelihood estimators for linear regression*

Description

This function computes robust Distance Constrained Maximum Likelihood estimators for linear models.

Usage

```
lmrobdetDCML(
  formula,
  data,
  subset,
  weights,
  na.action,
  model = TRUE,
  x = !control$compute.rd,
  y = FALSE,
  singular.ok = TRUE,
  contrasts = NULL,
  offset = NULL,
  control = lmrobdet.control()
)
```

Arguments

formula	a symbolic description of the model to be fit.
data	an optional data frame, list or environment containing the variables in the model. If not found in data, model variables are taken from environment(formula), which usually is the root environment of the current R session.
subset	an optional vector specifying a subset of observations to be used.
weights	an optional vector of weights to be used in the fitting process.
na.action	a function to indicates what should happen when the data contain NAs. The default is set by the [na.action](#) setting of [options](#), and is na.fail if that is unset.
model	logical value indicating whether to return the model frame
x	logical value indicating whether to return the model matrix
y	logical value indicating whether to return the vector of responses
singular.ok	logical value. If FALSE a singular fit produces an error.
contrasts	an optional list. See the contrasts.arg of [model.matrix.default](#).
offset	this can be used to specify an a priori known component to be included in the linear predictor during fitting. An offset term can be included in the formula instead or as well, and if both are specified their sum is used.
control	a list specifying control parameters as returned by the function [lmrobdet.control](#).

Details

This function computes Distance Constrained Maximum Likelihood regression estimators computed using an MM-regression estimator based on Pen~a-Yohai candidates (instead of subsampling ones). This function makes use of the functions `lmrob.fit`, `lmrob..M..fit`, `.vcov.avar1`, `lmrob.S` and `lmrob.lar`, from robustbase, along with utility functions used by these functions, modified so as to include use of the analytic form of the optimal psi and rho functions (for the optimal psi function , see Section 5.8.1 of Maronna, Martin, Yohai and Salibian Barrera, 2019)

Value

A list with the following components:

coefficients	The estimated vector of regression coefficients
scale	The estimated scale of the residuals
residuals	The vector of residuals associated with the robust fit
converged	Logical value indicating whether IRWLS iterations for the MM-estimator have converged
iter	Number of IRWLS iterations for the MM-estimator
rweightsMM	Robustness weights for the MM-estimator
fitted.values	Fitted values associated with the robust fit
rank	Numeric rank of the fitted linear model
cov	The estimated covariance matrix of the regression estimates
df.residual	The residual degrees of freedom
contrasts	(only where relevant) the contrasts used
xlevels	(only where relevant) a record of the levels of the factors used in fitting
call	the matched call
model	if requested, the model frame used
x	if requested, the model matrix used
y	if requested, the response vector used
na.action	(where relevant) information returned by model.frame on the special handling of NAs

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>, based on `lmrob`

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

See Also

DCML, MMPY, SMPY

Examples

```
data(coleman, package='robustbase')
m1 <- lmrobdetDCML(Y ~ ., data=coleman)
m1
summary(m1)
```

---

lmrobdetLinTest   *Robust likelihood ratio test for linear hypotheses*

Description

This function computes a robust likelihood ratio test for linear hypotheses.

Usage

```
lmrobdetLinTest(object1, object2)
```

Arguments

object1	an `lmrobdetMM` or `lmrobM` object with the fit corresponding to the complete model
object2	an `lmrobdetMM` or `lmrobM` object with the fit corresponding to the model restricted under the null linear hypothesis.

Value

A list with the following components: c("test","chisq.pvalue","f.pvalue","df")

test	The value of the F-statistic
f.pvalue	p-value based on the F distribution
chisq.pvalue	p-value based on the chi-squared distribution
df	degrees of freedom

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <vyohai@gmail.com>

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

Examples

```
data(oats)
cont <- lmrobdet.control(bb = 0.5, efficiency = 0.85, family = "bisquare")
oats1M <- lmrobM(response1 ~ variety+block, control=cont, data=oats)
oats1M_var <- lmrobM(response1 ~ block, control=cont, data=oats)
( anov1M_var <- rob.linear.test(oats1M, oats1M_var) )
```

---

lmrobdetMM   *Robust Linear Regression Estimators*

Description

This function computes an MM-regression estimators for linear models using deterministic starting
points.

Usage

```
lmrobdetMM(
  formula,
  data,
  subset,
  weights,
  na.action,
  model = TRUE,
  x = !control$compute.rd,
  y = FALSE,
  singular.ok = TRUE,
  contrasts = NULL,
  offset = NULL,
  control = lmrobdet.control()
)
```

Arguments

formula	a symbolic description of the model to be fit.
data	an optional data frame, list or environment containing the variables in the model. If not found in `data`, model variables are taken from `environment(formula)`, which usually is the root environment of the current R session.
subset	an optional vector specifying a subset of observations to be used.
weights	an optional vector of weights to be used in the fitting process.
na.action	a function to indicates what should happen when the data contain NAs. The default is set by the na.action setting of options, and is na.fail if that is unset.
model	logical value indicating whether to return the model frame
x	logical value indicating whether to return the model matrix

y	logical value indicating whether to return the vector of responses
singular.ok	logical value. If FALSE a singular fit produces an error.
contrasts	an optional list. See the contrasts.arg of [model.matrix.default](#).
offset	this can be used to specify an a priori known component to be included in the linear predictor during fitting. An offset term can be included in the formula instead or as well, and if both are specified their sum is used.
control	a list specifying control parameters as returned by the function [lmrobdet.control](#).

Details

This function computes MM-regression estimators computed using Pen~a-Yohai candidates (instead of subsampling ones). This function makes use of the functions lmrob.fit, lmrob..M..fit, .vcov.avar1, lmrob.S and lmrob.lar, from robustbase, along with utility functions used by these functions, modified so as to include use of the analytic form of the optimal psi and rho functions (for the optimal psi function , see Section 5.8.1 of Maronna, Martin, Yohai and Salibian Barrera, 2019).

Value

A list with the following components:

coefficients	The estimated vector of regression coefficients
scale	The robust residual M-scale estimate using the final residuals from the converged iterated weighted least square (IRWLS) algorithm final estimate
residuals	The vector of residuals associated with the robust fit
loss	Value of the objective function at the final MM-estimator
converged	Logical value indicating whether IRWLS iterations for the MM-estimator have converged
iter	Number of IRWLS iterations for the MM-estimator
rweights	Robustness weights for the MM-estimator
fitted.values	Fitted values associated with the robust fit
rank	Numeric rank of the fitted linear model
cov	The estimated covariance matrix of the regression estimates
df.residual	The residual degrees of freedom
degree.freedom	The residual degrees of freedom
scale.S	Minimum robust scale associated with the preliminary highly robust but inefficient S-estimator.
r.squared	The robust multiple correlation coefficient
adj.r.squared	The adjusted robust multiple correlation coefficient taking into account the degrees of freedom of each term
contrasts	(only where relevant) the contrasts used
xlevels	(only where relevant) a record of the levels of the factors used in fitting
call	the matched call

model	if requested, the model frame used
x	if requested, the model matrix used
y	if requested, the response vector used
terms	The terms object used.
iters.py	The number of refinement iterations for each Pena-Yohai candidate for the S-estimator.
iters.const	The number of refinement iterations used to compute the estimator without covariates (to calculate the robust R^2).
assign	Used to separate continuous from categorical columns in the design matrix
na.action	(where relevant) information returned by model.frame on the special handling of NAs

Choice of Rho Loss Function

This is done by the user choice of family = "opt" or family = "mopt" in the function lmrobdet.control. As of RobStatTM Versopm 1.0.7, the opt and mopt rhos functions are calculated using polynomials, rather than using the standard normal error function (erf) as in versions of RobStatTM prior to 1.0.7. The numerical results one now gets with the opt or mopt choices will differ by small amounts from those in earlier RobStatTM versions. Users who wish to replicate results from releases prior to 1.0.7 may do so using the family arguments family = "optV0" or family = "moptV0". Note that the derivative of the rho loss function, known as the "psi" function, is not the derivative of the rho polynomial, instead it is still the optimal psi function referred to above.

Related Vignettes

For further details, see the Vignettes "Polynomial Opt and mOpt Rho Functions", and "Optimal Bias Robust Regression Psi and Rho".

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>, based on lmrob from package robustbase

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

See Also

DCML, MMPY, SMPY

Examples

```
data(coleman, package='robustbase')
m2 <- lmrobdetMM(Y ~ ., data=coleman)
m2
summary(m2)
```

---

lmrobdetMM.RFPE *Robust Final Prediction Error*

Description

This function computes the robust Final Prediction Errors (RFPE) for a robust regression fit using M-estimates.

Usage

```
lmrobdetMM.RFPE(object, scale = NULL, bothVals = FALSE)
```

Arguments

object   an object of class `lmrobdetMM` or `lmrobM`.

scale   a numeric value specifying the scale estimate used to compute the RFPE. Usually this should be the scale estimate from an encompassing model. If `NULL`, the scale estimate in `object` is used.

bothVals   a logical value: if `TRUE` the function returns the two terms of the RFPE expression separately (equation (5.39) in the reference book); otherwise, the value of RFPE is returned.

Value

If the argument `bothVals` is `FALSE`, the robust final prediction error (numeric). Otherwise, the two terms of the RFPE expression in equation (5.39), Section 5.6.2 of Maronna et al. (2019), <http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>, are returned separately in a list with components named `minRhoMM.C` and `penaltyRFPE`

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <victoryohai@gmail.com>, Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

See Also

[lmrobdetMM](#)

Examples

```
data(coleman, package='robustbase')
m2 <- lmrobdetMM(Y ~ ., data=coleman)
lmrobdetMM.RFPE(m2)
```

lmrobM   *Robust estimators for linear regression with fixed designs*

Description

This function computes a robust regression estimator for a linear models with fixed designs.

Usage

```
lmrobM(
  formula,
  data,
  subset,
  weights,
  na.action,
  model = TRUE,
  x = FALSE,
  y = FALSE,
  singular.ok = TRUE,
  contrasts = NULL,
  offset = NULL,
  control = lmrobM.control()
)
```

Arguments

formula	a symbolic description of the model to be fit.
data	an optional data frame, list or environment containing the variables in the model. If not found in data, model variables are taken from environment(formula), which usually is the root environment of the current R session.
subset	an optional vector specifying a subset of observations to be used.
weights	an optional vector of weights to be used in the fitting process.
na.action	a function to indicates what should happen when the data contain NAs. The default is set by the na.action setting of options, and is na.fail if that is unset.
model	logical value indicating whether to return the model frame
x	logical value indicating whether to return the model matrix
y	logical value indicating whether to return the vector of responses
singular.ok	logical value. If FALSE a singular fit produces an error.
contrasts	an optional list. See the contrasts.arg of model.matrix.default.
offset	this can be used to specify an a priori known component to be included in the linear predictor during fitting. An offset term can be included in the formula instead or as well, and if both are specified their sum is used.
control	a list specifying control parameters as returned by the function lmrobM.control.

Details

This function computes robust regression estimators for linear models with fixed designs. It computes an L1 estimator, and uses it as a starting point to find a minimum of a re-descending M estimator. The scale is set to a quantile of the absolute residuals from the L1 estimator. This function makes use of the functions `lmrob.fit`, `lmrob..M..fit`, `.vcov.avar1`, `lmrob.S` and `lmrob.lar`, from robustbase, along with utility functions used by these functions, modified so as to include use of the analytic form of the optimal psi and rho functions (for the optimal psi function , see Section 5.8.1 of Maronna, Martin, Yohai and Salibian Barrera, 2019)

Value

A list with the following components:

coefficients	The estimated vector of regression coefficients
scale	The estimated scale of the residuals
residuals	The vector of residuals associated with the robust fit
converged	Logical value indicating whether IRWLS iterations for the MM-estimator have converged
iter	Number of IRWLS iterations for the MM-estimator
rweights	Robustness weights for the MM-estimator
fitted.values	Fitted values associated with the robust fit
rank	Numeric rank of the fitted linear model
cov	The estimated covariance matrix of the regression estimates
df.residual	The residual degrees of freedom
contrasts	(only where relevant) the contrasts used
xlevels	(only where relevant) a record of the levels of the factors used in fitting
call	the matched call
model	if requested, the model frame used
x	if requested, the model matrix used
y	if requested, the response vector used
na.action	(where relevant) information returned by model.frame on the special handling of NAs

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <vyohai@gmail.com>, based on `lmrob`

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

Examples

```
data(shock)
cont <- lmrobM.control(bb = 0.5, efficiency = 0.85, family = "bisquare")
shockrob <- lmrobM(time ~ n.shocks, data = shock, control=cont)
shockrob
summary(shockrob)
```

---

lmrobM.control   *Tuning parameters for lmrobM*

Description

This function sets tuning parameters for the M estimators of regression implemented in `lmrobM`.

Usage

```
lmrobM.control(
  bb = 0.5,
  efficiency = 0.99,
  family = "opt",
  tuning.chi,
  tuning.psi,
  max.it = 100,
  rel.tol = 1e-07,
  mscale_tol = 1e-06,
  mscale_maxit = 50,
  trace.lev = 0
)
```

Arguments

bb	tuning constant (between 0 and 1/2) for the M-scale used to compute the residual scale estimator. Defaults to 0.5.
efficiency	desired asymptotic efficiency of the final regression M-estimator. Defaults to 0.85.
family	string specifying the name of the family of loss function to be used (current valid options are "bisquare", "opt" and "mopt"). Incomplete entries will be matched to the current valid options.
tuning.chi	tuning constant for the function used to compute the M-scale used for the residual scale estimator. If missing, it is computed inside lmrobdet.control to match the value of bb according to the family of rho functions specified in `family`.

tuning.psi	tuning parameters for the regression M-estimator computed with a rho function as specified with argument `family`. If missing, it is computed inside `lmrobdet.control` to match the value of `efficiency` according to the family of rho functions specified in `family`. Appropriate values for `tuning.psi` for a given desired efficiency for Gaussian errors can be constructed using the functions [bisquare], [mopt] and [opt].
max.it	maximum number of IRWLS iterations for the M-estimator
rel.tol	relative covergence tolerance for the IRWLS iterations for the M-estimator
mscale_tol	Convergence tolerance for the M-scale algorithm. See [scaleM].
mscale_maxit	Maximum number of iterations for the M-scale algorithm. See [scaleM].
trace.lev	positive values (increasingly) provide details on the progress of the M-algorithm

Value

A list with the necessary tuning parameters.

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

Examples

```
data(coleman, package='robustbase')
m2 <- lmrobM(Y ~ ., data=coleman, control=lmrobM.control())
m2
summary(m2)
```

---

locScaleM   *Robust univariate location and scale M-estimators*

Description

This function computes M-estimators for location and scale.

Usage

```
locScaleM(x, psi = "mopt", eff = 0.95, maxit = 50, tol = 1e-04, na.rm = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	a vector of univariate observations
psi	a string indicating which score function to use. Valid options are "bisquare", "huber", "opt" and "mopt".
eff	desired asymptotic efficiency. Valid options are 0.85, 0.9 and 0.95 (default) when psi = "bisquare" or "huber", and 0.85, 0.9, 0.95 (default) and 0.99 when psi = "opt" or "mopt".

maxit	maximum number of iterations allowed.
tol	tolerance to decide convergence of the iterative algorithm.
na.rm	a logical value indicating whether NA values should be stripped before the computation proceeds. Defaults to FALSE

Details

This function computes M-estimators for location and scale.

Value

A list with the following components:

mu	The location estimate
std.mu	Estimated standard deviation of the location estimator mu
disper	M-scale/dispersion estimate

Author(s)

Ricardo Maronna, <rmaronna@retina.ar>

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

Examples

```
set.seed(123)
r <- rnorm(150, sd=1.5)
locScaleM(r)
# 10% of outliers, sd of good points is 1.5
set.seed(123)
r2 <- c(rnorm(135, sd=1.5), rnorm(15, mean=-10, sd=.5))
locScaleM(r2)
```

---

logregBY   *Bianco and Yohai estimator for logistic regression*

Description

This function computes the M-estimator proposed by Bianco and Yohai for logistic regression. By default, an intercept term is included and p parameters are estimated. Modified by Yohai (2018) to take as initial estimator a weighted ML estimator with weights derived from the MCD estimator. For more details we refer to Croux, C., and Haesbroeck, G. (2002), "Implementing the Bianco and Yohai estimator for Logistic Regression"

Usage

```
logregBY(x0, y, intercept = 1, const = 0.5, kmax = 1000, maxhalf = 10)
```

Arguments

x0	matrix of explanatory variables;
y	vector of binomial responses (0 or 1);
intercept	1 or 0 indicating if an intercept is included or or not
const	tuning constant used in the computation of the estimator (default=0.5);
kmax	maximum number of iterations before convergence (default=1000);
maxhalf	max number of step-halving (default=10).

Value

A list with the following components:

coefficients	estimates for the regression coefficients
standard.deviation	
	standard deviations of the coefficients
fitted.values	fitted values
residual.deviances	
	residual deviances
components	logical value indicating whether convergence was achieved
objective	value of the objective function at the minimum

Author(s)

Christophe Croux, Gentiane Haesbroeck, Victor Yohai

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

Examples

```
data(skin)
Xskin <- as.matrix( skin[, 1:2] )
yskin <- skin$vasoconst
skinBY <- logregBY(Xskin, yskin, intercept=1)
skinBY$coeff
skinBY$standard.deviation
```

---

logregWBY   *Bianco and Yohai estimator for logistic regression*

Description

This function computes the weighted M-estimator of Bianco and Yohai in logistic regression. By default, an intercept term is included and p parameters are estimated. Modified by Yohai (2018) to take as initial estimator a weighted ML estimator computed with weights derived from the MCD estimator of the continuous explanatory variables. The same weights are used to compute the final weighted M-estimator. For more details we refer to Croux, C., and Haesbroeck, G. (2002), "Implementing the Bianco and Yohai estimator for Logistic Regression"

Usage

```
logregWBY(x0, y, intercept = 1, const = 0.5, kmax = 1000, maxhalf = 10)
```

Arguments

x0	matrix of explanatory variables;
y	vector of binomial responses (0 or 1);
intercept	1 or 0 indicating if an intercept is included or or not
const	tuning constant used in the computation of the estimator (default=0.5);
kmax	maximum number of iterations before convergence (default=1000);
maxhalf	max number of step-halving (default=10).

Value

A list with the following components:

coefficients	estimates for the regression coefficients
standard.deviation	
	standard deviations of the coefficients
fitted.values	fitted values
residual.deviances	
	residual deviances
components	logical value indicating whether convergence was achieved
objective	value of the objective function at the minimum

Author(s)

Christophe Croux, Gentiane Haesbroeck, Victor Yohai

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

Examples

```
data(skin)
Xskin <- as.matrix( skin[, 1:2] )
yskin <- skin$vasoconst
skinWBY <- logregWBY(Xskin, yskin, intercept=1)
skinWBY$coeff
skinWBY$standard.deviation
```

---

logregWML   *Weighted likelihood estimator for the logistic model*

Description

This function computes a weighted likelihood estimator for the logistic model, where the weights penalize high leverage observations. In this version the weights are zero or one.

Usage

```
logregWML(x0, y, intercept = 1)
```

Arguments

x0   p x n matrix of explanatory variables, p is the number of explanatory variables, n is the number of observations

y   response vector

intercept   1 or 0 indicating if an intercept is included or or not

Value

A list with the following components:

coefficients   vector of regression coefficients

standard.deviation
                 standard deviations of the regression coefficient estimators

fitted.values   vector with the probabilities of success

residual.deviances
                 residual deviances

cov   covariance matrix of the regression estimates

objective   value of the objective function at the minimum

xweights   vector of zeros and ones used to compute the weighted maimum likelihood estimator

Author(s)

Victor Yohai

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

Examples

```
data(skin)
Xskin <- as.matrix( skin[, 1:2] )
yskin <- skin$vasoconst
skinWML <- logregWML(Xskin, yskin, intercept=1)
skinWML$coeff
skinWML$standard.deviation
```

---

mineral   *Mineral data*

Description

Contents (in parts per million) of 22 chemical elements in 53 samples of rocks in Western Australia.
Two columns (8 and 9) were selected for use in this book.

Usage

```
data(mineral)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Format: Numeric with 53 rows and 2 columns:

Source

Smith, R.E., Campbell, N.A. and Lichfield, A. (1984), Multivariate statistical techniques applied to
pisolitic laterite geochemistry at Golden Grove, Western Australia, Journal of Geochemical Exploration, 22, 193-216.

Examples

```
data(mineral)
```

MMPY

MM regression estimator using Pen~a-Yohai candidates

Description

This function computes MM-regression estimator using Pen~a-Yohai candidates for the initial S-estimator. This function is used internally by `lmrobdetMM`, and not meant to be used directly.

Usage

```
MMPY(X, y, control, mf)
```

Arguments

X	design matrix
y	response vector
control	a list of control parameters as returned by `lmrobdet.control`
mf	model frame

Value

an `lmrob` object witht the M-estimator obtained starting from the S-estimator computed with the Pen~a-Yohai initial candidates. The properties of the final estimator (efficiency, etc.) are determined by the tuning constants in the argument `control`.

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <victoryohai@gmail.com>, Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

See Also

DCML, MMPY, SMPY

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mopt   *Tuning parameter for a rho function in the modified (asymptotic bias-) optimal family*

Description

This function computes the tuning constant that yields an MM-regression estimator with a desired asymptotic efficiency when computed with a rho function in the corresponding family. The output of this function can be passed to the functions lmrobdet.control, scaleM and rho.

Usage

```
mopt(e)
```

Arguments

e   the desired efficiency of the corresponding regression estimator for Gaussian errors

Value

A vector with named elements containing the corresponding tuning parameters.

Author(s)

Kjell Konis

Examples

```
# Tuning parameters for an 85%-efficient M-estimator at a Gaussian model
mopt(.85)
```

---

moptv0   *Tuning parameter for a rho function in the modified (asymptotic bias-) optimal family*

Description

This function computes the tuning constant that yields an MM-regression estimator with a desired asymptotic efficiency when computed with a rho function in the corresponding family. The output of this function can be passed to the functions lmrobdet.control, scaleM and rho.

Usage

```
moptv0(e)
```

Arguments

e the desired efficiency of the corresponding regression estimator for Gaussian errors

Value

A vector with named elements containing the corresponding tuning parameters.

Author(s)

Kjell Konis

Examples

```
# Tuning parameters for an 85%-efficient M-estimator at a Gaussian model
moptv0(.85)
```

---

neuralgia   *Neuralgia data*

Description

Neuralgia data. More details here.

Usage

```
data(neuralgia)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Source

Source goes here.

References

References go here.

Examples

```
data(neuralgia)
```

---

oats   *Oats data*

Description

Yield of grain for eight varieties of oats in five replications of a randomized-block experiment

Usage

```
data(oats)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Format: Two-way ANOVA table with 8 rows and 5 columns.

Source

Scheffe, H. (1959), Analysis of Variance. New York: John Wiley.

References

References go here.

Examples

```
data(oats)
```

---

opt   *Tuning parameter for a rho function in the (asymptotic bias-) optimal*
                                family

Description

This function computes the tuning constant that yields an MM-regression estimator with a desired asymptotic efficiency when computed with a rho function in the corresponding family. The output of this function can be passed to the functions lmrobdet.control, scaleM and rho.

Usage

```
opt(e)
```

Arguments

e   the desired efficiency of the corresponding regression estimator for Gaussian errors

Value

A vector with named elements containing the corresponding tuning parameters.

Author(s)

Kjell Konis

Examples

```
# Tuning parameters for an 85%-efficient M-estimator at a Gaussian model
opt(.85)
```

---

optv0   *Tuning parameter for a rho function in the (asymptotic bias-) optimal family*

Description

This function computes the tuning constant that yields an MM-regression estimator with a desired asymptotic efficiency when computed with a rho function in the corresponding family. The output of this function can be passed to the functions lmrobdet.control, scaleM and rho.

Usage

```
optv0(e)
```

Arguments

e   the desired efficiency of the corresponding regression estimator for Gaussian errors

Value

A vector with named elements containing the corresponding tuning parameters.

Author(s)

Kjell Konis

Examples

```
# Tuning parameters for an 85%-efficient M-estimator at a Gaussian model
optv0(.85)
```

---

pcaRobS   *Robust principal components*

Description

This function computes robust principal components based on the minimization of the "residual" M-scale.

Usage

```
pcaRobS(X, ncomp, desprop = 0.9, deltasca = 0.5, maxit = 100)
```

Arguments

X	a data matrix with observations in rows.
ncomp	desired (maximum) number of components
desprop	desired (minimum) proportion of explained variability (default = 0.9)
deltasca	"delta" parameter of the scale M-estimator (default=0.5)
maxit	maximum number of iterations (default= 100)

Value

A list with the following components:

q	The actual number of principal components
propex	The actual proportion of unexplained variability
eigvec	Eigenvectors, in a p x q matrix
fit	an n x p matrix with the rank-q approximation to X
repre	An n x q matrix with representation of data in R^q (scores)
propSPC	A vector of length p with the cumulative explained variance from initial SPC

Author(s)

Ricardo Maronna, <rmaronna@retina.ar>, based on original code by D. Pen~a and J. Prieto

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

Examples

```
data(bus)
X0 <- as.matrix(bus)
X1 <- X0[,-9]
ss <- apply(X1, 2, mad)
mu <- apply(X1, 2, median)
X <- scale(X1, center=mu, scale=ss)
q <- 3  #compute three components
rr <- pcaRobS(X, q, 0.99)
round(rr$eigvec, 3)
```

---

prcompRob	*Robust Principal Components Cont'd*

Description

This function uses the pcaRobS function to compute all principal components while behaving similarly to the prcomp function

Usage

```
prcompRob(x, rank. = NULL, delta.scale = 0.5, max.iter = 100L)
```

Arguments

x	data matrix with observations in rows
rank.	Maximal number of principal components to be used (optional)
delta.scale	"delta" parameter of the scale M-estimator (default = 0.5)
max.iter	maximum number of iterations (default = 100)

Value

sdev	the standard deviation of the principal components
rotation	matrix containing the factor loadings
x	matrix containing the rotated data
center	the centering used

Author(s)

Gregory Brownson, <gregory.brownson@gmail.com>

Examples

```
data(wine)

p.wine <- prcompRob(wine)
summary(p.wine)

## Choose only 5
p5.wine <- prcompRob(wine, rank. = 5)
summary(p5.wine)
```

---

refine.sm   *IRWLS iterations for S- or M-estimators*

Description

This function performs iterative improvements for S- or M-estimators.

Usage

```
refine.sm(
  x,
  y,
  initial.beta,
  initial.scale,
  k = 50,
  conv = 1,
  b,
  cc,
  family,
  step = "M",
  tol
)
```

Arguments

x	design matrix
y	vector of responses
initial.beta	vector of initial regression estimates
initial.scale	initial residual scale estimate. If missing the (scaled) median of the absolute residuals is used.
k	maximum number of refining steps to be performed
conv	an integer indicating whether to check for convergence (1) at each step, or to force running k steps (0)
b	tuning constant for the M-scale estimator, used if iterations are for an S-estimator.

`cc`	tuning constant for the rho function.
`family`	string specifying the name of the family of loss function to be used (current valid options are "bisquare", "opt" and "mopt")
`step`	a string indicating whether the iterations are to compute an S-estimator ('S') or an M-estimator ('M')
`tol`	tolerance to detect convergence (relative difference of consecutive vectors of parameters)

Details

This function performs iterative improvements for S- or M-estimators. Both iterations are formally the same, the only difference is that for M-iterations the residual scale estimate remains fixed, while for S-iterations it is updated at each step. In this case, we follow the Fast-S algorithm of Salibian-Barrera and Yohai an use one step updates for the M-scale, as opposed to a full computation. This as internal function.

Value

A list with the following components:

`beta.rw`	The updated vector of regression coefficients
`scale.rw`	The corresponding estimated residual scale
`converged`	A logical value indicating whether the algorithm converged

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, `<matias@stat.ubc.ca>`.

---

resex	*Resex data*

Description

A monthly series of inward movement of residential telephone extensions in a fixed geographic area from January 1966 to May 1973.

Usage

```
data(resex)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Format: numeric vector of size 89.

Source

Source Engineering, 2nd. Edition, New York, John Wiley.

References

Brubacher. S.R. (1974), Time series outlier detection and modeling with interpolation, Bell Laboratories Technical Memo.

Examples

```
data(resex)
```

---

rho   *Rho functions*

Description

This function returns the value of the "rho" loss function used to compute either an M-scale estimator or a robust regression estimator. It currently can be used to compute the bisquare, optimal and modified optimal loss functions.

Usage

```
rho(u, family = " bisquare", cc, standardize = TRUE)
```

Arguments

u	point or vector at which rho is to be evaluated
family	family string specifying the name of the family of loss function to be used (current valid options are "bisquare", "opt" and "mopt").
cc	tuning parameters to be computed according to efficiency and / or breakdown considerations. See lmrobdet.control, bisquare, mopt and opt.
standardize	logical value determining whether the rho function is to be standardized so that its maximum value is 1. See Mpsi.

Value

The value(s) of rho at u

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

Examples

```
# Evaluate rho tuned for 85% efficiency
rho(u=1.1, family='bisquare', cc=bisquare(.85))
# Evaluate rho tuned for 50% breakdown
rho(u=1.1, family='opt', cc=lmrobdet.control(bb=.5, family='opt')$tuning.chi)
```

---

rhoprime	*The first derivative of the rho function*

Description

The first derivative of the rho function

Usage

```
rhoprime(u, family, cc, standardize = FALSE)
```

Arguments

u	point or vector at which rho is to be evaluated
family	family string specifying the name of the family of loss function to be used (current valid options are "bisquare", "opt" and "mopt").
cc	tuning parameters to be computed according to efficiency and / or breakdown considerations. See lmrobdet.control, bisquare, mopt and opt.
standardize	logical value determining whether the rho function is to be standardized so that its maximum value is 1. See Mpsi.

Value

The value of the first derivative rho evaluated at u

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

Examples

```
# Evaluate the derivative of a rho function tuned for 85% efficiency
rhoprime(u=1.1, family='bisquare', cc=bisquare(.85))
# Evaluate the derivative of a rho function tuned for 50% breakdown
rhoprime(u=1.1, family='opt', cc=lmrobdet.control(bb=.5, family='opt')$tuning.chi)
```

---

rhoprime2 *The second derivative of the rho function*

Description

The second derivative of the rho function

Usage

```
rhoprime2(u, family, cc, standardize = FALSE)
```

Arguments

u   point or vector at which rho is to be evaluated

family   family string specifying the name of the family of loss function to be used (current valid options are "bisquare", "opt" and "mopt").

cc   tuning parameters to be computed according to efficiency and / or breakdown considerations. See lmrobdet.control, bisquare, mopt and opt.

standardize   logical value determining whether the rho function is to be standardized so that its maximum value is 1. See Mpsi.

Value

The value of the second derivative of rho evaluated at u

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

Examples

```
# Evaluate the 2nd derivative of a rho function tuned for 85% efficiency
rhoprime2(u=1.1, family='bisquare', cc=bisquare(.85))
# Evaluate the 2nd derivative of a rho function tuned for 50% breakdown
rhoprime2(u=1.1, family='opt', cc=lmrobdet.control(bb=.5, family='opt')$tuning.chi)
```

Description

This function computes an M-scale, which is a robust scale (spread) estimator. M-estimators of scale are a robust alternative to the sample standard deviation. Given a vector of residuals r, the M-scale estimator s solves the non-linear equation mean(rho(r/s, cc))=delta, where delta determines the breakdown point of the estimator, and cc is a tuning parameter calculated to obtain consistency under a Gaussian model. The breakdown point of the estimator is min(delta, 1-delta), so the optimal choice for delta is 0.5. To obtain a consistent estimator the constant cc is chosen such that E(rho(Z, cc)) = delta, where Z is a standard normal random variable.

Usage

```
scaleM(
  u,
  delta = 0.5,
  family = "bisquare",
  max.it = 100,
  tol = 1e-06,
  tolerancezero = .Machine$double.eps,
  tuning.chi = lmrobdet.control(family = family, bb = delta)$tuning.chi
)
```

Arguments

u	vector of residuals
delta	the right hand side of the M-scale equation
family	string specifying the name of the family of loss function to be used (current valid options are "bisquare", "opt" and "mopt").
max.it	maximum number of iterations allowed
tol	relative tolerance for convergence
tolerancezero	smallest (in absolute value) non-zero value accepted as a scale. Defaults to .Machine$double.eps
tuning.chi	the tuning object as returned by [lmrobdet.control](#), [bisquare](#), [mopt](#), or [opt](#). It defaults to the value that results in a consistent scale estimator for the specified family of loss functions and breakdown point as set by delta.

Details

The iterative algorithm starts from the scaled median of the absolute values of the input vector, and then cycles through the equation $s^2 = s^2 \ast mean(rho(r/s, cc)) / delta$.

Value

The scale estimate value at the last iteration or at convergence.

Author(s)

Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

Examples

```
set.seed(123)
r <- rnorm(150, sd=1.5)
scaleM(r)
sd(r)
# 10% of outliers, sd of good points is 1.5
set.seed(123)
r2 <- c(rnorm(135, sd=1.5), rnorm(15, mean=-5, sd=.5))
scaleM(r2, family='opt')
sd(r2)
```

---

shock   *Shock data*

Description

Times recorded for a rat to go through a shuttlebox in successive attempts. If the time exceeded 5 seconds, the rat received an electric shock for the duration of the next attempt. The data are the number of shocks received and the average time for all attempts between shocks.

Usage

```
data(shock)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Format: Numeric matrix with 16 rows and 2 columns

Source

Bond, N.W. (1979), Impairment of shuttlebox avoidance-learning following repeated alcohol withdrawal episodes in rats, Pharmacology, Biochemistry and Behavior, 11, 589-591.

References

References go here.

Examples

```
data(shock)
```

| skin | *Skin data* |

Description

These data correspond to a study of the relationship between air inspiration and blood circulation in the skin.

Usage

```
data(skin)
```

Format

An object of class "data.frame".

Details

Description: The covariates are the logarithms of the volume of air inspired (log VOL) and of the inspiration rate (log RATE). The response (column 3) is the presence or absence of vasoconstriction of the skin of the digits after air inspiration. Format Numeric, 23 rows and 3 columns.

Source

Finney, D.J. (1947), The estimation from individual records of the relationship between dose and quantal response, Biometrika, 34, 320-334.

Examples

```
data(skin)
```

| SMPY | *SM regression estimator using Pen~a-Yohai candidates* |

Description

This function computes a robust regression estimator when there are categorical / dummy explanatory variables. It uses Pen~a-Yohai candidates for the S-estimator. This function is used internally by `lmrobdetMM`, and not meant to be used directly.

Usage

```
SMPY(mf, y, control, split)
```

Arguments

mf	model frame
y	response vector
control	a list of control parameters as returned by `lmrobdet.control`
split	a list as returned by `splitFrame` containing the continuous and dummy components of the design matrix

Value

an `lmrob` object witht the M-estimator obtained starting from the MS-estimator computed with the Pen~a-Yohai initial candidates. The properties of the final estimator (efficiency, etc.) are determined by the tuning constants in the argument `control`.

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <victoryohai@gmail.com>, Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

References

http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust

See Also

DCML, MMPY, SMPY

---

stackloss   *Stackloss data*

Description

Observations from 21 days operation of a plant for the oxidation of ammonia as a stage in the production of nitric acid.

Usage

```
data(stackloss)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Format: 21 cases and 4 continuous variables. Description: The columns are: 1. air flow 2. cooling water inlet temperature (C) 3. acid concentration (4. Stack loss, defined as the percentage of ingoing ammonia that escapes unabsorbed (response)

Source

Brownlee, K.A. (1965), Statistical Theory and Methodology in Science and Engineering, 2nd Edition, New York: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

Examples

```
data(stackloss)
```

---

step.lmrobdetMM	*Robust stepwise using RFPE*

Description

This function performs stepwise model selection on a robustly fitted linear model using the RFPE criterion and the robust regression estimators computed with `lmrobdetMM`. Only backwards stepwise is currently implemented.

Usage

```
step.lmrobdetMM(
  object,
  scope,
  direction = c("both", "backward", "forward"),
  trace = TRUE,
  keep = NULL,
  steps = 1000,
  whole.path = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

object	a robust fit as returned by `lmrobdetMM`
scope	either a formula or a list with elements `lower` and `upper` each of which is a formula. The terms in the right-hand-side of `lower` are always included in the model and the additional terms in the right-hand-side of `upper` are the candidates for inclusion/exclusion from the model. If a single formula is given, it is taken to be upper, and `lower` is set to the empty model. The `.` operator is interpreted in the context of the formula in `object`.
direction	the direction of stepwise search. Currently only `backward` stepwise searches are implemented.
trace	logical. If `TRUE` information about each step is printed on the screen.
keep	a filter function whose input is a fitted model object and the associated AIC statistic, and whose output is arbitrary. Typically keep will select a subset of the components of the object and return them. The default is not to keep anything.
steps	maximum number of steps to be performed. Defaults to 1000, which should mean as many as needed.

| whole.path | if FALSE (default) variables are dropped until the RFPE fails to improve. If TRUE the best variable to be dropped is removed, even if this does not improve the RFPE. |

Details

Presently only backward stepwise selection is supported. During each step the Robust Final Prediction Error (as computed by the function `lmrobdetMM.RFPE`) is calculated for the current model and for each sub-model achievable by deleting a single term. If the argument `whole.path` is `FALSE`, the function steps to the sub-model with the lowest Robust Final Prediction Error or, if the current model has the lowest Robust Final Prediction Error, terminates. If the argument `whole.path` is `TRUE`, the function steps through all smaller submodels removing, at each step, the variable that most reduces the Robust Final Prediction Error. The scale estimate from `object` is used to compute the Robust Final Prediction Error throughout the procedure.

Value

If `whole.path == FALSE` the function returns the robust fit as obtained by `lmrobdetMM` using the final model. If `whole.path == TRUE` a list is returned containing the RFPE of each model on the sequence of submodels. The names of the components of this list are the formulas that correspods to each model.

Author(s)

Victor Yohai, <victoryohai@gmail.com>, Matias Salibian-Barrera, <matias@stat.ubc.ca>

References

<http://www.wiley.com/go/maronna/robust>

See Also

DCML, MMPY, SMPY

Examples

```
cont <- lmrobdet.control(bb = 0.5, efficiency = 0.85, family = "bisquare")
set.seed(300)
X <- matrix(rnorm(50*6), 50, 6)
beta <- c(1,1,1,0,0,0)
y <- as.vector(X %*% beta) + 1 + rnorm(50)
y[1:6] <- seq(30, 55, 5)
for (i in 1:6) X[i,] <- c(X[i,1:3],i/2,i/2,i/2)
Z <- cbind(y,X)
Z <- as.data.frame(Z)
obj <- lmrobdetMM(y ~ ., data=Z, control=cont)
out <- step.lmrobdetMM(obj)
```

---

vehicle   *Vehicle data*

Description

The original data set contains an ensemble of shape feature extractors to the 2D silhouettes of
different vehicles. The purpose is to classify a given silhouette as one of four types of vehicle, using
a set of 18 features extracted from the silhouette. Here we deal with the "van" type, which has 217
cases. Description; The following features were extracted from the silhouettes. 1. compactness 2.
circularity 3. distance circularity 4. radius ratio 5. principal axis aspect ratio 6. maximum length
aspect ratio 7. scatter ratio 8. elongatedness 9. principal axis rectangularity 10. maximum length
rectangularity 11. scaled variance along major axis 12. scaled variance along minor axis 13. scaled
radius of gyration 14. skewness about major axis 15. skewness about minor axis 16. kurtosis about
minor axis 17. kurtosis about major axis 18. hollows ratio

Usage

```
data(vehicle)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Format: Numeric, 217 rows and 18 columns.

Source

Turing Institute, Glasgow, and are available at https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Statlog+(Vehicle+Silhouettes).

Examples

```
data(vehicle)
```

---

waste   *Waste data*

Description

Waste data. The original data are the result of a study on production waste and land use by Golueke
and McGauhey (1970), and contain nine variables, of which we consider six.

Usage

```
data(waste)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Format: 40 cases and 6 continuous variables. Description: The columns are 1. industrial land (acres) 2. fabricated metals (acres) 3. trucking and wholesale trade (acres) 4. retail trade (acres) 5. restaurants and hotels (acres) 6. solid waste (millions of tons), response

Source

Golueke, C.G. and McGauhey, P.H. (1970), Comprehensive Studies of Solid Waste Management, US Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Public Health Services Publication No. 2039.

References

Golueke, C.G. and McGauhey, P.H. (1970), Comprehensive Studies of Solid Waste Management, US Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Public Health Services Publication No. 2039.

Examples

```
data(waste)
```

---

wine   *Wine data*

Description

It contains, for each of 59 wines grown in the same region in Italy, the quantities of 13 constituents. The original purpose of the analysis was to classify wines from different cultivars by means of these measurements. In this example we treat cultivar one.

Usage

```
data(wine)
```

Format

An object of class `"data.frame"`.

Details

Format: Numeric, 59 rows and 13 columns. Description: The attributes are: 1. Alcohol 2. Malic acid 3. Ash 4. Alcalinity of ash 5. Magnesium 6. Total phenols 7. Flavanoids 8. Nonflavanoid phenols 9. Proanthocyanins 10. Color intensity 11. Hue 12. OD280/OD315 of diluted wines 13. Proline

Source

Hettich, S. and Bay, S.D. (1999), The UCI KDD Archive http://kdd.ics.uci.edu. Irvine, CA: University of California, Department of Information and Computer Science.

Examples

```
data(wine)
```

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