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averageCORgvar      *Comparing average residual correlations.*

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## Description

Average pairwise cross-section residual correlations.

## Usage

```
averageCORgvar(out)
```

## Arguments

**out**      Estimation results object generated by GVARest

## Details

This function compares the dependency of residuals in VAR and GVAR.

## Value

<b>varRSDcor</b>	A list object of average residual correlations of country-specific VAR
<b>gvarRSDcor</b>	A list object of average residual correlations of country-specific VAR augmented by foreign variables(GVAR)

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## References

Mauro Filippo di and Pesaran H. M. (2013) The GVAR Handbook– Structure and Applications of a Macro Model of the Global Economy for Policy. Oxford University Press.

## Examples

```

data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")
p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweightingx
mainOUTPUT = GVARest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)

cor2_avg=averageCORgvar(out=mainOUTPUT)
as.matrix((cor2_avg$varRSDcor)[[1]])
as.matrix((cor2_avg$varRSDcor)[[2]])

as.matrix(cor2_avg$gvarRSDcor[[1]])
as.matrix(cor2_avg$gvarRSDcor[[2]])

```

averageCORgvecm

*Comparing average residual correlations of GVECM and VECM.*

## Description

Average pairwise cross-section residual correlations of GVECM and VECM.

## Usage

```
averageCORgvecm(out)
```

## Arguments

out	Estimation results object generated by GVECMest
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## Details

This function compares the dependency of residuals in VAR and GVAR.

## Value

vecmRSDcor	A list object of average residual correlations of country-specific VECM
gvecmRSDcor	A list object of average residual correlations of country-specific VECM augmented by foreign variables(GVECM)

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## References

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## Examples

```
data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")
p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweightingx
mainOUTPUT = GVECMest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)

cor2_avg=averageCORgvecm(out=mainOUTPUT)
as.matrix((cor2_avg$vecmRSDcor)[[1]])
as.matrix((cor2_avg$vecmRSDcor)[[2]])

as.matrix(cor2_avg$gvecmRSDcor[[1]])
as.matrix(cor2_avg$gvecmRSDcor[[2]])
```

getCOEF

*Return country-specific standard LS coefficient estimates.*

## Description

Extract country-specific standard LS coefficient estimates.

## Usage

```
getCOEF(out,sheet)
```

## Arguments

out	A list object of estimation results generated by GVARest()
sheet	The number of country in out file

## Details

Extract country-specific standard LS coefficient estimates.

## Value

coef	Country-specific coefficient estimates
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**Examples**

```
data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")
p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweightingx
mainOUTPUT = GVARest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)
COEF=getCOEF(out=mainOUTPUT,sheet=1)
```

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getCOEFexo

*All-country LS coefficient estimates.*

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**Description**

Extract all-country LS coefficient estimates.

**Usage**

```
getCOEFexo(out)
```

**Arguments**

**out**            A list object of estimation results generated by GVARest().

**Details**

Extract all-country LS coefficient estimates.

**Value**

**coef**            Country-specific coefficient estimates.

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## Examples

```

data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")
p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweightingx
mainOUTPUT = GVARest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)
#COEF=getCOEFexo(out=mainOUTPUT)

```

**getNWCOEF**

*Extract country-specific LS coefficient estimates with Newy-West robust covariance.*

## Description

Extract country-specific LS coefficient estimates with Newy-West robust covariance.

## Usage

```
getNWCOEF(out,sheet)
```

## Arguments

- |       |   |
|-------|---|
| out   | A list object of estimation results generated by GVARest. |
| sheet | The number of country in out that is to be saved.         |

## Value

- |      |   |
|------|---|
| coef | Country-specific coefficient estimates. |
|------|---|

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## References

- Newey WK and West KD (1994) Automatic Lag Selection in Covariance Matrix Estimation. Review of Economic Studies,61,631-653.

## Examples

```

data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")
p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweightingx
mainOUTPUT = GVARest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)
COEF=getNWCOEF(out=mainOUTPUT,sheet=1)

```

getNWCOEFexo

*Extract all-country coefficient estimates with Newy-West robust covariance.*

## Description

Extract all-country coefficient estimates with Newy-West robust covariance.

## Usage

```
getNWCOEFexo(out)
```

## Arguments

**out** A list object of estimation results generated by GVARest.

## Value

**coef** Country-specific coefficient estimates.

## Author(s)

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## References

Newey WK and West KD (1994) Automatic Lag Selection in Covariance Matrix Estimation. Review of Economic Studies, 61, 631-653.

## Examples

```
data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")
p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweightingx
mainOUTPUT = GVARest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)
COEF=getNWCOEFexo(out=mainOUTPUT)
```

**getWhiteCOEF**

*Extract country-specific LS coefficient estimates with White robust covariance.*

## Description

Extract country-specific LS coefficient estimates with White robust covariance.

## Usage

```
getWhiteCOEF(out,sheet)
```

## Arguments

- |              |   |
|--------------|---|
| <b>out</b>   | A list object of estimation results generated by GVARest. |
| <b>sheet</b> | The number of country in out that is to be saved.         |

## Value

- |             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>coef</b> | Country-specific coefficient estimates. |
|-------------|---|

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## Examples

```
data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")
p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
```

```

ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweighthx
mainOUTPUT = GVARest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)

COEF=getWhiteCOEF(out=mainOUTPUT,sheet=1)

```

**getWhiteCOEFexo***Extract all-country coefficient estimates with White robust covariance.***Description**

Extract all-country coefficient estimates with Newy-West robust covariance, and save them in a .csv file.

**Usage**

```
getWhiteCOEFexo(out)
```

**Arguments**

out	A list object of estimation results generated by GVARest.
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**Value**

coef	Country-specific coefficient estimates.
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**Examples**

```

data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighth1")
data("tradeweighthx")
p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweighthx
mainOUTPUT = GVARest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)
COEF=getWhiteCOEFexo(out=mainOUTPUT)

```

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GVARest*Estimate country-specific VAR in a GVAR setting*

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**Description**

Estimate country-specific VAR in a GVAR setting

**Usage**

```
GVARest(data,p,FLag, lag.max, type="const", ic,weight.matrix=NULL)
```

**Arguments**

data	Dataframe is a strictly balanced panel data format, the first column is cross-section ID, and the second column is Time. For the sake of identification, both columns must be named by, respectively, id and Time.
p	The number of lag for Xt matrix.
FLag	The number of lag for foreign variables in country-specific VAR
lag.max	The maximal number of lag for estimating country-specific VAR
type	Model specificaiton for VAR. As in package vars, we have four selection: "none", "const", "trend", "both".
ic	Information criteria for optimal lag. As in package vars, we have four selection: "AIC", "HQ", "SC", and "FPE".
weight.matrix	Bilateral trade weight matrix for computing foreign variables. If the computation of foreign variables are weighted by one weighting matrix, weight.matrix must be a "data.frame". If the computation of foreign variables are weighted on a year-to-year basis, then weight.matrix must be a "list", with the same length as the weighting frequency.

**Value**

gvar	Country-specific GVAR output list
White	Coefficient estimates with White robust covariance
NWHAC	Coefficient estimates with Newy-West robust covariance
p	Number of lags for endogeneous variables in VAR
K	Number of lags for Ft variables in VAR
type	Model specificaiton. As in package vars, we have four selection: "none", "const", "trend", and "both".
datamat	input data=data
lagmatrix	GVAR's Country-specific optimal lag number.
lagmatrix1	VAR's Country-specific optimal lag number.
exoLag	Ft lags

Ft	Foreign variables
NAMES	Names of countries
gvarRSD	Country-specific GVAR residuals
varRSD	VAR residuals
weight	weight.matrix

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**References**

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**Examples**

```

data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")

p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweightingx
mainOUTPUT = GVARest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)

mainOUTPUT$lagmatrix      # Country-specific GVAR lags
mainOUTPUT$gvar
mainOUTPUT$gvar[[1]]
coef(mainOUTPUT$gvar[[17]])
mainOUTPUT$White[[17]]
mainOUTPUT$NWHAC[[17]][1]

```

GVAR\_Ft

*Function to generate foreign variables***Description**

Function to generate foreign variables

**Usage**

```
GVAR_Ft(data, weight.matrix=NULL)
```

### Arguments

<code>data</code>	Dataframe is a strictly balanced panel data format, the first column is cross-section ID, and the second column is Time. For the sake of identification, both columns must be named by, respectively, id and Time.
<code>weight.matrix</code>	Bilateral trade weight matrix for computing foreign variables. If the computation of foreign variables are weighted by one weighting matrix, <code>weight.matrix</code> must be a "data.frame". If the computation of foreign variables are weighted on a year-to-year basis, then <code>weight.matrix</code> must be a "list", with the same length as the weighting frequency. If NULL, then it computes the foreign variables by average.

### Value

<code>Ft</code>	Weighted foreign variables as described in GVAR
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### References

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### Examples

```
#### Loading Data ===#
data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")

#Generate country-specific foreign variables
Ft=GVAR_Ft(data=PriceVol,weight.matrix=tradeweighting1)
k=17
head(Ft[[k]])
tail(Ft[[k]])
```

### Description

Compute the G0, G1, G2, and F1, F2 matrices for filtering Xt

### Usage

```
GVAR_Xt(data,p, type="const",ic="AIC",weight.matrix)
```

## Arguments

data	Dataframe is a strictly balanced panel data format, the first column is cross-section ID, and the second column is Time. For the sake of identification, both columns must be named by, respectively, id and Time.
p	The number of lag for Xt matrix. The number of lag for foreign variables in country-specific VAR FFlag is set to be p+1.
type	Model specificaiton for VAR. As in package vars, we have four selection: "none", "const", "trend", "both".
ic	Information criteria for optimal lag. As in package vars, we have four selection: "AIC", "HQ", "SC", "FPE".
weight.matrix	Bilateral trade weight matrix for computing foreign variables. If the computation of foreign variables are weighted by one weighting matrix, weight.matrix must be a "data.frame". If the computation of foreign variables are weighted on a year-to-year basis, then weight.matrix must be a "list", with the same length as the weighting frequency.

## Details

This function generates several matrices of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17), which is resuired to recursively filter Xt; besides, it also re-calculates the transformed residuals. In this version, we do not include the impulse responses function(IRF), because the IRF can be computed by these matrices and residuals easily. We will not update it until the next version.

## Value

G0	Matrix G0 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
G1	Matrix G1 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
G2	Matrix G2 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
F1	Matrix F1 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
F2	Matrix F2 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
lagmatrix	Country-secific optimal lag number, which must be the same.
RESID	original residuals=u in Filippo and Pesaran (2013, P.17)
newRESID	New residuals=epsilon in Filippo and Pesaran (2013, P.17)

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## References

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## Examples

```

data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweightx")
data("tradeweight1")
p=2
type="const"
ic="SC"

Result=GVAR_Xt(data=PriceVol,p,type,ic, weight.matrix=tradeweight1)
Result$G0
Result$G1
Result$G2
Result$F1
Result$F2
Result$lagmatrix
Result$RESID
Result$newRESID

```

GVECM.jo

*Estimate country-specific Johansen test results in a Global VECM setting*

## Description

Estimate country-specific Johansen test results in a Global VECM setting

## Usage

```
GVECM.jo(data,p=2,FLag=3,ecdet = "const", type = "eigen",spec = "longrun",
season = NULL,weight.matrix)
```

## Arguments

data	Dataframe is a strictly balanced panel data format, the first column is cross-section ID, and the second column is Time. For the sake of identification, both columns must be named by, respectively, id and Time.
p	The number of lag for Xt matrix.
FLag	The number of lag for foreign VECMables in country-specific VECM
ecdet	Character, 'none' for no intercept in cointegration, 'const' for constant term in cointegration and 'trend' for trend variable in cointegration.
type	Model specification for VECM. As in package VECMs, we have four selection: "none", "const", "trend", "both".
spec	Determines the specification of the VECM, see details in package urca.
season	If seasonal dummies should be included, the data frequency must be set accordingly, i.e '4' for quarterly data.

**weight.matrix** Bilateral trade weight matrix for computing foreign VECMiables. If the computation of foreign VECMiables are weighted by one weighting matrix, weight.matrix must be a "data.frame". If the computation of foreign VECMiables are weighted on a year-to-year basis, then weight.matrix must be a "list", with the same length as the weighting frequency.

### Value

<b>J0.test</b>	List object of country-specific Johansen test results
<b>VECMoutputs</b>	List object of country-specific VECM results
<b>RESID</b>	List object of country-specific VECM residuals, obtained by using vars::vec2var

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### References

Mauro Filippo di and Pesaran H. M. (2013) The GVECM Handbook— Structure and Applications of a Macro Model of the Global Economy for Policy. Oxford University Press.

### Examples

```
data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")

p=2
FLag=2
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweighting1
mainOUT.J0=GVECM.jo(data=PriceVol,p=2,FLag=3, weight.matrix=weight.matrix)
mainOUT.J0$J0.test
```

GVECMest

*Estimate country-specific Engle-Granger VECM in a Global VECM setting*

### Description

Estimate country-specific Engle-Granger VECM in a Global VECM setting

### Usage

```
GVECMest(data,p=2,FLag, lag.max=NULL, type="const", ic,weight.matrix=NULL)
```

### Arguments

data	Dataframe is a strictly balanced panel data format, the first column is cross-section ID, and the second column is Time. For the sake of identification, both columns must be named by, respectively, id and Time.
p	The number of lag for Xt matrix.
FLag	The number of lag for foreign VECMables in country-specific VECM
lag.max	The maximal number of lag for estimating country-specific VECM
type	Model specificaiton for VECM. As in package VECMs, we have four selection: "none", "const", "trend", "both".
ic	Information criteria for optimal lag. As in package VECMs, we have four selection: "AIC", "HQ", "SC", and "FPE".
weight.matrix	Bilateral trade weight matrix for computing foreign VECMables. If the computation of foreign VECMables are weighted by one weighting matrix, weight.matrix must be a "data.frame". If the computation of foreign VECMables are weighted on a year-to-year basis, then weight.matrix must be a "list", with the same length as the weighting frequency.

### Value

gvecm	Country-specific GVECM output list
White	Coefficient estimates with White robust coVECMiance
NWHAC	Coefficient estimates withNewy-West robust coVECMiance
p	Number of lags for endogeneous VECMables in VECM
K	Number of lags for Ft VECMables in VECM
type	Model specificaiton. As in package VECMs, we have four selection: "none", "const", "trend", and "both".
datamat	input data=data
lagmatrix	GVECM's Country-secific optimal lag number.
lagmatrix1	VECM's Country-secific optimal lag number.
exoLag	Ft lags
Ft	Foreign VECMables
NAMES	Names of countries
gvecmRSD	Country-specific Global VECM residuals
vecmRSD	VECM residuals

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### References

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## Examples

```

data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighting1")
data("tradeweightingx")

p=2
FLag=2
lag.max=15
type="const"
ic="SC"
weight.matrix=tradeweightingx
mainOUTPUT = GVECMest(data=PriceVol,p,FLag,lag.max,type,ic,weight.matrix)

mainOUTPUT$lagmatrix      # Country-specific GVECM lags
mainOUTPUT$gvecm
mainOUTPUT$gvecm[[1]]
coef(mainOUTPUT$gvecm[[17]])
mainOUTPUT$White[[17]]
mainOUTPUT$NWHAC[[17]][1]

```

GVECM\_Xt

*Compute the G0, G1, G2, and F1, F2 matrices for filtering Xt*

## Description

Compute the G0, G1, G2, and F1, F2 matrices for filtering Xt

## Usage

```
GVECM_Xt(data,p,type="const",ic="AIC",weight.matrix)
```

## Arguments

<b>data</b>	Dataframe is a strictly balanced panel data format, the first column is cross-section ID, and the second column is Time. For the sake of identification, both columns must be named by, respectively, id and Time.
<b>p</b>	The number of lag for Xt matrix. The number of lag for foreign variables in country-specific VAR FLag is set to be p+1.
<b>type</b>	Model specification for VAR. As in package vars, we have four selection: "none", "const", "trend", "both".
<b>ic</b>	Information criteria for optimal lag. As in package vars, we have four selection: "AIC", "HQ", "SC", "FPE".
<b>weight.matrix</b>	Bilateral trade weight matrix for computing foreign variables. If the computation of foreign variables are weighted by one weighting matrix, weight.matrix must be a "data.frame". If the computation of foreign variables are weighted on a year-to-year basis, then weight.matrix must be a "list", with the same length as the weighting frequency.

## Details

This function generates several matrices of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17), which is required to recursively filter Xt; besides, it also re-calculates the transformed residuals. In this version, we do not include the impulse responses function(IRF), because the IRF can be computed by these matrices and residuals easily. We will not update it until the next version.

## Value

G0	Matrix G0 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
G1	Matrix G1 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
G2	Matrix G2 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
F1	Matrix F1 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
F2	Matrix F2 of Eq.(2.6) in Filippo and Pesaran(2013, P.17)
lagmatrix	Country-specific optimal lag number.
newRESID	New residuals=epsilon in Filippo and Pesaran (2013, P.17)

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## References

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## Examples

```

data("PriceVol")
data("tradeweighthx")
data("tradeweight1")
p=2
type="const"
ic="SC"

Result=GVECM_Xt(data=PriceVol,p,type,ic, weight.matrix=tradeweight1)
Result$G0
Result$G1
Result$F1
Result$G2
Result$F2
Result$lagmatrix
Result$newRESID

```

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**PriceVol***Dataset price-volumn of 17 market indices*

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**Description**

A nine-year balanced panel price-volumn data of 17 market indices, 2006/8/30-2014/11/19

**Usage**

```
data("PriceVol")
```

**Format**

A data frame with 0 observations on the following 2 variables.

ID Names of country, cross-section ID

Time Time index

Ret Daily returns computed by close-to-close

Vol Daily transaction volumn, by log

**Source**

Yahoo finance

**Examples**

```
data(PriceVol)
```

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**tradeweight1***A single year cross-section bilateral trade weight matrix, 2014.*

---

**Description**

A single year cross-section bilateral trade weight matrix, 2014

**Usage**

```
data("tradeweight1")
```

## Format

A matrix of 17 by 17 bilateral trade weight matrix,2014

**Australia** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Australia, 2014

**Austria** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Austria, 2014

**Belgium** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Belgium, 2014

**Brazil** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Brazil, 2014

**France** Bilateral trade weight matrix of France, 2014

**UK** Bilateral trade weight matrix of UK, 2014

**US** Bilateral trade weight matrix of US, 2014

**Canada** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Canada, 2014

**HongKong** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Hong Kong, 2014

**Indonesia** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Indonesia, 2014

**Malaysia** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Malaysia, 2014

**Korea** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Korea, 2014

**Mexico** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Mexico, 2014

**Japan** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Japan, 2014

**Swiss** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Swiss, 2014

**China** Bilateral trade weight matrix of China, 2014

**Taiwan** Bilateral trade weight matrix of Taiwan, 2014

## Details

This matrix is a 17 by 17 trade weight matrix, the column names are 17 countries. Given column j, the row-wise elements are bilateral trade weights of country j. Please make sure that the order of countries exactly matches the dataset's ID column.

## Examples

```
data(tradeweight1)
is.data.frame(tradeweight1)
```

**tradeweightx**

*A nine-year bilateral trade weight matrix, 2006-2014*

## Description

A nine-year bilateral trade weight matrix, 2006-2014

## Usage

```
data("tradeweightx")
```

## Format

A list with 17 by 17 matrix on the following variable.

Australia Bilateral trade weight matrix of Australia, 2014  
Austria Bilateral trade weight matrix of Austria, 2014  
Belgium Bilateral trade weight matrix of Belgium, 2014  
Brazil Bilateral trade weight matrix of Brazil, 2014  
France Bilateral trade weight matrix of France, 2014  
UK Bilateral trade weight matrix of UK, 2014  
US Bilateral trade weight matrix of US, 2014  
Canada Bilateral trade weight matrix of Canada, 2014  
HongKong Bilateral trade weight matrix of Hong Kong, 2014  
Indonesia Bilateral trade weight matrix of Indonesia, 2014  
Malaysia Bilateral trade weight matrix of Malaysia, 2014  
Korea Bilateral trade weight matrix of Korea, 2014  
Mexico Bilateral trade weight matrix of Mexico, 2014  
Japan Bilateral trade weight matrix of Japan, 2014  
Swiss Bilateral trade weight matrix of Swiss, 2014  
China Bilateral trade weight matrix of China, 2014  
Taiwan Bilateral trade weight matrix of Taiwan, 2014

## Details

This example data is annual trade weight matrix, it is a list with length 9 (2006-2014). Each list is a year specific 17 by 17 trade weight matrix, the column names are 17 countries. Given column j, the row-wise elements are bilateral trade weights of country j. Make sure that the length of list must exactly match with the number of years. Because once you use this as tradewieght input matrix, R function will automatically compute foreign variables weighted year-by-year. Please make sure that the order of countries exactly matches the dataset's ID column.

## Examples

```
data(tradeweighthx)
is.data.frame(tradeweighthx)
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