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**Description** Elliptic lambda distribution and lambda option pricing model

have been evolved into a framework of  
stable-law inspired distributions,  
such as the extended stable lambda distribution for asset return,  
stable count distribution for volatility,  
and Lihn-Laplace process as a leptokurtic extension of Wiener process.  
This package contains functions for the computation of  
density, probability, quantile, random variable, fitting procedures,  
option prices, volatility smile. It also comes with sample financial data,  
and plotting routines.

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<b>ecd-package</b>	<i>ecd: A package for the elliptic distribution.</i>
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## Description

The ecd package provides the core class and functions to calculate the elliptic distribution. They are either generic or use ecd. namespace. The lambda distribution is using ecld. namespace. SGED is considered part of ecld. The option pricing API is using ecop. namespace.

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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<b>bootstrap.ecdb</b>	<i>Bootstrap data for the Elliptic DB (ECDB)</i>
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## Description

Main interface to generate data for ECDB based on the configuration.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ecdb'
bootstrap(object, action = "all", skip.existing = TRUE)

bootstrap(object, action = "all", skip.existing = TRUE)

## S4 method for signature 'ecdb'
bootstrap(object, action = "all", skip.existing = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

- |               |   |
|---------------|---|
| object        | an object of ecdb class.  |
| action        | the action operating on the ecdb.                                   |
| skip.existing | logical, if TRUE (default), skip if action already done in history. |

**Value**

Row count.

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dec	<i>The Elliptic Distribution</i>
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**Description**

Density, distribution function, quantile function, and random generation for the univariate elliptic distribution.

**Usage**

```
dec(x, object = ecd())
pec(q, object = ecd())
qec(p, object = ecd(with.quantile = TRUE), debug = FALSE)
rec(n, object = ecd(with.quantile = TRUE))
```

**Arguments**

- |        |  |
|--------|--|
| x      | numeric vector of quantiles.   |
| object | an object of ecd class. To achieve high performance for qec and rec, it should be created with with.quantile=TRUE. |
| q      | numeric vector of quantiles.   |
| p      | numeric vector of probabilities.   |
| debug  | logical, whether to print debug message, default is FALSE.   |
| n      | number of observations.  |

**Value**

dec gives the density, pec gives the distribution function, qec gives the quantile function, rec generates random deviates.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

### Examples

```
d <- ecd(with.quantile=TRUE)
x <- seq(-20, 20, by=5)
dec(x,d)
pec(x,d)
p <- c(0.0001, 0.001, 0.01, 0.99, 0.999, 0.9999)
qec(p,d)
rec(100,d)
```

discr.ecd

*Discriminant of the elliptic curve  $y(x)$*

### Description

Discriminant of the elliptic curve  $y(x)$

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
discr(object, no.validate = FALSE)

discr(object, no.validate = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
discr(object, no.validate = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

object	an object of ecd class
no.validate	logical, if TRUE, don't validate presence of beta. Default is FALSE.

### Value

the discriminant

### Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

### Examples

```
d <- ecd(-1,1)
discr(d)
```

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dstablecnt	<i>Stable Count distribution</i>
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**Description**

Implements some aspects of stable count distribution (based on stabledist package) for stable random walk simulation. Quartic stable distribution is implemented through gamma distribution.

**Usage**

```
dstablecnt(x, alpha = NULL, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, lambda = NULL)

pstablecnt(x, alpha = NULL, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, lambda = NULL)

rstablecnt(n, alpha = NULL, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, lambda = NULL)

qstablecnt(q, alpha = NULL, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, lambda = NULL)

cfstablecnt(s, alpha = NULL, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, lambda = NULL)

kstablecnt(alpha = NULL, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, lambda = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	numeric, vector of responses.
alpha	numeric, the shape parameter, default is NULL. User must provide either alpha or lambda.
nu0	numeric, the location parameter, default is 0.
theta	numeric, the scale parameter, default is 1.
lambda	numeric, alternative shape parameter, default is NULL.
n	numeric, number of observations.
q	numeric, vector of quantiles.
s	numeric, vector of responses for characteristic function.

**Value**

numeric, standard convention is followed: d\* returns the density, p\* returns the distribution function, q\* returns the quantile function, and r\* generates random deviates. The following are our extensions: k\* returns the first 4 cumulants, skewness, and kurtosis, cf\* returns the characteristic function.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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ecd	<i>Constructor of ecd class</i>
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**Description**

Construct an ecd class by providing the required parameters. The default is the standard cusp distribution. Cusp is validated by `eps = max(.Machine$double.eps*1000, 1e-28)`.

**Usage**

```
ecd(alpha = 0, gamma = 0, sigma = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0, cusp = 0,
lambda = 3, with.stats = TRUE, with.quantile = FALSE,
bare.bone = FALSE, verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>alpha</code>	numeric, the flatness parameter. Default: 0.
<code>gamma</code>	numeric, the sharpness parameter. Default: 0.
<code>sigma</code>	numeric, the scale parameter. Must be positive. Default: 1.
<code>beta</code>	numeric, the skewness parameter. Default: 0.
<code>mu</code>	numeric, the location parameter. Default: 0.
<code>cusp</code>	logical, indicate type of cusp. The singular points in cusp requires special handling. Default: 0, not a cusp. 1: cusp with alpha specified. 2: cusp with gamma specified.
<code>lambda</code>	numeric, the leading exponent for the special model. Default: 3.
<code>with.stats</code>	logical, also calculate statistics, default is TRUE.
<code>with.quantile</code>	logical, also calculate quantile data, default is FALSE.
<code>bare.bone</code>	logical, skip both const and stats calculation, default is FALSE. This for debug purpose for issues on integrating $e^y(x)$ .
<code>verbose</code>	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose, default is FALSE.

**Value**

An object of ecd class

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd()
d <- ecd(1,1)
d <- ecd(alpha=1, gamma=1)
```

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ecd-class*The ecd class*

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**Description**

This S4 class is the major object class for elliptic distribution. It stores the ecd parameters, numerical constants that facilitates quadpack integration, statistical attributes, and optionally, an internal structure for the quantile function.

**Slots**

call The match.call slot  
 alpha, gamma, sigma, beta, mu a length-one numeric. These are core ecd parameters.  
 cusp a length-one numeric as cusp indicator. 0: not a cusp; 1: cusp specified by alpha; 2: cusp specified by gamma.  
 lambda a length-one numeric, the leading exponent for the special model, default is 3.  
 R, theta a length-one numeric. These are derived ecd parameters in polar coordinate.  
 use.mpfr logical, internal flag indicating whether to use mpfr.  
 const A length-one numeric as the integral of  $\exp(y(x))$  that normalizes the PDF.  
 const\_left\_x A length-one numeric marking the left point of PDF integration.  
 const\_right\_x A length-one numeric marking the right point of PDF integration.  
 stats A list of statistics, see ecd.stats for more information.  
 quantile An object of ecdq class, for quantile calculation.  
 model A vector of four strings representing internal classification: long\_name.skew, code.long\_name,  
 short\_name.skew, short\_name. This slot doesn't have formal use yet.

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## ecd.adj\_gamma

*Discriminant-adjusted gamma*

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**Description**

Adjust gamma by diescriminator conversion formula so that the critical line is a straight 45-degree line. The inverse adjustment is also provided.

**Usage**

```
ecd.adj_gamma(gamma)
ecd.adj2gamma(adj_gamma)
```

**Arguments**

<code>gamma</code>	numeric, the gamma parameter
<code>adj_gamma</code>	numeric, the discriminant-adjusted gamma

**Value**

adjusted gamma (or the reverse of adjustment)

**Examples**

```
gamma2 <- ecd.adj_gamma(c(1,2))
gamma <- ecd.adj2gamma(c(1,2))
```

**ecd.asymp\_stats***Compute asymptotic statistics of an ecd object***Description**

The main API for asymptotic statistics. It follows the same definition of moments, except the integral of PDF is limited to a range of quantile. That is to truncate the tails. The asymptotic kurtosis is also called truncated kurtosis.

**Usage**

```
ecd.asymp_stats(object, q)
ecd.asymp_kurtosis(object, q)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	an object of ecd class with quantile
<code>q</code>	numeric vector of quantiles

**Value**

a list of stats list, or a vector of kurtosis

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
d <- ecd(1,1, with.quantile=TRUE)
q <- 0.01
ecd.asymp_stats(d,q)
ecd.asymp_kurtosis(d,q)

## End(Not run)
```

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ecd.ccdf*Complementary CDF of ecd*

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**Description**

Complementary CDF of ecd, integration of PDF from x to Inf

**Usage**

```
ecd.ccdf(object, x, to.x = Inf, piece.wise = FALSE, f = NULL,
verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

object	An object of ecd class
x	A numeric vector of x
to.x	A value or a vector of starting x, default Inf This is for internal use only.
piece.wise	Logical. If TRUE, use cumulative method for large array. Default to FALSE. Use it with a scalar to.x.
f	an optional extension to perform integral on function other than 1. This is for internal use only. You should use the respective wrappers.
verbose	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.

**Value**

The CCDF

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd()
x <- seq(0, 10, by=1)
ecd.ccdf(d,x)
```

**ecd.cdf***CDF of ecd***Description**

CDF of ecd, integration of PDF from -Inf (or a point of choice) to x

**Usage**

```
ecd.cdf(object, x, from.x = -Inf, piece.wise = FALSE, f = NULL,
        verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	An object of ecd class
<code>x</code>	A numeric vector of x
<code>from.x</code>	A value or a vector of starting x, default -Inf
<code>piece.wise</code>	Logical. If TRUE, use cumulative method for large array. Default to FALSE. Use it with a scalar <code>from.x</code> .
<code>f</code>	an optional extension to perform integral on function other than 1. This is for internal use only. You should use the respective wrappers.
<code>verbose</code>	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.

**Value**

The CDF

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd()
x <- seq(-10, 10, by=1)
ecd.cdf(d,x)
ecd.cdf(d,1, from.x = -1)
```

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ecd.cubic*Generate or solve the cubic polynomial for ecd*

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**Description**

Generate or solve the polynomial from ecd. This is usually transient for solve. Or it can be used for studying singular points.

**Usage**

```
ecd.cubic(object, x = 0, solve = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

object	An object of ecd class
x	A vector of x dimension
solve	Logical, solve the polynomial, default = TRUE.

**Value**

list of the polynomial object, or result of solve.

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd()
ecd.cubic(d)
ecd.cubic(d, 0)
```

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ecd.cusp*Cusp constructor of ecd class*

---

**Description**

Construct an ecd class for cusp distribution by specifying either alpha or gamma, but not both. At the moment, it can't handle beta.

**Usage**

```
ecd.cusp(alpha = NaN, gamma = NaN, sigma = 1, mu = 0,
with.stats = TRUE, with.quantile = FALSE, bare.bone = FALSE,
verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

alpha	numeric, the flatness parameter. Default: NaN.
gamma	numeric, the sharpness parameter. Default: NaN.
sigma	numeric, the scale parameter. Must be positive. Default 1.
mu	numeric, the location parameter. Default: 0.
with.stats	logical, also calculate statistics, default is TRUE.
with.quantile	logical, also calculate quantile data, default is FALSE.
bare.bone	logical, skip both const and stats calculation, default is FALSE. This for debug purpose for issues on integrating $e^y(x)$ .
verbose	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose, default is FALSE.

**Value**

The ecd class

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
d <- ecd.cusp(alpha=1)
d <- ecd.cusp(gamma=-1)
```

*ecd.cusp\_a2r*

*Conversion between alpha and gamma for cusp distribution*

**Description**

*ecd.cusp\_a2r* converts from alpha to gamma. *ecd.cusp\_r2a* converts from gamma to alpha.

**Usage**

```
ecd.cusp_a2r(alpha)
ecd.cusp_r2a(gamma)
```

**Arguments**

alpha	numeric
gamma	numeric

**Value**

gamma for a2r; alpha for r2a.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
gamma <- ecd.cusp_a2r(alpha=1)
alpha <- ecd.cusp_r2a(gamma=1)
```

**ecd.cusp\_std\_moment**    *The moments, characteristic function (CF), and moment generating function (MGF) of standard cusp distribution.*

**Description**

The moments of standard cusp distribution are calculated via Gamma function. The CF and MGF are calculated as sum of moment terms. The CF is a complex number. Since the terms in MGF is ultimately diverging, the sum is truncated before the terms are increasing.

**Usage**

```
ecd.cusp_std_moment(n)

ecd.cusp_std_cf(t, mu = 0, sigma = 1, rel.tol = 1e-08,
                 show.warning = FALSE)

ecd.cusp_std_mgf(t, mu = 0, sigma = 1, rel.tol = 1e-07,
                  show.warning = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<b>n</b>	integer vector specifying the n-th moments
<b>t</b>	numeric vector for CF and MGF
<b>mu</b>	length-one numeric, specifying mean for CF and MGF
<b>sigma</b>	length-one numeric, specifying volatility for CF and MGF
<b>rel.tol</b>	relative tolerance
<b>show.warning</b>	logical, to show warning or not.

**Value**

the values of the moments, CF, MGF

**Examples**

```
ecd.cusp_std_moment(c(2,4))
```

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**ecd.data***Read sample data*

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## Description

Read sample data by specifying the symbol. The two utilities, `ecd.data` and `ecd.data.arr`, serves for slightly different purpose. `ecd.data` works off the `xts` object that has two rows: the prices and log-returns indexed by the dates. `ecd.data.arr` and `ecd.data.ts` separate the data into list of three vectors: `x` is the log-return, `p` is the prices, and `d` is the dates. And allows for more sophisticated call for range of dates, and different ways of slice and lag. `ecd.data.arr` takes symbol as input, while `ecd.data.ts` takes an `xts` object.

## Usage

```
ecd.data(symbol = "dji")

ecd.data.arr(symbol = "dji", start.date = "1950-01-01",
             end.date = "2015-12-31", on = "days", lag = 1, drop = 0,
             repeated = TRUE, cache = TRUE, do.kurtosis = FALSE)

ecd.data.ts(ts, start.date = "1950-01-01", end.date = "2015-12-31",
            on = "days", lag = 1, drop = 0, repeated = TRUE,
            do.kurtosis = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

<code>symbol</code>	character, the symbol of the time series. Default: dji
<code>start.date</code> , <code>end.date</code>	Date or character of ISO format (YYYY-MM-DD), to specify the date range, default is from 1950-01-01 to 2015-12-31. Set <code>start.date</code> and <code>end.date</code> to NULL or "" if you wish to get the entire time series.
<code>on</code>	character, specify the calendar interval, days, weeks, months. Default is days.
<code>lag</code>	integer, specify the lags of return calculation, default is 1.
<code>drop</code>	integer, specify number of largest outliers to drop, default is 0.
<code>repeated</code>	logical, specify whether to use repeated sampling or unique sampling, default is TRUE. Using "repeated" sampling can reduce noise due to insufficient sample size. This is particularly useful for larger lags.
<code>cache</code>	logical, use R's options memory to cache <code>xts</code> data, default is TRUE.
<code>do.kurtosis</code>	logical, if specified, calculate mean, sd, var, skewness, and kurtosis, default is FALSE.
<code>ts</code>	<code>xts</code> , the time series

## Value

`ecd.data` returns an `xts` object for the time series, with two columns - "Close" and "logr". `ecd.data.arr` and `ecd.data.ts` return a list of three vectors: `x` is the log-return, `p` is the prices, and `d` is the dates.

## Examples

```
dji <- ecd.data()
wti <- ecd.data("wti")
spx <- ecd.data.arr("spx", lag=5)
```

ecd.data\_stats      *Statistics and histogram on log returns*

## Description

Statistics and histogram on log returns are added to the xts attributes

## Usage

```
ecd.data_stats(ts = "dji", breaks = 20, merge_tails = c(0, 0),
               with.tail = FALSE, tail.N1 = 7, tail.N2 = 5)
```

## Arguments

<code>ts</code>	can be either a symbol of sample data, or the xts object from sample data
<code>breaks</code>	A length-one numeric, breaks for generating the histogram.
<code>merge_tails</code>	A length-two numeric vector. The first element is how many points in the left tail of histogram to be dropped during fitting. The second element is how many points in the right tail of histogram to be dropped during fitting.
<code>with.tail</code>	logical, include tail statistics, mainly on asymptotic kurtosis. Default: FALSE.
<code>tail.N1</code>	a numeric, defining the wider range of tail statistics
<code>tail.N2</code>	a numeric, defining the smaller range of tail statistics

## Value

The xts object containing ecd added attributes

## Examples

```
dji <- ecd.data_stats(ecd.data("dji"))
dji <- ecd.data_stats("dji")
```

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ecd.df2ts*Utility to standardize timeseries from data.frame to xts*

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## Description

This utility converts the df input to an xts object with columns and statistics required for the fitting/plot utility in the ecd package. The require columns are Date, Close, logr. This utility can also be used to convert the input from Quandl.

## Usage

```
ecd.df2ts(df, date_format = "%m/%d/%Y", dt = "Date", col_in = "Close",
           col_out = "Close", do.logr = TRUE, rnd.zero = 0.01)
```

## Arguments

df	Data.frame of the time serie
date_format	Character, date format of the input date column. It can be NULL to indicate no date conversion is needed. Default: "%m/%d/%Y".
dt	Character, the name of the input date column. Default: "Date"
col_in	Character, the name of the input closing price column. Default: "Close"
col_out	Character, the name of the output closing price column. Default: "Close"
do.logr	logical, if TRUE (default), produce xts object of logr; otherwise, just the col_out column.
rnd.zero	numeric, a small random factor (scaled to sd of logr) to avoid an unreal peak of zero log-returns.

## Value

The xts object for the time series

## Examples

```
## Not run:
ecd.df2ts(df)

## End(Not run)
```

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ecd.diff*Utility to diff a vector of numeric or mpfr to get first derivative*

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**Description**

This utility uses diff to get first derivative  $dy/dx$ . but it handles mpfr vector properly

**Usage**

```
ecd.diff(y, x, pad = 0)
```

**Arguments**

y	a vector of numeric or mpfr
x	a vector of numeric or mpfr
pad	integer, to manage padding so that the output vector has the same length as the input. 0 for no padding, 1 to repeat the first element, -1 to repeat the last element.

**Value**

the derivative vector

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd.diff(c(10,20,30), c(1,2,3), pad=1)
```

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ecd.erfq*Quartic scaled error function*

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**Description**

The scaled error function in quartic pricing model that encapsulates both scaled erfi and erfc functions into a single representation. This is used to provide an elegant expression for the MGF and local option prices,  $L_{c,p}$ . When sgn=-1, it is  $\sqrt{\pi}e^{-x^2}erfi(x)$ , which twice of Dawson function. When sgn=1, it is  $\sqrt{\pi}e^{-x^2}erfc(x)$ . ecd.erfq\_sum is the summation implementation with truncation rule set forth in the quartic pricing model. It achieves high precision when  $x > 4.5$ .

**Usage**

```
ecd.erfq(x, sgn)
```

```
ecd.erfq_sum(x, sgn)
```

**Arguments**

x	numeric
sgn	an integer of 1 or -1

**Value**

The mpfr object

**Examples**

```
x <- ecd.erfq(c(5,10,15), 1)
y <- ecd.erfq(c(5,10,15), -1)
```

ecd.estimate\_const      *Estimate the normalization constant for an ecd object*

**Description**

This is an internal helper function for ecd constructor. Its main function is to estimate const using analytical formula, without any dependency on statistics and numerical integration.

**Usage**

```
ecd.estimate_const(object)
```

**Arguments**

object	An object of ecd class
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**Value**

numeric, estimated const

**Examples**

```
ecd.estimate_const(ecd(100,100, sigma=0.1, bare.bone=TRUE))
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<code>ecd.fit_data</code>	<i>Sample data fit</i>
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### Description

Fitting sample data to ecd with a starting set of parameters. This is the highest level wrapper of the fitting routine.

### Usage

```
ecd.fit_data(symbol = "dji", iter = 1000, FIT = FALSE, EPS = FALSE,
conf_file = "conf/ecd-fit-conf.yml", eps_file = NULL, qa.fit = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

<code>symbol</code>	Character. The symbol of sample data. Default: dji.
<code>iter</code>	A length-one numeric. Number of maximum iterations. Default: 1000.
<code>FIT</code>	Logical, indicating whether to call linear regression, default = FALSE
<code>EPS</code>	Logical, indicating whether to save the plot to EPS, default = FALSE
<code>conf_file</code>	File name for symbol config, default to conf/ecd-fit-conf.yml
<code>eps_file</code>	File name for eps output
<code>qa.fit</code>	Logical, qa the standardfit_fn once.

### Value

Final ecd object

### Examples

```
## Not run:
dji <- ecd.fit_data("dji", FIT=T)

## End(Not run)
```

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<code>ecd.fit_ts_conf</code>	<i>Timeseries fitting utility</i>
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### Description

Fitting timeseries with provided conf as starting set of parameters.

### Usage

```
ecd.fit_ts_conf(ts, conf, iter = 1000, FIT = FALSE, EPS = FALSE,
eps_file = NULL, qa.fit = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>ts</code>	An xts object from either <code>ecd.data</code> or <code>ecd.df2ts</code> .
<code>conf</code>	A nested list object, the configuration.
<code>iter</code>	A length-one numeric. Number of maximum iterations. Default: 1000.
<code>FIT</code>	Logical, indicating whether to call linear regression, default = FALSE
<code>EPS</code>	Logical, indicating whether to save the plot to EPS, default = FALSE
<code>eps_file</code>	File name for eps output
<code>qa.fit</code>	Logical, qa the standardfit_fn once.

**Value**

Final ecd object

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
d <- ecd.fit_ts_conf(ts, conf)

## End(Not run)
```

`ecd.has_quantile`

*Whether the ecd object has quantile data or not*

**Description**

Whether the ecd object has quantile data or not. This is mostly for internal use.

**Usage**

```
ecd.has_quantile(object)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	an object of ecd class
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**Value**

logical, whether the object has quantile data or not.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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ecd.imgf	<i>Incomplete MGF of ecd</i>
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## Description

Incomplete moment generating function (IMGF) of ecd, integration of  $e^z P(z)$  for z from x to Inf.  
ecd.mu\_D is simply a wrapper around MGF.

## Usage

```
ecd.imgf(object, x = -Inf, t = 1, minus1 = FALSE, unit.sigma = FALSE,
n.sigma = .ecd.mpfr.N.sigma, verbose = FALSE)

ecd.mu_D(object)
```

## Arguments

object	an object of ecd class
x	a numeric vector of x, default to -Inf
t	a numeric value for MGF, default to 1
minus1	logical, subtracting one from $e^{tx}$
unit.sigma	logical, transforming to unit sigma to achieve greater stability. Due to the instability of quadpack for ecd.integrate_pdf, default to TRUE. But constructing a new ecd object has significant overhead, be aware of it in performance sensitive program.
n.sigma	length-one numeric, specifying the max number of sigma to check for truncation.
verbose	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.

## Value

The IMGF

## Author(s)

Stephen H. Lihn

## Examples

```
d <- ecd(0, 0, sigma=0.01)
x <- seq(0, 1, by=0.1)
ecd.imgf(d, x)
```

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<code>ecd.integrate</code>	<i>Wrapper to integrate numeric and mpfr</i>
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## Description

The wrapper handles chooses to to use `integrate` for numeric; or to use `integrateR` for `mpfr`. Since the later doesn't allow infinity, there is a special handling to replace infinity with a large multiple of sigma.

## Usage

```
ecd.integrate(object, f, lower, upper, ...,
  abs.tol = .Machine$double.eps^0.25, mpfr.qagi = TRUE,
  show.warning = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

<code>object</code>	An object of <code>ecd</code> class. This object can be bare-boned.
<code>f</code>	An R function taking a numeric first argument and returning a numeric vector of the same length. Returning a non-finite element will generate an error.
<code>lower</code>	Numeric, the lower limit of integration. Can be infinite.
<code>upper</code>	Numeric, the upper limit of integration. Can be infinite.
<code>...</code>	Addtional arguments for <code>f</code> .
<code>abs.tol</code>	numeric, the suggested absolute tolerance.
<code>mpfr.qagi</code>	logical, to use quadpack qagi transformation for infinity.
<code>show.warning</code>	logical, to suppress warnings or not.

## Value

The `integrate` object

## Author(s)

Stephen H. Lihn

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ecd.lag	<i>Utility to shift a vector of numeric or mpfr</i>
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### Description

This utility is basically the same as `Hmisc::Lag`, but it handles mpfr vector properly.

### Usage

```
ecd.lag(x, shift = 1, na.omit = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

x	a vector of numeric or mpfr
shift	integer, cells to shift
na.omit	logical, whether to remove the NAs

### Value

the shifted vector

### Examples

```
x <- ecd.lag(c(1,2,3))
y <- ecd.lag(ecd.mpfr(c(1,2,3)))
```

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ecd.manage_hist_tails	<i>Manage histogram tails</i>
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### Description

Manage histogram tails to remove very far outliers. `histtuple` is `list(hx = hist$mids, hy = hist$counts)`, which is an internal representation of histogram

### Usage

```
ecd.manage_hist_tails(htu, merge_tails = c(0, 0))
```

### Arguments

htu	list, input histtuple
merge_tails	length-two numeric vector, points to be merged for left and right tails

### Value

list, histtuple

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
htu2 <- ecd.manage_hist_tails(htu, c(1,2))

## End(Not run)
```

**ecd.max\_kurtosis**

*Utility to calculate where the maximum kurtosis is on the positive  $j=0$  line*

**Description**

This utility calculates the kurtosis for alpha from 2.85 to 3.00. Then the location and value of maximum kurtosis is presented.

**Usage**

```
ecd.max_kurtosis(jinv = 0)
```

**Arguments**

**jinv** specify 0 (default) or 1728.

**Value**

numeric vector, in which the first element is alpha, and the second element is the maximum kurtosis.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
k <- ecd.max_kurtosis()
alpha <- k[1]
kurtosis <- k[2]

## End(Not run)
```

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ecd.mp2f*Wrapper to convert mpfr to numeric*

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**Description**

Convert mpfr to numeric primarily for display messages.

**Usage**

```
ecd.mp2f(x)
```

**Arguments**

x	an object of <code>mpfr</code> class. If x is numeric class, it will be passed through.
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**Value**

a numeric vector

**Examples**

```
x <- ecd.mp2f(ecd.mpfr(c(1,2,3)))
```

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ecd.mpfr*Wrapper to convert numeric to mpfr*

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**Description**

Convert numeric to mpfr for ecd calculations. `ecd.mp1` is the constant 1 wrapped in `mpfr` class. `ecd.mppi` is the function to obtain pi from `Rmpfr` with an optional precision. This is used to implement `ecd.erfq`. `ecd.gamma` is a wrapper on `ecl::gamma`, which is the incomplete gamma function. `ecd.erf` is a wrapper on `Rmpfr::erf`; or `RcppFaddeeva::erf` when it's complex. `ecd.erfcx` is a wrapper on `Rmpfr::erfcx`; or `RcppFaddeeva::erfcx` when it's complex.. `ecd.erfc` is a wrapper on `Rmpfr::erfc`; or `RcppFaddeeva::erfc` when it's complex. This is used to implement `ecd.erfq`. `ecd.dawson` is a wrapper on `gsl::dawson`; or `RcppFaddeeva::Dawson` when it's complex. Dawson function is used to implement `ecd.erfq`. `ecd.erfi` is the imaginary scaled error function, which is implemented through `ecd.dawson`. Or `RcppFaddeeva::erfi` when it's complex. `ecd.devel` is a developer tool to size down intensive `mpfr` tests for CRAN. Set `ecd-devel` in R options or OS env to change its value.

**Usage**

```
ecd.mpfr(x, precBits =getOption("ecd.precBits"))

ecd.mp1

ecd.mppi(precBits =getOption("ecd.precBits"))

ecd.gamma(s, x, na.stop = TRUE)

ecd.erf(x)

ecd.erfc(x)

ecd.erfcx(x)

ecd.dawson(x)

ecd.erfi(x)

ecd.devel()
```

**Arguments**

x	a numeric vector or list. If x is mpfr class, it will be passed through.
precBits	an integer for mpfr precBits. Default is from getOption("ecd.precBits").
s	numeric vector, for the order of incomplete gamma function
na.stop	logical, stop if NaN is generated. The default is TRUE.

**Format**

An object of class `mpfr` of length 1.

**Value**

The `mpfr` object

**Examples**

```
x <- ecd.mpfr(1)
y <- ecd.mpfr(c(1,2,3))
z <- ecd.mp1
p <- ecd.mppi()
```

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ecd.mpfr\_qagi*Utility to integrate mpfr with infinity via qagi*

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**Description**

This utility supplements `Rmpfr::integrateR` with the quadpack `qagi` method to handle integration involving infinity. `Qagi` is a transformation of  $x/\sigma = (1-t)/t$  for positive  $x$ , and  $x/\sigma = (t-1)/t$  for negative  $x$ .  $t = 0$  is represented by `.Machine$double.eps`. This utility requires (a) lower or upper is  $+-\text{Inf}$ ; (b) lower and upper are of the same sign.

**Usage**

```
ecd.mpfr_qagi(object, f, lower, upper, ...,
               abs.tol = .Machine$double.eps^0.25, show.warning = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of <code>ecd</code> class
f	an R function taking a numeric first argument and returning a numeric vector of the same length. Returning a non-finite element will generate an error.
lower	numeric, the lower limit of integration. Can be infinite.
upper	numeric, the upper limit of integration. Can be infinite.
...	additional arguments for f.
abs.tol	numeric, the suggested absolute tolerance.
show.warning	logical, to suppress warnings or not.

**Value**

The `integrate` object

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

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ecd.mpnum*Wrappers for ecd to maintain consistent type between mpfr and numeric*

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**Description**

Primarily to make sure  $x$  is converted to `mpfr` vector if it is not, when `use.mpfr` is set.

**Usage**

```
ecd.mppnum(object, x)

ecd.ifelse(object, test, yes, no)

ecd.sapply(object, x, FUN, ...)

ecd.mcsapply(object, x, FUN, ...)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
x	a vector of numeric or mpfr.
test	logical, test of ifelse.
yes	return values for true elements of test
no	return values for false elements of test
FUN	the function to be applied to each element of x
...	optional arguments to FUN

**Value**

a numeric or mpfr vector

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

ecd.ogf

*Option generating function of ecd*

**Description**

Option generating function (OGF) of ecd. For call, it is integration of  $(e^z - e^k)P(z)$  for z from k to Inf. For put, it is integration of  $(e^k - e^z)P(z)$  for z from -Inf to k.

**Usage**

```
ecd.ogf(object, k, otype = "c", unit.sigma = FALSE, verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
k	a numeric vector of log-strike
otype	character, specifying option type: c or p.
unit.sigma	logical, transforming to unit sigma to achieve greater stability.
verbose	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.

**Value**

The option price normalized by underlying

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd(0, 0, sigma=0.01)
k <- seq(-0.1, 0.1, by=0.01)
ecd.ogf(d, k, "c")
```

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ecd.pdf

*Calculate the PDF of an ecd object*

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**Description**

Calculate the PDF of an ecd object

**Usage**

```
ecd.pdf(object, x)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
x	numeric vector of $x$ dimension

**Value**

numeric vector of the PDF

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd()
x <- seq(-10, 10, by=1)
ecd.pdf(d,x)
```

**ecd.polar***Polar constructor of ecd class***Description**

Construct an ecd class by specifying R and theta. They are converted to alpha and gamma, then passed onto the ecd constructor.

**Usage**

```
ecd.polar(R = NaN, theta = NaN, sigma = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0,
           cusp = 0, with.stats = TRUE, with.quantile = FALSE, bare.bone = FALSE,
           verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

R	numeric, the radius parameter. Default is NaN.
theta	numeric, the angle parameter. Default: NaN.
sigma	numeric, the scale parameter. Must be positive. Default: 1.
beta	numeric, the skewness parameter. Default: 0.
mu	numeric, the location parameter. Default: 0.
cusp	logical, indicate type of cusp (0,1,2).
with.stats	logical, also calculate statistics, default is TRUE.
with.quantile	logical, also calculate quantile data, default is FALSE.
bare.bone	logical, skip both const and stats calculation, default is FALSE. This for debug purpose for issues on integrating $e^y(x)$ .
verbose	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose, default is FALSE.

**Value**

The ecd class

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd.polar(R=1, theta=0.5*pi)
```

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<code>ecd.rational</code>	<i>Utility to convert a numeric to a rational</i>
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### Description

Convert a numeric x to rational p/q, which is then used for polynomial construction. It can be used for displaying the time as fraction of a year too.

### Usage

```
ecd.rational(x, pref.denominator = numeric(0), cycles = 10,
             max.denominator = 500, as.character = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	numeric
<code>pref.denominator</code>	numeric, a list of preferred integer denominators to conform to, default is <code>numeric(0)</code> .
<code>cycles</code>	numeric, maximum number of steps, default is 10.
<code>max.denominator</code>	numeric, maximum denominator when the loop of trial should stop, default is 500.
<code>as.character</code>	logical, if specified, convert to character of p/q, default is FALSE.

### Value

vector of two integers, representing numerator and denominator. If `as.character` is true, then return character instead of the rational pair. If `x` is a vector and `as.character` is false, return a matrix of `length(x)` by 2.

### Examples

```
 pq1 <- ecd.rational(2.5)
 pq2 <- ecd.rational(1/250)
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<code>ecd.read_csv_by_symbol</code>	<i>Read csv file of sample data</i>
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### Description

This is a helper utility to read sample csv file into data frame. The main use for external users is to read the option data since it has a different format than other price timeseries data.

**Usage**

```
ecd.read_csv_by_symbol(symbol = "dji", extdata_dir = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

- symbol            Character for the symbol of the time series. Default: dji  
 extdata\_dir      optionally specify user's own extdata folder

**Value**

The data.frame object

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
dji <- ecd.read_csv_by_symbol("dji")
spx <- ecd.read_csv_by_symbol("spxoption2")
```

ecd.read\_symbol\_conf    *Read conf for sample data*

**Description**

Read conf for sample data

**Usage**

```
ecd.read_symbol_conf(symbol, conf_file = "conf/ecd-fit-conf.yml")
```

**Arguments**

- symbol            Character. The symbol of sample data. Default: dji.  
 conf\_file        File name for symbol config, default to conf/ecd-fit-conf.yml

**Value**

the conf object

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
conf <- ecd.read_symbol_conf("dji")

## End(Not run)
```

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**ecd.sd***Standard deviation, variance, mean, skewness, and kurtosis of ecd*

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## Description

Convenience wrappers around ecd's stats data

## Usage

```
ecd.sd(object)  
ecd.var(object)  
ecd.mean(object)  
ecd.skewness(object)  
ecd.kurt(object)  
ecd.kurtosis(object)
```

## Arguments

object            an object of ecd class

## Value

numeric or mpfr

## Examples

```
d <- ecd(-1,1)  
ecd.sd(d)  
ecd.var(d)  
ecd.mean(d)  
ecd.skewness(d)  
ecd.kurt(d)
```

`ecd.setup_const`      *Integration preprocessor for an ecd object*

### Description

This is an internal helper function for ecd constructor Its main function is to determine const, const\_left\_x, and const\_right\_x during object construction.

### Usage

```
ecd.setup_const(object, verbose = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

<code>object</code>	An object of ecd class
<code>verbose</code>	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.

### Value

```
list(const, const_left_x, const_right_x)
```

### Author(s)

Stephen H. Lihn

### Examples

```
ecd.toString(ecd(-1,1, sigma=0.1))
```

`ecd.solve_cusp_asym`      *Trigonometric solution for asymmetric cusp distribution*

### Description

The simplified trigonometric solution for  $x^2 = -y^3 - \text{beta} * x * y$

### Usage

```
ecd.solve_cusp_asym(x, beta)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	Array of x dimension
<code>beta</code>	the skew parameter

**Value**

Array of y

**Examples**

```
x <- seq(-100,100,by=0.1)
y <- ecd.solve_cusp_asym(x, beta=0.5)
```

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**ecd.stats***Compute statistics of an ecd object*

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**Description**

Compute statistics for m1, m2, m3, m4, mean, var, skewness, kurtosis. This is used as part of ecd constructor.

**Usage**

```
ecd.stats(object, asymp.q = NULL, verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

- |         |  |
|---------|--|
| object  | an object of ecd class   |
| asymq.q | If specified, a length-one numeric as asymptotic quantile for the asymptotic statistics. There is a wrapper in <a href="#">ecd.asymp.stats</a> |
| verbose | logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.  |

**Value**

a list of m1, m2, m3, m4, mean, var, skewness, kurtosis

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd(1,1)
ecd.stats(d)
```

ecd.toString	<i>String representation of ecd</i>
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### Description

A string representation of an ecd object. Can be used for warning or error.

### Usage

```
ecd.toString(object, full = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

object	An object of ecd class
full	logical, indicating if long form (multiple lines) should be rendered.

### Value

character

### Examples

```
ecd.toString(ecd(-1,1, sigma=0.1))
```

ecd.ts_lag_stats	<i>Lag statistics on timeseries of log returns</i>
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### Description

Lag statistics on log returns are added to the xts attributes. It takes a vector of lags and calculates the mean, stdev, var, skewness, and kurtosis for cumulative log returns of each lag. The data is stored as a list of vectors under lagstats attribute. Be aware this function uses multicore lapply.

### Usage

```
ecd.ts_lag_stats(ts = "dji", lags, absolute = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

ts	the xts object from sample data. The ts must have the logr column. If a string is given, it will be replaced with sample data of the symbol.
lags	a numeric vector of integers greater than 0.
absolute	logical, if TRUE, statistics calculated on absolute log returns. Default: FALSE.

**Value**

The xts object containing lagstats attribute

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
dji <- ecd.ts_lag_stats(ecd.data("dji"), 2)  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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ecd.uniroot

*Uniroot wrapper*

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**Description**

This function wraps ordinary uniroot and unirootR (from Rmpfr) to the same interface.

**Usage**

```
ecd.uniroot(f, lower, upper, use.mpfr = FALSE,  
           tol = .Machine$double.eps^0.25, maxiter = 100)
```

**Arguments**

- |              |  |
|--------------|--|
| f            | the function for which the root is sought.                     |
| lower, upper | the lower and upper end points of the interval to be searched. |
| use.mpfr     | logical, to use MPFR (default), or else uniroot in stats.      |
| tol          | the desired accuracy (convergence tolerance).                  |
| maxiter      | the maximum number of iterations.                              |

**Value**

uniroot result

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

`ecd.y0_isomorphic`      *The analytic solution of  $y(0)$  via isomorphic mapping.*

## Description

This utility can be called two ways: (a) specify R and theta; (b) provide the ecd object. But not at the same time.

## Usage

```
ecd.y0_isomorphic(theta = NaN, R = 1, object = NULL)
```

## Arguments

<code>theta</code>	numeric vector, the polar coordinate
<code>R</code>	numeric vector, the polar coordinate
<code>object</code>	optionally, a single ecd object

## Value

the value of  $y(0)$

## Examples

```
t <- 45/180*pi
ecd.y0_isomorphic(t)
```

`ecdattr`      *Constructor of ecdattr class for the Elliptic Database (ECDB)*

## Description

Construct an ecdattr class by providing the required parameters. This object has one-to-one correspondence to the rows in ECDATTR table. This is used primarily as object wrapper for safe update to ECDB.

## Usage

```
ecdattr(alpha, gamma = NaN, cusp = 0, use.mpfr = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

alpha	numeric, must be an integer after multiplied by 1000000.
gamma	numeric, must be an integer after multiplied by 1000000. NaN if cusp is 1.
cusp	numeric, representing type of cusp. Only 0 (default) and 1 are allowed.
use.mpfr	logical, whether to use mpfr for ecd object, default is FALSE.

### Value

an object of ecdattr class

### Examples

```
a <- ecdattr(1,1)
b <- ecdattr(alpha=1, cusp=1)
```

### ecdattr-class

*An S4 class to represent the ecdattr row in the Elliptic Database (ECDB)*

### Description

The ecdattr class serves as an object-oriented interface between R and ECDB. This class is used extensively during the `bootstrap` process. A list of light-weight ecdattr objects is created first by `ecdattr.pairs` function, then the `ecdattr.enrich` function is invoked in parallel to calculate additional ecd attributes.

### Slots

`call` the match.call slot  
`alpha` numeric  
`gamma` numeric. When cusp is 1, gamma is derived.  
`cusp` numeric, representing type of cusp. Only 0 (default) and 1 are allowed.  
`use.mpfr` logical, whether to use mpfr for ecd object.  
`enriched` logical. If TRUE, it indicates the object has been enriched with ecd attributes.  
`alpha_m` numeric, alpha\*1000000.  
`gamma_m` numeric, gamma\*1000000.  
`ecd` an object of ecd class.  
`attr` list of attributes. They are NULL protected for SQLite.

`ecdattr.enrich`      *Enrich a basic ecdattr object*

## Description

It takes a basic ecdattr object, enrich it with ecd attributes. This function is computationally heavy. So the objects are often wrapped in a list and computed via `parallel::mclapply`.

## Usage

```
ecdattr.enrich(p)
```

## Arguments

<code>p</code>	a basic ecdattr object
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## Value

an enriched ecdattr object

`ecdattr.pairs`      *Create a list of basic ecdattr objects*

## Description

The list is created by the Cartesian product between alpha and gamma. This contains the data points of a rectangular area defined by alpha, gamma. If cusp is 1, data points are on the critical line specified by alpha.

## Usage

```
ecdattr.pairs(alpha, gamma, cusp = 0, use.mpfr = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

<code>alpha, gamma</code>	numeric vectors
<code>cusp</code>	numeric, representing type of cusp. Only 0 (default) and 1 are allowed.
<code>use.mpfr</code>	logical, whether to use mpfr for ecd object, default is FALSE.

## Value

a list of basic ecdattr objects.

`ecdattr.pairs_polar`    *Create a list of basic ecdattr objects in polar coordinate*

### Description

The list is created by the Cartesian product between R and theta. This contains the data points of a circular area defined by R, theta. If cusp is 1, data points are on the critical line specified by R.

### Usage

```
ecdattr.pairs_polar(R, theta, cusp = 0, use.mpfr = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

<code>R, theta</code>	numeric vectors
<code>cusp</code>	numeric, representing type of cusp. Only 0 (default) and 1 are allowed.
<code>use.mpfr</code>	logical, whether to use mpfr for ecd object, default is FALSE.

### Value

a list of basic ecdattr objects.

`ecdb`                  *Constructor of ecdb class for the elliptic database*

### Description

Construct an ecdb class by providing the required parameters. The default is to use the internal database location. But the internal db is limited in size. The the elliptic database stores the stdev, kurtosis, discriminant, j-invariant, and ellipticity. for alpha and gamma between -100 and 100. Step size is 1 for -100 to 100; 0.25 for -50 to 50; 0.1 for -10 to 10; 0.025 between -6 and 1. Speical lines with step size of 0.001 for j0 and j1728 between -10 and 10; 0.01 for kmax and critical between 0 and 100. For asym1X, step size is 10 from 100 to 1000. For asym2X, step size is 100 from 1000 to 10000. For asym3X, step size is 1000 from 10000 to 60000. For polar-q1, step size is 0.025 from 0 to 20 for log2(R), and integer angles, 0-89.

### Usage

```
ecdb(file = NULL, newdb = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

<code>file</code>	Character, the full path to an elliptic database. Use "internal" to force the usage of the internal db.
<code>newdb</code>	Logical. If TRUE, remove existing db and create a new one. Default: FALSE.

**Value**

An object of ecdb class

**Examples**

```
db <- ecdb("internal")
```

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ecdb-class

*setClass for ecdb class*

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**Description**

setClass for ecdb class

**Slots**

- call the match.call slot
- file character, the full path to an elliptic database.
- conn an object of SQLiteConnection class.
- is.internal logical, whether the connected db is internal.
- conf list of configuration for data generation assigned by the constructor. Typical user should not have to modify this list unless you need to generate more data for advanced research.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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ecdb.dbSendQuery

*Send query to the elliptic database*

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**Description**

This API is used for write operations such as CREATE and INSERT.

**Usage**

```
ecdb.dbSendQuery(db, statement, ...)
```

**Arguments**

db	an object of ecdb class
statement	character, the SQL statement
...	database-specific parameters may be specified here

**Value**

a result set object

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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ecdb.protectiveCommit *Protective commit*

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**Description**

Protective commit after sending query to the elliptic database.

**Usage**

ecdb.protectiveCommit(db)

**Arguments**

db                   an object of ecdb class

**Value**

The db object

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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ecdq                   *Constructor of ecdq class*

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**Description**

Construct an ecdq class by providing the required parameters.

**Usage**

ecdq(ecd, verbose = FALSE)

**Arguments**

ecd                   An object of ecd class  
verbose               logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.

**Value**

An object of ecdq class

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
d <- ecd()
dq <- ecdq(d)

## End(Not run)
```

**ecdq-class**

*setClass for ecdq class*

**Description**

setClass for ecdq class, the quantile generator

**Slots**

- `call` the match.call slot
- `xseg.from,xseg.to` numeric vectors. The from and to for each x segment.
- `cseg.from,cseg.to` numeric vectors. The from and to for each cdf segment.
- `cseg.min,cseg.max` numeric. The min and max of cdf segments.
- `N_seg` numeric. Number of segments.
- `cdf.fit` A vector of lm object, one for each segment.
- `x_left_tail,x_right_tail` numeric. The starting x of left and right tails.
- `fit.left,fit.right` objects of lm class for fitting the tails.
- `conf` list of miscelaneous configurations. For debugging purpose.

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<code>ecl</code>	<i>Constructor of ecl class</i>
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## Description

Construct an ecl class by providing the required parameters. The default is the standard symmetric cusp distribution. The default also doesn't calculate any ecd extension. `ecl`.`from` allows you to pass the parameters from an existing ecd object. `ecl`.`validate` checks if an object is `ecl` class. `ecl`.`quartic` is a convenient constructor designed for quartic distribution. `ecl`.`from_sd` calculates sigma from a given sd and renders a vanilla `ecl` object.

## Usage

```
ecl(ecl(lambda = 3, sigma = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0, epsilon = NaN,
        rho = NaN, with.ecd = FALSE, with.mu_D = FALSE, with.RN = FALSE,
        is.sged = FALSE, verbose = FALSE)

ecl.from(object, with.ecd = FALSE, with.mu_D = FALSE, with.RN = FALSE,
         verbose = FALSE)

ecl.validate(object, sged.allowed = FALSE, sged.only = FALSE)

ecl.quartic(sigma, epsilon, rho, mu_plus_ratio = NaN, mu_plus = NaN)

ecl.from_sd(lambda = 3, sd = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0)
```

## Arguments

<code>lambda</code>	numeric, the lambda parameter. Must be positive. Default: 3.
<code>sigma</code>	numeric, the scale parameter. Must be positive. Default: 1.
<code>beta</code>	numeric, the skewness parameter. Default: 0.
<code>mu</code>	numeric, the location parameter. Default: 0.
<code>epsilon</code>	The supplemental residual premium for lambda transformation. It is default to NaN in <code>ecl</code> constructor since its meaning is not defined.
<code>rho</code>	The supplemental momentum shift for lambda transformation. It is default to NaN in <code>ecl</code> constructor since its meaning is not defined.
<code>with.ecd</code>	logical, also calculate the ecd object, default is FALSE.
<code>with.mu_D</code>	logical, also calculate the ecd risk-neutral drift, default is FALSE. If TRUE, this flag supercedes <code>with.ecd</code> . Also <code>mu</code> must set to zero.
<code>with.RN</code>	logical, also calculate the risk-neutral ecd object, default is FALSE. If TRUE, this flag supercedes <code>with.mu_D</code> .
<code>is.sged</code>	logical, if TRUE, interpret parameters as SGED.
<code>verbose</code>	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose, default is FALSE.
<code>object</code>	an object of <code>ecl</code> class

sgcd.allowed logical, used in ecld.validate to indicate if the function allows SGED.  
 sgcd.only logical, used in ecld.validate to indicate if the function is only for SGED.  
 mu\_plus, mu\_plus\_ratio numeric, excess value in addition to mu\_D. When ratio is provided, it is relative to the stdev.  
 sd numeric, the scale parameter expressed in stdev instead of sigma. Internally, It is converted to sigma via uniroot on ecld.sd. Must be positive. Default: 1.

### Value

an object of ecld class

### Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

### Examples

```
ld <- ecld()
ld <- ecld(2, 0.01)
ld <- ecld.from_sd(3, 0.1)
```

### Description

The ecld class serves as an object-oriented interface for the lambda distribution. The ecld prefix will also be used as the namespace for many analytic formulai derived in lambda distribution, especially when lambda = 1,2,3. Because of the extensive use of analytic formulai and enhanced precision through the unit distribution, MPFR is not needed in most cases. This makes option pricing calculation in ecld much faster than its counterpart built on the more general-purpose ecd library.

### Slots

call the match.call slot  
 lambda numeric  
 sigma numeric  
 beta numeric  
 mu numeric  
 use.mpfr logical, whether to use mpfr for ecld object. If any of the above parameters is mpfr, then this flag is set to TRUE.  
 is.sgdc logical, if TRUE, interpret parameters as SGED.  
 ecd the companion object of ecd class (optional)

`mu_D` the risk-neutral drift, optional, but preferred to have value if the object is to engage with OGF calculation.  
`epsilon` the residual risk, optional as a storage for lambda transformation  
`rho` the momentum shift, optional as a storage for lambda transformation  
`ecd_RN` the risk-neutral companion object of ecd class (optional)  
`status` numeric, bitmap recording the state of the calculation layers. 1: bare bone; 2: ecd; 4: `mu_D`; 8: `ecd_RN`

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

eclid.cdf

*CDF and CCDF of eclid*

**Description**

The analytic solutions for CDF and CCDF of eclid, if available. `eclid.cdf_gamma` is a sub-module with the CDF expressed as incomplete gamma function. SGED is supported only in `eclid.cdf` and `eclid.ccdf`.

**Usage**

```
eclid.cdf(object, x)
eclid.ccdf(object, x)
eclid.cdf_integrate(object, x)
eclid.cdf_gamma(object, x)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	an object of <code>eclid</code> class
<code>x</code>	a numeric vector of <code>x</code>

**Value**

The CDF or CCDF vector

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- eclid(sigma=0.01*ecd.mp1)
x <- seq(-0.1, 0.1, by=0.01)
eclid.cdf(ld,x)
```

`ecld.const`*Analytic solution of the normalization constant for lambda distribution***Description**

The normalization constant  $C$ . SGED is supported.

**Usage**

```
ecld.const(object)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	an object of <code>ecld</code> class
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**Value**

`numeric`

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(3)
ecld.const(ld)
```

`ecld.fixed_point_SN0_atm_ki`*The ATM RNO related constants and calculations in fixed point model***Description**

Computes the small sigma limit of ATM location, rho/stdev, ATM skew of  $Q_c$ , and the ratio of lambda to ATM skew under the RNO measure in the fixed point model.

**Usage**

```
ecld.fixed_point_SN0_atm_ki(lambda)
ecld.fixed_point_SN0_rho_sd(lambda)
ecld.fixed_point_SN0_atm_ki_sd()
ecld.fixed_point_SN0_skew(lambda, atm_ki = NULL)
ecld.fixed_point_SN0_lambda_skew_ratio(lambda, atm_ki = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

lambda	numeric the lambda parameter.
atm_ki	numeric optional and experimental, use it as override. This is for experimental purpose, default is NULL. A typical override is the sd/sigma.

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

ecld.gamma

*Incomplete gamma function and asymptotic expansion***Description**

ecld.gamma is the wrapper for incomplete gamma function  $\Gamma(s, x)$ . It is mainly to wrap around pgamma. And ecld.gamma\_hgeo is the asymptotic expansion of  $\Gamma(s, x)$  using hypergeometric series,  $e^{-x}x^{s-1}{}_2F_0(1, 1-s; -1/x)$ . It is mainly used in for star OGF  $L^*(k; \lambda)$ . ecld.gamma\_2F0 is simply  ${}_2F_0(1, 1-s; -1/x)$ , which is used in the star OGF expansion.

**Usage**

```
ecld.gamma(s, x = 0, na.stop = TRUE)

ecld.gamma_hgeo(s, x, order)

ecld.gamma_2F0(s, x, order)
```

**Arguments**

s	numeric vector, for the order of incomplete gamma function
x	numeric or MPFR vector
na.stop	logical, stop if NaN is generated. The default is TRUE.
order	numeric, the order of the power series

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**ecld.imgf***Incomplete moment generating function (IMGF) of ecld***Description**

The analytic solutions for IMGF of *ecld*, if available. Note that, by default, risk neutrality is honored. However, you must note that when fitting market data, this is usually not true. SGED is supported.

**Usage**

```
ecld.imgf(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)
ecld.imgf_quartic(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)
ecld.imgf_gamma(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)
ecld.imgf_integrate(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	an object of <i>ecld</i> class
<code>k</code>	a numeric vector of log-strike
<code>otype</code>	character, specifying option type: c (default) or p.
<code>RN</code>	logical, use risk-neutral assumption for <code>mu_D</code>

**Value**

numeric, incomplete MGF

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(sigma=0.01)
ecld.imgf(ld,0)
```

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ecldeimnt*Incomplete moment (imnt) of eclde*

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## Description

The analytic solutions for imnt of eclde, if available. Note that, by default, risk neutrality is honored. `ecldeimnt_sum` provides an alternative method to calculate IMGF.

## Usage

```
ecldeimnt(object, ki, order, otype = "c")
ecldeimnt_integrate(object, ki, order, otype = "c")
ecldeimnt_sum(object, ki, order, otype = "c")
```

## Arguments

object	an object of eclde class
ki	numeric vector of normalized log-strike, $(k-\mu)/\sigma$
order	numeric. Order of the moment to be computed. For <code>ecldeimnt_sum</code> , this is the maximum order to be truncated. For small sigma at lambda=3, this can be simply 2. If Inf, the slope truncation procedure will be used to determine the maximum order. However, due to the numeric limit of pgamma, it is capped at 100.
otype	character, specifying option type: c (default) or p.

## Value

numeric vector

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

## Examples

```
ld <- eclde(sigma=0.01*ecd.mp1)
ki <- seq(-0.1, 0.1, by=0.01)
ecldeimnt(ld,ki, 1)
```

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<code>ecld.ivol_ogf_star</code>	<i>Calculate implied volatility using star OGF and small sigma formula</i>
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## Description

Calculate implied volatility using star OGF and small sigma formula. SGED is not supported yet.

## Usage

```
ecld.ivol_ogf_star(object, ki, epsilon = 0, otype = "c",
order.local = Inf, order.global = Inf, ignore.mu = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

<code>object</code>	an object of ecld class
<code>ki</code>	a numeric vector of log-strike
<code>epsilon</code>	numeric, small asymptotic premium added to local regime
<code>otype</code>	option type
<code>order.local</code>	numeric, order of the hypergeometric series to be computed for local regime. Default is Inf, use the incomplete gamma. When it is NaN, L* value is suppressed.
<code>order.global</code>	numeric, order of the hypergeometric series to be computed for global regime. Default is Inf, use the incomplete gamma. If NaN, then revert to OGF.
<code>ignore.mu</code>	logical, ignore exp(mu) on both sides, default is FALSE.

## Value

The state price of option in star OGF terms. For `ecld.ivol_ogf_star`, it is  $\sigma_1$ .

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

## Examples

```
ld <- ecld(sigma=0.001)
ecld.ivol_ogf_star(ld, 0)
```

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**eclt.mgf\_term***The term structure of eclt symmetric MGF*

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## Description

`eclt.mgf_term` and `eclt.mgf_diterm` are the term and derivative of the term by order (n) in the summation of MGF. Since `eclt.mgf_term` uses `lgamma` instead of `gamma` itself, `eclt.mgf_term_original` is to preserve the original formula. `eclt.mgf_trunc` uses `eclt.mgf_diterm` to locate the truncation of MGF terms. `eclt.mgf_trunc_max_sigma` locates the maximum sigma that keeps MGF finite for each lambda. SGED is supported.

## Usage

```
eclt.mgf_term(object, order, t = 1)  
eclt.mgf_term_original(object, order, t = 1)  
eclt.mgf_diterm(object, order, t = 1)  
eclt.mgf_trunc(object, t = 1)  
eclt.mgf_trunc_max_sigma(object, order = 1)
```

## Arguments

object	an object of ecd class
order	numeric. Order of the term (moment). Order can be a vector.
t	numeric, for MGF

## Value

numeric

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

## Examples

```
ld <- eclt(3, sigma=0.01*ecd.mp1)  
eclt.mgf_trunc(ld)
```

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**ecld.moment***The moments and MGF of ecld*

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**Description**

Compute the moments and MGF of ecld for  $\mu=0$  (centered), via analytical result whenever is available. SGED is supported.

**Usage**

```
ecld.moment(object, order, ignore.mu = TRUE)

ecld.mgf(object, t = 1)

ecld.mgf_by_sum(object, t = 1)

ecld.mgf_quartic(object, t = 1)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
order	numeric, order of the moment to be computed
ignore.mu	logical, disregard mu; otherwise, stop if mu is not zero.
t	numeric, for MGF

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(lambda=3, sigma=0.01*ecd.mp1)
ecld.moment(ld, 2)
ecld.mgf(ld)
```

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ecld.mpnum

*Wrappers for ecld to maintain consistent type between mpfr and numeric*

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## Description

Primarily to make sure x is converted to mpfr vector if it is not, when use.mpfr is set.

## Usage

```
ecld.mpnum(object, x)  
ecld.ifelse(object, test, yes, no)  
ecld.sapply(object, x, FUN, ...)  
ecld.mclapply(object, x, FUN, ...)
```

## Arguments

object	an object of ecd class
x	a vector of numeric or mpfr.
test	logical, test of ifelse.
yes	return values for true elements of test
no	return values for false elements of test
FUN	the function to be applied to each element of x
...	optional arguments to FUN

## Value

a numeric or mpfr vector

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**ecld.mu\_D***mu\_D of ecld***Description**

The analytic solutions for risk-neutral drift. If analytic form doesn't exist, it uses integral of unit distribution. This is different from `ecld.mgf` where series summation is used.

**Usage**

```
ecld.mu_D(object, validate = TRUE)

ecld.mu_D_quartic(object)

ecld.mu_D_by_sum(object)

ecld.mu_D_integrate(object, validate = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	an object of <code>ecld</code> class
<code>validate</code>	logical, if true (default), stop when the result is NaN or infinite.

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(sigma=0.01*ecd.mp1)
ecld.mu_D(ld)
```

**ecld.ogf***Option generating function (OGF) of ecld***Description**

The analytic solutions for OGF of `ecld`, if available. Note that, by default, risk neutrality is honored. However, you must note that when fitting market data, this is usually not true. It is also more preferable that input object already contains `mu_D`. It is more consistent and saves time.

**Usage**

```
ecld.ogf(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)

ecld.ogf_quartic(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)

ecld.ogf_integrate(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)

ecld.ogf_gamma(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)

ecld.ogf_imnt_sum(object, k, order, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)

ecld.ogf_log_slope(object, k, otype = "c", RN = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecld class
k	a numeric vector of log-strike
otype	character, specifying option type: c (default) or p.
RN	logical, use risk-neutral assumption for mu_D
order	numeric, order of the moment to be computed

**Value**

The state price of option

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(sigma=0.01*ecd.mp1)
k <- seq(-0.1, 0.1, by=0.05)
ecld.ogf(ld,k)
```

**Description**

The star OGF of ecld is the limiting OGF for small sigma. It only depends on the normalized k and lambda. Its dependency on sigma and mu is removed. SGED is not supported yet.

**Usage**

```
ecld.ogf_star(object, ki)

ecld.ogf_star_hgeo(object, ki, order = 4)

ecld.ogf_star_exp(object, ki, order = 3)

ecld.ogf_star_gamma_star(object, ki, order = 6)

ecld.ogf_star_analytic(object, ki)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecld class
ki	a numeric vector of log-strike
order	numeric, order of the hypergeometric series to be computed

**Value**

The state price of option in star OGF terms.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(sigma=0.001*ecd.mp1)
ki <- seq(1, 5, by=1)
ecld.ogf_star(ld, ki)
```

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*ecld.op\_Q*

*The Q operator in option pricing model*

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**Description**

The Q operator generates the normalized implied volatility  $\sigma_1(k)/\sigma$ . *cld.op\_Q\_skew* calculates the skew in Q space by ki and +/- dki/2. *cld.op\_Q\_skew\_by\_k\_lm* calculates the skew in Q space by lm on a vector of k. ki is derived internally from  $(k-\mu-\rho)/\sigma$ . *ecld.fixed\_point\_atm\_Q\_left* is the left hand side of fixed point ATM hypothesis. *ecld.fixed\_point\_atm\_Q\_right* is the right hand side of fixed point ATM hypothesis, assuming shift is stored in rho. *ecld.fixed\_point\_atm\_ki* is the ATM ki in fixed point ATM hypothesis. assuming shift is stored in rho. *ecld.fixed\_point\_shift* is the utility for the standard shift algorithm,  $-(atm\_imp\_k - \mu)$ .

**Usage**

```
ecld.op_Q(object, ki, otype = "c")

ecld.op_Q_skew(object, ki, dki = 0.1, otype = "c")

ecld.op_Q_skew_by_k_lm(object, k, otype = "c")

ecld.fixed_point_atm_Q_left(object, otype = "c")

ecld.fixed_point_atm_ki(object)

ecld.fixed_point_atm_Q_right(object)

ecld.fixed_point_shift(object, atm_imp_k)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecl <sup>d</sup> class with built-in $\rho, \epsilon$
ki	numeric, a vector of $\sigma$ -normalized log-strike
otype	character, specifying option type: c (default) or p.
dki	numeric, delta of ki for calculating slope
k	numeric, a vector of log-strike
atm_imp_k	numeric, the ATM implied log-strike. It is derived from ATM volatility times square root of time to expiration.

**Value**

a numeric vector, representing Q or skew of Q. For ecl<sup>d</sup>.fixed\_point\_atm\_ki, it is ATM ki. For ecl<sup>d</sup>.fixed\_point\_shift, it is the shift.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Description**

The O operator takes a vector of implied volatility  $\sigma_1(k)$  and transforms them to a vector of normalized option prices. The V operator takes a vector of normalized option prices and transforms them to a vector of implied volatility  $\sigma_1(k)$ . If ttm is provided,  $\sigma_1(k)$  will be divided by square root of 2 \* ttm and yield Black-Scholes implied volatility. The U operator calculates the log-slope of the option prices. The op\_VL\_quartic operator is the quartic composite of V x OGF, assuming epsilon and rho are deposited in the ecl<sup>d</sup> object. The RN parameter for OGF is not available here. It is always assumed to be FALSE.

**Usage**

```
ecld.op_V(L, k, otype = "c", ttm = NaN, rho = 0, stop.on.na = FALSE,
use.mc = TRUE)

ecld.op_0(sigma1, k, otype = "c", rho = 0)

ecld.op_U_lag(L, k, sd, n = 2)

ecld.op_VL_quartic(object, k, otype = "c", ttm = NaN, stop.on.na = FALSE,
use.mc = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

L	numeric, a vector of normalized local option prices
k	numeric, a vector of log-strike
otype	character, specifying option type: c (default) or p.
ttm	numeric, time to expiration (maturity), measured by fraction of year. If specified, V operator will adjust $\sigma_1(k)$ to Black-Scholes implied volatility. Default is NaN.
rho	numeric, specify the shift in the global mu.
stop.on.na	logical, to stop if fails to find solution. Default is to use NaN and not stop.
use.mc	logical, to use mclapply, or else just use for loop. Default is TRUE. For loop option is typically for debugging.
sigma1	numeric, a vector of implied volatility (without T)
sd	numeric, the stdev of the distribution. Instead, if an ecld or ecd object is provided, the stdev will be calculated from it.
n	numeric, number of lags in <i>ecld.op_U_lag</i> .
object	an object of ecld class created from <i>ecld.quartic</i> . This object contains the full quartic lambda model spec in order to be used in <i>ecld.op_VL_quartic</i>

**Value**

a numeric vector

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

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ecld.pdf

*Calculate the PDF of an ecld object*

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## Description

Calculate the PDF of an ecld object

## Usage

```
ecld.pdf(object, x)
```

## Arguments

object	an object of ecld class
x	numeric vector of $x$ dimension

## Value

numeric vector of the PDF

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

## Examples

```
ld <- ecld(lambda=3)
x <- seq(-10, 10, by=1)
ecld.pdf(ld,x)
```

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ecld.quartic\_Qp

*The ATM volatility and skew of  $Q_p$  in quartic model*

---

## Description

Compute the ATM location and ATM skew of  $Q_p$  in quartic model.

**Usage**

```
ecld.quartic_Qp(object, ki)

ecld.quartic_Q(object, ki, otype)

ecld.quartic_Qp_atm_ki(object, lower = -50, upper = -1.37)

ecld.quartic_Qp_rho(object, atm_ki = NaN, lower = -50, upper = -1.37)

ecld.quartic_Qp_skew(object, ki, dki = 0.1)

ecld.quartic_Qp_atm_skew(object, dki = 0.1, lower = -50, upper = -1.37)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
ki	numeric, order of the moment to be computed
otype	character, specifying option type with either c or p.
lower	numeric, optional value to specify the lower bound of ATM root finding. This is often needed when the smile is collapsed in the left wing.
upper	numeric, optional value to specify the upper bound of ATM root finding. This is often needed when the smile is collapsed significantly in the right wing.
atm_ki	numeric, if provided, take it as is without calculating again
dki	numeric, delta of ki for calculating slope

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
ld <- ecld.quartic(sigma=0.001*ecd.mp1, epsilon=0, rho=0, mu_plus=0)
ecld.quartic_Qp_atm_ki(ld, lower=-12, upper=-11)
ecld.quartic_Qp_atm_skew(ld, lower=-12, upper=-11)

## End(Not run)
```

---

ecld.quartic\_Qp\_atm\_attr*Calculate ATM attributes from key quartic parameters*

---

**Description**

This utility takes a data frame of key quartic parameters, and generates several key ATM attributes. Input fields are: ttm - time to expiration, sigma - term structure of sigma, epsilon\_ratio - term structure of epsilon/sigma, mu\_plus\_ratio - term structure of (mu\_p-mu\_D)/stdev. The output fields are: atm\_ki, atm\_kew, atm\_vol, rho, and rho\_ratio - rho/stdev.

**Usage**

```
ecld.quartic_Qp_atm_attr(df)

ecld.quartic_model_sample(dt, ttm, skew_adjusted = TRUE)

ecld.quartic_model_sample_attr(dt, ttm, target_file, skew_adjusted = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

df	data.frame
dt	character, one of three sample dates used in the quartic model paper (YYYY-MM-DD)
ttm	numeric, list of time to expiration (T=1 for one year)
skew_adjusted	logical, if true, use skew adjusted T=0 intercep, else use the tercep from linear fit. Default is TRUE.
target_file	character, file location to cache the attribute data (to avoid lengthy repetitions)

**Value**

data.frame

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ttm <- seq(sqrt(90), sqrt(365), length.out=3)^2 / 365
epsr = 0.014 + 0*ttm
mupr <- -(ecld.quartic_SN0_max_RNV() - 0.2*sqrt(ttm))
## Not run:
df <- data.frame(ttm=ttm, sigma=0.2*sqrt(ttm/120), mu_plus_ratio=mupr, epsilon_ratio=epsr)
ecld.quartic_Qp_atm_attr(df)

## End(Not run)
```

---

**ecld.quartic\_SN0\_atm\_ki**

*The ATM RNO related constants and calculations in quartic model*

---

**Description**

Computes the small sigma limit of ATM location, rho/stdev, and ATM skew of  $Q_p$  under the RNO measure in quartic model. Computes the maximum risk-neutral violation as an extension of RNO measure.

**Usage**

```
ecld.quartic_SN0_atm_ki()
ecld.quartic_SN0_rho_stdev()
ecld.quartic_SN0_skew()
ecld.quartic_SN0_max_RNV(sigma = 0)
```

**Arguments**

`sigma` numeric, the volatility parameter

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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**ecld.sd**

*Compute statistics analytically for an ecld object*

---

**Description**

Compute statistics for mean, var, skewness, kurtosis, from the known analytical result. SGED is supported.

**Usage**

```
ecld.sd(object)  
ecld.var(object)  
ecld.mean(object)  
ecld.skewness(object)  
ecld.kurtosis(object)  
ecld.kurt(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            an object of ecld class

**Value**

numeric or mpfr

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(3)  
ecld.sd(ld)  
ecld.var(ld)  
ecld.mean(ld)  
ecld.skewness(ld)  
ecld.kurt(ld)
```

**Description**

These integrals are mainly used as validation to analytic solutions. If you must use them, be mindful of their slower speeds.

**Usage**

```
ecld.sged_const(object)

ecld.sged_cdf(object, x)

ecld.sged_moment(object, order)

ecld.sged_mgf(object, t = 1)

ecld.sged_imgf(object, k, t = 1, otype = "c")

ecld.sged_ogf(object, k, otype = "c")
```

**Arguments**

object	an sged object of ecld class
x	a numeric vector of x
order	numeric, order of the moment to be computed
t	numeric, for MGF and IMGF
k	a numeric vector of log-strike
otype	character, specifying option type: c (default) or p.

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(3)
ecld.const(ld)
```

**ecld.solve**

*Analytic solution for  $y(x)$  in lambda distribution*

**Description**

Analytic solution for  $y(x)$  if available. *ecld.laplace\_B* is a utility function for the slopes of a skew Laplace distribution at lambda=2:  $B^+$  and  $B^-$  with  $B^0/2 = B^+ + B^-$ . If sigma is provided, B notation is expanded for IMGF where  $B_\sigma^+ B_\sigma^- = \exp(\mu_D)$ . SGED is supported.

**Usage**

```
ecld.solve(a, b, ...)
ecld.laplace_B(beta, sgn = 0, sigma = 0)
ecld.solve_quartic(a, b, ...)
ecld.solve_by_poly(a, b, ...)
ecld.solve_isomorphic(a, b, ...)
```

**Arguments**

a	an object of ecld class
b	a vector of $x$ values
...	Not used. Only here to match the generic signature.
beta	the skew parameter
sgn	sign of -1, 0, +1
sigma	the scale parameter, optional

**Value**

A vector for  $y(x)$

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(sigma=0.01*ecd.mp1)
x <- seq(-0.1, 0.1, by=0.01)
ecld.solve(ld,x)
```

ecld.y\_slope

*Analytic solution for the slope of  $y(x)$  in lambda distribution*

**Description**

Analytic solution for the slope of  $y(x)$  if available. *ecld.y\_slope\_trunc* calculates the MGF truncation point where  $dy/dx + t = 1$ . SGED is supported.

**Usage**

```
ecld.y_slope(object, x)
ecld.y_slope_trunc(object, t = 1)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecld class
x	a vector of $x$ values
t	numeric, for MGF truncation

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
ld <- ecld(sigma=0.01*ecd.mp1)
x <- seq(-0.1, 0.1, by=0.01)
ecld.y_slope(ld,x)
ecld.y_slope_trunc(ld)
```

**ecldOrEcd-class***The ecldOrEcd class***Description**

The S4 class union of ecld and ecd, primarily used to define slot in ecop.opt class. Its usage is rather cumbersome, so the end user should avoid it as much as possible.

**ecop-class***An S4 class to represent the top-level option model***Description**

The ecop class serves as an object-oriented container for the option pricing model. It does have a specific purpose at the moment - that is, to produce all the data for the charts of the paper, based on CBOE data structure. Therefore, user may not find it general enough. That probably will be the case for the time being until more popularity calls for a more generic container.

**Slots**

```

call  the match.call slot
conf  list, configuration
key  character
symbol  character
date  Date
days  numeric, days between date and expiry date
ttm  numeric, time to maturity in days/365
int_rate  numeric
div_yield  numeric
put_data  the put data of ecop.opt class
call_data  the call data of ecop.opt class
put_conf  list, the put configuration
call_conf  list, the call configuration

```

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

`ecop.bs_implied_volatility`

*Implied volatility of Black-Sholes model*

**Description**

This is the standard library to calculate implied volatility  $\sigma_{BS}$  in Black-Sholes model. There is no external dependency on elliptic distribution.

**Usage**

```
ecop.bs_implied_volatility(V, K, S, ttm, int_rate = 0, div_yield = 0,
                           otype = "c", stop.on.na = FALSE, use.mc = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

V	numeric vector of option prices
K	numeric vector of strike prices
S	length-one numeric for underlying price
ttm	length-one numeric for time to maturity, in the unit of days/365.
int_rate	length-one numeric for risk-free rate, default to 0.
div_yield	length-one numeric for dividend yield, default to 0.
otype	character, specifying option type: c or p.
stop.on.na	logical, to stop if fails to find solution. Default is to use NaN and not stop.
use.mc	logical, to use mclapply (default), or else just use for loop. For loop option is typically for debugging.

**Value**

The implied volatility  $\sigma_{BS}$ .

**Examples**

```
V <- c(1.8, 50)
K <- c(2100, 2040)
S <- 2089.27
T <- 1/365
y <- 0.019
ecop.bs_implied_volatility(V, K, S, ttm=T, div_yield=y, otype="c")
# expect output of 12.8886% and 29.4296%
```

`ecop.bs_option_price`    *Calculate option price from implied volatility in Black-Sholes model*

**Description**

This is the standard library to calculate option price from implied volatility  $\sigma_{BS}$  in Black-Sholes model. There is no external dependency on elliptic distribution.

**Usage**

```
ecop.bs_option_price(ivol, K, S, ttm, int_rate = 0, div_yield = 0,
                      otype = "c")

ecop.bs_call_price(ivol, K, S, ttm, int_rate = 0, div_yield = 0)

ecop.bs_put_price(ivol, K, S, ttm, int_rate = 0, div_yield = 0)
```

**Arguments**

ivol	numeric vector of implied volatility
K	numeric vector of strike prices
S	length-one numeric for underlying price
ttm	length-one numeric for time to maturity, in the unit of days/365.
int_rate	length-one numeric for risk-free rate, default to 0.
div_yield	length-one numeric for dividend yield, default to 0.
otype	character, c or p. Default is c.

**Value**

The call/put prices

## Examples

```
ivol <- c(0.128886, 0.294296)
K <- c(2100, 2040)
S <- 2089.27
T <- 1/365
y <- 0.019
ecop.bs_option_price(ivol, K, S, ttm=T, div_yield=y, otype="c")
# expect output of c(1.8, 50)
```

`ecop.find_fixed_point_lambda_by_atm_skew`

*Utility to find the fixed point lambda that matches ATM skew*

## Description

This utility finds the fixed point lambda from larger lambda to smaller lambda until the calculated ATM skew is smaller than ATM skew from data. It uses `ecop.find_fixed_point_sd_by_lambda` to locate stdev. Other smile related parameters are abstracted away via the closure function `fn_get_ld1`. This utility is used primarily to solve the fixed point ATM hypothesis (for VIX option smile). Note that this utility alone is not the full solution. Another utility is needed to match the two tails (via mu and epsilon). This utility doesn't handle beta either.

## Usage

```
ecop.find_fixed_point_lambda_by_atm_skew(fn_get_ld1, lambda, step, atm_skew,
                                         k_atm, ttm, otype = "c", verbose = TRUE, msg_prefix = "",
                                         min_lambda = 1.1)
```

## Arguments

<code>fn_get_ld1</code>	function, takes stdev, lambda, beta as input, return ld1 object via <code>ecop.get_ld_triple</code> . This closure function encapsulates <code>mu_plus_ratio</code> , <code>epsilon_ratio</code> , <code>atm_imp_k</code> .
<code>lambda</code>	numeric, the lambda parameter.
<code>step</code>	numeric, increment to decrease lambda.
<code>atm_skew</code>	numeric, ATM skew from data.
<code>k_atm</code>	a vector of numeric, range of log-strike to calculate ATM skew via <code>lm</code> .
<code>ttm</code>	numeric, time to expiration, with 1 representing 1 year (365 days).
<code>otype</code>	character, option type. Default: "c".
<code>verbose</code>	boolean, print debug message. Default: FALSE.
<code>msg_prefix</code>	character, command line message prefix. Default: "".
<code>min_lambda</code>	numeric, do not try lambda lower than this and return it. Default is 1.1.

## Value

numeric, representing lambda.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

`ecop.find_fixed_point_sd_by_lambda`

*Utility to find the fixed point stdev when lambda is given*

**Description**

This utility finds the fixed point stdev when lambda is given. Other smile related parameters are abstracted away via the closure function `fn_get_ld1`. This utility is used primarily to solve the fixed point ATM hypothesis (for VIX option smile). Note that this utility alone is not the full solution. Another utility is needed to match the ATM skew, and the two tails (via mu and epsilon). `fn_get_ld1` should have the functional signature of `fn_get_ld1(sd, lambda, beta=0)` and returns an `ecld` object accordingly.

**Usage**

```
ecop.find_fixed_point_sd_by_lambda(fn_get_ld1, lambda, beta = 0,
                                   otype = "c", verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fn_get_ld1</code>	function, takes stdev, lambda, beta as input, return ld1 object via <code>ecop.get_ld_triple</code> . This closure function encapsulates <code>mu_plus_ratio</code> , <code>epsilon_ratio</code> , <code>atm_imp_k</code> .
<code>lambda</code>	numeric, the lambda parameter. Must be positive. Default: 3.
<code>beta</code>	numeric, the skewness parameter. Default: 0.
<code>otype</code>	character, option type. Default: "c".
<code>verbose</code>	boolean, print debug message. Default: FALSE.

**Value**

numeric, representing stdev.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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`ecop.from_symbol_conf` *Constructor of ecop class by read conf for option sample data*

---

## Description

Read conf for option sample data and fitting parameters

## Usage

```
ecop.from_symbol_conf(key, conf_file = "conf/ecop-fit-conf.yml",
                      conf_data = NULL, extdata_dir = NULL)

ecop.read_symbol_conf(key, conf_file = "conf/ecop-fit-conf.yml")

ecop.build_opt(ecop, df, otype)
```

## Arguments

key	character. The top-level key in conf
conf_file	file name for symbol config, default to conf/ecld-fit-conf.yml
conf_data	optionally feed config through a list. If this is not null, this takes priority and conf_file will be ignored.
extdata_dir	optionally specify user's own extdata folder
ecop	an ecop object with conf
df	dataframe of a single closing date and time to maturity
otype	option type

## Value

the ecop object

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

## Examples

```
## Not run:
conf <- ecop.read_symbol_conf("spx2_1d")
op <- ecop.from_symbol_conf("spx2_1d")

## End(Not run)
```

`ecop.get_ld_triple`      *Get triple list of ecl objects by stdev*

## Description

Construct triple list of ecl objects by stdev, with lambda, and ratios related to stdev. This utility is used primarily in fixed point ATM hypothesis (when simulating VIX option smile).

## Usage

```
ecop.get_ld_triple(lambda = 3, sd = 1, beta = 0, mu_plus_ratio = 0,
epsilon_ratio = 0, atm_imp_k = NaN, fn_shift = NULL)
```

## Arguments

<code>lambda</code>	numeric, the lambda parameter. Must be positive. Default: 3.
<code>sd</code>	numeric, the stdev parameter. Must be positive. Default: 1.
<code>beta</code>	numeric, the skewness parameter. Default: 0.
<code>mu_plus_ratio</code>	numeric, numeric, excess value in addition to <code>mu_D</code> , relative to the stdev. Default: 0.
<code>epsilon_ratio</code>	numeric, epsilon ratio relative to the stdev. Default: 0.
<code>atm_imp_k</code>	numeric, ATM implied log-strike. It is derived from ATM volatility times square root of time to expiration. If provided, it is used to calculate the fixed point shift, $-(\text{atm\_imp\_k} - \mu)$ . Default: NaN. the rho slot in ld1 is populated with the value.
<code>fn_shift</code>	function, takes an ecl object and return the fixed point shift, $-(\text{atm\_imp\_k} - \mu)$ . the rho slot in ld1 is populated with the value from this function. This serves as secondary method if you don't want to provide <code>atm_imp_k</code> directly.

## Value

a triple list of ecl objects. ld0 has `mu=0` as vanila object; ld1 has `mu` and `rho` as prescribed; ld2 has `mu=mu_D`.

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

## Examples

```
lds <- ecop.get_ld_triple(3, 0.1)
ld1 <- lds$ld1
```

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**ecop.opt-class** *An S4 class to represent the option data and model calculation*

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## Description

The ecop.opt class serves as an object-oriented container for the type-specific (p or c) option data.

## Slots

call the match.call slot  
otype character, option type  
range.from numeric, starting price range  
range.to numeric, ending price range  
momentum numeric, momentum for translation (T) operator  
epsilon numeric, asymptotic premium  
k\_cusp numeric, the suggested cusp location for poly fit of prices  
eclOrEcd the ecld/ecd class to calculate theoretical values in local regime  
S underlying price, this can be overridden by conf  
S\_raw underlying price (before override)  
strike strike price  
k log-strike price  
V\_last last option price  
V\_bid bid option price  
V\_ask ask option price  
V finalized option price (likely mid-point)  
IV implied volatility from the vendor

## Author(s)

Stephen H. Lihn

**ecop.plot\_option**      *Plot option chain charts using conf from option sample data*

## Description

This utility produces standardized plots of 3. The first plot is the option state price and fits. The second plot is the log-slope of option state prices and fits. The third plot is the implied volatility and fits.

## Usage

```
ecop.plot_option(object, otype, simulate = TRUE, do.polyfit = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

<code>object</code>	an ecop object with conf
<code>otype</code>	option type
<code>simulate</code>	logical, if TRUE, simulate according to lambda transformation and lambda distribution.
<code>do.polyfit</code>	logical, if TRUE, use polyfit to enhance the resolution on the peak of the log-slope curve. In some cases, there aren't enough data points for polyfit, use this parameter to turn the feature off.

## Value

The ecop.opt object

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

## Examples

```
## Not run:
op <- ecop.from_symbol_conf("spx2_1d")
par(mfcol=c(3,2))
ecop.plot_option(op, otype="c")
ecop.plot_option(op, otype="p")

## End(Not run)
```

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ecop.polyfit\_option     *Poly fit on option prices*

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**Description**

The poly fits on logarithm of option prices are performed for each side of the suggested cusp (specified by k.cusp). This utility is used mainly to remove the market data noise for the calculation of log-slope of option prices.

**Usage**

```
ecop.polyfit_option(k, V, k.cusp, k.new, degree.left = 6, degree.right = 6)
```

**Arguments**

k	numeric, vector of log-strike
V	numeric, vectors of option prices
k.cusp	length-one numeric, the suggested cusp location
k.new	numeric, vector of log-strike to evaluate the poly fit
degree.left	length-one numeric, specifying the degree of poly fit for the left tail
degree.right	length-one numeric, specifying the degree of poly fit for the right tail

**Value**

The state prices from the poly fit

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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ecop.read\_csv\_by\_symbol  
Read option data csv

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**Description**

Read option data csv into dataframe. The dataframe is enriched with Date, expiration\_date, days.

**Usage**

```
ecop.read_csv_by_symbol(symbol, extdata_dir = NULL)  
ecop.enrich_option_df(df)
```

**Arguments**

symbol	character, option data symbol
extdata_dir	optionally specify user's own extdata folder
df	dataframe, it is assumed to be in CBOE heading format

**Value**

dataframe

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
df <- ecop.read_csv_by_symbol("spxoption2")
```

**ecop.term\_master\_calculator**

*Master calculator for all the analytics of volatility smiles required for  
a date*

**Description**

This is all-in-one calculator. The inputs are symbol, date (YYYY-MM-DD), and quartic config file location, and the optional external data directory. The data structure and documentation here are really rough. They are used to calculate the data needed for the quartic paper. They need to be polished and refined after the quartic paper is released.

**Usage**

```
ecop.term_master_calculator(symbol, date_str, int_rate = 0, div_yield = 0,
                            config_file = NULL, extdata_dir = NULL)

ecop.smile_data_calculator(idx, df_day, master, int_rate, div_yield, otype)

ecop.term_atm(opt)
```

**Arguments**

symbol	character pointing to the standard option data file
date_str	character in the form of YYYY-MM-DD
int_rate	numeric, the interest rate used to calculate BS implied volatility from market data

div_yield	numeric, the vididend yield used to calculate BS implied volatility from market data
config_file	character, config file from the quarter optimx fit
extdata_dir	character, external data directory
idx	integer, indicating the index of the option chain
df_day	data frame for the day
master	the list structure from the output of ecop.term_master_calculator
otype	character, option type of p or c
opt	the list structure from the output of ecop.smile_data_calculator

**Value**

The nested list containing all analytics of volatility smiles for a date. The first level keys are the date strings. The first level attributes are quartic.config which is a data frame, lists of days, volumes, classes, and values of undl\_price, max\_idx.

ecop.term\_plot\_3x3     *Produce 3x3 plot of volatility smiles for a date*

**Description**

This utlity produces 3x3 plot of volatility smiles for a date. It is used for the term structure paper.

**Usage**

```
ecop.term_plot_3x3(term_data, date_str, trim_points = 151,
                    target_days = NULL, add.first.day = TRUE, show.put.bid = FALSE)

ecop.term_target_days_default

ecop.term_realized_days(target_days, days)

ecop.term_idx_range(realized_days, days)
```

**Arguments**

term_data	term structure data for one date, produced from ecop.term_master_calculator
date_str	character in the form of YYYY-MM-DD
trim_points	integer, specifying number of data points to present in the plots
target_days	list of ceiling days for the plot
add.first.day	logic, whether to add the first expiration date to target_days. Default is TRUE.
show.put.bid	logic, show bid smile for put option. Default is FALSE.
days	list of days to expiration from market data
realized_days	list of days realized for the plot

**Format**

An object of class `numeric` of length 8.

**Value**

The 3x3 plot

`ecop.vix_plot_3x3`      *Produce 3x3 plot of VIX volatility smiles for a date*

**Description**

This utility produces 3x3 plot of volatility smiles for a date. It is used for the VIX option paper.

**Usage**

```
ecop.vix_plot_3x3(date_str, option_data, result, result_avg)
```

**Arguments**

<code>date_str</code>	character in the form of YYYY-MM-DD
<code>option_data</code>	dataframe, read from <code>ecop.read_csv_by_symbol</code>
<code>result</code>	dataframe, the VIX optimx result
<code>result_avg</code>	dataframe, the VIX optimx result using average lambda for all expirations

**Value**

The 3x3 plot

`ellipticity.ecd`      *Ellipticity of ecd object*

**Description**

Ellipticity of ecd object, defined as half of the distance between the two elliptic points.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
ellipticity(object, tol = 1e-04)

ellipticity(object, tol = 1e-05)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
ellipticity(object, tol = 1e-04)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |   |
|--------|---|
| object | An object of ecd class  |
| tol    | Numeric, the tolerance of precision during subdivision. Default: 1e-4 of stdev. |

**Value**

a list with 3 major numbers: xe1= negative x\_e, xe2= positive x\_e, avg= ellipticity

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd(0,1)
ellipticity(d)
```

---

**history.ecdb***List of history in the Elliptic DB*

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**Description**

List of unique history reflecting the bootstrap activities.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecdb'
history(object)

history(object)

## S4 method for signature 'ecdb'
history(object)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |                          |
|--------|--------------------------|
| object | an object of ecdb class. |
|--------|--------------------------|

**Value**

list of history

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

`integrate_pdf.ecd`      *Integrate a function with PDF of the distribution*

## Description

Integrate a function with PDF of the distribution. The integration is separated into three segments to ensure convergence.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
integrate_pdf(object, f, lower, upper, ..., show.warning = TRUE,
              verbose = FALSE)

integrate_pdf(object, f, lower, upper, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
integrate_pdf(object, f, lower, upper, ...,
              show.warning = TRUE, verbose = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

<code>object</code>	An object of ecd class
<code>f</code>	An R function taking a numeric first argument and returning a numeric vector of the same length. Returning a non-finite element will generate an error.
<code>lower</code>	Numeric, the lower limit of integration. Can be infinite.
<code>upper</code>	Numeric, the upper limit of integration. Can be infinite.
<code>...</code>	Additional arguments for <code>f</code> .
<code>show.warning</code>	logical, display warning messages.
<code>verbose</code>	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.

## Value

A list of class "integrate".

## Author(s)

Stephen H. Lihn

## Examples

```
d <- ecd()
integrate_pdf(d, function(x){x^2}, -Inf, Inf)
```

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jinv.ecd*J*-invariant of the elliptic curve  $y(x)$ 

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**Description**

J-invariant of the elliptic curve  $y(x)$

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
jinv(object, no.validate = FALSE)

jinv(object, no.validate = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
jinv(object, no.validate = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
no.validate	logical, if TRUE, don't validate presence of beta. Default is FALSE.

**Value**

the j-invariant

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd(1,1)
j <- jinv(d)
```

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k2mnt

*Conversion between cumulants and moments*

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**Description**

Implements conversion between the first four cumulants and moments

**Usage**

```
k2mnt(k)
mnt2k(m)
```

**Arguments**

<b>k</b>	numeric, first four cumulants.
<b>m</b>	numeric, first four moments.

**Value**

numeric

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**lamp**

*Constructor of lamp class*

**Description**

Construct an lamp class by providing the required parameters. The default is the unit quartic lambda process.

**Usage**

```
lamp(lambda = NaN, T.inf = 86400 * 1000, rnd.n = 1e+06, alpha = NaN,
      beta = 0, rnd.walk = 1, sd = NaN, sd.method = 0, N.lower = 0,
      N.upper = 1000, file = character(0))
```

**Arguments**

<b>lambda</b>	numeric, the lambda parameter. Must be positive. Default is NaN.
<b>T.inf</b>	numeric, the infinite bound to cut off Levy sums. Default is 86400000.
<b>rnd.n</b>	numeric, the length of one rnd call. Default is 1000000.
<b>alpha</b>	numeric, optional, if you don't like to use lambda. Default is NaN. Either lambda or alpha must be specified with a positive number.
<b>beta</b>	numeric, the skewness parameter. Default: 0.
<b>rnd.walk</b>	numeric, random walk method, 1: Laplace, 2: Binomial/normal. Default is 1.
<b>sd</b>	numeric, standard deviation adjustment. No adjustment if NaN. Default is NaN.
<b>sd.method</b>	numeric, methodology of sd adjustment. 0 means in scale parameter, 1 means in Levy sums. Default is 0.
<b>N.lower</b>	numeric, the lower bound of N to truncate the boundary effect. Default is 0.
<b>N.upper</b>	numeric, the upper bound of N to limit the outliers. Default is 1000.
<b>file</b>	character, file path to save the object and simulation result. Default is character(0).

**Value**

an object of lamp class

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
lp <- lamp(4, T.inf=86400*1000000)
```

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lamp-class

*An S4 class to represent the lambda process*

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**Description**

The lamp class serves as an object-oriented interface for the lambda process. The main purpose of the class is to store all the parameters required for simulation.

**Slots**

call the match.call slot.  
lambda numeric, lambda index of lambda process, which is 2/alpha.  
alpha numeric, stable alpha. This is derived from lambda for convenience reason.  
beta numeric, stable beta.  
pm numeric, parameterization, default to 1.  
rnd.walk numeric, Random walk method. Default is 1.  
sd numeric, standard deviation adjustment. No adjustment if NaN.  
sd.method numeric, methodology of sd adjustment. 0 means in scale parameter, 1 means in Levy sums.  
T.inf numeric, the infinite bound to cut off the Levy sums.  
rnd.n numeric, the length of one rnd call.  
N.lower numeric, the lower bound of N to truncate the boundary effect. Default is 0.  
N.upper numeric, the upper bound of N to limit the outliers. Default is 1000.  
use.mpfr logical, use Mpfr for high precision sums.  
file character, file path to save the object and simulation result.  
tau numeric, storage for the stable random variables.  
tau\_i numeric, for internal use, length or index of tau.  
Z\_i numeric, length of Z.  
Z numeric, simulation result of the lambda process, Z.  
B numeric, simulation result of the binomial process, B.  
N numeric, simulation result of the count process, N.  
tm POSIXct, timestamp of simulation.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

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lamp.generate_tau	<i>Generate tau from stable distribution</i>
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**Description**

Generate tau, a random sequence representing the stable random walk process.

**Usage**

```
lamp.generate_tau(object)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of lamp class
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**Value**

an object of lamp class with tau populated, tau\_i is set to 1.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
lp <- lamp(4, rnd.n=10)
lp1 <- lamp.generate_tau(lp)
lp1@tau
```

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lamp.plot_sim4	<i>Plot the simulation result in standard layout</i>
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**Description**

Plot the simulation result in standard layout, with 4 or 6 charts. The PDF and log(PDF) histogram of Z, the lambda process. The log(PDF) histogram of N, the stable count process. The log(PDF) histogram of B, the binomial random walk process. The 6-chart plot also includes the asymptotic kurtosis and stdev vs the bps of data points dropped in Z.

**Usage**

```
lamp.plot_sim4(object)  
lamp.plot_sim6(object)
```

**Arguments**

object           an object of lamp class

**Value**

an object of lamp class

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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lamp.qsl\_fit\_config     *Read QSLD fit config*

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**Description**

Read QSLD fit config for plot or custom fit utility. The xtable print utility is also provided to generate high quality latex output for publication purpose.

**Usage**

```
lamp.qsl_fit_config(key = NULL, extdata_dir = NULL, filename = NULL)  
lamp.qsl_fit_config_xtable(df)
```

**Arguments**

key               character, the top-level key for config, default to NULL.  
extdata\_dir      optionally specify user's own extdata folder, default is NULL.  
filename         character, optionally specify user's own config file name, default is NULL.  
df                the data frame generated from `lamp.qsl_fit_config`.

**Value**

The data.frame object for the config

**Examples**

```
c <- lamp.qsl_fit_config()
```

`lamp.qsl_fit_plot`      *Plot the fit to asset returns using quartic stable lambda distribution*

### Description

Plot the fit to asset returns using quartic stable lambda distribution

### Usage

```
lamp.qsl_fit_plot(key, debug = FALSE, plot.type = c("pdf", "log-pdf"),
qqplot.n = 1e+06, extdata_dir = NULL, filename = NULL)
```

### Arguments

<code>key</code>	character, the key(s) to retrieve configuration for plot. If key is provided as single-row data frame, then it will be used directly as config.
<code>debug</code>	logical, if true, print debug information. Default is FALSE.
<code>plot.type</code>	character, type of plot: pdf, log-pdf, qqplot. Default is c("pdf", "log-pdf").
<code>qqplot.n</code>	numeric, specify number of QSLD simulations for qqplot utility, default is 1000000.
<code>extdata_dir</code>	optionally specify user's own extdata folder, default is NULL.
<code>filename</code>	character, optionally specify user's own config file name, default is NULL.

### Value

returns a list of each key and its data and config blocks as nested list

### Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

`lamp.sd_factor`      *Calculate sd adjustment factor*

### Description

Calculate sd adjustment factor. For L2 random walk, it is the power of  $1/(1+\alpha/2)$ . For L1 random walk, it is the power of 1. This factor can be used to adjust either the scale parameter of the stable distribution or T.inf that cuts off the Levy sums.

### Usage

```
lamp.sd_factor(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            an object of lamp class

**Value**

numeric, the sd factor

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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lamp.simulate1

*Simulate one sequence of lambda process from stable distribution*

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**Description**

Simulate lambda process from one random sequence representing the stable random walk process.

**Usage**

```
lamp.simulate1(object, drop = 10, keep.tau = 1)
```

**Arguments**

object            an object of lamp class

drop              numeric, number of tau to discard at the end. Default is 10.

keep.tau          numeric, 0 to clean up, 1 to return unused tau, 2 to return all tau. Default is 1.

**Value**

an object of lamp class with Z, B, N populated

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
lp <- lamp(4, T.inf=8640, rnd.n=100000)
lp1 <- lamp.simulate1(lp)
```

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<code>lamp.simulate_iter</code>	<i>Simulate lambda process from stable distribution iteratively</i>
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## Description

Simulate lambda process from stable distribution iteratively until target length of result is reached. It uses multi-core capability to run `lamp.simulate1` in parallel. If file slot is specified, simulation result will be persisted to it periodically. A plot interface is provided to monitor the progress. A CPU temperature interface is provided to control CPU from overheating.

## Usage

```
lamp.simulate_iter(object, use.mc = 4, sim.length = 1000,
                    reset.cache = FALSE, drop = 10, keep.tau = 1,
                    plot.util = lamp.plot_sim6, cpu.temperature = 68,
                    cpu.temperature.util = NULL)
```

## Arguments

<code>object</code>	an object of <code>lamp</code> class
<code>use.mc</code>	numeric, number of cores for parallel simulations. Default is 4.
<code>sim.length</code>	numeric, number of Z to simulate. Default is 1000.
<code>reset.cache</code>	logical, to reset simulation cache or not prior the run. Default is FALSE.
<code>drop</code>	numeric, number of tau to discard at the end per iteration. Default is 10.
<code>keep.tau</code>	numeric, 0 to clean up, 1 to return unused tau, 2 to return all tau. Default is 1.
<code>plot.util</code>	function, interface to plot simulation results. Default is <code>lamp.plot_sim4</code> .
<code>cpu.temperature</code>	numeric, temperature above which is overhead. Default is 68.
<code>cpu.temperature.util</code>	function, interface to get CPU temperature. Default is NULL.

## Value

an object of `lamp` class with Z, B, N populated

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

`lamp.stable_rnd_walk` *Calculate the stable random walk*

## Description

Calculate the stable random walk. There are 4 types of random walk you can specify: 11. Laplace(0,1). No skewness. 1. Experimental Laplace random walk via Gauss-Laplace transmutation. 22. Normal distribution  $N(0, \sqrt{n}) * \text{epsilon}$ . No skewness. 2. Binomial random walk,  $b * \text{epsilon}$ . This can produce skewness.

## Usage

`lamp.stable_rnd_walk(object, n, b)`

## Arguments

<code>object</code>	an object of lamp class
<code>n</code>	numeric, number of items in Levy sums
<code>b</code>	numeric, cumulative sum of signs in Levy sums

## Value

numeric, the value of the random walk

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

`levy.dlambda` *Standard Lambda distribution*

## Description

Standard Lambda distribution PDF that can take complex argument.

## Usage

`levy.dlambda(x, lambda = 4)`

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	numeric, complex, mpfr, mpfc
<code>lambda</code>	numeric. Default is 4, the quartic distribution.

**Value**

PDF in the same type as x

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
x = seq(1,10)
y = levy.dlambda(x)
```

**levy.domain\_coloring**    *Domain coloring of Laplace kernel of lambda distribution*

**Description**

Domain coloring on the complex plane of Laplace kernel of lambda distribution,  $\exp(ixt) P(x)$ , where  $P(x)$  is the PDF of a lambda distribution. This is a visualization utility to get insight how the Laplace transform works for lambda distribution. The behavior on the complex plane is deeply associated with the MGF, the skew Levy distribution, and the SaS distribution.

**Usage**

```
levy.domain_coloring(t, rec, n = 200, lambda = 4)
```

**Arguments**

t	numeric or complex
rec	numeric, define the rectangle of plot in the order of (x1, x2, y1, y2)
n	numeric, number of points per axis. Default is 200. Use 1000 for better resolution.
lambda	numeric. Default is 4, and is the only value allowed.

**Value**

return value of call to `grid.arrange()`

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
levy.domain_coloring(0.1, c(-25, 50, -50, 50))  
levy.domain_coloring(0.1i, c(-25, 25, -25, 25))  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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levy.dskeewed

*Skewed Levy distribution in Levy statistics*

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## Description

Skewed Levy distribution PDF. In our context, "skewed" means "completed asymmetric alpha-stable", or called "one-sided alpha-stable". And we use lambda = 2/alpha.

## Usage

```
levy.dskeewed(x, lambda = 4)
```

## Arguments

x	numeric, complex, mpfr, mpfc
lambda	numeric. Default is 4, the Levy distribution as is generally called.

## Value

PDF in the same type as x

## Author(s)

Stephen H. Lihn

## Examples

```
x = seq(1,10)  
y = levy.dskeewed(x)
```

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**moment.ecd***Compute the moment of ecd via integration*

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**Description**

Compute the moment of ecd via integration between  $-\text{Inf}$  and  $\text{Inf}$ . The `asymp.lower` and `asymp.upper` parameters are used for asymptotic statistics, to study the effect of finite observations.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
moment(object, order, center = FALSE, asymp.lower = -Inf,
       asymp.upper = Inf, verbose = FALSE)

moment(object, order, center = FALSE, asymp.lower = -Inf,
       asymp.upper = Inf, verbose = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
moment(object, order, center = FALSE, asymp.lower = -Inf,
       asymp.upper = Inf, verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	an object of ecd class
<code>order</code>	numeric. Order of the moment to be computed
<code>center</code>	logical. If set to TRUE, calculate central moments. Default: FALSE.
<code>asymp.lower</code>	numeric, lower bound for asymptotic statistics, default: $-\text{Inf}$ .
<code>asymp.upper</code>	numeric, upper bound for asymptotic statistics, default: $\text{Inf}$ .
<code>verbose</code>	logical, display timing information, for debugging purpose.

**Value**

Numeric. The moment.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd()
moment(d, 2)
```

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<code>numericMpfr-class</code>	<i>The numericMpfr class</i>
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### Description

The S4 class union of numeric and mpfr, primarily used to define slots in ecd class. The use of MPFR does not necessarily increase precision. Its major strength in ecd is ability to handle very large numbers when studying asymptotic behavior, and very small numbers caused by small sigma when studying high frequency option data. Since there are many convergence issues with integrating PDF using native integrateR library, the ecd package adds many algorithms to improve its performance. These additions may decrease precision (knowingly or unknowingly) for the sake of increasing performance. More research is certainly needed in order to cover a vast range of parameter space!

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<code>plot_2x2.ecd</code>	<i>Standard 2x2 plot for sample data</i>
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### Description

Standard 2x2 plot for sample data

### Usage

```
plot_2x2.ecd(object, ts, EPS = FALSE, eps_file = NA)

plot_2x2(object, ts, EPS = FALSE, eps_file = NA)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
plot_2x2(object, ts, EPS = FALSE, eps_file = NA)
```

### Arguments

<code>object</code>	An object of ecd class.
<code>ts</code>	The xts object for the timeseries.
<code>EPS</code>	Logical, indicating whether to save the plot to EPS, default = FALSE
<code>eps_file</code>	File name for eps output

### Examples

```
## Not run:
plot_2x2(d, ts)

## End(Not run)
```

---

**quantilize.ecd**      *Add the quantile data to the ecd object*

---

## Description

Add the quantile data to the ecd object if it is not created yet.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'  
quantilize(object, show.warning = FALSE)  
  
quantilize(object, show.warning = FALSE)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'ecd'  
quantilize(object, show.warning = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

object	an object of ecd class
show.warning	logical, if TRUE, display a warning message. Default is FALSE.

## Value

an object of ecd class with a newly generated ecdq object.

## Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
d <- ecd(-1,1)  
quantilize(d)  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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read.ecdb*Read API for the ecdb*

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**Description**

Read ecdb into data.frame. This can be accomplished by either specifying the range of alpha, gamma or the cartesian product of alpha, gamma point by point, or both. If both are specified, it follows a similar logic as plot how x, y is scoped by xlim, ylim.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecdb'
read(object, alpha = NULL, gamma = NULL, alim = NULL,
     glim = NULL, cusp = 0, polar_ext = FALSE)

read(object, alpha = NULL, gamma = NULL, alim = NULL, glim = NULL,
      cusp = 0, polar_ext = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ecdb'
read(object, alpha = NULL, gamma = NULL, alim = NULL,
     glim = NULL, cusp = 0, polar_ext = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecdb class
alpha, gamma	numeric vectors of points for cartesian product
alim, glim	length-two numeric vectors of min and max range
cusp	numeric. Type of cusp. Only 0 and 1 are allowed. If cusp=1, read cusp data on the critical line. Reading cusp data must be done from the alpha side. Default: 0.
polar_ext	logical, for polar coordinate extension: R, theta, angle. Default: FALSE.

**Value**

The data.frame from ECDATTR table.

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rlaplace0*Laplace distribution*

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**Description**

Implements some aspects of Laplace distribution (based on stats package) for stable random walk simulation.

**Usage**

```
rlaplace0(n, b = 1)

dlaplace0(x, b = 1)
```

**Arguments**

- n numeric, number of observations.
- b numeric, the scale parameter, where the variance is  $2*b^2$ .
- x numeric, vector of responses.

**Value**

numeric, standard convention is followed: d\* returns the density, p\* returns the distribution function, q\* returns the quantile function, and r\* generates random deviates.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

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**rlihnlap**

*Lihn-Laplace process and distribution*

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**Description**

Implements some aspects of Lihn-Laplace process

**Usage**

```
rlihnlap(n, t = 1, convo = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0)

dlihnlap(x, t = 1, convo = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0)

cflihnlap(s, t = 1, convo = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0)

klihnlap(t = 1, convo = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0)

dlihnlap_poly(x, t = 1, convo = 1, beta = 0, mu = 0)
```

**Arguments**

- n numeric, number of observations.
- t numeric, the time parameter, of which the variance is t.
- convo numeric, the convolution number, default is 1, which is without convolution.
- beta numeric, skewness parameter according to skewed lambda distribution, default is 0.

<code>mu</code>	numeric, location parameter, default is 0.
<code>x</code>	numeric, vector of responses.
<code>s</code>	numeric, vector of responses for characteristic function.

**Value**

numeric, standard convention is followed: `d*` returns the density, `p*` returns the distribution function, `q*` returns the quantile function, and `r*` generates random deviates. The following are our extensions: `k*` returns the first 4 cumulants, skewness, and kurtosis, `cf*` returns the characteristic function.

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

<code>rqsl</code>	<i>Stable lambda distribution</i>
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**Description**

Implements some aspects of the stable lambda (SL) distribution

**Usage**

```

rqsl(n, t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1, beta.a = 0, mu = 0)

rsl(n, t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1, beta.a = 0, mu = 0,
lambda = 4)

dsl(x, t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1, beta.a = 0, mu = 0,
lambda = 4)

dqsl(x, t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1, beta.a = 0, mu = 0)

kqsl(t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1, beta.a = 0, mu = 0)

ksl(t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1, beta.a = 0, mu = 0,
lambda = 4)

qsl_kurtosis_analytic(t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1,
beta.a = 0)

qsl_skewness_analytic(t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1,
beta.a = 0)

qsl_variance_analytic(t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1,
beta.a = 0)

```

```

qsl_std_pdf0_analytic(t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1,
beta.a = 0)

qsl_pdf_integrand_analytic(x, nu, t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1,
beta.a = 0, mu = 0)

cfqsl(s, t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1, beta.a = 0, mu = 0,
method = "a")

cfsl(s, t = 1, nu0 = 0, theta = 1, convo = 1, beta.a = 0, mu = 0,
lambda = 4, method = "a")

```

### Arguments

<code>n</code>	numeric, number of observations.
<code>t</code>	numeric, the time parameter, where the variance is <code>t</code> , default is 1.
<code>nu0</code>	numeric, the location parameter, default is 0.
<code>theta</code>	numeric, the scale parameter, default is 1.
<code>convo</code>	numeric, the convolution number, default is 1.
<code>beta.a</code>	numeric, the skewness parameter, default is 0. This number is annualized by <code>sqr(t)</code> .
<code>mu</code>	numeric, the location parameter, default is 0.
<code>lambda</code>	numeric, the shape parameter, default is 4.
<code>x</code>	numeric, vector of responses.
<code>nu</code>	numeric, vector of <code>nu</code> in the pdf integrand, starting from 0 (not <code>nu0</code> ).
<code>s</code>	numeric, vector of responses for characteristic function.
<code>method</code>	character, method of characteristic function (CF) calculation. Default is "a". Method a uses <code>cflihnlap</code> x <code>dstablecnt</code> . Method b uses <code>dlihnlap</code> x <code>cfstablecnt</code> . Method c uses direct integration on PDF up to 50 stdev. They should yield the same result.

### Value

numeric, standard convention is followed: `d*` returns the density, `p*` returns the distribution function, `q*` returns the quantile function, and `r*` generates random deviates. The following are our extensions: `k*` returns the first 4 cumulants, skewness, and kurtosis, `cf*` returns the characteristic function.

### Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

solve.ecd

*Solve the elliptic curve  $y(x)$* **Description**

Solve the elliptic curve  $y(x)$  by constructing a cubic polynomial from ecd object. Then solve it and take the smallest real root.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
solve(a, b, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
solve(a, b, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- |     |   |
|-----|---|
| a   | An object of ecd class                              |
| b   | A vector of $x$ values                              |
| ... | Not used. Only here to match the generic signature. |

**Value**

A vector of roots for  $y(x)$

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd()
x <- seq(-100,100,by=0.1)
y <- solve(d,x)
```

solve\_sym.ecd

*Analytic solution for a symmetric elliptic curve***Description**

Analytic solution for a symmetric elliptic curve  $y(x)$

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
solve_sym(object, x)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
solve_sym(object, x)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
x	array of x dimension

**Value**

array of y

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd()
x <- seq(-100,100,by=0.01)
y <- solve_sym(d,x)
```

solve\_trig.ecd

*Trigonometric solution for a elliptic curve*

**Description**

Use Chebyshev trigonometry for a depressed cube to solve a elliptic curve  $y(x)$ .

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
solve_trig(object, x)

solve_trig(object, x)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
solve_trig(object, x)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
x	array of x dimension

**Value**

array of y

**Author(s)**

Stephen H-T. Lihn

### Examples

```
d <- ecd()
x <- seq(-100,100,by=0.1)
y <- solve_trig(d,x)
```

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summary.ecdb

*Summary for the Elliptic DB (ECDB)*

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### Description

Summary for the Elliptic DB (ECDB)

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ecdb'
summary(object, ...)

summary(object, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'ecdb'
summary(object, ...)
```

### Arguments

object           an object of ecdb class.  
...              more arguments for summary. Currently not used.

### Author(s)

Stephen H-T. Lihn

### Examples

```
summary(ecdb())
```

**write.ecdb***Write API for the ecdb for a list of basic ecdattr objects***Description**

It takes a list of basic ecdattr objects, enrich them in parallel, then save them to ecdb.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecdb'
write(x, object)

write(x, object)

## S4 method for signature 'list,ecdb'
write(x, object)
```

**Arguments**

x	a list of basic ecdattr objects
object	an object of ecdb class

**Value**

The row count

**y\_slope.ecd***Slope of  $y(x)$* **Description**

Slope of  $y(x)$ , that is,  $dy/dx$ .

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'ecd'
y_slope(object, x)

y_slope(object, x)

## S4 method for signature 'ecd'
y_slope(object, x)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of ecd class
x	a numeric vector of x dimension

**Value**

a numeric vector of  $dy/dx$

**Author(s)**

Stephen H. Lihn

**Examples**

```
d <- ecd(0,1)
x <- seq(-20,20,by=0.01)
yp <- y_slope(d,x)
```

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