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Functional Time Series Analysis

## **Description**

This package presents descriptive statistics of functional data; implements principal component regression and partial least squares regression to provide point and distributional forecasts for functional data; utilizes functional linear regression, ordinary least squares, penalized least squares, ridge regression, and moving block approaches to dynamically update point and distributional forecasts when partial data points in the most recent curve are observed; performs stationarity test for a functional time series; estimates a long-run covariance function by kernel sandwich estimator.

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centre

Mean function, variance function, median function, trim mean function of functional data

# Description

Mean function, variance function, median function, trim mean function of functional data

# Usage

```
centre(x, type)
```

## **Arguments**

x An object of class matrix.

type Mean, variance, median or trim mean?

## Value

Return mean function, variance function, median function or trim mean function.

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## Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### See Also

```
pcscorebootstrapdata, mean.fts, median.fts, sd.fts, var.fts
```

# **Examples**

```
# mean function is often removed in the functional principal component analysis.
# trimmed mean function is sometimes employed for robustness in the presence of outliers.
# In calculating trimmed mean function, several functional depth measures were employed.
centre(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, type = "mean")
centre(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, type = "var")
centre(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, type = "median")
centre(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, type = "trimmed")
```

diff.fts

Differences of a functional time series

## **Description**

Computes differences of a fts object at each variable.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fts'
diff(x, lag = 1, differences = 1, ...)
```

# Arguments

x An object of class fts.

lag An integer indicating which lag to use.

differences An integer indicating the order of the difference.

... Other arguments.

# Value

An object of class fts.

#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

```
# ElNino is an object of sliced functional time series.
# Differencing is sometimes used to achieve stationarity.
diff(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2)
```

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dmfpca	Dynamic multilevel functional principal component analysis	

# Description

Functional principal component analysis is used to decompose multiple functional time series. This function uses a functional panel data model to reduce dimensions for multiple functional time series.

# Usage

```
dmfpca(y, M = NULL, J = NULL, N = NULL, tstart = 0, tlength = 1)
```

# **Arguments**

У	A data matrix containing functional responses. Each row contains measurements from a function at a set of grid points, and each column contains measurements of all functions at a particular grid point
М	Number of fts obejcts
J	Number of functions in each object
N	Number of grid points per function
tstart	Start point of the grid points
tlength	Length of the interval that the functions are evaluated at

# Value

K1	Number of components for the common time-trend
K2	Number of components for the residual component
lambda1	A vector containing all common time-trend eigenvalues in non-increasing order
lambda2	A vector containing all residual component eigenvalues in non-increasing order
phi1	A matrix containing all common time-trend eigenfunctions. Each row contains an eigenfunction evaluated at the same set of grid points as the input data. The eigenfunctions are in the same order as the corresponding eigenvalues
phi2	A matrix containing all residual component eigenfunctions. Each row contains an eigenfunction evaluated at the same set of grid points as the input data. The eigenfunctions are in the same order as the corresponding eigenvalues.
scores1	A matrix containing estimated common time-trend principal component scores. Each row corresponding to the common time-trend scores for a particular subject in a cluster. The number of rows is the same as that of the input matrix y. Each column contains the scores for a common time-trend component for all subjects.
scores2	A matrix containing estimated residual component principal component scores. Each row corresponding to the level 2 scores for a particular subject in a cluster. The number of rows is the same as that of the input matrix y. Each column contains the scores for a residual component for all subjects.

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mu A vector containing the overall mean function.

eta A matrix containing the deviation from overall mean function to country specific

mean function. The number of rows is the number of countries.

#### Author(s)

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#### See Also

mftsc

## **Examples**

dynamic\_FLR

Dynamic updates via functional linear regression

## **Description**

A functional linear regression is used to address the problem of dynamic updating, when partial data in the most recent curve are observed.

## Usage

```
dynamic_FLR(dat, newdata, holdoutdata, order_k_percent = 0.9, order_m_percent = 0.9,
    pcd_method = c("classical", "M"), robust_lambda = 2.33, bootrep = 100,
    pointfore, level = 80)
```

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## **Arguments**

dat An object of class sfts.

newdata A data vector of newly arrived observations.

holdoutdata A data vector of holdout sample to evaluate point forecast accuracy.

order\_k\_percent

Select the number of components that explains at least 90 percent of the total

variation.

order\_m\_percent

Select the number of components that explains at least 90 percent of the total

variation.

pcd\_method Method to use for principal components decomposition. Possibilities are "M",

"rapca" and "classical".

robust\_lambda Tuning parameter in the two-step robust functional principal component analy-

sis, when pcdmethod = "M".

bootrep Number of bootstrap samples.

pointfore = TRUE, point forecasts are produced.

level Nominal coverage probability.

## **Details**

This function is designed to dynamically update point and interval forecasts, when partial data in the most recent curve are observed.

#### Value

update\_forecast

Updated forecasts.

holdoutdata Holdout sample.

err Forecast errors.

order\_k Number of principal components in the first block of functions.

order\_m Number of principal components in the second block of functions.

update\_comb Bootstrapped forecasts for the dynamically updating time period.

update\_comb\_lb\_ub

By taking corresponding quantiles, obtain lower and upper prediction bounds.

err\_boot Bootstrapped in-sample forecast error for the dynamically updating time period.

#### Author(s)

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#### References

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## See Also

dynupdate

# Examples

```
dynamic_FLR_point = dynamic_FLR(dat = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y[,1:68],
newdata = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y[1:4,69],
holdoutdata = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y[5:12,69], pointfore = TRUE)

dynamic_FLR_interval = dynamic_FLR(dat = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y[,1:68],
newdata = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y[1:4,69],
holdoutdata = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y[5:12,69], pointfore = FALSE)
```

dynupdate

Dynamic updates via BM, OLS, RR and PLS methods

# Description

Four methods, namely block moving (BM), ordinary least squares (OLS) regression, ridge regression (RR), penalized least squares (PLS) regression, were proposed to address the problem of dynamic updating, when partial data in the most recent curve are observed.

## Usage

```
dynupdate(data, newdata = NULL, holdoutdata, method = c("ts", "block",
  "ols", "pls", "ridge"), fmethod = c("arima", "ar", "ets", "ets.na",
   "rwdrift", "rw"), pcdmethod = c("classical", "M", "rapca"),
   ngrid = max(1000, ncol(data$y)), order = 6,
```

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```
robust_lambda = 2.33, lambda = 0.01, value = FALSE,
interval = FALSE, level = 80,
pimethod = c("parametric", "nonparametric"), B = 1000)
```

#### **Arguments**

data An object of class sfts.

newdata A data vector of newly arrived observations.

holdoutdata A data vector of holdout sample to evaluate point forecast accuracy.

method Forecasting methods. The latter four can dynamically update point forecasts.

fmethod Univariate time series forecasting methods used in method = "ts" or method =

"block".

pcdmethod Method to use for principal components decomposition. Possibilities are "M",

"rapca" and "classical".

ngrid Number of grid points to use in calculations. Set to maximum of 1000 and

ncol(data\$y).

order Number of principal components to fit.

robust\_lambda Tuning parameter in the two-step robust functional principal component analy-

sis, when pcdmethod = "M".

lambda Penalty parameter used in method = "pls" or method = "ridge".

value When value = TRUE, returns forecasts or when value = FALSE, returns forecast

errors.

interval When interval = TRUE, produces distributional forecasts.

level Nominal coverage probability.

pimethod Parametric or nonparametric method to construct prediction intervals.

B Number of bootstrap samples.

## **Details**

This function is designed to dynamically update point and interval forecasts, when partial data in the most recent curve are observed.

If method = "classical", then standard functional principal component decomposition is used, as described by Ramsay and Dalzell (1991).

If method = "rapca", then the robust principal component algorithm of Hubert, Rousseeuw and Verboven (2002) is used.

If method = "M", then the hybrid algorithm of Hyndman and Ullah (2005) is used.

#### Value

forecasts An object of class fts containing the dynamic updated point forecasts.

bootsamp An object of class fts containing the bootstrapped point forecasts, which are

updated by the PLS method.

An object of class fts containing the lower bound of prediction intervals.

An object of class fts containing the upper bound of prediction intervals.

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#### Author(s)

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## See Also

ftsm, forecast.ftsm, plot.fm, residuals.fm, summary.fm

## **Examples**

# ElNino is an object of sliced functional time series, constructed from a univariate time series. # When we observe some newly arrived information in the most recent time period, this function # allows us to update the point and interval forecasts for the remaining time period. dynupdate(data = ElNino\_ERSST\_region\_1and2, newdata = ElNino\_ERSST\_region\_1and2\$y[1:4,69], holdoutdata = ElNino\_ERSST\_region\_1and2\$y[5:12,57], method = "block", interval = FALSE) error 13

error

Forecast error measure

## **Description**

Computes the forecast error measure.

# Usage

```
error(forecast, forecastbench, true, insampletrue, method = c("me", "mpe", "mae",
   "mse", "sse", "rmse", "mdae", "mdse", "mape", "mdape", "smape",
   "smdape", "rmspe", "rmdspe", "mrae", "mdrae", "gmrae",
   "relmae", "relmse", "mase", "mdase", "rmsse"), giveall = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

forecast Out-of-sample forecasted values.

forecastbench Forecasted values using a benchmark method, such as random walk.

true Out-of-sample holdout values.

insample true Insample values.

method Method of forecast error measure.

giveall = TRUE, all error measures are provided.

## **Details**

## Bias measure:

If method = "me", the forecast error measure is mean error.

If method = "mpe", the forecast error measure is mean percentage error.

#### Forecast accuracy error measure:

If method = "mae", the forecast error measure is mean absolute error.

If method = "mse", the forecast error measure is mean square error.

If method = "sse", the forecast error measure is sum square error.

If method = "rmse", the forecast error measure is root mean square error.

If method = "mdae", the forecast error measure is median absolute error.

If method = "mape", the forecast error measure is mean absolute percentage error.

If method = "mdape", the forecast error measure is median absolute percentage error.

If method = "rmspe", the forecast error measure is root mean square percentage error.

If method = "rmdspe", the forecast error measure is root median square percentage error.

## Forecast accuracy symmetric error measure:

If method = "smape", the forecast error measure is symmetric mean absolute percentage error.

If method = "smdape", the forecast error measure is symmetric median absolute percentage error.

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#### Forecast accuracy relative error measure:

If method = "mrae", the forecast error measure is mean relative absolute error.

If method = "mdrae", the forecast error measure is median relative absolute error.

If method = "gmrae", the forecast error measure is geometric mean relative absolute error.

If method = "relmae", the forecast error measure is relative mean absolute error.

If method = "relmse", the forecast error measure is relative mean square error.

## Forecast accuracy scaled error measure:

If method = "mase", the forecast error measure is mean absolute scaled error.

If method = "mdase", the forecast error measure is median absolute scaled error.

If method = "rmsse", the forecast error measure is root mean square scaled error.

#### Value

A numeric value.

#### Author(s)

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#### References

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```
# Forecast error measures can be categorized into three groups: (1) scale-dependent,
# (2) scale-independent but with possible zero denominator,
# (3) scale-independent with non-zero denominator.
error(forecast = 1:2, true = 3:4, method = "mae")
error(forecast = 1:5, forecastbench = 6:10, true = 11:15, method = "mrae")
error(forecast = 1:5, forecastbench = 6:10, true = 11:15, insampletrue = 16:20,
giveall = TRUE)
```

 $ER\_GR$ 

ER\_GR

Selection of the number of principal components

# **Description**

Eigenvalue ratio and growth ratio

# Usage

ER\_GR(data)

# **Arguments**

data An n by p matrix, where n denotes sample size and p denotes the number of

discretized data points in a curve

## Value

 $k\_ER$  The number of components selected by the eigenvalue ratio  $k\_GR$  The number of components selected by the growth ratio

# Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

# References

Lam, C. and Yao, Q. (2012). Factor modelling for high-dimensional time series: Inference for the number of factors. The Annals of Statistics, 40, 694-726.

Ahn, S. and Horenstein, A. (2013). Eigenvalue ratio test for the number of factors. Econometrica, 81, 1203-1227.

# See Also

ftsm

# **Examples**

ER\_GR(pm\_10\_GR\$y)

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extract

Extract variables or observations

# **Description**

Creates subsets of a fts object.

## Usage

```
extract(data, direction = c("time", "x"), timeorder, xorder)
```

# **Arguments**

data An object of fts.

direction In time direction or x variable direction?

timeorder Indexes of time order.

xorder Indexes of x variable order.

# Value

When xorder is specified, it returns a fts object with same argument as data but with a subset of x variables.

When timeorder is specified, it returns a fts object with same argument as data but with a subset of time variables.

#### Author(s)

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```
# ElNino is an object of class sliced functional time series.
# This function truncates the data series rowwise or columnwise.
extract(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, direction = "time",
timeorder = 1980:2006) # Last 27 curves
extract(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, direction = "x",
xorder = 1:8) # First 8 x variables
```

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facf

Functional autocorrelation function

# Description

Compute functional autocorrelation function at various lags

# Usage

```
facf(fun_data, lag_value_range = seq(0, 20, by = 1))
```

## **Arguments**

fun\_data A data matrix of dimension (n by p), where n denotes sample size; and p denotes dimensionality

lag\_value\_range

Lag value

## **Details**

The autocovariance at lag i is estimated by the function  $\widehat{\gamma}_i(t,s)$ , a functional analog of the autocorrelation is defined as

$$\widehat{\rho}_i = \frac{\|\widehat{\gamma}_i\|}{\int \widehat{\gamma}_0(t,t)dt}.$$

#### Value

A vector of functional autocorrelation function at various lags

## Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

## References

L. Horv\'ath, G. Rice and S. Whipple (2016) Adaptive bandwidth selection in the long run covariance estimator of functional time series, *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, **100**, 676-693.

```
facf_value = facf(fun_data = t(ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y))
```

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farforecast	Functional data forecasting through functional principal component autoregression

# **Description**

The coefficients from the fitted object are forecasted using a multivariate time-series forecasting method. The forecast coefficients are then multiplied by the functional principal components to obtain a forecast curve.

## Usage

```
farforecast(object, h = 10, var_type = "const", Dmax_value, Pmax_value,
level = 80, PI = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

object	An object of fds.
h	Forecast horizon.
var_type	Type of multivariate time series forecasting method; see VAR for details.
Dmax_value	Maximum number of components considered.
Pmax_value	Maximum order of VAR model considered.
level	Nominal coverage probability of prediction error bands.
PI	When PI = TRUE, a prediction interval will be given along with the point fore-
	cast.

## **Details**

- 1. Decompose the smooth curves via a functional principal component analysis (FPCA).
- 2. Fit a multivariate time-series model to the principal component score matrix.
- 3. Forecast the principal component scores using the fitted multivariate time-series models. The order of VAR is selected optimally via an information criterion.
- 4. Multiply the forecast principal component scores by estimated principal components to obtain forecasts of  $f_{n+h}(x)$ .
- 5. Prediction intervals are constructed by taking quantiles of the one-step-ahead forecast errors.

## Value

point_fore	Point forecast
order_select	Selected VAR order and number of components
PI_lb	Lower bound of a prediction interval
PI_ub	Upper bound of a prediction interval

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## Author(s)

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#### See Also

```
forecast.ftsm, forecastfplsr
```

# **Examples**

```
sqrt_pm10 = sqrt(pm_10_GR$y)
x = seq(0,23.5, by=.5)
multi_forecast_sqrt_pm10 = farforecast(object = fts(x,sqrt_pm10), h = 10,
Dmax_value = 21, Pmax_value = 3)
plot(multi_forecast_sqrt_pm10$point_fore, ylim = c(5.2,8.5))
```

fbootstrap

Bootstrap independent and identically distributed functional data

# Description

Computes bootstrap or smoothed bootstrap samples based on independent and identically distributed functional data.

# Usage

```
fbootstrap(data, estad = func.mean, alpha = 0.05, nb = 200, suav = 0,
  media.dist = FALSE, graph = FALSE, ...)
```

# Arguments

data	An object of class fds or fts.
estad	Estimate function of interest. Default is to estimate the mean function. Other options are func.mode or func.var.
alpha	Significance level used in the smooth bootstrapping.
nb	Number of bootstrap samples.
suav	Smoothing parameter.
media.dist	Estimate mean function.
graph	Graphical output.
	Other arguments.

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#### Value

A list containing the following components is returned.

estimate Estimate function.

max.dist Max distance of bootstrap samples.
rep.dist Distances of bootstrap samples.

resamples Bootstrap samples. center Functional mean.

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

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#### See Also

pcscorebootstrapdata

## **Examples**

# Bootstrapping the distribution of a summary statistics of functional data. fbootstrap(data = ElNino\_ERSST\_region\_1and2)

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forecast.ftsm	Forecast functional time series	

# **Description**

The coefficients from the fitted object are forecasted using either an ARIMA model (method = "arima"), an AR model (method = "ar"), an exponential smoothing method (method = "ets"), a linear exponential smoothing method allowing missing values (method = "ets.na"), or a random walk with drift model (method = "rwdrift"). The forecast coefficients are then multiplied by the principal components to obtain a forecast curve.

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ftsm'
forecast(object, h = 10, method = c("ets", "arima", "ar", "ets.na",
   "rwdrift", "rw", "struct", "arfima"), level = 80, jumpchoice = c("fit",
   "actual"), pimethod = c("parametric", "nonparametric"), B = 100,
   usedata = nrow(object$coeff), adjust = TRUE, model = NULL,
   damped = NULL, stationary = FALSE, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

object	Output from ftsm.
h	Forecast horizon.
method	Univariate time series forecasting methods. Current possibilities are "ets", "arima", "ets.na", "rwdrift" and "rw".
level	Coverage probability of prediction intervals.
jumpchoice	Jump-off point for forecasts. Possibilities are "actual" and "fit". If "actual", the forecasts are bias-adjusted by the difference between the fit and the last year of observed data. Otherwise, no adjustment is used. See Booth et al. (2006) for the detail on jump-off point.
pimethod	Indicates if parametric method is used to construct prediction intervals.
В	Number of bootstrap samples.
usedata	Number of time periods to use in forecasts. Default is to use all.
adjust	If adjust = TRUE, adjusts the variance so that the one-step forecast variance matches the empirical one-step forecast variance.
model	If the ets method is used, model allows a model specification to be passed to ets().
damped	If the ets method is used, damped allows the damping specification to be passed to ets().
stationary	If stationary = TRUE, method is set to method = "ar" and only stationary AR models are used.
	Other arguments passed to forecast routine.

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#### **Details**

- 1. Obtain a smooth curve  $f_t(x)$  for each t using a nonparametric smoothing technique.
- 2. Decompose the smooth curves via a functional principal component analysis.
- 3. Fit a univariate time series model to each of the principal component scores.
- 4. Forecast the principal component scores using the fitted time series models.
- 5. Multiply the forecast principal component scores by fixed principal components to obtain forecasts of  $f_{n+h}(x)$ .
- 6. The estimated variances of the error terms (smoothing error and model residual error) are used to compute prediction intervals for the forecasts.

#### Value

List with the following components:

mean An object of class fts containing point forecasts.

An object of class fts containing lower bound for prediction intervals.

An object of class fts containing upper bound for prediction intervals.

An object of class fts of one-step-ahead forecasts for historical data.

An object of class fts of one-step-ahead errors for historical data.

coeff List of objects of type forecast containing the coefficients and their forecasts.

coeff.error One-step-ahead forecast errors for each of the coefficients.

var List containing the various components of variance: model, error, mean, total

and coeff.

model Fitted ftsm model.

bootsamp An array of dimension = c(p, B, h) containing the bootstrapped point fore-

casts. p is the number of variables. B is the number of bootstrap samples. h is

the forecast horizon.

## Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

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#### See Also

```
ftsm, forecastfplsr, plot.ftsf, plot.fm, residuals.fm, summary.fm
```

## **Examples**

```
# ElNino is an object of class sliced functional time series.
# Via functional principal component decomposition, the dynamic was captured
# by a few principal components and principal component scores.
# By using an exponential smoothing method,
# the principal component scores are forecasted.
# The forecasted curves are constructed by forecasted principal components
# times fixed principal components plus the mean function.
forecast(object = ftsm(ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2), h = 10, method = "ets")
forecast(object = ftsm(ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, weight = TRUE))
```

forecast.hdfpca

Forecasting via a high-dimensional functional principal component regression

## **Description**

Forecast high-dimensional functional principal component model.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'hdfpca'
forecast(object, h = 3, level = 80, B = 50, ...)
```

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# Arguments

object	An object of class 'hdfpca'

h Forecast horizon

level Prediction interval level, the default is 80 percent

B Number of bootstrap replications

... Other arguments passed to forecast routine.

#### **Details**

The low-dimensional factors are forecasted with autoregressive integrated moving average (ARIMA) models separately. The forecast functions are then calculated using the forecast factors. Bootstrap prediction intervals are constructed by resampling from the forecast residuals of the ARIMA models.

#### Value

forecast A list containing the h-step-ahead forecast functions for each population

upper Upper confidence bound for each population

lower Lower confidence bound for each population

# Author(s)

Y. Gao and H. L. Shang

#### References

Y. Gao, H. L. Shang and Y. Yang (2018) High-dimensional functional time series forecasting: An application to age-specific mortality rates, *Journal of Multivariate Analysis*, **forthcoming**.

#### See Also

```
hdfpca, hd_data
```

```
hd_model = hdfpca(hd_data, order = 2, r = 2)
hd_model_fore = forecast.hdfpca(object = hd_model, h = 1)
```

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	forecastfplsr	Forecast functional time series
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## **Description**

The decentralized response is forecasted by multiplying the estimated regression coefficient with the new decentralized predictor

# Usage

```
forecastfplsr(object, components, h)
```

# Arguments

object An object of class fts.

components Number of optimal components.

h Forecast horizon.

#### Value

A fts class object, containing forecasts of responses.

## Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### References

R. J. Hyndman and H. L. Shang (2009) "Forecasting functional time series" (with discussion), *Journal of the Korean Statistical Society*, **38**(3), 199-221.

# See Also

```
forecast.ftsm, ftsm, plot.fm, plot.ftsf, residuals.fm, summary.fm
```

```
# A set of functions are decomposed by functional partial least squares decomposition. # By forecasting univariate partial least squares scores, the forecasted curves are # obtained by multiplying the forecasted scores by fixed functional partial least # squares function plus fixed mean function. forecastfplsr(object = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, components = 2, h = 5)
```

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fplsr	Functional partial least squares regression
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# **Description**

Fits a functional partial least squares (PLSR) model using nonlinear partial least squares (NIPALS) algorithm or simple partial least squares (SIMPLS) algorithm.

# Usage

```
fplsr(data, order = 6, type = c("simpls", "nipals"), unit.weights =
TRUE, weight = FALSE, beta = 0.1, interval = FALSE, method =
c("delta", "boota"), alpha = 0.05, B = 100, adjust = FALSE,
backh = 10)
```

# **Arguments**

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data	An object of class fts.
order	Number of principal components to fit.
type	When type = "nipals", uses the NIPALS algorithm; when type = "simpls", uses the SIMPLS algorithm.
unit.weights	Constrains predictor loading weights to have unit norm.
weight	When weight = TRUE, a set of geometrically decaying weights is applied to the decentralized data.
beta	When weight = TRUE, the speed of geometric decay is governed by a weight parameter.
interval	When interval = TRUE, produces distributional forecasts.
method	Method used for computing prediction intervals.
alpha	1-alpha gives the nominal coverage probability.
В	Number of replications.
adjust	When adjust = TRUE, an adjustment is performed.
backh	When adjust = TRUE, an adjustment is performed by evaluating the difference between predicted and actual values in a testing set. backh specifies the testing set.

## **Details**

## Point forecasts:

The NIPALS function implements the orthogonal scores algorithm, as described in Martens and Naes (1989). This is one of the two classical PLSR algorithms, the other is the simple partial least squares regression in DeJong (1993). The difference between these two approaches is that the NIPALS deflates the original predictors and responses, while the SIMPLS deflates the covariance

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matrix of original predictors and responses. Thus, SIMPLS is more computationally efficient than NIPALS.

In a functional data set, the functional PLSR can be performed by setting the functional responses to be 1 lag ahead of the functional predictors. This idea has been adopted from the Autoregressive Hilbertian processes of order 1 (ARH(1)) of Bosq (2000).

## Distributional forecasts:

#### Parametric method:

Influenced by the works of Denham (1997) and Phatak et al. (1993), one way of constructing prediction intervals in the PLSR is via a local linearization method (also known as the Delta method). It can be easily understood as the first two terms in a Taylor series expansion. The variance of coefficient estimators can be approximated, from which an analytic-formula based prediction intervals are constructed.

# Nonparametric method:

After discretizing and decentralizing functional data  $f_t(x)$  and  $g_s(y)$ , a PLSR model with K latent components is built. Then, the fit residuals  $o_s(y_i)$  between  $g_s(y_i)$  and  $\hat{g}_s(y_i)$  are calculated as

$$o_s(y_i) = g_s(y_i) - \hat{g}_s(y_i), i = 1, ..., p.$$

The next step is to generate B bootstrap samples  $o_s^b(y_i)$  by randomly sampling with replacement from  $[o_1(y_i), ..., o_n(y_i)]$ . Adding bootstrapped residuals to the original response variables in order to generate new bootstrap responses,

$$g_s^b(y_i) = g_s(y_i) + o_s^b(y_i).$$

Then, the PLSR models are constructed using the centered and discretized predictors and bootstrapped responses to obtain the boostrapped regression coefficients and point forecasts, from which the empirical prediction intervals and kernel density plots are constructed.

#### Value

A list containing the following components is returned.

В	$(p \times m)$ matrix containing the regression coefficients. $p$ is the number of variables in the predictors and $m$ is the number of variables in the responses.
Р	$(p \times order)$ matrix containing the predictor loadings.
Q	$(m \times order)$ matrix containing the response loadings.
Т	(ncol(data\$y)-1) x order matrix containing the predictor scores.
R	$(p\times order)$ matrix containing the weights used to construct the latent components of predictors.
Yscores	(ncol(data\$y)-1) x order matrix containing the response scores.
projection	$(p \times order)$ projection matrix used to convert predictors to predictor scores.
meanX	An object of class fts containing the column means of predictors.
meanY	An object of class fts containing the column means of responses.

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Ypred An object of class fts containing the 1-step-ahead predicted values of the re-

sponses.

fitted An object of class fts containing the fitted values.

residuals An object of class fts containing the regression residuals.

Xvar A vector with the amount of predictor variance explained by each number of

component.

Xtotvar Total variance in predictors.

weight When weight = TRUE, a set of geometrically decaying weights is given. When

weight = FALSE, weights are all equal 1.

x1 Time period of a fts object, which can be obtained from colnames(data\$y).

y1 Variables of a fts object, which can be obtained from data\$x.

ypred Returns the original functional predictors.
y Returns the original functional responses.

bootsamp Bootstrapped point forecasts.

Lower bound of prediction intervals.Upper bound of prediction intervals.

1badj Adjusted lower bound of prediction intervals.

ubadj Adjusted upper bound of prediction intervals.

1badjfactor Adjusted lower bound factor, which lies generally between 0.9 and 1.1.

Adjusted upper bound factor, which lies generally between 0.9 and 1.1.

## Author(s)

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#### See Also

```
ftsm, forecast.ftsm, plot.fm, summary.fm, residuals.fm, plot.fmres
```

## **Examples**

```
# When weight = FALSE, all observations are assigned equally.
# When weight = TRUE, all observations are assigned geometrically decaying weights.
fplsr(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, order = 6, type = "nipals")
fplsr(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, order = 6)
fplsr(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, weight = TRUE)
fplsr(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, unit.weights = FALSE)
fplsr(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, unit.weights = FALSE, weight = TRUE)

# The prediction intervals are calculated numerically.
fplsr(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, interval = TRUE, method = "delta")

# The prediction intervals are calculated by bootstrap method.
fplsr(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, interval = TRUE, method = "boota")
```

ftsm

Fit functional time series model

#### **Description**

Fits a principal component model to a fts object. The function uses optimal orthonormal principal components obtained from a principal components decomposition.

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# Usage

```
ftsm(y, order = 6, ngrid = max(500, ncol(y$y)), method = c("classical",
   "M", "rapca"), mean = TRUE, level = FALSE, lambda = 3,
   weight = FALSE, beta = 0.1, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

у	An object of class fts.
order	Number of principal components to fit.
ngrid	Number of grid points to use in calculations. Set to maximum of 500 and ncol(y\$y).
method	Method to use for principal components decomposition. Possibilities are "M", "rapca" and "classical".
mean	If mean = TRUE, it will estimate mean term in the model before computing basis terms. If mean = FALSE, the mean term is assumed to be zero.
level	If mean = TRUE, it will include an additional (intercept) term that depends on $t$ but not on $x$ .
lambda	Tuning parameter for robustness when method = "M".
weight	When weight = TRUE, a set of geometrically decaying weights is applied to the decentralized data.
beta	When weight = TRUE, the speed of geometric decay is governed by a weight parameter.
	Additional arguments controlling the fitting procedure.

# **Details**

If method = "classical", then standard functional principal component decomposition is used, as described by Ramsay and Dalzell (1991).

If method = "rapca", then the robust principal component algorithm of Hubert, Rousseeuw and Verboven (2002) is used.

If method = "M", then the hybrid algorithm of Hyndman and Ullah (2005) is used.

# Value

Object of class "ftsm" with the following components:

x1	Time period of a fts object, which can be obtained from colnames(y\$y).
y1	Variables of a fts object, which can be obtained from y\$x.
y	Original functional time series or sliced functional time series.
basis	Matrix of principal components evaluated at value of y\$x (one column for each principal component). The first column is the fitted mean or median.
basis2	Matrix of principal components excluded from the selected model.
coeff	Matrix of coefficients (one column for each coefficient series). The first column is all ones.

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coeff2	Matrix of coefficients associated with the principal components excluded from the selected model.
fitted	An object of class fts containing the fitted values.
residuals	An object of class fts containing the regression residuals (difference between observed and fitted).
varprop	Proportion of variation explained by each principal component.
wt	Weight associated with each time period.
V	Measure of variation for each time period.
mean.se	Measure of standar error associated with the mean.

#### Author(s)

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#### See Also

```
ftsmweightselect, forecast.ftsm, plot.fm, plot.ftsf, residuals.fm, summary.fm
```

```
# ElNino is an object of class sliced functional time series, constructed
# from a univariate time series.
# By default, all observations are assigned with equal weighting.
ftsm(y = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, order = 6, method = "classical", weight = FALSE)
# When weight = TRUE, geometrically decaying weights are used.
ftsm(y = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, order = 6, method = "classical", weight = TRUE)
```

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Forecast functional time series

# **Description**

The coefficients from the fitted object are forecasted using either an ARIMA model (method = "arima"), an AR model (method = "ar"), an exponential smoothing method (method = "ets"), a linear exponential smoothing method allowing missing values (method = "ets.na"), or a random walk with drift model (method = "rwdrift"). The forecast coefficients are then multiplied by the principal components to obtain a forecast curve.

# Usage

ftsmiterativeforecasts(object, components, iteration = 20)

#### **Arguments**

object An object of class fts.

components Number of principal components.

iteration Number of iterative one-step-ahead forecasts.

#### **Details**

- 1. Obtain a smooth curve  $f_t(x)$  for each t using a nonparametric smoothing technique.
- 2. Decompose the smooth curves via a functional principal component analysis.
- 3. Fit a univariate time series model to each of the principal component scores.
- 4. Forecast the principal component scores using the fitted time series models.
- 5. Multiply the forecast principal component scores by fixed principal components to obtain forecasts of  $f_{n+h}(x)$ .
- 6. The estimated variances of the error terms (smoothing error and model residual error) are used to compute prediction intervals for the forecasts.

## Value

List with the following components:

mean An object of class fts containing point forecasts.

An object of class fts containing lower bound for prediction intervals.

An object of class fts containing upper bound for prediction intervals.

An object of class fts of one-step-ahead forecasts for historical data.

An object of class fts of one-step-ahead errors for historical data.

coeff List of objects of type forecast containing the coefficients and their forecasts.

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coeff.error One-step-ahead forecast errors for each of the coefficients.

var List containing the various components of variance: model, error, mean, total

and coeff.

model Fitted ftsm model.

bootsamp An array of dim = c(p, B, h) containing the bootstrapped point forecasts. p is

the number of variables. B is the number of bootstrap samples. h is the forecast

horizon.

## Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### References

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B. Erbas and R. J. Hyndman and D. M. Gertig (2007) "Forecasting age-specific breast cancer mortality using functional data model", *Statistics in Medicine*, **26**(2), 458-470.

R. J. Hyndman and M. S. Ullah (2007) "Robust forecasting of mortality and fertility rates: A functional data approach", *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, **51**(10), 4942-4956.

R. J. Hyndman and H. Booth (2008) "Stochastic population forecasts using functional data models for mortality, fertility and migration", *International Journal of Forecasting*, **24**(3), 323-342.

R. J. Hyndman and H. L. Shang (2009) "Forecasting functional time series" (with discussion), *Journal of the Korean Statistical Society*, **38**(3), 199-221.

#### See Also

```
ftsm, plot.ftsf, plot.fm, residuals.fm, summary.fm
```

## **Examples**

# Iterative one-step-ahead forecasts via functional principal component analysis.
ftsmiterativeforecasts(object = Australiasmoothfertility, components = 2, iteration = 5)

ftsmweightselect Selection of the weight parameter used in the weighted functional time series model.

# **Description**

The geometrically decaying weights are used to estimate the mean curve and functional principal components, where more weights are assigned to the more recent data than the data from the distant past.

## Usage

```
ftsmweightselect(data, ncomp = 6, ntestyear, errorcriterion = c("mae", "mse", "mape"))
```

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#### **Arguments**

data An object of class fts.

ncomp Number of components.

ntestyear Number of holdout observations used to assess the forecast accuracy.

errorcriterion Error measure.

#### **Details**

The data set is split into a fitting period and forecasting period. Using the data in the fitting period, we compute the one-step-ahead forecasts and calculate the forecast error. Then, we increase the fitting period by one, and carry out the same forecasting procedure until the fitting period covers entire data set. The forecast accuracy is determined by the averaged forecast error across the years in the forecasting period. By using an optimization algorithm, we select the optimal weight parameter that would result in the minimum forecast error.

#### Value

Optimal weight parameter.

#### Note

Can be computational intensive, as it takes about half-minute to compute. For example, ftsmweight-select(ElNinosmooth, ntestyear = 1).

## Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

## References

R. J. Hyndman and H. L. Shang (2009) "Forecasting functional time series (with discussion)", *Journal of the Korean Statistical Society*, **38**(3), 199-221.

## See Also

ftsm, forecast.ftsm

hdfpca

High-dimensional functional principal component analysis

## **Description**

Fit a high dimensional functional principal component analysis model to a multiple-population of functional time series data.

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# Usage

```
hdfpca(y, order, q = sqrt(dim(y[[1]])[2]), r)
```

# **Arguments**

у	A list, where each item is a population of functional time series. Each item is a data matrix of dimension p by n, where p is the number of discrete points in each function and n is the sample size
order	The number of principal component scores to retain in the first step dimension reduction
q	The tuning parameter used in the first step dimension reduction, by default it is equal to the square root of the sample size
r	The number of factors to retain in the second step dimension reduction

# **Details**

In the first step, dynamic functional principal component analysis is performed on each population and then in the second step, factor models are fitted to the resulting principal component scores. The high-dimensional functional time series are thus reduced to low-dimensional factors.

## Value

У	The input data
р	The number of discrete points in each function
fitted	A list containing the fitted functions for each population
m	The number of populations
model	Model 1 includes the first step dynamic functional principal component analysis models, model 2 includes the second step high-dimensional principal component analysis models
order	Input order
r	Input r

# Author(s)

Y. Gao and H. L. Shang

#### References

Y. Gao, H. L. Shang and Y. Yang (2018) High-dimensional functional time series forecasting: An application to age-specific mortality rates, *Journal of Multivariate Analysis*, **forthcoming**.

## See Also

```
forecast.hdfpca, hd_data
```

```
hd_model = hdfpca(hd_data, order = 2, r = 2)
```

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hd\_data

Simulated high-dimensional functional time series

#### **Description**

We generate N populations of functional time series. For each  $i \in \{1, ..., N\}$ , the ith function at time  $t \in \{1, ..., T\}$  is given by

$$X_t^{(i)}(u) = \sum_{p=1}^2 \beta_{p,t}^{(i)} \gamma_p^{(i)}(u) + \theta_t^{(i)}(u),$$

where  $\theta_t^{(i)}(u) = \sum_{p=3}^\infty \beta_{p,t}^{(i)} \gamma_p^{(i)}(u).$ 

## Usage

data("hd\_data")

#### **Details**

The coefficients  $\beta_{p,t}^{(i)}$  for all N populations are combined and generated, for all  $p \in N$ , by

$$oldsymbol{eta}_{p,t} = oldsymbol{A}_p oldsymbol{f}_{p,t},$$

where  $\beta_{p,t} = \{\beta_{p,t}^1, \dots, \beta_{p,t}^N\}$ . Here,  $A_p$  is an  $N \times N$  matrix, and  $f_{p,t}$  is an  $N \times 1$  vector. Furthermore, we assume that the  $\beta_{p,t}^{(i)}$ s have mean 0 and variance 0 when p > 3, so we only construct the coefficients  $\beta_{p,t}$  for  $p \in \{1,2,3\}$ .

The first set of coefficients  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_{1,t}$  for N populations are generated with  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_{1,t} = \boldsymbol{A}_1 \boldsymbol{f}_{1,t}$ . Each element in the matrix  $\boldsymbol{A}_1$  is generated by  $a_{ij} = N^{-1/4} \times b_{ij}$ , where  $b_{ij} \sim N(2,4)$ .

The factors  $f_{1,t}$  are generated using an autoregressive model of order 1, i.e., AR(1). Define the ith element in vector  $f_{1,t}$  as  $f_{1,t}^{(i)}$ . Then,  $f_{1,t}^1$  is generated by  $f_{1,t}^1=0.5\times f_{1,t-1}^1+\omega_t$ , where  $\omega_t$  are independent N(0,1) random variables. We generate  $f_{1,t}^{(i)}$  for all  $i\in\{2,\ldots,N\}$  by  $f_{1,t}^{(i)}=(1/N)\times g_t^{(i)}$ , where  $g_t^{(2)},\ldots,g_t^{(N)}$  are also AR(1) and follow  $g_t^{(i)}=0.2\times g_{t-1}^{(i)}+\omega_t$ . It is then ensured that most of the variance of  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_{1,t}$  can be explained by one factor. The second coefficient  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_{2,t}$  are constructed the same way as  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_{1,t}$ .

We also generate the third functional principal component scores  $\beta_{3,t}$  but with small values. Moreover,  $A_3$  is generated by  $a_{ij} = N^{-1/4} \times b_{ij}$ , where  $b_{ij} \sim N(0,0.04)$ . The factors  $bmf_{3,t}$  are generated as  $f_{1,t}$ .

The three basis functions are constructed by  $\gamma_1^{(i)}(u) = \sin(2\pi u + \pi i/2), \gamma_2^{(i)}(u) = \cos(2\pi u + \pi i/2)$  and  $\gamma_3^{(i)}(u) = \sin(4\pi u + \pi i/2)$ , where  $u \in [0,1]$ . Finally, the functional time series for the ith population is constructed by

$$X_t^{(i)}(u) = \beta_{1,t}\gamma_1^{(i)}(u) + \beta_{2,t}\gamma_2^{(i)}(u) + \beta_{3,t}\gamma_3^{(i)}(u),$$

where  $(\cdot)_i$  denotes the *i*th element of the vector.

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# References

Y. Gao, H. L. Shang and Y. Yang (2018) High-dimensional functional time series forecasting: An application to age-specific mortality rates, *Journal of Multivariate Analysis*, **forthcoming**.

## See Also

```
hdfpca, forecast.hdfpca
```

# **Examples**

```
data(hd_data)
```

is.fts

Test for functional time series

# Description

Tests whether an object is of class fts.

# Usage

```
is.fts(x)
```

# Arguments

Χ

Arbitrary R object.

#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

# **Examples**

```
# check if ElNino is the class of the functional time series.
is.fts(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2)
```

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Integrated Squared Forecast Error for models of various orders

# Description

Computes integrated squared forecast error (ISFE) values for functional time series models of various orders.

# Usage

```
isfe.fts(data, max.order = N - 3, N = 10, h = 5:10, method =
  c("classical", "M", "rapca"), mean = TRUE, level = FALSE,
  fmethod = c("arima", "ar", "ets", "ets.na", "struct", "rwdrift",
    "rw", "arfima"), lambda = 3, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

data	An object of class fts.
max.order	Maximum number of principal components to fit.
N	Minimum number of functional observations to be used in fitting a model.
h	Forecast horizons over which to average.
method	Method to use for principal components decomposition. Possibilities are "M", "rapca" and "classical".
mean	Indicates if mean term should be included.
level	Indicates if level term should be included.
fmethod	Method used for forecasting. Current possibilities are "ets", "arima", "ets.na", "struct", "rwdrift" and "rw".
lambda	Tuning parameter for robustness when method = "M".
	Additional arguments controlling the fitting procedure.

#### Value

Numeric matrix with (max.order+1) rows and length(h) columns containing ISFE values for models of orders 0: (max.order).

#### Note

This function can be very time consuming for data with large dimensionality or large sample size. By setting max.order small, computational speed can be dramatically increased.

# Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

#### References

R. J. Hyndman and M. S. Ullah (2007) "Robust forecasting of mortality and fertility rates: A functional data approach", *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, **51**(10), 4942-4956.

#### See Also

```
ftsm, forecast.ftsm, plot.fm, plot.fmres, summary.fm, residuals.fm
```

long\_run\_covariance\_estimation

Estimating long-run covariance function for a functional time series

#### **Description**

Bandwidth estimation in the long-run covariance function for a functional time series, using different types of kernel function

#### Usage

```
long_run_covariance_estimation(dat, C0 = 3, H = 3)
```

# Arguments

dat	A matrix of p by n, where p denotes the number of grid points and n denotes sample size
CØ	A tuning parameter used in the adaptive bandwidth selection algorithm of Rice
Н	A tuning parameter used in the adaptive bandwidth selection algorithm of Rice

#### Value

An estimated covariance function of size (p by p)

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### References

- L. Horvath, G. Rice and S. Whipple (2016) Adaptive bandwidth selection in the long run covariance estimation of functional time series, *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, **100**, 676-693.
- G. Rice and H. L. Shang (2017) A plug-in bandwidth selection procedure for long run covariance estimation with stationary functional time series, *Journal of Time Series Analysis*, **38**(4), 591-609.
- D. Li, P. M. Robinson and H. L. Shang (2018) Long-range dependent curve time series, *Journal of the American Statistical Association: Theory and Methods*, under revision.

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#### See Also

fts

### **Examples**

```
dum = long_run_covariance_estimation(dat = ElNino_OISST_region_1and2$y[,1:5])
```

MAF\_multivariate

Maximum autocorrelation factors

## **Description**

Dimension reduction via maximum autocorrelation factors

#### Usage

```
MAF_multivariate(data, threshold)
```

# **Arguments**

data A p by n data matrix, where p denotes the number of variables and n denotes the

sample size

threshold A threshold level for retaining the optimal number of factors

#### Value

MAF\_loading Maximum autocorrelation factor scores

MAF\_loading Maximum autocorrelation factors

Z Standardized original data

recon Reconstruction via maximum autocorrelation factors

recon\_err Reconstruction errors between the standardized original data and reconstruction

via maximum autocorrelation factors

 $ncomp\_threshold$ 

Number of maximum autocorrelation factors selected by explaining autocorre-

lation at and above a given level of threshold

ncomp\_eigen\_ratio

Number of maximum autocorrelation factors selected by eigenvalue ratio tests

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### References

M. A. Haugen, B. Rajaratnam and P. Switzer (2015). Extracting common time trends from concurrent time series: Maximum autocorrelation factors with applications, arXiv paper https://arxiv.org/abs/1502.01073.

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#### See Also

ftsm

### **Examples**

```
MAF_multivariate(data = pm_10_GR_sqrt$y, threshold = 0.85)
```

mean.fts

Mean functions for functional time series

# Description

Computes mean of functional time series at each variable.

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fts'
mean(x, method = c("coordinate", "FM", "mode", "RP", "RPD", "radius"),
na.rm = TRUE, alpha, beta, weight, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

X	An object of class fts.
method	Method for computing the mean function.
na.rm	A logical value indicating whether NA values should be stripped before the computation proceeds.
alpha	Tuning parameter when method="radius".
beta	Trimming percentage, by default it is 0.25, when method="radius".
weight	Hard thresholding or soft thresholding.
	Other arguments.

# **Details**

If method = "coordinate", it computes the coordinate-wise functional mean.

If method = "FM", it computes the mean of trimmed functional data ordered by the functional depth of Fraiman and Muniz (2001).

If method = "mode", it computes the mean of trimmed functional data ordered by h-modal functional depth.

If method = "RP", it computes the mean of trimmed functional data ordered by random projection depth.

If method = "RPD", it computes the mean of trimmed functional data ordered by random projection derivative depth.

If method = "radius", it computes the mean of trimmed functional data ordered by the notion of alpha-radius.

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#### Value

A list containing x = variables and y = mean rates.

#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman, Han Lin Shang

#### References

- O. Hossjer and C. Croux (1995) "Generalized univariate signed rank statistics for testing and estimating a multivariate location parameter", *Journal of Nonparametric Statistics*, **4**(3), 293-308.
- A. Cuevas and M. Febrero and R. Fraiman (2006) "On the use of bootstrap for estimating functions with functional data", *Computational Statistics* & *Data Analysis*, **51**(2), 1063-1074.
- A. Cuevas and M. Febrero and R. Fraiman (2007), "Robust estimation and classification for functional data via projection-based depth notions", *Computational Statistics*, **22**(3), 481-496.
- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2007) "A functional analysis of NOx levels: location and scale estimation and outlier detection", *Computational Statistics*, **22**(3), 411-427.
- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2008) "Outlier detection in functional data by depth measures, with application to identify abnormal NOx levels", *Environmetrics*, **19**(4), 331-345.
- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2010) "Measures of influence for the functional linear model with scalar response", *Journal of Multivariate Analysis*, **101**(2), 327-339.
- J. A. Cuesta-Albertos and A. Nieto-Reyes (2010) "Functional classification and the random Tukey depth. Practical issues", Combining Soft Computing and Statistical Methods in Data Analysis, *Advances in Intelligent and Soft Computing*, 77, 123-130.
- D. Gervini (2012) "Outlier detection and trimmed estimation in general functional spaces", *Statistica Sinica*, **22**(4), 1639-1660.

#### See Also

```
median.fts, var.fts, sd.fts, quantile.fts
```

## **Examples**

```
# Calculate the mean function by the different depth measures.
mean(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "coordinate")
mean(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "FM")
mean(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "mode")
mean(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "RP")
mean(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "RPD")
mean(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "radius",
alpha = 0.5, beta = 0.25, weight = "hard")
mean(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "radius",
alpha = 0.5, beta = 0.25, weight = "soft")
```

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Median functions for functional time series

#### **Description**

Computes median of functional time series at each variable.

## Usage

# **Arguments**

X	An object of class fts.
na.rm	Remove any missing value.
method	Method for computing median.
alpha	Tuning parameter when method="radius".
beta	Trimming percentage, by default it is 0.25, when method="radius".
weight	Hard thresholding or soft thresholding.
	Other arguments.

#### **Details**

If method = "coordinate", it computes a coordinate-wise median.

If method = "hossjercroux", it computes the L1-median using the Hossjer-Croux algorithm.

If method = "FM", it computes the median of trimmed functional data ordered by the functional depth of Fraiman and Muniz (2001).

If method = "mode", it computes the median of trimmed functional data ordered by h-modal functional depth.

If method = "RP", it computes the median of trimmed functional data ordered by random projection depth.

If method = "RPD", it computes the median of trimmed functional data ordered by random projection derivative depth.

If method = "radius", it computes the mean of trimmed functional data ordered by the notion of alpha-radius.

#### Value

A list containing x = variables and y = median rates.

# Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman, Han Lin Shang

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#### References

O. Hossjer and C. Croux (1995) "Generalized univariate signed rank statistics for testing and estimating a multivariate location parameter", *Journal of Nonparametric Statistics*, **4**(3), 293-308.

A. Cuevas and M. Febrero and R. Fraiman (2006) "On the use of bootstrap for estimating functions with functional data", *Computational Statistics* & *Data Analysis*, **51**(2), 1063-1074.

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- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2007) "A functional analysis of NOx levels: location and scale estimation and outlier detection", *Computational Statistics*, **22**(3), 411-427.
- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2008) "Outlier detection in functional data by depth measures, with application to identify abnormal NOx levels", *Environmetrics*, **19**(4), 331-345.
- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2010) "Measures of influence for the functional linear model with scalar response", *Journal of Multivariate Analysis*, **101**(2), 327-339.
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- D. Gervini (2012) "Outlier detection and trimmed estimation in general functional spaces", *Statistica Sinica*, **22**(4), 1639-1660.

#### See Also

```
mean.fts, var.fts, sd.fts, quantile.fts
```

# **Examples**

```
# Calculate the median function by the different depth measures.
median(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "hossjercroux")
median(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "coordinate")
median(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "FM")
median(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "mode")
median(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "RP")
median(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "RPD")
median(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "radius",
alpha = 0.5, beta = 0.25, weight = "hard")
median(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "radius",
alpha = 0.5, beta = 0.25, weight = "soft")
```

**MFDM** 

Multilevel functional data method

#### **Description**

Fit a multilevel functional principal component model. The function uses two-step functional principal component decompositions.

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# Usage

```
MFDM(mort_female, mort_male, mort_ave, percent_1 = 0.95, percent_2 = 0.95, fh,
    level = 80, alpha = 0.2, MCMCiter = 100, fmethod = c("auto_arima", "ets"),
    BC = c(FALSE, TRUE), lambda)
```

# **Arguments**

mort_female	Female mortality (p by n matrix), where p denotes the dimension and n denotes the sample size.
mort_male	Male mortality (p by n matrix).
mort_ave	Total mortality (p by n matrix).
percent_1	Cumulative percentage used for determining the number of common functional principal components.
percent_2	Cumulative percentage used for determining the number of sex-specific functional principal components.
fh	Forecast horizon.
level	Nominal coverage probability of a prediction interval.
alpha	1 - Nominal coverage probability.
MCMCiter	Number of MCMC iterations.
fmethod	Univariate time-series forecasting method.
BC	If Box-Cox transformation is performed.

#### **Details**

lambda

The basic idea of multilevel functional data method is to decompose functions from different sub-populations into an aggregated average, a sex-specific deviation from the aggregated average, a common trend, a sex-specific trend and measurement error. The common and sex-specific trends are modelled by projecting them onto the eigenvectors of covariance operators of the aggregated and sex-specific centred stochastic process, respectively.

If BC = TRUE, specify a Box-Cox transformation parameter.

# Value

first_percent	Percentage of total variation explained by the first common functional principal component.	
female_percent	Percentage of total variation explained by the first female functional principal component in the residual.	
male_percent	Percentage of total variation explained by the first male functional principal component in the residual.	
mort_female_fore		
	Forecast female mortality in the original scale.	
mort_male_fore	Forecast male mortality in the original scale.	

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#### Note

It can be quite time consuming, especially when MCMCiter is large.

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### References

- C. M. Crainiceanu and J. Goldsmith (2010) "Bayesian functional data analysis using WinBUGS", *Journal of Statistical Software*, **32**(11).
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#### See Also

```
ftsm, forecast.ftsm, fplsr, forecastfplsr
```

**MFPCA** 

Multilevel functional principal component analysis for clustering

## **Description**

A multilevel functional principal component analysis for performing clustering analysis

#### Usage

```
MFPCA(y, M = NULL, J = NULL, N = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

У	A data matrix containing functional responses. Each row contains measurements from a function at a set of grid points, and each column contains measurements of all functions at a particular grid point
М	Number of countries
J	Number of functional responses in each country
N	Number of grid points per function

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K1	Number of components at level 1
K2	Number of components at level 2
K3	Number of components at level 3
lambda1	A vector containing all level 1 eigenvalues in non-increasing order
lambda2	A vector containing all level 2 eigenvalues in non-increasing order
lambda3	A vector containing all level 3 eigenvalues in non-increasing order
phi1	A matrix containing all level 1 eigenfunctions. Each row contains an eigenfunction evaluated at the same set of grid points as the input data. The eigenfunctions are in the same order as the corresponding eigenvalues
phi2	A matrix containing all level 2 eigenfunctions. Each row contains an eigenfunction evaluated at the same set of grid points as the input data. The eigenfunctions are in the same order as the corresponding eigenvalues
phi3	A matrix containing all level 3 eigenfunctions. Each row contains an eigenfunction evaluated at the same set of grid points as the input data. The eigenfunctions are in the same order as the corresponding eigenvalues
scores1	A matrix containing estimated level 1 principal component scores. Each row corresponds to the level 1 scores for a particular subject in a cluster. The number of rows is the same as that of the input matrix y. Each column contains the scores

corresponds to the level 1 scores for a particular subject in a cluster. The number of rows is the same as that of the input matrix y. Each column contains the scores for a level 1 component for all subjects

A matrix containing estimated level 2 principal component scores. Each row corresponds to the level 2 scores for a particular subject in a cluster. The number of rows is the same as that of the input matrix y. Each column contains the scores

for a level 2 component for all subjects.

scores3 A matrix containing estimated level 3 principal component scores. Each row

corresponds to the level 3 scores for a particular subject in a cluster. The number of rows is the same as that of the input matrix y. Each column contains the scores

for a level 3 component for all subjects.

mu A vector containing the overall mean function

eta A matrix containing the deviation from overall mean function to country-specific

mean function. The number of rows is the number of countries

Rj Common trend

Uij Country-specific mean function

#### Author(s)

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# See Also

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Multiple funtional time series clustering

## Description

Clustering the multiple functional time series. The function uses the functional panel data model to cluster different time series into subgroups

## Usage

```
mftsc(X, alpha)
```

## Arguments

X A list of sets of smoothed functional time series to be clustered, for each object,

it is a p x q matrix, where p is the sample size and q is the number of grid points

of the function

alpha A value input for adjusted rand index to measure similarity of the memberships

with last iteration, can be any value big than 0.9

#### **Details**

As an initial step, conventional k-means clustering is performed on the dynamic FPC scores, then an iterative membership updating process is applied by fitting the MFPCA model.

#### Value

iteration the number of iterations until convergence

memebership a list of all the membership matrices at each iteration

member.final the final membership

# Author(s)

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#### See Also

**MFPCA** 

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(sim_ex_cluster)
cluster_result<-mftsc(X=sim_ex_cluster, alpha=0.99)
cluster_result$member.final
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

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pcscorebootstrapdata Bootstrap independent and identically distributed functional data or functional time series

#### **Description**

Computes bootstrap or smoothed bootstrap samples based on either independent and identically distributed functional data or functional time series.

#### Usage

```
pcscorebootstrapdata(dat, bootrep, statistic, bootmethod = c("st", "sm",
"mvn", "stiefel", "meboot"), smo)
```

#### **Arguments**

dat An object of class matrix.

bootrep Number of bootstrap samples.

statistic Summary statistics.

bootmethod Bootstrap method. When bootmethod = "st", the sampling with replacement

is implemented. To avoid the repeated bootstrap samples, the smoothed boost-rap method can be implemented by adding multivariate Gaussian random noise. When bootmethod = "mvn", the bootstrapped principal component scores are drawn from a multivariate Gaussian distribution with the mean and covariance matrices of the original principal component scores. When bootmethod = "stiefel", the bootstrapped principal component scores are drawn from a Stiefel manifold with the mean and covariance matrices of the original principal component scores. When bootmethod = "meboot", the bootstrapped principal component scores are drawn from a maximum entropy algorithm of Vinod (2004).

smo Smoothing parameter.

## **Details**

We will presume that each curve is observed on a grid of T points with  $0 \le t_1 < t_2 \ldots < t_T \le \tau$ . Thus, the raw data set  $(X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n)$  of n observations will consist of an n by T data matrix. By applying the singular value decomposition,  $X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n$  can be decomposed into  $X = ULR^\top$ , where the crossproduct of U and R is identity matrix.

Holding the mean and L and R fixed at their realized values, there are four re-sampling methods that differ mainly by the ways of re-sampling U.

- (a) Obtain the re-sampled singular column matrix by randomly sampling with replacement from the original principal component scores.
- (b) To avoid the appearance of repeated values in bootstrapped principal component scores, we adapt a smooth bootstrap procedure by adding a white noise component to the bootstrap.

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(c) Because principal component scores follow a standard multivariate normal distribution asymptotically, we can randomly draw principal component scores from a multivariate normal distribution with mean vector and covariance matrix of original principal component scores.

(d) Because the crossproduct of U is identity matrix, U is considered as a point on the Stiefel manifold, that is the space of n orthogonal vectors, thus we can randomly draw principal component scores from the Stiefel manifold.

#### Value

bootdata Bootstrap samples. If the original data matrix is p by n, then the bootstrapped

data are p by n by bootrep.

meanfunction Bootstrap summary statistics. If the original data matrix is p by n, then the

bootstrapped summary statistics is p by bootrep.

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### References

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A. Cuevas, M. Febrero, R. Fraiman (2006), "On the use of the bootstrap for estimating functions with functional data", *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, **51**(2), 1063-1074.

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- H. L. Shang (2015), "Re-sampling techniques for estimating the distribution of descriptive statistics of functional data", *Communications in Statistics–Simulation and Computation*, **44**(3), 614-635.
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#### See Also

## fbootstrap

#### **Examples**

```
# Bootstrapping the distribution of a summary statistics of functional data.
boot1 = pcscorebootstrapdata(ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, 400,
"mean", bootmethod = "st")
boot2 = pcscorebootstrapdata(ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, 400,
"mean", bootmethod = "sm", smo = 0.05)
boot3 = pcscorebootstrapdata(ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, 400,
"mean", bootmethod = "mvn")
boot4 = pcscorebootstrapdata(ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, 400,
"mean", bootmethod = "stiefel")
boot5 = pcscorebootstrapdata(ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2$y, 400,
"mean", bootmethod = "meboot")
```

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# Description

When class(x)[1] = ftsm, plot showing the principal components in the top row of plots and the coefficients in the bottom row of plots.

When class(x)[1] = fm, plot showing the predictor scores in the top row of plots and the response loadings in the bottom row of plots.

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fm'
plot(x, order, xlab1 = x$y$xname, ylab1 = "Principal component",
xlab2 = "Time", ylab2 = "Coefficient", mean.lab = "Mean",
level.lab = "Level", main.title = "Main effects", interaction.title
= "Interaction", basiscol = 1, coeffcol = 1, outlier.col = 2,
    outlier.pch = 19, outlier.cex = 0.5, ...)
```

# Arguments

x	Output from ftsm or fplsr.
order	Number of principal components to plot. Default is all principal components in a model.
xlab1	x-axis label for principal components.
xlab2	x-axis label for coefficient time series.
ylab1	y-axis label for principal components.
ylab2	y-axis label for coefficient time series.
mean.lab	Label for mean component.
level.lab	Label for level component.
<pre>main.title interaction.ti</pre>	Title for main effects. tle
	Title for interaction terms.
basiscol	Colors for principal components if plot.type = "components".
coeffcol	Colors for time series coefficients if plot.type = "components".
outlier.col	Colors for outlying years.
outlier.pch	Plotting character for outlying years.
outlier.cex	Size of plotting character for outlying years.
	Plotting parameters.

# Value

Function produces a plot.

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#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

#### References

R. J. Hyndman and M. S. Ullah (2007) "Robust forecasting of mortality and fertility rates: A functional data approach", *Computational Statistics* & *Data Analysis*, **51**(10), 4942-4956.

- R. J. Hyndman and H. Booth (2008) "Stochastic population forecasts using functional data models for mortality, fertility and migration", *International Journal of Forecasting*, **24**(3), 323-342.
- R. J. Hyndman and H. L. Shang (2009) "Forecasting functional time series (with discussion)", *Journal of the Korean Statistical Society*, **38**(3), 199-221.

#### See Also

```
ftsm, forecast.ftsm, residuals.fm, summary.fm, plot.fmres, plot.ftsf
```

# **Examples**

```
plot(x = ftsm(y = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2))
```

plot.fmres

Plot residuals from a fitted functional model.

# **Description**

Functions to produce a plot of residuals from a fitted functional model.

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fmres'
plot(x, type = c("image", "fts", "contour", "filled.contour",
    "persp"), xlab = "Year", ylab = "Age", zlab = "Residual", ...)
```

# **Arguments**

x	Generated by residuals(fit), where fit is the output from ftsm or fplsr.
type	Type of plot to use. Possibilities are image, fts, contour, filled.contour and persp.
xlab	Label for x-axis.
ylab	Label for y-axis.
zlab	Label for z-axis.
	Plotting parameters.

## Value

Produces a plot.

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#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

# See Also

```
ftsm, forecast.ftsm, plot.fm, plot.fmres, residuals.fm, summary.fm
```

#### **Examples**

```
# colorspace package was used to provide a more coherent color option.
plot(residuals(ftsm(y = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2)), type = "filled.contour", xlab = "Month",
    ylab = "Residual sea surface temperature")
```

plot.ftsf

Plot fitted model components for a functional time series model

### **Description**

Plot fitted model components for a fts object.

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ftsf'
plot(x, plot.type = c("function", "components", "variance"),
  components, xlab1 = fit$y$xname, ylab1 = "Basis function",
  xlab2 = "Time", ylab2 = "Coefficient", mean.lab = "Mean",
  level.lab = "Level", main.title = "Main effects",
  interaction.title = "Interaction", vcol = 1:3, shadecols = 7,
  fcol = 4, basiscol = 1, coeffcol = 1, outlier.col = 2,
  outlier.pch = 19, outlier.cex = 0.5,...)
```

# Arguments

```
Output from forecast.ftsm.
Χ
plot.type
                  Type of plot.
components
                  Number of principal components.
xlab1
                  x-axis label for principal components.
xlab2
                  x-axis label for coefficient time series.
ylab1
                  y-axis label for principal components.
ylab2
                  y-axis label for coefficient time series.
mean.lab
                  Label for mean component.
level.lab
                  Label for level component.
main.title
                  Title for main effects.
interaction.title
                  Title for interaction terms.
```

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vcol Colors to use if plot. type = "variance". shadecols Color for shading of prediction intervals when plot.type = "components". fcol Color of point forecasts when plot.type = "components". basiscol Colors for principal components if plot.type = "components". coeffcol Colors for time series coefficients if plot.type = "components". outlier.col Colors for outlying years. outlier.pch Plotting character for outlying years. outlier.cex Size of plotting character for outlying years. Plotting parameters.

#### **Details**

When plot.type = "function", it produces a plot of the forecast functions;

When plot.type = "components", it produces a plot of the principla components and coefficients with forecasts and prediction intervals for each coefficient;

When plot.type = "variance", it produces a plot of the variance components.

#### Value

Function produces a plot.

#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

#### References

- R. J. Hyndman and M. S. Ullah (2007) "Robust forecasting of mortality and fertility rates: A functional data approach", *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, **51**(10), 4942-4956.
- R. J. Hyndman and H. Booth (2008) "Stochastic population forecasts using functional data models for mortality, fertility and migration", *International Journal of Forecasting*, **24**(3), 323-342.
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- H. L. Shang, H. Booth and R. J. Hyndman (2011) "Point and interval forecasts of mortality rates and life expectancy: A comparison of ten principal component methods", *Demographic Research*, **25**(5), 173-214.

## See Also

```
ftsm, plot.fm, plot.fmres, residuals.fm, summary.fm
```

## **Examples**

```
plot(x = forecast(object = ftsm(y = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2)))
```

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# Description

Plot showing the basis functions in the top row of plots and the coefficients in the bottom row of plots.

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ftsm'
plot(x, components, components.start = 0, xlab1 = x$y$xname, ylab1 = "Basis function",
xlab2 = "Time", ylab2 = "Coefficient", mean.lab = "Mean",
level.lab = "Level", main.title = "Main effects",
interaction.title = "Interaction", basiscol = 1, coeffcol = 1,
outlier.col = 2, outlier.pch = 19, outlier.cex = 0.5, ...)
```

# Arguments

x	Output from ftsm.	
components	Number of principal components to plot.	
components.start		
	Plotting specified component.	
xlab1	x-axis label for basis functions.	
xlab2	x-axis label for coefficient time series.	
ylab1	y-axis label for basis functions.	
ylab2	y-axis label for coefficient time series.	
mean.lab	Label for mean component.	
level.lab	Label for level component.	
main.title	Title for main effects.	
interaction.ti	tle	
	Title for interaction terms.	
basiscol	Colors for basis functions if plot.type="components".	
coeffcol	Colors for time series coefficients if plot.type="components".	
outlier.col	Colour for outlying years.	
outlier.pch	Plotting character for outlying years.	
outlier.cex	Size of plotting character for outlying years.	
	Plotting parameters.	

# Value

None. Function produces a plot.

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#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

#### References

R. J. Hyndman and M. S. Ullah (2007) "Robust forecasting of mortality and fertility rates: A functional data approach", *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, **51**(10), 4942-4956.

R. J. Hyndman and H. L. Shang (2009) "Forecasting functional time series" (with discussion), *Journal of the Korean Statistical Society*, **38**(3), 199-221.

#### See Also

```
forecast.ftsm, ftsm, plot.fm, plot.ftsf, residuals.fm, summary.fm
```

# Examples

```
# plot different principal components.
plot.ftsm(ftsm(y = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, order = 2), components = 2)
```

plotfplsr

Plot fitted model components for a functional time series model

# **Description**

Plot showing the basis functions of the predictors in the top row, followed by the basis functions of the responses in the second row, then the coefficients in the bottom row of plots.

#### Usage

```
plotfplsr(x, xlab1 = x$ypred$xname, ylab1 = "Basis function", xlab2 = "Time",
  ylab2 = "Coefficient", mean.lab = "Mean", interaction.title = "Interaction")
```

## **Arguments**

X	Output from fplsr.
xlab1	x-axis label for basis functions.
ylab1	y-axis label for basis functions.
xlab2	x-axis label for coefficient time series.
ylab2	y-axis label for coefficient time series.
mean.lab	Label for mean component.
interaction.title	
Title for interaction terms.	

## Value

None. Function produces a plot.

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#### Author(s)

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#### References

R. J. Hyndman and M. S. Ullah (2007) "Robust forecasting of mortality and fertility rates: A functional data approach", *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, **51**(10), 4942-4956.

R. J. Hyndman and H. L. Shang (2009) "Forecasting functional time series" (with discussion), *Journal of the Korean Statistical Society*, **38**(3), 199-221.

#### See Also

```
forecast.ftsm, ftsm, plot.fm, plot.ftsf, residuals.fm, summary.fm
```

# **Examples**

```
# Fit the data by the functional partial least squares.
ausfplsr = fplsr(data = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, order = 2)
plotfplsr(x = ausfplsr)
```

pm\_10\_GR

Particulate Matter Concentrations (pm10)

## **Description**

This data set consists of half-hourly measurement of the concentrations (measured in ug/m3) of particular matter with an aerodynamic diameter of less than 10um, abbreviated PM10, in ambient air taken in Graz-Mitte, Austria from October 1, 2010 until March 31, 2011. To stabilise the variance, a square-root transformation can be applied to the data.

#### Usage

```
data(pm_10_GR)
```

#### **Details**

As epidemiological and toxicological studies have pointed to negative health effects, European Union (EU) regulation sets pollution standards for the level of the concentration. Policy makers have to ensure compliance with these EU rules and need reliable statistical tools to determine, and justify the public, appropriate measures such as partial traffic regulation (see Stadlober, Hormann and Pfeiler, 2008).

#### Source

```
Thanks Professor Siegfried. Hormann for providing this data set. The original data source is <a href="http://www.umwelt.steiermark.at/cms/">http://www.umwelt.steiermark.at/cms/</a>
```

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#### References

- A. Aue, D. D. Norinho, S. Hormann (2015) "On the prediction of stationary functional time series", *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, **110**(509), 378-392.
- E. Stadlober, S. Hormann, B. Pfeiler (2008) "Quality and performance of a PM10 daily forecasting model", *Atmospheric Environment*, **42**, 1098-1109.
- S. Hormann, B. Pfeiler, E. Stadlober (2005) "Analysis and prediction of particulate matter PM10 for the winter season in Graz", *Austrian Journal of Statistics*, **34**(4), 307-326.
- H. L. Shang (2017) "Functional time series forecasting with dynamic updating: An application to intraday particulate matter concentration", *Econometrics and Statistics*, **1**, 184-200.

# **Examples**

```
plot(pm_10_GR)
```

quantile

Quantile

# **Description**

Generic functions for quantile.

#### Usage

```
quantile(x, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

x Numeric vector whose sample quantiles are wanted, or an object of a class for which a method has been defined.

... Arguments passed to specific methods.

# Value

Refer to specific methods. For numeric vectors, see the quantile functions in the stats package.

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

## See Also

```
quantile.fts
```

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Quantile functions for functional time series

#### **Description**

Computes quantiles of functional time series at each variable.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fts'
quantile(x, probs, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

x An object of class fts.probs Quantile percentages.Other arguments.

#### Value

Return quantiles for each variable.

# Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

# See Also

```
mean.fts, median.fts, var.fts, sd.fts
```

# **Examples**

```
quantile(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2)
```

residuals.fm

Compute residuals from a functional model

# Description

After fitting a functional model, it is useful to inspect the residuals. This function extracts the relevant information from the fit object and puts it in a form suitable for plotting with image, persp, contour, filled.contour, etc.

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fm'
residuals(object, ...)
```

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#### **Arguments**

```
object Output from ftsm or fplsr.
... Other arguments.
```

#### Value

Produces an object of class "fmres" containing the residuals from the model.

#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

#### References

- B. Erbas and R. J. Hyndman and D. M. Gertig (2007) "Forecasting age-specific breast cancer mortality using functional data model", *Statistics in Medicine*, **26**(2), 458-470.
- R. J. Hyndman and M. S. Ullah (2007) "Robust forecasting of mortality and fertility rates: A functional data approach", *Computational Statistics* & *Data Analysis*, **51**(10), 4942-4956.
- R. J. Hyndman and H. Booth (2008) "Stochastic population forecasts using functional data models for mortality, fertility and migration", *International Journal of Forecasting*, **24**(3), 323-342.
- H. L. Shang (2012) "Point and interval forecasts of age-specific fertility rates: a comparison of functional principal component methods", *Journal of Population Research*, **29**(3), 249-267.
- H. L. Shang (2012) "Point and interval forecasts of age-specific life expectancies: a model averaging", *Demographic Research*, **27**, 593-644.

#### See Also

```
ftsm, forecast.ftsm, summary.fm, plot.fm, plot.fmres
```

#### **Examples**

```
plot(residuals(object = ftsm(y = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2)),
xlab = "Year", ylab = "Month")
```

sd

Standard deviation

# **Description**

Generic functions for standard deviation.

# Usage

```
sd(...)
```

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# **Arguments**

. . . Arguments passed to specific methods.

#### **Details**

The sd functions in the stats package are replaced by sd.default.

#### Value

Refer to specific methods. For numeric vectors, see the sd functions in the stats package.

# Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### See Also

sd.fts

sd.fts

Standard deviation functions for functional time series

# Description

Computes standard deviation of functional time series at each variable.

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fts'
sd(x, method = c("coordinate", "FM", "mode", "RP", "RPD", "radius"),
trim = 0.25, alpha, weight,...)
```

# Arguments

X	An object of class fts.
method	Method for computing median.
trim	Percentage of trimming.
alpha	Tuning parameter when method="radius".
weight	Hard thresholding or soft thresholding.
	Other arguments.

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#### **Details**

If method = "coordinate", it computes coordinate-wise standard deviation functions.

If method = "FM", it computes the standard deviation functions of trimmed functional data ordered by the functional depth of Fraiman and Muniz (2001).

If method = "mode", it computes the standard deviation functions of trimmed functional data ordered by *h*-modal functional depth.

If method = "RP", it computes the standard deviation functions of trimmed functional data ordered by random projection depth.

If method = "RPD", it computes the standard deviation functions of trimmed functional data ordered by random projection with derivative depth.

If method = "radius", it computes the standard deviation function of trimmed functional data ordered by the notion of alpha-radius.

#### Value

A list containing x = variables and y = standard deviation rates.

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

#### References

- O. Hossjer and C. Croux (1995) "Generalized univariate signed rank statistics for testing and estimating a multivariate location parameter", *Nonparametric Statistics*, **4**(3), 293-308.
- A. Cuevas and M. Febrero and R. Fraiman (2006) "On the use of bootstrap for estimating functions with functional data", *Computational Statistics* & *Data Analysis*, **51**(2), 1063-1074.
- A. Cuevas and M. Febrero and R. Fraiman (2007), "Robust estimation and classification for functional data via projection-based depth notions", *Computational Statistics*, **22**(3), 481-496.
- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2007) "A functional analysis of NOx levels: location and scale estimation and outlier detection", *Computational Statistics*, **22**(3), 411-427.
- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2008) "Outlier detection in functional data by depth measures, with application to identify abnormal NOx levels", *Environmetrics*, **19**(4), 331-345.
- M. Febrero and P. Galeano and W. Gonzalez-Manteiga (2010) "Measures of influence for the functional linear model with scalar response", *Journal of Multivariate Analysis*, **101**(2), 327-339.
- J. A. Cuesta-Albertos and A. Nieto-Reyes (2010) "Functional classification and the random Tukey depth. Practical issues", Combining Soft Computing and Statistical Methods in Data Analysis, *Advances in Intelligent and Soft Computing*, 77, 123-130.
- D. Gervini (2012) "Outlier detection and trimmed estimation in general functional spaces", *Statistica Sinica*, **22**(4), 1639-1660.

## See Also

mean.fts, median.fts, var.fts, quantile.fts

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## **Examples**

```
# Fraiman-Muniz depth was arguably the oldest functional depth.
sd(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "FM")
sd(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "coordinate")
sd(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "mode")
sd(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "RP")
sd(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "RPD")
sd(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "radius",
alpha = 0.5, weight = "hard")
sd(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "radius",
alpha = 0.5, weight = "soft")
```

sim\_ex\_cluster

Simulated multiple sets of functional time series

#### **Description**

We generate 2 groups of m functional time series. For each i in  $\{1, ..., m\}$  in a given cluster c, c in  $\{1, 2\}$ , the t th function, t in  $\{1, ..., T\}$ , is given by

$$Y_{it}^{(c)}(x) = \mu^{(c)}(x) + \sum_{k=1}^{2} \xi_{tk}^{(c)} \rho_{k}^{(c)}(x) + \sum_{l=1}^{2} \zeta_{itl}^{(c)} \psi_{l}^{(c)}(x) + \psi_{it}^{(c)}(x)$$

#### Usage

```
data("sim_ex_cluster")
```

#### **Details**

The mean functions for each of these two clusters are set to be  $\mu^{(1)}(x)=2(x-0.25)^2$  and  $\mu^{(2)}(x)=2(x-0.4)^2+0.1$ .

While the variates  $\xi_{\mathbf{tk}}^{(\mathbf{c})} = (\xi_{1k}^{(c)}, \xi_{2k}^{(c)}, \dots, \xi_{Tk}^{(c)})^{\top}$  for both clusters, are generated from autoregressive of order 1 with parameter 0.7, while the variates  $\zeta_{it1}^{(c)}$  and  $\zeta_{it2}^{(c)}$  for both clusters, are generated from independent and identically distributed N(0, 0.5) and N(0, 0.25), respectively.

The basis functions for the common-time trend for the first cluster,  $\rho_k^{(1)}(x)$ , for k in  $\{1,2\}$  are  $sqrt(2)*sin(\pi*(0:200/200))$  and  $sqrt(2)*cos(\pi*(0:200/200))$  respectively; and the basis functions for the common-time trend for the second cluster,  $\rho_k^{(2)}(x)$ , for k in  $\{1,2\}$  are  $sqrt(2)*sin(2\pi*(0:200/200))$  and  $sqrt(2)*cos(2\pi*(0:200/200))$  respectively.

The basis functions for the residual for the first cluster,  $\psi_l^{(1)}(x)$ , for l in  $\{1,2\}$  are  $sqrt(2)*sin(3\pi*(0:200/200))$  and  $sqrt(2)*cos(3\pi*(0:200/200))$  respectively; and the basis functions for the residual for the second cluster,  $\psi_l^{(2)}(x)$ , for l in  $\{1,2\}$  are  $sqrt(2)*sin(4\pi*(0:200/200))$  and  $sqrt(2)*cos(4\pi*(0:200/200))$  respectively.

The measurement error  $v_{it}$  for each continuum x is generated from independent and identically distributed  $N(0, 0.2^2)$ 

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#### **Examples**

```
data(sim_ex_cluster)
```

stop\_time\_detect

Detection of the optimal stopping time in a curve time series

## Description

Detecting the optimal stopping time for the glue curing of wood panels in an automatic process environment.

## Usage

```
stop_time_detect(data, forecasting_method = c("ets", "arima", "rw"))
```

# **Arguments**

data

An object of class fts

forecasting\_method

A univariate time series forecasting method

#### Value

break\_points\_strucchange

Breakpoints detected by the regression approach

break\_points\_ecp

Breakpoints detected by the distance-based approach

err\_forward Forward integrated squared forecast errors

err\_backward Backward integrated squared forecast errors (ISFEs)

ncomp\_select\_forward

Number of components selected by the eigenvalue ratio tests based on the for-

ward ISFEs

ncomp\_select\_backward

Number of components selected by the eigenvalue ratio tests based on the backward ISFEs

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

## References

Bekhta, P., Ortynska, G. and Sedliacik, J. (2014). Properties of modified phenol-formaldehyde adhesive for plywood panels manufactured from high moisture content veneer. Drvna Industrija 65(4), 293-301.

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stop_time_sim_data	Simulated functional time series from a functional autoregression of order one
•	order one

# Description

For detecting the optimal stopping time, we simulate a curve time series that follows a functional autoregression of order 1, with a breakpoint in the middle point of the entire sample.

# Usage

```
stop_time_sim_data(sample_size, omega, seed_number)
```

# Arguments

sample\_size Number of curves

omega Noise level

seed\_number Random seed number

#### Value

An object of class fts

## Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

# See Also

```
stop_time_detect
```

# **Examples**

```
stop_time_sim_data(sample_size = 401, omega = 0.1, seed_number = 123)
```

summary.fm

Summary for functional time series model

# Description

Summarizes a basis function model fitted to a functional time series. It returns various measures of goodness-of-fit.

#### Usage

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

T\_stationary

# Arguments

object Output from ftsm or fplsr.

... Other arguments.

#### Value

None.

## Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman

#### See Also

```
ftsm, forecast.ftsm, residuals.fm, plot.fm, plot.fmres
```

## **Examples**

```
summary(object = ftsm(y = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2))
```

T\_stationary

Testing stationarity of functional time series

# **Description**

A hypothesis test for stationarity of functional time series.

# Usage

```
T_stationary(sample, L = 49, J = 500, MC_rep = 1000, cumulative_var = .90,
   Ker1 = FALSE, Ker2 = TRUE, h = ncol(sample)^.5, pivotal = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

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sample	A matrix of discretised curves of dimension in by n) where n represents the	10
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dimensionality and n represents sample size.

L Number of Fourier basis functions.

J Truncation level used to approximate the distribution of the squared integrals of

Brownian bridges that appear in the limit distribution.

MC\_rep Number of replications.

cumulative\_var Amount of variance explained.

Ker1 Flat top kernel in (4.1) of Horvath et al. (2014).

Ker2 Flat top kernel in (7) of Politis (2003).

h Kernel bandwidth.

pivotal If pivotal = TRUE, a pivotal statistic is used.

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#### **Details**

As in traditional (scalar and vector) time series analysis, many inferential procedures for functional time series assume stationarity. Stationarity is required for functional dynamic regression models, for bootstrap and resampling methods for functional time series and for the functional analysis of volatility.

#### Value

p-value

When p-value is less than any level of significance, we reject the null hypothesis and conclude that the tested functional time series is not stationary.

#### Author(s)

Greg. Rice and Han Lin Shang

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## See Also

farforecast

# **Examples**

```
result = T_stationary(sample = pm_10_GR_sqrt$y)
result_pivotal = T_stationary(sample = pm_10_GR_sqrt$y, J = 100, MC_rep = 5000,
h = 20, pivotal = TRUE)
```

var

Variance

## Description

Generic functions for variance.

#### Usage

```
var(...)
```

## **Arguments**

... Arguments passed to specific methods.

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#### **Details**

The cor functions in the stats package are replaced by var.default.

#### Value

Refer to specific methods. For numeric vectors, see the cor functions in the stats package.

#### Author(s)

Rob J Hyndman and Han Lin Shang

## See Also

```
var.fts
```

var.fts

Variance functions for functional time series

# Description

Computes variance functions of functional time series at each variable.

## Usage

```
## $3 method for class 'fts'
var(x, method = c("coordinate", "FM", "mode", "RP", "RPD", "radius"),
trim = 0.25, alpha, weight, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

X	An object of class fts.
method	Method for computing median.
trim	Percentage of trimming.
alpha	Tuning parameter when method="radius".
weight	Hard thresholding or soft thresholding.
	Other arguments.

#### **Details**

If method = "coordinate", it computes coordinate-wise variance.

If method = "FM", it computes the variance of trimmed functional data ordered by the functional depth of Fraiman and Muniz (2001).

If method = "mode", it computes the variance of trimmed functional data ordered by h-modal functional depth.

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If method = "RP", it computes the variance of trimmed functional data ordered by random projection depth.

If method = "RPD", it computes the variance of trimmed functional data ordered by random projection derivative depth.

If method = "radius", it computes the standard deviation function of trimmed functional data ordered by the notion of alpha-radius.

#### Value

A list containing x = variables and y = variance rates.

#### Author(s)

Han Lin Shang

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#### See Also

```
mean.fts, median.fts, sd.fts, quantile.fts
```

## **Examples**

```
# Fraiman-Muniz depth was arguably the oldest functional depth.
var(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "FM")
var(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "coordinate")
var(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "mode")
var(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "RP")
```

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```
var(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "RPD")
var(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "radius",
alpha = 0.5, weight = "hard")
var(x = ElNino_ERSST_region_1and2, method = "radius",
alpha = 0.5, weight = "soft")
```

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