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ARest   *Estimation of Autoregressive (AR) Parameters*

Description

Estimate parameters ϕ of autoregressive time series model

$$X_t = \sum_{i=1}^{p} \phi_i X_{t-i} + e_t,$$

by default using robust difference-based estimator and Bayesian information criterion (BIC) to select the order p. This function is employed for time series filtering in functions `sync.test` and `wavk.test`.

Usage

```
ARest(x, ar.order = NULL, ar.method = "HVK", BIC = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	a vector containing a univariate time series. Missing values are not allowed.
ar.order	order of autoregressive model when `BIC = FALSE`, or the maximal order for BIC-based filtering. Default is `round(10*log10(length(x)))`, where x is the time series.
ar.method	method of estimating autoregression coefficients. Default `"HVK"` delivers robust difference-based estimates by Hall and Van Keilegom (2003). Alternatively, options of ar function can be used, such as `"burg"`, `"ols"`, `"mle"`, and `"yw"`.
BIC	logical value indicates whether the order of autoregressive filter should be selected by Bayesian information criterion (BIC). If `TRUE` (default), models of orders $p = 0,1,...,$ar.order or $p = 0,1,...,$round(10*log10(length(x))) are considered, depending on whether ar.order is defined or not (x is the time series).

Details

The same formula for BIC is used consistently for all methods:

$$BIC = n \ln(\hat{\sigma}^2) + k \ln(n),$$

where $n =$ `length(x)`, $k = p + 1$.

Value

A vector of estimated AR coefficients. Returns `numeric(0)` if the final $p = 0$.

Author(s)

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References

Hall P, Van Keilegom I (2003). "Using difference-based methods for inference in nonparametric regression with time series errors." *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series B (Statistical Methodology)*, **65**(2), 443–456. doi: 10.1111/14679868.00395.

See Also

ar, HVK, sync.test, wavk.test

Examples

```
# Fix seed for reproducible simulations:
set.seed(1)

#Simulate some time series, possibly with trend:
n <- 100
Y <- arima.sim(n = n, list(order = c(2, 0, 0), ar = c(-0.7, -0.1)))
plot.ts(Y)

#Estimate the coefficients:
ARest(Y) #HVK by default
ARest(Y, ar.method = "yw") #Yule--Walker
ARest(Y, ar.method = "burg") #Burg
```

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beales   *Beale's Estimator and Sample Size*

Description

Beale's ratio estimator (Beale 1962) for estimating population total and confidence intervals, with an option of calculating sample size for a required relative error (p) or margin of error (d).

Usage

```
beales(x, y, level = 0.95, N = NULL, p = NULL, d = NULL,
  verbose = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	a numeric vector with quantities of interest, such as river discharge per month. Missing values (NA) are allowed.
y	a numeric vector with quantities of interest for which the total shall be estimated, such as total nutrient loads per month. Missing values (NA) are allowed. Lengths of x and y mush be the same.
level	confidence level, from 0 to 1. Default is 0.95, that is, 95% confidence.
N	population size for which the estimate of the total y required. By default, length(x) is used.
p	optional argument specifying the required relative error, from 0 to 1, for computing corresponding sample size. For example, p = 0.15 defines a 15% relative error.
d	optional argument specifying the required margin of error for computing corresponding sample size. If both p and d are specified, only p is used.
verbose	logical value defining whether the output should be printed out in words. Default is set to TRUE to give such output.

Value

A list with the following components:

estimate	Beale's estimate of the population total for the variable y.
se	standard error of the estimate.
CI	a vector of length 2 with a confidence interval (lower and upper value) for the estimate.
level	confidence level for the interval.
N	population size.
n	the actual sample size.
p	the relative error used for sample size calculations. Reported only if p was specified in the input.
d	the margin of error used for sample size calculations. Reported only if d was specified and p was not specified in the input.
nhat	estimated sample size for the given level and error (p or d).

Author(s)

Vyacheslav Lyubchich

References

Beale EML (1962). "Some uses of computers in operational research." *Industrielle Organisation*, **31**(1), 27–28.

Examples

```
#Some hypothetical data for monthly river discharge
#and corresponding nutrient loads:
discharge <- c(NA, 50, 90, 100, 80, 90, 100, 90, 80, 70, NA, NA)
loads <- c(33, 22, 44, 48, NA, 44, 49, NA, NA, 36, NA, NA)

#Example 1:
#Estimate total annual load (12 months),
#with 90% confidence intervals
beales(discharge, loads, level = 0.9)

#Example 2:
#Calculate sample size required for 90% confidence intervals
#with a margin of error 30 units
beales(discharge, loads, level = 0.9, d = 30)
```

BICC	*BIC-Based Spatio-Temporal Clustering*

Description

Apply the algorithm of unsupervised spatio-temporal clustering, TRUST (Ciampi et al. 2010), with automatic selection of its tuning parameters `Delta` and `Epsilon` based on Bayesian information criterion, BIC (Schaeffer et al. 2016).

Usage

```
BICC(X, Alpha = NULL, Beta = NULL, Theta = 0.8, p, w, s)
```

Arguments

X	a matrix of time series observed within a slide (time series in columns).
Alpha	lower limit of the time series domain, passed to [CSlideCluster]().
Beta	upper limit of the time series domain, passed to [CSlideCluster]().
Theta	connectivity parameter, passed to [CSlideCluster]().
p	number of layers (time series observations) in each slide.
w	number of slides in each window.
s	step to shift a window, calculated in number of slides. The recommended values are 1 (overlapping windows) or equal to w (non-overlapping windows).

Details

This is the upper-level function for time series clustering. It exploits the functions `CWindowCluster` and `CSlideCluster` to cluster time series based on closeness and homogeneity measures. Clustering is performed multiple times with a range of equidistant values for the parameters `Delta` and `Epsilon`, then optimal parameters `Delta` and `Epsilon` along with the corresponding clustering results are shown (see Schaeffer et al. 2016, for more details).

The total length of time series (number of levels, i.e., nrow(X)) should be divisible by p.

Value

A list with the following elements:

delta.opt	'optimal' value for the clustering parameter `Delta`.
epsilon.opt	'optimal' value for the clustering parameter `Epsilon`.
clusters	vector of length ncol(X) with cluster labels.
IC	values of the information criterion (BIC) for each considered combination of `Delta` (rows) and `Epsilon` (columns).
delta.all	vector of considered values for `Delta`.
epsilon.all	vector of considered values for `Epsilon`.

Author(s)

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References

Ciampi A, Appice A, Malerba D (2010). "Discovering trend-based clusters in spatially distributed data streams." In *International Workshop of Mining Ubiquitous and Social Environments*, 107–122.

Schaeffer ED, Testa JM, Gel YR, Lyubchich V (2016). "On information criteria for dynamic spatio-temporal clustering." In Banerjee A, Ding W, Dy JG, Lyubchich V, Rhines A (eds.), *The 6th International Workshop on Climate Informatics: CI2016*, 5–8. doi: 10.5065/D6K072N6.

See Also

`CSlideCluster`, `CWindowCluster`, `purity`

Examples

```
# Fix seed for reproducible simulations:
set.seed(1)

##### Example 1
# Similar to Schaeffer et al. (2016), simulate 3 years of monthly data
#for 10 locations and apply clustering:
# 1.1 Simulation
T <- 36 #total months
N <- 10 #locations
phi <- c(0.5) #parameter of autoregression
```

```
burn <- 300 #burn-in period for simulations
X <- sapply(1:N, function(x)
    arima.sim(n = T + burn,
              list(order = c(length(phi), 0, 0), ar = phi)))[(burn + 1):(T + burn),]
colnames(X) <- paste("TS", c(1:dim(X)[2]), sep = "")

# 1.2 Clustering
# Assume that information arrives in year-long slides or data chunks
p <- 12 #number of time layers (months) in a slide
# Let the upper level of clustering (window) be the whole period of 3 years, so
w <- 3 #number of slides in a window
s <- w #step to shift a window, but it does not matter much here as we have only one window of data
tmp <- BICC(X, p = p, w = w, s = s)

# 1.3 Evaluate clustering
# In these simulations, it is known that all time series belong to one class,
#since they were all simulated the same way:
classes <- rep(1, 10)
# Use the information on the classes to calculate clustering purity:
purity(classes, tmp$clusters[1,])

##### Example 2
# 2.1 Modify time series and update classes accordingly:
# Add a mean shift to a half of the time series:
X2 <- X
X2[, 1:(N/2)] <- X2[, 1:(N/2)] + 3
classes2 <- rep(c(1, 2), each = N/2)

# 2.2 Re-apply clustering procedure and evaluate clustering purity:
tmp2 <- BICC(X2, p = p, w = w, s = s)
tmp2$clusters
purity(classes2, tmp2$clusters[1,])
```

CSlideCluster *Slide-Level Time Series Clustering*

Description

Cluster time series at a slide level, based on Algorithm 1 of Ciampi et al. (2010).

Usage

```
CSlideCluster(X, Alpha = NULL, Beta = NULL, Delta = NULL,
  Theta = 0.8)
```

Arguments

X   a matrix of time series observed within a slide (time series in columns).

Alpha	lower limit of the time series domain. Default is `quantile(X)[2] - 1.5*(quantile(X)[4] - quantile(X)[2])`.
Beta	upper limit of the time series domain. Default is `quantile(X)[2] + 1.5*(quantile(X)[4] - quantile(X)[2])`.
Delta	closeness parameter, a real value in $[0, 1]$. Default is `0.1*(Beta - Alpha)`.
Theta	connectivity parameter, a real value in $[0, 1]$. Default is 0.8.

Value

A vector of length `ncol(X)` with cluster labels.

Author(s)

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References

Ciampi A, Appice A, Malerba D (2010). "Discovering trend-based clusters in spatially distributed data streams." In *International Workshop of Mining Ubiquitous and Social Environments*, 107–122.

See Also

CSlideCluster, CWindowCluster, and BICC

Examples

```
set.seed(123)
X <- matrix(rnorm(50), 10, 5)
CSlideCluster(X)
```

CWindowCluster *Window-Level Time Series Clustering*

Description

Cluster time series at a window level, based on Algorithm 2 of Ciampi et al. (2010).

Usage

```
CWindowCluster(X, Alpha = NULL, Beta = NULL, Delta = NULL,
  Theta = 0.8, p, w, s, Epsilon = 1)
```

Arguments

X	a matrix of time series observed within a slide (time series in columns).
Alpha	lower limit of the time series domain, passed to [CSlideCluster]().
Beta	upper limit of the time series domain, passed to [CSlideCluster]().
Delta	closeness parameter, passed to [CSlideCluster]().
Theta	connectivity parameter, passed to [CSlideCluster]().
p	number of layers (time series observations) in each slide.
w	number of slides in each window.
s	step to shift a window, calculated in number of slides. The recommended values are 1 (overlapping windows) or equal to w (non-overlapping windows).
Epsilon	a real value in $[0, 1]$ used to identify each pair of time series that are clustered together over at least w*Epsilon slides within a window; see Definition 7 by Ciampi et al. (2010). Default is 1.

Details

This is the upper-level function for time series clustering. It exploits the function [CSlideCluster]() to cluster time series within each slide based on closeness and homogeneity measures. Then, it uses slide-level cluster assignments to cluster time series within each window.

The total length of time series (number of levels, i.e., nrow(X)) should be divisible by p.

Value

A vector (if X contains only one window) or matrix with cluster labels for each time series (columns) and window (rows).

Author(s)

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References

Ciampi A, Appice A, Malerba D (2010). "Discovering trend-based clusters in spatially distributed data streams." In *International Workshop of Mining Ubiquitous and Social Environments*, 107–122.

See Also

[CSlideCluster](), [CWindowCluster](), and [BICC]()

Examples

```
#For example, weekly data come in slides of 4 weeks
p <- 4 #number of layers in each slide (data come in a slide)

#We want to analyze the trend clusters within a window of 1 year
w <- 13 #number of slides in each window
s <- w  #step to shift a window
```

```
#Simulate 26 autoregressive time series with two years of weekly data (52*2 weeks),
#with a 'burn-in' period of 300.
N <- 26
T <- 2*p*w

set.seed(123)
phi <- c(0.5) #parameter of autoregression
X <- sapply(1:N, function(x) arima.sim(n = T + 300,
      list(order = c(length(phi), 0, 0), ar = phi)))[301:(T + 300),]
colnames(X) <- paste("TS", c(1:dim(X)[2]), sep = "")

tmp <- CWindowCluster(X, Delta = NULL, Theta = 0.8, p = p, w = w, s = s, Epsilon = 1)

#Time series were simulated with the same parameters, but based on the clustering parameters,
#not all time series join the same cluster. We can plot the main cluster for each window, and
#time series out of the cluster:
par(mfrow = c(2, 2))
ts.plot(X[c(1:(p*w)), tmp[1,] == 1], ylim = c(-4, 4),
        main = "Time series cluster 1 in window 1")
ts.plot(X[c(1:(p*w)), tmp[1,] != 1], ylim = c(-4, 4),
        main = "The rest of the time series in window 1")
ts.plot(X[c(1:(p*w)) + s*p, tmp[2,] == 1], ylim = c(-4, 4),
        main = "Time series cluster 1 in window 2")
ts.plot(X[c(1:(p*w)) + s*p, tmp[2,] != 1], ylim = c(-4, 4),
        main = "The rest of the time series in window 2")
```

DR   *Downhill Riding (DR) Procedure*

Description

Downhill riding procedure for selecting optimal tuning parameters in clustering algorithms, using an (in)stability probe.

Usage

```
DR(X, method, minPts = 3, theta = 0.9, B = 500, lb = -30,
  ub = 10)
```

Arguments

X	a $n \times k$ matrix where columns are k objects to be clustered, and each object contains n observations (objects could be a set of time series).
method	the clustering method to be used – currently either "TRUST" (Ciampi et al. 2010) or "DBSCAN" (Ester et al. 1996). If method is DBSCAN, then set MinPts and optimal ϵ is selected using DR. If method is TRUST, then set theta and optimal δ is selected using DR.

minPts	the minimum number of samples in an ϵ-neighborhood of a point to be considered as a core point. The minPts is to be used only with DBSCAN method. Default value is 3.
theta	connectivity parameter $\theta \in (0, 1)$, which is to be used only with TRUST method. Default value is 0.9.
B	number of random splits in calculating the Average Cluster Deviation (ACD). Default value is 500.
lb, ub	end points for a range of search for the optimal parameter.

Details

Parameters lb, ub are end points for a range of search for the optimal parameter. The parameter candidates are calculated in a way such that $P := 1.1^x, x \in lb, lb + 0.5, lb + 1.0, ..., ub$. Although the default range of search is sufficiently wide, in some cases lb, ub can be further extended if a warning message is given.

For more discussion on properties of the considered clustering algorithms and the DR procedure see Huang et al. (2016) and Huang et al. (2018).

Value

A list containing the following components:

P_opt	the value of optimal parameter. If method is DBSCAN, then P_opt is optimal ϵ. If method is TRUST, then P_opt is optimal δ.
ACD_matrix	a matrix that returns ACD for different values of a tuning parameter. If method is DBSCAN, then the tuning parameter is ϵ. If method is TRUST, then the tuning parameter is δ.

Author(s)

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References

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Huang X, Iliev IR, Brenning A, Gel YR (2016). "Space-time clustering with stability probe while riding downhill." In *Proceedings of the 2nd SIGKDD Workshop on Mining and Learning from Time Series (MiLeTS)*. http://www-bcf.usc.edu/%7Eliu32/milets16/#papers.

Huang X, Iliev IR, Lyubchich V, Gel YR (2018). "Riding down the bay: space-time clustering of ecological trends." *Environmetrics*, **29**(5–6), e2455. doi: 10.1002/env.2455.

See Also

BICC, dbscan

Examples

```
## Not run:
## example 1
## use iris data to test DR procedure

data(iris)
require(clue)  # calculate NMI to compare the clustering result with the ground truth
require(scatterplot3d)

Data <- scale(iris[,-5])
ground_truth_label <- iris[,5]

# perform DR procedure to select optimal eps for DBSCAN
# and save it in variable eps_opt
eps_opt <- DR(t(Data), method="DBSCAN", minPts = 5)$P_opt

# apply DBSCAN with the optimal eps on iris data
# and save the clustering result in variable res
res <- dbscan(Data, eps = eps_opt, minPts =5)$cluster

# calculate NMI to compare the clustering result with the ground truth label
clue::cl_agreement(as.cl_partition(ground_truth_label),
                   as.cl_partition(as.numeric(res)), method = "NMI")
# visualize the clustering result and compare it with the ground truth result
# 3D visualization of clustering result using variables Sepal.Width, Sepal.Length,
# and Petal.Length
scatterplot3d(Data[,-4],color = res)
# 3D visualization of ground truth result using variables Sepal.Width, Sepal.Length,
# and Petal.Length
scatterplot3d(Data[,-4],color = as.numeric(ground_truth_label))


## example 2
## use synthetic time series data to test DR procedure

require(funtimes)
require(clue)
require(zoo)

# simulate 16 time series for 4 clusters, each cluster contains 4 time series
set.seed(114)
samp_Ind <- sample(12,replace=F)
time_points <- 30
X <- matrix(0,nrow=time_points,ncol = 12)
cluster1 <- sapply(1:4,function(x) arima.sim(list(order=c(1,0,0),ar=c(0.2)),
                                             n=time_points,mean=0,sd=1))
cluster2 <- sapply(1:4,function(x) arima.sim(list(order=c(2,0,0),ar=c(0.1,-0.2)),
                                             n=time_points,mean=2,sd=1))
cluster3 <- sapply(1:4,function(x) arima.sim(list(order=c(1,0,1),ar=c(0.3),ma=c(0.1)),
                                             n=time_points,mean=6,sd=1))

X[,samp_Ind[1:4]] <- t(round(cluster1,4))
```

```
X[,samp_Ind[5:8]] <- t(round(cluster2,4))
X[,samp_Ind[9:12]] <- t(round(cluster3,4))


# create ground truth label of the synthetic data
ground_truth_label = matrix(1,nrow=12,ncol=1)
for(k in 1:3){
    ground_truth_label[samp_Ind[(4*k-4+1):(4*k)]] = k
}

# perform DR procedure to select optimal delta for TRUST
# and save it in variable delta_opt
delta_opt <- DR(X,method="TRUST")$P_opt

# apply TRUST with the optimal delta on the synthetic data
# and save the clustering result in variable res
res <- CSlideCluster(X,Delta=delta_opt ,Theta=0.9)

# calculate NMI to compare the clustering result with the ground truth label
clue::cl_agreement(as.cl_partition(as.numeric(ground_truth_label)),
                   as.cl_partition(as.numeric(res)),method = "NMI")

# visualize the clustering result and compare it with the ground truth result
# visualization of the clustering result obtained by TRUST
plot.zoo(X, type = "l",plot.type = "single",col = res, xlab = "Time Index", ylab ="")
# visualization of the ground truth result
plot.zoo(X, type = "l",plot.type = "single",col = ground_truth_label,
         xlab = "Time Index", ylab ="")

## End(Not run)
```

HVK   *HVK Estimator*

Description

Estimate coefficients in non-parametric autoregression using the difference-based approach by Hall and Van Keilegom (2003).

Usage

```
HVK(X, m1 = NULL, m2 = NULL, ar.order = 1)
```

Arguments

X	univariate time series. Missing values are not allowed.
m1, m2	subsidiary smoothing parameters. Default m1 = round(length(X)^(0.1)), m2 = round(length(X)^(0.5)).
ar.order	order of the non-parametric autoregression (specified by user).

Details

First, autocovariances are estimated using formula (2.6) by Hall and Van Keilegom (2003):

$$\hat{\gamma}(0) = \frac{1}{m_2 - m_1 + 1} \sum_{m=m_1}^{m_2} \frac{1}{2(n-m)} \sum_{i=m+1}^{n} \{(D_m X)_i\}^2,$$

$$\hat{\gamma}(j) = \hat{\gamma}(0) - \frac{1}{2(n-j)} \sum_{i=j+1}^{n} \{(D_j X)_i\}^2,$$

where n = `length(X)` is sample size, D_j is a difference operator such that $(D_j X)_i = X_i - X_{i-j}$. Then, Yule–Walker method is used to derive autoregression coefficients.

Value

Vector of length `ar.order` with estimated autoregression coefficients.

Author(s)

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References

Hall P, Van Keilegom I (2003). "Using difference-based methods for inference in nonparametric regression with time series errors." *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series B (Statistical Methodology)*, **65**(2), 443–456. doi: 10.1111/14679868.00395.

See Also

ar, ARest

Examples

```
X <- arima.sim(n = 300, list(order = c(1, 0, 0), ar = c(0.6)))
HVK(as.vector(X), ar.order = 1)
```

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i.tails   *Interval-Based Tails Comparison*

Description

Compare right tails of two sample distributions using an interval-based approach (IBA); see Chu et al. (2015) and Lyubchich and Gel (2017).

Usage

```
i.tails(x0, x1, d = NULL)
```

Arguments

x0, x1	vectors of the same length (preferably). Tail in x1 is compared against the tail in x0.
d	a threshold defining the tail. The threshold is the same for both x0 and x1. Default is quantile(x0, probs = 0.99).

Details

Sturges' formula is used to calculate number of intervals (k) for x0 $\geq$ d, then interval width is derived. The tails, x0 $\geq$ d and x1 $\geq$ d, are divided into the intervals. Number of x1-values within each interval is compared with the number of x0-values within the same interval (this difference is reported as Nk).

Value

A list with two elements:

Nk	vector that tells how many more x1-values compared with x0-values there are within each interval.
Ck	vector of the intervals' centers.

Author(s)

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References

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See Also

q.tails

Examples

```
x0 <- rnorm(1000)
x1 <- rt(1000, 5)
i.tails(x0, x1)
```

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mcusum.test	*Change Point Test for Regression*

Description

Apply change point test by Horvath et al. (2017) for detecting at-most-m changes in regression coefficients, where test statistic is a modified cumulative sum (CUSUM), and critical values are obtained with sieve bootstrap.

Usage

```
mcusum.test(e, k, B = 1000, ksm = FALSE, ksm.arg = list(kernel =
  "gaussian", bw = "sj"), ...)
```

Arguments

e	vector of regression residuals (a stationary time series).
k	an integer vector or scalar with hypothesized change point location(s) to test. The length of this vector is treated as m, that is, the number of change points being confirmed as statistically significant (from those specified in k) would be $\leq m$.
B	number of bootstrap simulations to obtain empirical critical values. Default is 1000.
ksm	logical value indicating whether a kernel smoothing to innovations in sieve bootstrap shall be applied (default is FALSE, that is, the original estimated innovations are bootstrapped, without the smoothing).
ksm.arg	used only if ksm = TRUE. A list of arguments for kernel smoothing to be passed to [density](#) function. Default settings specify the use of Gaussian kernel and the "sj" rule to choose the bandwidth.
...	additional arguments passed to [ARest](#) (for example, ar.method).

Details

The sieve bootstrap is applied by approximating regression residuals e with an AR(p) model using function [ARest](#), where the autoregressive coefficients are estimated with ar.method, and order p is selected based on ar.order and BIC settings (see [ARest](#)). At the next step, B autoregressive processes are simulated under the null hypothesis of no change points. The distribution of test statistics M_T computed on each of those bootstrapped series is used to obtain bootstrap-based p-values for the test.

The test statistic corresponds to the maximal value of the modified CUSUM over all combinations of hypothesized change points specified in k. The change points that correspond to that maximum are reported in estimate$khat, and their number is reported as parameter.

Value

A list of class `"htest"` containing the following components:

method	name of the method.
data.name	name of the data.
statistic	obseved value of the test statistic.
parameter	mhat is the final number of change points, from those specified in the input k, for which the test statistic is reported. See the corresponding locations, khat, in the estimate.
p.value	bootstrapped p-value of the test.
alternative	alternative hypothesis.
estimate	list with elements: AR_order and AR_coefficients (the autoregressive order and estimated autoregressive coefficients used in sieve bootstrap procedure), khat (final change points, from those specified in the input k for which the test statistic is reported), and B (the number of bootstrap replications).

Author(s)

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Examples

```
##### Model 1 with normal errors, by Horvath et al. (2017)
T <- 100 #length of time series
X <- rnorm(T, mean = 1, sd = 1)
E <- rnorm(T, mean = 0, sd = 1)
SizeOfChange <- 1
TimeOfChange <- 50
Y <- c(1 * X[1:TimeOfChange] + E[1:TimeOfChange],
      (1 + SizeOfChange)*X[(TimeOfChange+1):T] + E[(TimeOfChange+1):T])
ehat <- lm(Y ~ X)$resid
mcusum.test(ehat, k = c(30, 50, 70))

#Same, but with bootstrapped innovations obtained from a kernel smoothed distribution:
mcusum.test(ehat, k = c(30, 50, 70), ksm = TRUE)
```

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notrend.test	*Sieve Bootstrap Based Test for the Null Hypothesis of no Trend*

Description

A combination of time series trend tests for testing the null hypothesis of no trend, versus the alternative hypothesis of a linear trend (Student's t-test), or monotonic trend (Mann-Kendall test), or more general, possibly non-monotonic trend (WAVK test).

Usage

```
notrend.test(x, B = 1000, test = c("t", "MK", "WAVK"),
  ar.method = "HVK", ar.order = NULL, BIC = TRUE,
  factor.length = c("user.defined", "adaptive.selection"),
  Window = NULL, q = 3/4, j = c(8:11))
```

Arguments

x	a vector containing a univariate time series. Missing values are not allowed.
B	number of bootstrap simulations to obtain empirical critical values. Default is 1000.
test	trend test to implement: Student's t-test ("t", default), Mann-Kendall test ("MK"), or WAVK test ("WAVK", see [WAVK](#)).
ar.method	method of estimating autoregression coefficients. Default "HVK" delivers robust difference-based estimates by Hall and Van Keilegom (2003). Alternatively, options of ar function can be used, such as "burg", "ols", "mle", and "yw".
ar.order	order of autoregressive model when BIC = FALSE, or the maximal order for BIC-based filtering. Default is round(10*log10(length(x))), where x is the time series.
BIC	logical value indicates whether the order of autoregressive filter should be selected by Bayesian information criterion (BIC). If TRUE (default), models of orders $p = 0,1,...,$ar.order or $p = 0,1,...,$round(10*log10(length(x))) are considered, depending on whether ar.order is defined or not (x is the time series).
factor.length	method to define the length of local windows (factors). Used only if test = "WAVK". Default option "user.defined" allows to set only one value of the argument Window. The option "adaptive.selection" sets method = "boot" and employs heuristic m-out-of-n subsampling algorithm (Bickel and Sakov 2008) to select an optimal window from the set of possible windows length(x)*q^j whose values are mapped to the largest previous integer and greater than 2. Vector x is the time series tested.
Window	length of the local window (factor), default is round(0.1*length(x)). Used only if test = "WAVK". This argument is ignored if factor.length = "adaptive.selection".

q	scalar from 0 to 1 to define the set of possible windows when factor.length = "adaptive.selection". Used only if test = "WAVK". Default is $3/4$. This argument is ignored if factor.length = "user.defined".
j	numeric vector to define the set of possible windows when factor.length = "adaptive.selection". Used only if test = "WAVK". Default is c(8:11). This argument is ignored if factor.length = "user.defined".

Details

This function tests the null hypothesis of no trend versus different alternatives. To set some other shape of trend as the null hypothesis, use wavk.test. Note that wavk.test employs hybrid bootstrap, which is alternative to the sieve bootstrap employed by the current function.

Value

A list with class "htest" containing the following components:

method	name of the method.
data.name	name of the data.
statistic	value of the test statistic.
p.value	p-value of the test.
alternative	alternative hypothesis.
estimate	list with the following elements: employed AR order and estimated AR coefficients.
parameter	window that was used in WAVK test, included in the output only if test = "WAVK".

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See Also

ar, HVK, WAVK, wavk.test

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Fix seed for reproducible simulations:
set.seed(1)

#Simulate autoregressive time series of length n with smooth linear trend:
n <- 200
tsTrend <- 1 + 2*(1:n/n)
tsNoise <- arima.sim(n = n, list(order = c(2, 0, 0), ar = c(0.5, -0.1)))
U <- tsTrend + tsNoise
plot.ts(U)

#Use t-test
notrend.test(U)

#Use Mann-Kendall test and Yule-Walker estimates of the AR parameters
notrend.test(U, test = "MK", ar.method = "yw")

#Use WAVK test for the H0 of no trend, with m-out-of-n selection of the local window:
notrend.test(U, test = "WAVK", factor.length = "adaptive.selection")
# Sample output:
## Sieve-bootstrap WAVK trend test
##
##data:  U
##WAVK test statistic = 21.654, moving window = 15, p-value < 2.2e-16
##alternative hypothesis: (non-)monotonic trend.
##sample estimates:
##$AR_order
##[1] 1
##
##$AR_coefficients
##     phi_1
##0.4041848

## End(Not run)
```

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purity   *Clustering Purity*

Description

Calculate purity of the clustering results. For example, see Schaeffer et al. (2016).

Usage

```
purity(classes, clusters)
```

Arguments

classes   a vector with labels of true classes.

clusters   a vector with labels of assigned clusters for which purity is to be tested. Should be of the same length as classes.

Details

Following Manning et al. (2008), each cluster is assigned to the class which is most frequent in the cluster, then

$$Purity(\Omega, C) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_k \max_j |\omega_k \cap c_j|,$$

where $\Omega = \{\omega_1, \ldots, \omega_K\}$ is the set of identified clusters and $C = \{c_1, \ldots, c_J\}$ is the set of classes. That is, within each class $j = 1, \ldots, J$ find the size of the most populous cluster from the $K - j$ unassigned clusters. Then, sum together the $\min(K, J)$ sizes found and divide by N, where $N =$ length(classes) = length(clusters).

If $\max_j |\omega_k \cap c_j|$ is not unique for some j, it is assigned to the class which second maximum is the smallest, to maximize the $Purity$ (see 'Examples').

Number of unique elements in classes and clusters may differ.

Value

A list with two elements:

pur   purity value.

out   table with $\min(K, J) =$ min(length(unique(classes)),length(unique(clusters))) rows and the following columns: ClassLabels, ClusterLabels, and ClusterSize.

Author(s)

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Examples

```
# Fix seed for reproducible simulations:
set.seed(1)

##### Example 1
#Create some classes and cluster labels:
classes <- rep(LETTERS[1:3], each = 5)
clusters <- sample(letters[1:5], length(classes), replace = TRUE)
```

```
#From the table below:
# - cluster 'b' corresponds to class A;
# - either of the clusters 'd' and 'e' can correspond to class B,
#   however, 'e' should be chosen, because cluster 'd' also highly
#   intersects with Class C. Thus,
# - cluster 'd' corresponds to class C.
table(classes, clusters)
##        clusters
##classes a b c d e
##     A 0 3 1 0 1
##     B 1 0 0 2 2
##     C 1 2 0 2 0

#The function does this choice automatically:
purity(classes, clusters)

#Sample output:
##$pur
##[1] 0.4666667
##
##$out
##  ClassLabels ClusterLabels ClusterSize
##1           A             b           3
##2           B             e           2
##3           C             d           2


##### Example 2
#The labels can be also numeric:
classes <- rep(1:5, each = 3)
clusters <- sample(1:3, length(classes), replace = TRUE)
purity(classes, clusters)
```

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q.tails   *Quantile-Based Tails Comparison*

Description

Compare right tails of two sample distributions using a quantile-based approach (QBA); see Soliman et al. (2014), Soliman et al. (2015), and Lyubchich and Gel (2017).

Usage

```
q.tails(x0, x1, q = 0.99)
```

Arguments

x0, x1	vectors of the same length (preferably). Tail in x1 is compared against the tail in x0.
q	a quantile defining the right tail for both x0 and x1. Values above the thresholds quantile(x0, probs = q) and quantile(x1, probs = q) are considered as the respective right tails.

Details

Sturges' formula is used to calculate number of intervals (k) to split the upper $100(1-q)\%$ portion of x0 and x1 (the right tails). Then, each tail is divided into equally-filled intervals with a quantile step $d = (1-q)/k$. Pk reports the difference between corresponding intervals' centers obtained from x0 and x1.

Value

A list with two elements:

d	the step in probabilities for defining the quantiles.
Pk	vector of differences of the intervals' centers.

Author(s)

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See Also

i.tails

Examples

```
x0 <- rnorm(1000)
x1 <- rt(1000, 5)
q.tails(x0, x1)
```

---

sync.cluster   *Time Series Clustering based on Trend Synchronism*

Description

Cluster time series with a common parametric trend using the `sync.test` function (Lyubchich and Gel 2016; Ghahari et al. 2017).

Usage

```
sync.cluster(formula, rate = 1, alpha = 0.05, ...)
```

Arguments

formula   an object of class `"formula"`, specifying the type of common trend for cluster-
            ing the time series in a T by N matrix of time series (time series in columns)
            which is passed to `sync.test`. Variable t should be used to specify the form
            of the trend, where t is specified within the function automatically as a regular
            sequence of length T on the interval (0,1]. See 'Examples'.

rate   rate of removal of time series. Default is 1 (i.e., if hypothesis of synchronism is
            rejected one time series is removed at a time to re-test the remaining time series).
            Integer values above 1 are treated as number of time series to be removed. Values
            from 0 to 1 are treated as a fraction of time series to be removed.

alpha   significance level for testing hypothesis of a common trend (using `sync.test`)
            of the parametric form specified in `formula`.

...   arguments to be passed to `sync.test`, for example, number of bootstrap repli-
            cations (B).

Details

The `sync.cluster` function recursively clusters time series having a pre-specified common para-
metric trend until there are no time series left. Starting with the given N time series, the `sync.test`
function is used to test for a common trend. If null hypothesis of common trend is not rejected by
`sync.test`, the time series are grouped together (i.e., assigned to a cluster). Otherwise, the time
series with the largest contribution to the test statistics are temporarily removed (the number of time
series to remove depends on the `rate` of removal) and `sync.test` is applied again. The contribution
to the test statistic is assessed by the WAVK test statistic calculated for each time series.

Value

A list with the elements:

cluster   an integer vector indicating the cluster to which each time series is allocated. A
            label `'0'` is assigned to time series which do not have a common trend with other
            time series (that is, all time series labeled with `'0'` are separate one-element
            clusters).

elements   a list with names of the time series in each cluster.

The further elements combine results of `sync.test` for each cluster with at least two elements (that is, single-element clusters labeled with `'0'` are excluded):

estimate	a list with common parametric trend estimates obtained by `sync.test` for each cluster. The length of this list is `max(cluster)`.
pval	a list of *p*-values of `sync.test` for each cluster. The length of this list is `max(cluster)`.
statistic	a list with values of `sync.test` test statistic for each cluster. The length of this list is `max(cluster)`.
ar_order	a list of AR filter orders used in `sync.test` for each time series. The results are grouped by cluster in the list of length `max(cluster)`.
window_used	a list of local windows used in `sync.test` for each time series. The results are grouped by cluster in the list of length `max(cluster)`.
all_considered_windows	
	a list of all windows considered in `sync.test` and corresponding test results, for each cluster. The length of this list is `max(cluster)`.
WAVK_obs	a list of WAVK test statistics obtained in `sync.test` for each time series. The results are grouped by cluster in the list of length `max(cluster)`.

Author(s)

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See Also

BICC, DR, sync.test

Examples

```
## Not run:
## Simulate 4 autoregressive time series,
## 3 having a linear trend and 1 without a trend:
set.seed(123)
T = 100 #length of time series
N = 4 #number of time series
X = sapply(1:N, function(x) arima.sim(n = T,
          list(order = c(1, 0, 0), ar = c(0.6))))
X[,1] <- 5 * (1:T)/T + X[,1]
plot.ts(X)

# Finding clusters with common linear trends:
```

```
LinTrend <- sync.cluster(X ~ t)

## Sample Output:
##[1] "Cluster labels:"
##[1] 0 1 1 1
##[1] "Number of single-element clusters (labeled with '0'): 1"

## plotting the time series of the cluster obtained
for(i in 1:max(LinTrend$cluster)) {
    plot.ts(X[, LinTrend$cluster == i],
            main = paste("Cluster", i))
}


## Simulating 7 autoregressive time series,
## where first 4 time series have a linear trend added
set.seed(234)
T = 100 #length of time series
a <- sapply(1:4, function(x) -10 + 0.1 * (1:T) +
            arima.sim(n = T, list(order = c(1, 0, 0), ar = c(0.6))))
b <- sapply(1:3, function(x) arima.sim(n = T,
            list(order = c(1, 0, 0), ar = c(0.6))))
Y <- cbind(a, b)
plot.ts(Y)

## Clustering based on linear trend with rate of removal = 2
# and confidence level for the synchronism test 90%
LinTrend7 <- sync.cluster(Y ~ t, rate = 2, alpha = 0.1, B = 99)

## Sample output:
##[1] "Cluster labels:"
##[1] 1 1 1 0 2 0 2
##[1] "Number of single-element clusters (labeled with '0'): 2"

## End(Not run)
```

---

sync.test   *Time Series Trend Synchronism Test*

Description

Non-parametric test for synchronism of parametric trends in multiple time series (Lyubchich and Gel 2016). The method tests whether N observed time series exhibit the same trend of some pre-specified smooth parametric form.

Usage

```
sync.test(formula, B = 1000, Window = NULL, q = NULL, j = NULL,
  ar.order = NULL, ar.method = "HVK", BIC = TRUE)
```

Arguments

formula	an object of class "[formula](#)", specifying the form of the common parametric time trend to be tested in a T by N matrix of time series (time series in columns). Variable t should be used to specify the form of the trend, where t is specified within the function as a regular sequence on the interval (0,1]. See 'Examples'.
B	number of bootstrap simulations to obtain empirical critical values. Default is 1000.
Window	scalar or N-vector with lengths of the local windows (factors). If only one value is set, the same Window is applied to each time series. An N-vector gives a specific window for each time series. If Window is not specified, an automatic algorithm for optimal window selection is applied as a default option (see 'Details').
q	scalar from 0 to 1 to define the set of possible windows T*q^j and to automatically select an optimal window for each time series. Default is $3/4$. This argument is ignored if Window is set by user.
j	numeric vector to define the set of possible windows T*q^j and to automatically select an optimal window for each time series. Default is c(8:11). This argument is ignored if Window is set by user.
ar.order	order of autoregressive filter when BIC = FALSE, or the maximal order for BIC-based filtering. Default is round(10*log10(T)). The ar.order can be a scalar or N-vector. If scalar, the same ar.order is applied to each time series. An N-vector specifies a separate ar.order for each time series.
ar.method	method of estimating autoregression coefficients. Default "HVK" delivers robust difference-based estimates by Hall and Van Keilegom (2003). Alternatively, options of ar function can be used, such as "burg", "ols", "mle", and "yw".
BIC	logical value indicates whether the order of autoregressive filter should be selected by Bayesian information criterion (BIC). If TRUE (default), models of orders $p = 0,1,...,$ar.order or $p = 0,1,...,$round(10*log10(length(x))) are considered, depending on whether ar.order is defined or not (x is the time series).

Details

Arguments Window, j, and q are used to set windows for the local regression. Current version of the function assumes two options: (1) user specifies one fixed window for each time series using the argument Window (if Window is set, j and q are ignored), and (2) user specifies a set of windows by j and q to apply this set to each time series and to select an optimal window using a heuristic m-out-of-n subsampling algorithm (Bickel and Sakov 2008). The option of selecting windows automatically for some of the time series, while for other time series the window is fixed, is not available yet. If none of these three arguments is set, default j and q are used. Values T*q^j are mapped to the largest previous integer, then only those greater than 2 are used.

See more details in Lyubchich and Gel (2016) and Lyubchich (2016).

Value

A list of class "htest" containing the following components:

method	name of the method.
data.name	name of the data.
statistic	value of the test statistic.
p.value	p-value of the test.
alternative	alternative hypothesis.
estimate	list with elements common_trend_estimates, ar_order_used, Window_used, wavk_obs, and all_considered_windows. The latter is a table with bootstrap and asymptotic test results for all considered windows, that is, without adaptive selection of the local window.

Author(s)

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See Also

ar, HVK, WAVK, wavk.test

Examples

```
#Fix seed for reproducible simulations:
set.seed(1)

# Simulate two autoregressive time series of length n without trend
#(i.e., with zero or constant trend)
# and arrange the series into a matrix:
n <- 200
y1 <- arima.sim(n = n, list(order = c(1, 0, 0), ar = c(0.6)))
y2 <- arima.sim(n = n, list(order = c(1, 0, 0), ar = c(-0.2)))
Y <- cbind(y1, y2)
plot.ts(Y)


#Test H0 of a common linear trend:
## Not run:
    sync.test(Y ~ t, B = 500)
```

```
## End(Not run)
# Sample output:
## Non-parametric test for synchronism of parametric trends
##
##data:  Y
##Test statistic = -0.0028999, p-value = 0.7
##alternative hypothesis: common trend is not of the form Y ~ t.
##sample estimates:
##$common_trend_estimates
##               Estimate Std. Error    t value  Pr(>|t|)
##(Intercept) -0.02472566  0.1014069 -0.2438261 0.8076179
##t            0.04920529  0.1749859  0.2811958 0.7788539
##
##$ar.order_used
##        y1 y2
##ar.order  1  1
##
##$Window_used
##        y1 y2
##Window 15  8
##
##$all_considered_windows
## Window    Statistic p-value Asympt. p-value
##      8 -0.000384583   0.728       0.9967082
##     11 -0.024994408   0.860       0.7886005
##     15 -0.047030164   0.976       0.6138976
##     20 -0.015078579   0.668       0.8714980
##
##$wavk_obs
##[1]  0.05827148 -0.06117136


# Add a time series y3 with a different linear trend and re-apply the test:
y3 <- 1 + 3*((1:n)/n) + arima.sim(n = n, list(order = c(1, 0, 0), ar = c(-0.2)))
Y2 <- cbind(Y, y3)
plot.ts(Y2)
## Not run:
    sync.test(Y2 ~ t, B = 500)
## End(Not run)
# Sample output:
## Non-parametric test for synchronism of parametric trends
##
##data:  Y2
##Test statistic = 0.48579, p-value < 2.2e-16
##alternative hypothesis: common trend is not of the form Y2 ~ t.
##sample estimates:
##$common_trend_estimates
##               Estimate Std. Error  t value       Pr(>|t|)
##(Intercept) -0.3632963 0.07932649 -4.57976 8.219360e-06
##t            0.7229777 0.13688429  5.28167 3.356552e-07
##
##$ar.order_used
##         Y.y1 Y.y2 y3
```

```
##ar.order    1    1   0
##
##$Window_used
##      Y.y1 Y.y2 y3
##Window    8   11   8
##
##$all_considered_windows
## Window Statistic p-value Asympt. p-value
##       8 0.4930069       0   1.207378e-05
##      11 0.5637067       0   5.620248e-07
##      15 0.6369703       0   1.566057e-08
##      20 0.7431621       0   4.201484e-11
##
##$wavk_obs
##[1]  0.08941797 -0.07985614  0.34672734

#Other hypothesized trend forms can be specified, for example:
## Not run:
    sync.test(Y ~ 1) #constant trend
    sync.test(Y ~ poly(t, 2)) #quadratic trend
    sync.test(Y ~ poly(t, 3)) #cubic trend

## End(Not run)
```

WAVK   *WAVK Statistic*

Description

Statistic for testing the parametric form of a regression function, suggested by Wang et al. (2008).

Usage

```
WAVK(z, kn = NULL)
```

Arguments

z   pre-filtered univariate time series (see formula (2.1) by Wang and Van Keilegom 2007):

$$Z_i = \left(Y_{i+p} - \sum_{j=1}^{p} \hat{\phi}_{j,n} Y_{i+p-j} \right) - \left(f(\hat{\theta}, t_{i+p}) - \sum_{j=1}^{p} \hat{\phi}_{j,n} f(\hat{\theta}, t_{i+p-j}) \right),$$

where Y_i is observed time series of length n, $\hat{\theta}$ is an estimator of hypothesized parametric trend $f(\theta, t)$, and $\hat{\phi}_p = (\hat{\phi}_{1,n}, \ldots, \hat{\phi}_{p,n})'$ are estimated coefficients of an autoregressive filter of order p. Missing values are not allowed.

kn   length of the local window.

Value

A list with following components:

Tn
: test statistic based on artificial ANOVA and defined by Wang and Van Keilegom (2007) as a difference of mean square for treatments (MST) and mean square for errors (MSE):

$$T_n = MST - MSE = \frac{k_n}{n-1} \sum_{t=1}^{T} \left(\overline{V}_{t.} - \overline{V}_{..} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{n(k_n - 1)} \sum_{t=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{k_n} \left(V_{tj} - \overline{V}_{t.} \right)^2,$$

where $\{V_{t1}, \ldots, V_{tk_n}\} = \{Z_j : j \in W_t\}$, W_t is a local window, $\overline{V}_{t.}$ and $\overline{V}_{..}$ are the mean of the tth group and the grand mean, respectively.

Tns
: standardized version of Tn according to Theorem 3.1 by Wang and Van Keilegom (2007):

$$T_{ns} = \left(\frac{n}{k_n} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} T_n \Big/ \left(\frac{4}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sigma^2,$$

where n is length and σ^2 is variance of the time series. Robust difference-based Rice's estimator (Rice 1984) is used to estimate σ^2.

p.value
: p-value for Tns based on its asymptotic $N(0,1)$ distribution.

Author(s)

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See Also

wavk.test

Examples

```
z <- rnorm(300)
WAVK(z, kn = 7)
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wavk.test   *WAVK Trend Test*

Description

Non-parametric test to detect (non-)monotonic parametric trends in time series (based on Lyubchich et al. 2013).

Usage

```
wavk.test(formula, factor.length = c("user.defined",
  "adaptive.selection"), Window = NULL, q = 3/4, j = c(8:11),
  B = 1000, method = c("boot", "asympt"), ar.order = NULL,
  ar.method = "HVK", BIC = TRUE, out = FALSE)
```

Arguments

formula	an object of class "[formula](#)", specifying the form of the parametric time trend to be tested. Variable t should be used to specify the form, where t is specified within the function as a regular sequence on the interval (0,1]. See 'Examples'.
factor.length	method to define the length of local windows (factors). Default option "user.defined" allows to set only one value of the argument Window. The option "adaptive.selection" sets method = "boot" and employs heuristic m-out-of-n subsampling algorithm (Bickel and Sakov 2008) to select an optimal window from the set of possible windows length(x)*q^j whose values are mapped to the largest previous integer and greater than 2. Vector x is the time series tested.
Window	length of the local window (factor), default is round(0.1*length(x)), where x is the time series tested. This argument is ignored if factor.length = "adaptive.selection".
q	scalar from 0 to 1 to define the set of possible windows when factor.length = "adaptive.selection". Default is $3/4$. This argument is ignored if factor.length = "user.defined".
j	numeric vector to define the set of possible windows when factor.length = "adaptive.selection". Default is c(8:11). This argument is ignored if factor.length = "user.defined".
B	number of bootstrap simulations to obtain empirical critical values. Default is 1000.
method	method of obtaining critical values: from asymptotical ("asympt") or bootstrap ("boot") distribution. If factor.length = "adaptive.selection" the option "boot" is used.
ar.order	order of autoregressive model when BIC = FALSE, or the maximal order for BIC-based filtering. Default is round(10*log10(length(x))), where x is the time series.

ar.method	method of estimating autoregression coefficients. Default "HVK" delivers robust difference-based estimates by Hall and Van Keilegom (2003). Alternatively, options of ar function can be used, such as "burg", "ols", "mle", and "yw".
BIC	logical value indicates whether the order of autoregressive filter should be selected by Bayesian information criterion (BIC). If TRUE (default), models of orders $p = 0,1,...,$ar.order or $p = 0,1,...,$round(10*log10(length(x))) are considered, depending on whether ar.order is defined or not (x is the time series).
out	logical value indicates whether full output should be shown. Default is FALSE.

Details

See more details in Lyubchich and Gel (2016) and Lyubchich (2016).

Value

A list with class "htest" containing the following components:

method	name of the method.
data.name	name of the data.
statistic	value of the test statistic.
p.value	p-value of the test.
alternative	alternative hypothesis.
parameter	window that was used.
estimate	list with the following elements: estimated trend coefficients; user-defined or BIC-selected AR order; estimated AR coefficients; and, if factor.length = "adaptive.selection", test results for all considered windows.

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See Also

ar, HVK, WAVK, sync.test

Examples

```
# Fix seed for reproducible simulations:
set.seed(1)

#Simulate autoregressive time series of length n with smooth quadratic trend:
n <- 100
tsTrend <- 1 + 2*(1:n/n) + 4*(1:n/n)^2
tsNoise <- arima.sim(n = n, list(order = c(2, 0, 0), ar = c(-0.7, -0.1)))
U <- tsTrend + tsNoise
plot.ts(U)

#Test H0 of a linear trend, with m-out-of-n selection of the local window:
## Not run:
    wavk.test(U ~ t, factor.length = "adaptive.selection")
## End(Not run)
# Sample output:
## Trend test by Wang, Akritas, and Van Keilegom (bootstrap p-values)
##
##data:  U
##WAVK test statistic = 5.3964, adaptively selected window = 4, p-value < 2.2e-16
##alternative hypothesis: trend is not of the form U ~ t.

#Test H0 of a quadratic trend, with m-out-of-n selection of the local window
#and output of all results:
## Not run:
    wavk.test(U ~ poly(t, 2), factor.length = "adaptive.selection", out = TRUE)
## End(Not run)
# Sample output:
## Trend test by Wang, Akritas, and Van Keilegom (bootstrap p-values)
##
##data:  U
##WAVK test statistic = 0.40083, adaptively selected window = 4, p-value = 0.576
##alternative hypothesis: trend is not of the form U ~ poly(t, 2).
##sample estimates:
##$trend_coefficients
##(Intercept) poly(t, 2)1 poly(t, 2)2
##   3.408530   17.681422    2.597213
##
##$AR_order
##[1] 1
##
##$AR_coefficients
##         phi_1
##[1] -0.7406163
##
##$all_considered_windows
## Window WAVK-statistic p-value
##      4     0.40083181    0.576
```

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##      5     0.06098625    0.760
##      7    -0.57115451    0.738
##     10    -1.02982929    0.360

# Test H0 of no trend (constant trend) using asymptotic distribution of statistic.
wavk.test(U ~ 1, method = "asympt")
# Sample output:
## Trend test by Wang, Akritas, and Van Keilegom (asymptotic p-values)
##
##data:  U
##WAVK test statistic = 25.999, user-defined window = 10, p-value < 2.2e-16
##alternative hypothesis: trend is not of the form U ~ 1.
```

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