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## Description

Computes the Generalized Dynamic Principal Components proposed in Peña and Yohai (2016).

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## Examples

```
data(ipi91)
## Not run:
    #Compute GDPC, number of components and number of lags is chosen automatically.
    #This might take a bit.
    ipi_autogdpc <- auto.gdpc(ipi91)
## End(Not run)
```

auto.gdpc
Automatic Fitting of Generalized Dynamic Principal Components

## Description

Computes Generalized Dynamic Principal Components. The number of components can be supplied by the user or chosen automatically so that a given proportion of variance is explained. The number of lags is chosen automatically using one of the following criteria: Leave-one-out crossvalidation, an AIC type criterion, a BIC type criterion or a criterion based on a proposal of Bai and Ng (2002). See Peña, Smucler and Yohai (2020) for more details.

## Usage

```
auto.gdpc(Z, crit = 'LOO', normalize = 1, auto_comp = TRUE, expl_var = 0.9,
    num_comp \(=5\), tol \(=1 e-4\), k_max \(=10\),
    niter_max = 500, ncores = 1, verbose = FALSE)
```


## Arguments

| Z | Data matrix. Each column is a different time series. |
| :---: | :---: |
| crit | A string specifying the criterion to be used. Options are 'LOO', 'AIC', 'BIC' and 'BNG'. Default is 'LOO'. See Details below. |
| normalize | Integer. Either 1, 2 or 3 . Indicates whether the data should be standardized. Default is 1 . See Details below. |
| auto_comp | Logical. If TRUE compute components until the proportion of explained variance is equal to expl_var, otherwise use num_comp components. Default is TRUE. |
| expl_var | A number between 0 and 1 . Desired proportion of explained variance (only used if auto_comp==TRUE). Default is 0.9 . |
| num_comp | Integer. Number of components to be computed (only used if auto_comp==FALSE). Default is 5 . |
| tol | Relative precision. Default is 1e-4. |
| k_max | Integer. Maximum possible number of lags. Default is 10. |
| niter_max | Integer. Maximum number of iterations. Default is 500. |
| ncores | Integer. Number of cores to be used for parallel computations. Default is 1 . |
| verbose | Logical. Should progress be reported? Default is FALSE. |

## Details

Suppose the data matrix consists of $m$ series of length $T$. Let $\boldsymbol{f}$ be the dynamic principal component defined using $k$ lags, let $R$ be the corresponding matrix of residuals and let $\Sigma=\left(R^{\prime} R\right) / T$.
If crit = 'LOO' the number of lags is chosen among $0, \ldots, k_{\max }$ as the value $k$ that minimizes the leave-one-out (LOO) cross-validation mean squared error, given by

$$
L O O=\frac{1}{T m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} \sum_{t=1}^{T} \frac{R_{t, i}^{2}}{\left(1-h_{t, t}\right)^{2}}
$$

where $h_{t, t}$ are the diagonal elements of the hat matrix $H=F\left(F^{\prime} F\right)^{-1} F^{\prime}$, with $F$ being the $T \times$ $(k+2)$ matrix with rows $\left(f_{t-k}, f_{t-k+1}, \ldots, f_{t}, 1\right)$.
If crit = 'AIC' the number of lags is chosen among $0, \ldots, k_{\max }$ as the value $k$ that minimizes the following AIC type criterion

$$
A I C=T \log (\operatorname{trace}(\Sigma))+2 m(k+2)
$$

If crit $=$ 'BIC' the number of lags is chosen among $0, \ldots, k_{\max }$ as the value $k$ that minimizes the following BIC type criterion

$$
B I C=T \log (\operatorname{trace}(\Sigma))+m(k+2) \log (T)
$$

If crit $=$ ' BNG ' the number of lags is chosen among $0, \ldots, k_{\max }$ as the value $k$ that minimizes the following criterion

$$
B N G=\min (T, m) \log (\operatorname{trace}(\Sigma))+(k+1) \log (\min (T, m))
$$

This is an adaptation of a criterion proposed by Bai and Ng (2002).
For problems of relatively small dimension, say $T \geq m 10$, 'AIC' can can give better results than the default 'LOO'.
If normalize $=1$, the data is analyzed in the original units, without mean and variance standarization. If normalize $=2$, the data is standardized to zero mean and unit variance before computing the principal components, but the intercepts and loadings are those needed to reconstruct the original series. If normalize $=3$ the data are standardized as in normalize $=2$, but the intercepts and the loadings are those needed to reconstruct the standardized series. Default is normalize $=1$.

Value
An object of class gdpcs, that is, a list of length equal to the number of computed components. The i-th entry of this list is an object of class gdpc, that is, a list with entries

| expart | Proportion of the variance explained by the first i components. |
| :---: | :---: |
| mse | Mean squared error of the reconstruction using the first i components. |
| crit | The value of the criterion of the reconstruction, according to what the user specified. |
| k | Number of lags chosen. |
| alpha | Vector of intercepts corresponding to f . |
| beta | Matrix of loadings corresponding to f . Column number $k$ is the vector of $k-1$ lag loadings. |
| f | Coordinates of the i-th dynamic principal component corresponding to the periods $1, \ldots, T$. |
| initial_f | Coordinates of the i-th dynamic principal component corresponding to the periods $-k+1, \ldots, 0$. Only for the case $k>0$, otherwise 0 . |
| call | The matched call. |
| conv | Logical. Did the iterations converge? |
| niter | Integer. Number of iterations. |
| components | ed, plot and print methods are available for this class. |

## Author(s)

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## References

Bai J. and Ng S. (2002). "Determining the Number of Factors in Approximate Factor Models." Econometrica, 70(1), 191-221.
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## See Also

gdpc, plot.gdpc, plot.gdpcs, fitted.gdpcs, components.gdpcs

## Examples

```
    T <- 200 \#length of series
    m <- 200 \#number of series
    set.seed(1234)
    \(\mathrm{f}<-\operatorname{rnorm}(\mathrm{T}+1)\)
    \(\mathrm{x}<-\operatorname{matrix}(0, \mathrm{~T}, \mathrm{~m})\)
    u <- matrix(rnorm(T * m), T, m)
    for (i in 1:m) \{
    \(x[\), \(i]<-10 * \sin (2 * p i *(i / m)) * f[1: T]+10 * \cos (2 * p i *(i / m)) * f[2:(T+1)]+u[, i]\)
\}
\#Choose number of lags using the LOO criterion.
\#k_max=3 to keep computation time low
    autofit <- auto.gdpc(x, k_max = 3)
    autofit
    fit_val <- fitted(autofit, 1) \#Get fitted values
    resid <- x - fit_val \#Residuals
    plot(autofit, which_comp = 1) \#Plot component
```

    components Generic Function for Getting Components From an Object
    
## Description

Generic function for getting components from an object.

## Usage

```
components(object, which_comp)
```


## Arguments

object An object. Currently there is a method for objects of class gdpcs.
which_comp Numeric vector indicating which components to get. Default is 1 .

## Value

A matrix whose columns are the desired components.

## Author(s)

Daniel Peña, Ezequiel Smucler, Victor Yohai

## Description

Get Generalized Dynamic Principal Components from a gdpcs object.

## Usage

\#\# S3 method for class 'gdpcs'
components(object, which_comp = 1)

## Arguments

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { object } & \text { An object of class gdpcs, usually the result of auto.gdpc. } \\
\text { which_comp } & \text { Numeric vector indicating which components to get. Default is } 1 .
\end{array}
$$

## Value

A matrix whose columns are the desired dynamic principal components.

## Author(s)

Daniel Peña, Ezequiel Smucler, Victor Yohai

## See Also

```
gdpc, auto.gdpc, plot.gdpc
```


## Examples

```
T <- 200 #length of series
m <- 200 #number of series
set.seed(1234)
f <- rnorm(T + 1)
x <- matrix(0, T, m)
u <- matrix(rnorm(T * m), T, m)
for (i in 1:m) {
    x[, i] <- 10 * sin(2 * pi * (i/m)) * f[1:T] + 10 * cos(2 * pi * (i/m)) * f[2:(T + 1)] + u[, i]
}
#Choose number of lags using the LOO criterion.
#k_max=2 to keep computation time low
autofit <- auto.gdpc(x, k_max = 2, auto_comp = FALSE, num_comp = 2)
comps <- components(autofit, which_comp = c(1,2))
```


## Description

Get reconstructed time series from a gdpcs object.

## Usage

\#\# S3 method for class 'gdpcs'
fitted(object, num_comp $=1, \ldots$ )

## Arguments

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { object } & \text { An object of class gdpcs, usually the result of auto.gdpc. } \\
\text { num_comp } & \text { Integer indicating how many components to use for the reconstruction. Default } \\
\text { is } 1 .
\end{array}
$$

## Value

A matrix that is the reconstruction of the original series.

## Author(s)

Daniel Peña, Ezequiel Smucler, Victor Yohai

## See Also

gdpc, auto.gdpc, plot.gdpc

## Examples

```
T <- 200 #length of series
m <- 200 #number of series
set.seed(1234)
f<- rnorm(T + 1)
x <- matrix(0, T, m)
u <- matrix(rnorm(T * m), T, m)
for (i in 1:m) {
    x[,i]<- 10 * sin(2 * pi * (i/m)) * f[1:T] + 10 * cos(2 * pi * (i/m)) * f[2:(T + 1)] + u[, i]
}
#Choose number of lags using the LOO criterion.
#k_max=2 to keep computation time low
autofit <- auto.gdpc(x, k_max = 2, auto_comp = FALSE, num_comp = 2)
recons <- fitted(autofit, num_comp = 2)
```


## Description

Computes a single Generalized Dynamic Principal Component with a given number of lags.

## Usage

$\operatorname{gdpc}\left(Z, k, f \_i n i=N U L L, ~ t o l=1 e-4\right.$, niter_max $=500$, crit $=$ 'LOO')

## Arguments

Z Data matrix. Each column is a different time series.
$\mathrm{k} \quad$ Integer. Number of lags to use.
f_ini (Optional). Numeric vector. Starting point for the iterations. If no argument is passed the ordinary (non-dynamic) first principal component completed with k lags is used.
tol Relative precision. Default is le-4.
niter_max Integer. Maximum number of iterations. Default is 500.
crit A string specifying the criterion to be used to evaluate the fitted model. Options are 'LOO', 'AIC', 'BIC' and 'BNG'. Default is 'LOO'.

## Details

See auto.gdpc for the definition of criterion that is part of the output of this function.

## Value

An object of class gdpc, that is, a list with entries:

| expart | Proportion of the variance explained. |
| :--- | :--- |
| mse | Mean squared error. |
| crit | The value of the criterion of the reconstruction, according to what the user spec- <br> ified. |
| k | Number of lags used. <br> alpha <br> beta |
| Vector of intercepts corresponding to f. |  |
| f | Matrix of loadings corresponding to f. Column number $k$ is the vector of $k-1$ <br> lag loadings. |
| initial_f | Coordinates of the first dynamic principal component corresponding to the pe- <br> riods $1, \ldots, T$. |
| call | Coordinates of the first dynamic principal component corresponding to the pe- <br> riods $-k+1, \ldots, 0 . ~ O n l y ~ f o r ~ t h e ~ c a s e ~$$>0$, otherwise 0. |

conv Logical. Did the iterations converge?
niter Integer. Number of iterations.
fitted, plot and print methods are available for this class.

## Author(s)

Daniel Peña, Ezequiel Smucler, Victor Yohai

## See Also

auto.gdpc, plot.gdpc

## Examples

```
T <- 200 #length of series
m <- 500 #number of series
set.seed(1234)
f<- rnorm(T + 1)
x <- matrix(0, T, m)
u <- matrix(rnorm(T * m), T, m)
for (i in 1:m) {
    x[, i] <- 10* sin(2*pi * (i/m)) * f[1:T] + 10* cos(2*pi * (i/m)) * f[2:(T + 1)] +u[, i]
}
fit <- gdpc(x, k = 1) #find first DPC with one lag
fit
par(mfrow = c(1, 2)) #plot loadings
plot(fit, which = 'Loadings', which_load = 0, xlab = '', ylab = '')
plot(fit, which = 'Loadings', which_load = 1, xlab = '', ylab = '')
```

ipi91 Industrial Production Index (IPI) of France, Germany, Italy, United Kingdom, USA and Japan

## Description

Six series corresponding to the Industrial Production Index (IPI) of France, Germany, Italy, United Kingdom, USA and Japan. Monthly data from January 1991 to December 2012.

## Usage

data(ipi91)

## Format

A matrix time series with 264 observations on the following 6 variables.
France IPI of France.
Germany IPI of Germany.
Italy IPI of Italy.
United Kingdom IPI of United Kingdom.
USA IPI of USA.
Japan IPI of Japan.

## Examples

```
data(ipi91)
plot(ipi91, plot.type = 'multiple', main = 'Industrial Production Index')
## Not run:
#Compute first GDPC with nine lags; this may take a bit.
gdpc_ipi <- gdpc(ipi91, 9, niter_max = 1500)
#Plot the component
plot(gdpc_ipi, which = 'Component', ylab = '')
#Get reconstruction of the time series and plot
recons <- fitted(gdpc_ipi)
colnames(recons) <- colnames(ipi91)
plot(recons, main = 'Fitted values')
## End(Not run)
```

plot.gdpc Plot Generalized Dynamic Principal Components

## Description

Plots a gdpc object.

## Usage

\#\# S3 method for class 'gdpc'
plot(x, which = 'Component', which_load = 0, ...)

## Arguments

x
which String. Indicates what to plot, either 'Component' or 'Loadings'. Default is 'Component'.
which_load Lag number indicating which loadings should be plotted. Only used if which = 'Loadings'. Default is 0.
... Additional arguments to be passed to the plotting functions.

## Author(s)

Daniel Peña, Ezequiel Smucler, Victor Yohai

## See Also

gdpc, auto.gdpc, plot.gdpcs

## Examples

```
T <- 200 #length of series
m <- 200 #number of series
set.seed(1234)
f<- rnorm(T + 1)
x <- matrix(0, T, m)
u <- matrix(rnorm(T * m), T, m)
for (i in 1:m) {
    x[, i] <- 10* sin(2*pi * (i/m)) * f[1:T] + 10* cos(2 * pi * (i/m)) * f[2:(T + 1)] +u[, i]
}
#Choose number of lags using the LOO type criterion.
#k_max=3 to keep computation time low
autofit <- auto.gdpc(x, k_max = 3)
plot(autofit[[1]], xlab = '', ylab = '')
```

plot.gdpcs Plot Generalized Dynamic Principal Components

## Description

Plots a gdpcs object.

## Usage

\#\# S3 method for class 'gdpcs'
plot(x, which_comp = 1, plot.type = 'multiple', ...)

## Arguments

x
which_comp
plot.type
... Additional arguments to be passed to the plotting functions.

## Author(s)

Daniel Peña, Ezequiel Smucler, Victor Yohai

## See Also

gdpc, auto.gdpc, plot.gdpc

## Examples

```
T <- 200 #length of series
m <- 200 #number of series
set.seed(1234)
f<- rnorm(T + 1)
x <- matrix(0, T, m)
u <- matrix(rnorm(T * m), T, m)
for (i in 1:m) {
    x[, i]<- 10 * sin(2*pi * (i/m)) * f[1:T] + 10* cos(2 * pi * (i/m)) * f[2:(T + 1)] +u[, i]
}
#Choose number of lags using the LOO criterion.
#k_max=2 to keep computation time low
autofit <- auto.gdpc(x, k_max = 2, auto_comp = FALSE, num_comp = 2)
autofit
plot(autofit, which_comp = c(1,2), xlab = '', ylab = '')
```

```
pricesSP50 Stock Prices of the First 50 Components of S&P500
```


## Description

Fifty series corresponding to the stock prices of the first 50 components of the Standard\&Poor's 500 index. Five hundred daily observations starting 1/1/2010.

## Usage

data(pricesSP50)

## Format

A matrix time series with 500 observations on the stock prices of the first 50 components of the Standard\&Poor's 500 index.

## Examples

```
data(pricesSP50)
## Not run:
#Plot the first four series
plot(pricesSP50[, 1:4], main = 'Four components of the S&P500 index')
#Compute GDPCs; this may take a bit.
fit_SP <- auto.gdpc(pricesSP50, normalize = 2, niter_max = 1000, ncores= 4)
fit_SP
#Get reconstruction and plot
recons <- fitted(fit_SP, num_comp = 2)
colnames(recons) <- colnames(pricesSP50)
```

plot(recons[, 1:4], main = 'Reconstruction of four components of the S\&P500 index')
\#\# End(Not run)

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