

# Package ‘kcopula’

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**Title** The Bivariate K-Copula

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**Description** Provides the density and distribution function of the bivariate K-copula by Wollschläger and Schäfer (2016) <doi:10.21314/JOR.2016.342>.

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**URL** <https://github.com/mlkremer/kcopula>

**BugReports** <https://github.com/mlkremer/kcopula/issues>

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*The Bivariate K-Copula***Description**

Density and distribution function of the bivariate K-copula by Wollschläger and Schäfer (2016).

**Usage**

```
pkcopula(u, v, c, N, output = "vector", method = "interpolate")
```

```
dkcopula(u, v, c, N, output = "vector")
```

**Arguments**

u, v	Numeric vectors with values in $[0, 1]$ .
c	Numeric; Pearson correlation coefficient in $[-1, 1]$ .
N	Numeric; inverse fluctuation strength of correlations around their average c, $N > 0$ . The larger N the smaller the fluctuations around c, and vice versa.
output	Character; output as "vector" (default) for single values of the K-copula, or "matrix" for the full K-copula.
method	Character; method to be used for <code>pkcopula(..., output = "vector")</code> . If method = "interpolate" (default), values are computed by interpolating the bivariate K-copula <i>distribution function</i> (computationally faster); returns NA, if u, v are out of range (here: outside of $[\.025, \.975]$ ). If method = "integrate", values are computed by integrating the bivariate K-copula <i>density</i> (computationally slower).

**Value**

`dkcopula` gives the density (PDF), `pkcopula` gives the distribution function (CDF) of the bivariate K-copula.

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**References**

Wollschläger, M. and Schäfer, R. (2016). Impact of nonstationarity on estimating and modeling empirical copulas of daily stock returns. *Journal of Risk*, 19(1):1–23. <https://doi.org/10.21314/JOR.2016.342>. SSRN version: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=3533903>.

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## Examples

```
## Parameters
u <- seq(.05, .95, .05)
v <- u
rho <- .2
N <- 4

## K-copula PDF
dkcopula(.5, .5, rho, N)

## Plot full K-copula PDF
kcopula_pdf <- dkcopula(u, v, rho, N, output = "matrix")
persp(u, v, kcopula_pdf)

## K-copula CDF
pkcopula(.5, .5, rho, N)

## Plot full K-copula CDF
kcopula_cdf <- pkcopula(u, v, rho, N, output = "matrix")
persp(u, v, kcopula_cdf)
```

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*kcopula: The Bivariate K-Copula*

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## Description

kcopula provides the bivariate K-copula by Wollschläger and Schäfer (2016).

## Details

kcopula provides two functions:

- `pkcopula` gives the distribution function of the bivariate K-copula.
- `dkcopula` gives the density of the bivariate K-copula.

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**See Also**

Useful links:

- <https://github.com/mlkremer/kcopula>
- Report bugs at <https://github.com/mlkremer/kcopula/issues>

**Examples**

```
## See README.md on GitHub for a comprehensive example.
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