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ajb.norm.test      *Adjusted Jarque–Bera test for normality*

## Description

Performs adjusted Jarque–Bera test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see Urzua (1996).

## Usage

```
ajb.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

## Arguments

- |                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <code>x</code>     | a numeric vector of data values.                      |
| <code>nrepl</code> | the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation. |

## Details

The adjusted Jarque–Bera test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$AJB = \frac{(\sqrt{b_1})^2}{\text{Var}(\sqrt{b_1})} + \frac{(b_2 - E(b_2))^2}{\text{Var}(b_2)},$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{b_1} &= \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^3}{\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2\right)^{3/2}}, & b_2 &= \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^4}{\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2\right)^2}, \\ \text{Var}(\sqrt{b_1}) &= \frac{6(n-2)}{(n+1)(n+3)}, & E(b_2) &= \frac{3(n-1)}{n+1}, & \text{Var}(b_2) &= \frac{24n(n-2)(n-3)}{(n+1)^2(n+3)(n+5)}.\end{aligned}$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

## Value

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

- |                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <code>statistic</code> | the value of the adjusted Jarque–Bera statistic.                |
| <code>p.value</code>   | the p-value for the test.                                       |
| <code>method</code>    | the character string "Adjusted Jarque–Bera test for normality". |
| <code>data.name</code> | a character string giving the name(s) of the data.              |

## Author(s)

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

## References

- Urzua, C. M. (1996): On the correct use of omnibus tests for normality. — Economics Letters, vol. 53, pp. 247–251.

## Examples

```
ajb.norm.test(rnorm(100))
ajb.norm.test(abs(runif(100,-2,5)))
```

frosini.norm.test      *Frosini test for normality*

## Description

Performs Frosini test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see e.g. Frosini (1987).

## Usage

```
frosini.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

## Arguments

- x                a numeric vector of data values.
- nrepl            the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation.

## Details

The Frosini test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$B_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{i=1}^n \left| \Phi(Y_i) - \frac{i - 0.5}{n} \right|,$$

where

$$Y_i = \frac{X(i) - \bar{X}}{s}, \quad s^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2.$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

## Value

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

- statistic        the value of the Frosini statistic.
- p.value          the p-value for the test.
- method           the character string "Frosini test for normality".
- data.name        a character string giving the name(s) of the data.

## Author(s)

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

## References

Frosini, B.V. (1987): On the distribution and power of a goodness-of-fit statistic with parametric and nonparametric applications, "Goodness-of-fit". (Ed. by Revesz P., Sarkadi K., Sen P.K.) — Amsterdam-Oxford-New York: North-Holland. — Pp. 133–154.

## Examples

```
frosini.norm.test(rnorm(100))
frosini.norm.test(runif(100,-1,1))
```

geary.norm.test	<i>Geary test for normality</i>
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## Description

Performs Geary test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see Geary (1935).

## Usage

```
geary.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

## Arguments

- |       |   |
|-------|---|
| x     | a numeric vector of data values.                      |
| nrepl | the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation. |

## Details

The Geary test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$d = \frac{1}{ns} \sum_{i=1}^n |X_i - \bar{X}|,$$

where

$$s^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2.$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

## Value

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

- |           |  |
|-----------|--|
| statistic | the value of the Geary statistic.                  |
| p.value   | the p-value for the test.                          |
| method    | the character string "Geary test for normality".   |
| data.name | a character string giving the name(s) of the data. |

**Author(s)**

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

**References**

Geary, R. C. (1935): The ratio of the mean deviation to the standard deviation as a test of normality.  
— Biometrika, vol. 27, pp. 310–332.

**Examples**

```
geary.norm.test(rnorm(100))
geary.norm.test(runif(100,-1,1))
```

hegazy1.norm.test	<i>Hegazy–Green test for normality</i>
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**Description**

Performs Hegazy–Green test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see e.g. Hegazy and Green (1975).

**Usage**

```
hegazy1.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

**Arguments**

- `x` a numeric vector of data values.
- `nrepl` the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation.

**Details**

The Hegazy–Green test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$T_1 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \left| Y_i - \Phi^{-1} \left( \frac{i}{n+1} \right) \right|,$$

where

$$Y_i = \frac{X_{(i)} - \bar{X}}{s}, \quad s^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2.$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

**Value**

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

<code>statistic</code>	the value of the Hegazy–Green statistic.
<code>p.value</code>	the p-value for the test.
<code>method</code>	the character string "Hegazy-Green test for normality".
<code>data.name</code>	a character string giving the name(s) of the data.

**Author(s)**

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

**References**

Hegazy, Y. A. S. and Green, J. R. (1975): Some new goodness-of-fit tests using order statistics. — Journal of the Royal Statistical Society. Series C (Applied Statistics), vol. 24, pp. 299–308.

**Examples**

```
hegazy1.norm.test(rnorm(100))
hegazy1.norm.test(runif(100,-1,1))
```

*hegazy2.norm.test      Hegazy–Green test for normality*

**Description**

Performs Hegazy–Green test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see e.g. Hegazy and Green (1975).

**Usage**

```
hegazy2.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	a numeric vector of data values.
<code>nrepl</code>	the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation.

## Details

The Hegazy–Green test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$T_2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \left( Y_i - \Phi^{-1}\left(\frac{i}{n+1}\right) \right)^2.$$

where

$$Y_i = \frac{X_{(i)} - \bar{X}}{s}, \quad s^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2.$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

## Value

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

<code>statistic</code>	the value of the Hegazy–Green statistic.
<code>p.value</code>	the p-value for the test.
<code>method</code>	the character string "Hegazy-Green test for normality".
<code>data.name</code>	a character string giving the name(s) of the data.

## Author(s)

Gavrilov Ilya and Ruslan Pusev

## References

Hegazy, Y. A. S. and Green, J. R. (1975): Some new goodness-of-fit tests using order statistics. — Journal of the Royal Statistical Society. Series C (Applied Statistics), vol. 24, pp. 299–308.

## Examples

```
hegazy2.norm.test(rnorm(100))
hegazy2.norm.test(runif(100,-1,1))
```

`jb.norm.test`

*Jarque–Bera test for normality*

## Description

Performs Jarque–Bera test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see Jarque and Bera (1987).

## Usage

```
jb.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

## Arguments

- `x` a numeric vector of data values.  
`nrepl` the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation.

## Details

The Jarque–Bera test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$JB = \frac{n}{6} \left( (\sqrt{b_1})^2 + \frac{(b_2 - 3)^2}{4} \right),$$

where

$$b_1 = \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^3}{\frac{1}{n} (\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2)^{3/2}},$$

$$b_2 = \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^4}{\frac{1}{n} (\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2)^2}.$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

## Value

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

- `statistic` the value of the Jarque–Bera statistic.  
`p.value` the p-value for the test.  
`method` the character string "Jarque–Bera test for normality".  
`data.name` a character string giving the name(s) of the data.

## Author(s)

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

## References

Jarque, C. M. and Bera, A. K. (1987): A test for normality of observations and regression residuals. — International Statistical Review, vol. 55, pp. 163–172.

## Examples

```
jb.norm.test(rnorm(100))
jb.norm.test(abs(runif(100,-2,5)))
```

**kurtosis.norm.test**      *Kurtosis test for normality*

## Description

Performs kurtosis test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see, e.g., Shapiro, Wilk and Chen (1968).

## Usage

```
kurtosis.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

## Arguments

- |                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <code>x</code>     | a numeric vector of data values.                      |
| <code>nrepl</code> | the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation. |

## Details

The kurtosis test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$b_2 = \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^4}{\left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \right)^2},$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

## Value

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

- |                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <code>statistic</code> | the value of the test statistic.                    |
| <code>p.value</code>   | the p-value for the test.                           |
| <code>method</code>    | the character string "Kurtosis test for normality". |
| <code>data.name</code> | a character string giving the name(s) of the data.  |

## Author(s)

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

## References

Shapiro, S. S., Wilk, M. B. and Chen, H. J. (1968): A comparative study of various tests for normality. — Journal of the American Statistical Association, vol. 63, pp. 1343–1372.

## Examples

```
kurtosis.norm.test(rnorm(100))
kurtosis.norm.test(runif(100,-1,1))
```

`skewness.norm.test`      *Skewness test for normality*

## Description

Performs skewness test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see, e.g., Shapiro, Wilk and Chen (1968).

## Usage

```
skewness.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

## Arguments

- |                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <code>x</code>     | a numeric vector of data values.                      |
| <code>nrepl</code> | the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation. |

## Details

The skewness test for normality is based on the sample skewness:

$$\sqrt{b_1} = \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^3}{\left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \right)^{3/2}},$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

## Value

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

- |                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <code>statistic</code> | the value of the sample skewness.                   |
| <code>p.value</code>   | the p-value for the test.                           |
| <code>method</code>    | the character string "Skewness test for normality". |
| <code>data.name</code> | a character string giving the name(s) of the data.  |

## Author(s)

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

## References

Shapiro, S. S., Wilk, M. B. and Chen, H. J. (1968): A comparative study of various tests for normality. — Journal of the American Statistical Association, vol. 63, pp. 1343–1372.

## Examples

```
skewness.norm.test(rnorm(100))
skewness.norm.test(abs(runif(100,-2,5)))
```

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**spiegelhalter.norm.test**  
*Spiegelhalter test for normality*

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**Description**

Performs Spiegelhalter test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see Spiegelhalter (1977).

**Usage**

```
spiegelhalter.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

**Arguments**

- |                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <code>x</code>     | a numeric vector of data values.                      |
| <code>nrepl</code> | the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation. |

**Details**

The Spiegelhalter test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$T = \left( (c_n u)^{-(n-1)} + g^{-(n-1)} \right)^{1/(n-1)},$$

where

$$u = \frac{X_{(n)} - X_{(1)}}{s}, \quad g = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n |X_i - \bar{X}|}{s\sqrt{n(n-1)}}, \quad c_n = \frac{(n!)^{1/(n-1)}}{2n}, \quad s^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2.$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

**Value**

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

- |                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| <code>statistic</code> | the value of the Geary statistic.                        |
| <code>p.value</code>   | the p-value for the test.                                |
| <code>method</code>    | the character string "Spiegelhalter test for normality". |
| <code>data.name</code> | a character string giving the name(s) of the data.       |

**Author(s)**

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

**References**

- Spiegelhalter, D. J. (1977): A test for normality against symmetric alternatives. — Biometrika, vol. 64, pp. 415–418.

## Examples

```
spiegelhalter.norm.test(rnorm(100))
spiegelhalter.norm.test(rexp(100))
```

`wb.norm.test`

*Weisberg–Bingham test for normality*

## Description

Performs Weisberg–Bingham test for the composite hypothesis of normality, see Weisberg and Bingham (1975).

## Usage

```
wb.norm.test(x, nrepl=2000)
```

## Arguments

- |                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <code>x</code>     | a numeric vector of data values.                      |
| <code>nrepl</code> | the number of replications in Monte Carlo simulation. |

## Details

The Weisberg–Bingham test for normality is based on the following statistic:

$$WB = \frac{(\sum_{i=1}^n m_i X_{(i)})^2 / \sum_{i=1}^n m_i^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2},$$

where

$$m_i = \Phi^{-1} \left( \frac{i - 3/8}{n + 1/4} \right).$$

The p-value is computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

## Value

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

- |                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <code>statistic</code> | the value of the Weisberg–Bingham statistic.                |
| <code>p.value</code>   | the p-value for the test.                                   |
| <code>method</code>    | the character string "Weisberg–Bingham test for normality". |
| <code>data.name</code> | a character string giving the name(s) of the data.          |

## Author(s)

Ilya Gavrilov and Ruslan Pusev

**References**

Weisberg, S. and Bingham, C. (1975): An approximate analysis of variance test for non-normality suitable for machine calculation. — Technometrics, vol. 17, pp. 133–134.

**Examples**

```
wb.norm.test(rnorm(100))  
wb.norm.test(runif(100,-1,1))
```

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