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Details

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The main routines are:

Filtering: filter, fftfilt, filtfilt, medfilt1, sgolay, sgolayfilt

Resampling: interp, resample, decimate

IIR filter design: bilinear, butter, buttord, cheb1ord, cheb2ord, cheby1, cheby2, ellip, ellipord, sftrans

FIR filter design: fir1, fir2, remez, kaiserord, spencer

Interpolation: interp1, pchip

Compatibility routines and utilities: ifft, linspace, sinc, postpad, chirp, poly, polyval

Windowing: bartlett, blackman, boxcar, flattopwin, gausswin, hamming, hanning, triang

Analysis and visualization: freqs, freqz, impz, zplane, grpdelay, spectrogram

Most of the functions accept Matlab-compatible argument lists, but many are generic functions and can accept simpler argument lists.

For a complete list, use `library(help="signal")`.

Author(s)

Most of these routines were translated from Octave Forge routines. The main credit goes to the original Octave authors:

Paul Kienzle, John W. Eaton, Kurt Hornik, Andreas Weingessel, Kai Habel, Julius O. Smith III, Bill Lash, Andr   Carezia, Paulo Neis, David Billingham, Friedrich Leisch

Translations by Tom Short.

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References

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Category:Signal_processing

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

Package `matlab` by P. Roebuck

For Matlab/Octave conversion and compatibility, see <http://37mm.no/mpy/octave-r.html> by Vidar Bronken Gundersen and <http://cran.r-project.org/doc/contrib/R-and-octave.txt> by Robin Hankin.

Examples

```
## The R implementation of these routines can be called "matlab-style",
bf = butter(5, .2)
freqz(bf$b, bf$a)
## or "R-style" as:
freqz(bf)

# make a Chebyshev type II filter:
ch = cheby2(5, 20, 0.2)
freqz(ch, Fs = 100) # frequency plot for a sample rate = 100 Hz

zplane(ch) # look at the poles and zeros

# apply the filter to a signal
t = seq(0, 1, by=.01) # 1 second sample, Fs = 100 Hz
x = sin(2*pi*t*2.3) + 0.25*rnorm(length(t)) # 2.3 Hz sinusoid+noise
z = filter(ch, x) # apply filter
plot(t, x, type = "l")
lines(t, z, col="red")

# look at the group delay as a function of frequency
grpdelay(ch, Fs = 100)
```

an

Complex unit phasor of the given angle in degrees.

Description

Complex unit phasor of the given angle in degrees.

Usage

```
an(degrees)
```

Arguments

degrees Angle in degrees.

Details

This is a utility function to make it easier to specify phasor values as a magnitude times an angle in degrees.

Value

A complex value or array of $\exp(i \cdot \text{degrees} \cdot \pi / 180)$.

References

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Examples

```
120*an(30) + 125*an(-160)
```

Arma

Create an autoregressive moving average (ARMA) model.

Description

Returns an ARMA model. The model could represent a filter or system model.

Usage

```
Arma(b, a)

## S3 method for class 'Zpg':
as.Arma(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
as.Arma(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
as.Arma(x, ...)
```

Arguments

b	moving average (MA) polynomial coefficients.
a	autoregressive (AR) polynomial coefficients.
x	model or filter to be converted to an ARMA representation.
...	additional arguments (ignored).

Details

The ARMA model is defined by:

$$a(L)y(t) = b(L)x(t)$$

The ARMA model can define an analog or digital model. The AR and MA polynomial coefficients follow the Matlab/Octave convention where the coefficients are in decreasing order of the polynomial (the opposite of the definitions for filter from the stats package and polyroot from the base package). For an analog model,

$$H(s) = \frac{b_1 s^{m-1} + b_2 s^{m-2} + \dots + b_m}{a_1 s^{n-1} + a_2 s^{n-2} + \dots + a_n}$$

For a z-plane digital model,

$$H(z) = \frac{b_1 + b_2 z^{-1} + \dots + b_m z^{-m+1}}{a_1 + a_2 z^{-1} + \dots + a_n z^{-n+1}}$$

as.Arma converts from other forms, including Zpg and Ma.

Value

A list of class Arma with the following list elements:

b	moving average (MA) polynomial coefficients
a	autoregressive (AR) polynomial coefficients

Author(s)

Tom Short, EPRI Solutions, Inc., ((tshort@eprisolutions.com))

See Also

See also [as.Zpg](#), [Ma](#), [filter](#), and various filter-generation functions like [butter](#) and [cheby1](#) that return Arma models.

Examples

```
filt <- Arma(b = c(1, 2, 1)/3, a = c(1, 1))
zplane(filt)
```

bilinear	<i>Bilinear transformation</i>
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Description

Transform a s-plane filter specification into a z-plane specification.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
bilinear(Sz, Sp, Sg, T, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Zpg':
bilinear(Sz, T, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
bilinear(Sz, T, ...)
```

Arguments

Sz	In the generic case, a model to be transformed. In the default case, a vector containing the zeros in a pole-zero-gain model.
Sp	a vector containing the poles in a pole-zero-gain model.
Sg	a vector containing the gain in a pole-zero-gain model.
T	the sampling frequency represented in the z plane.
...	Arguments passed to the generic function.

Details

Given a piecewise flat filter design, you can transform it from the s-plane to the z-plane while maintaining the band edges by means of the bilinear transform. This maps the left hand side of the s-plane into the interior of the unit circle. The mapping is highly non-linear, so you must design your filter with band edges in the s-plane positioned at $2/T \tan(w * T/2)$ so that they will be positioned at w after the bilinear transform is complete.

The bilinear transform is:

$$z = \frac{1 + sT/2}{1 - sT/2} \quad z = (1 + sT/2)/(1 - sT/2)$$

$$s = \frac{T}{2} \frac{z - 1}{z + 1}$$

Please note that a pole and a zero at the same place exactly cancel. This is significant since the bilinear transform creates numerous extra poles and zeros, most of which cancel. Those which do not cancel have a "fill-in" effect, extending the shorter of the sets to have the same number of as the longer of the sets of poles and zeros (or at least split the difference in the case of the band pass filter). There may be other opportunistic cancellations, but it will not check for them.

Also note that any pole on the unit circle or beyond will result in an unstable filter. Because of cancellation, this will only happen if the number of poles is smaller than the number of zeros. The analytic design methods all yield more poles than zeros, so this will not be a problem.

Value

For the default case or for `bilinear.Zpg`, an object of class "Zpg", containing the list elements:

<code>zero</code>	complex vector of the zeros of the transformed model
<code>pole</code>	complex vector of the poles of the transformed model
<code>gain</code>	gain of the transformed model
<code>b</code>	moving average (MA) polynomial coefficients
<code>a</code>	autoregressive (AR) polynomial coefficients

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@user.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Proakis & Manolakis (1992). Digital Signal Processing. New York: Macmillan Publishing Company.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bilinear_transform

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[Zpg](#), [sftrans](#), [Arma](#)

butter

*Generate a Butterworth filter.***Description**

Generate Butterworth filter polynomial coefficients.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
butter(n, W, type = c("low", "high", "stop", "pass"),
       plane = c("z", "s"), ...)

## S3 method for class 'FilterOfOrder':
butter(n, ...)
```

Arguments

n	filter order or generic filter model
W	critical frequencies of the filter. W must be a scalar for low-pass and high-pass filters, and W must be a two-element vector c(low, high) specifying the lower and upper bands. For digital filters, W must be between 0 and 1 where 1 is the Nyquist frequency.
type	Filter type, one of "low" for a low-pass filter, "high" for a high-pass filter, "stop" for a stop-band (band-reject) filter, or "pass" for a pass-band filter.
plane	"z" for a digital filter or "s" for an analog filter.
...	additional arguments passed to butter, overriding those given by n of class FilterOfOrder.

Details

Because butter is generic, it can be extended to accept other inputs, using "buttord" to generate filter criteria for example.

Value

An Arma object with list elements:

b	moving average (MA) polynomial coefficients
a	autoregressive (AR) polynomial coefficients

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@user.sf.net). Modified by Doug Stewart. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Proakis & Manolakis (1992). Digital Signal Processing. New York: Macmillan Publishing Company.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Butterworth_filter

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[Arma](#), [filter](#), [cheby1](#), [ellip](#), and [buttord](#)

Examples

```
bf = butter(4, 0.1)
freqz(bf)
zplane(bf)
```

buttord

Butterworth filter order and cutoff

Description

Compute butterworth filter order and cutoff for the desired response characteristics.

Usage

```
buttord(Wp, Ws, Rp, Rs)
```

Arguments

W_p , W_s	pass-band and stop-band edges. For a low-pass or high-pass filter, W_p and W_s are scalars. For a band-pass or band-rejection filter, both are vectors of length 2. For a low-pass filter, $W_p < W_s$. For a high-pass filter, $W_s > W_p$. For a band-pass ($W_s[1] < W_p[1] < W_p[2] < W_s[2]$) or band-reject ($W_p[1] < W_s[1] < W_s[2] < W_p[2]$) filter design, W_p gives the edges of the pass band, and W_s gives the edges of the stop band. Frequencies are normalized to $[0,1]$, corresponding to the range $[0, F_s/2]$.
R_p	allowable decibels of ripple in the pass band.
R_s	minimum attenuation in the stop band in dB.

Details

Deriving the order and cutoff is based on:

$$|H(W)|^2 = \frac{1}{1 + (W/W_c)^{2n}} = 10^{-R/10}$$

With some algebra, you can solve simultaneously for W_c and n given W_s , R_s and W_p , R_p . For high-pass filters, subtracting the band edges from $F_s/2$, performing the test, and swapping the resulting W_c back works beautifully. For bandpass- and bandstop-filters, this process significantly overdesigns. Artificially dividing n by 2 in this case helps a lot, but it still overdesigns.

Value

An object of class `FilterOfOrder` with the following list elements:

<code>n</code>	filter order
<code>Wc</code>	cutoff frequency
<code>type</code>	filter type, one of "low", "high", "stop", or "pass"

This object can be passed directly to `butter` to compute filter coefficients.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle, pkienzle@user.sf.net. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[butter](#), [FilterOfOrder](#), [cheblord](#)

Examples

```
Fs = 10000
btord = buttord(1000/(Fs/2), 1200/(Fs/2), 0.5, 29)
plot(c(0, 1000, 1000, 0, 0), c(0, 0, -0.5, -0.5, 0),
     type = "l", xlab = "Frequency (Hz)", ylab = "Attenuation (dB)")
bt = butter(btord)
plot(c(0, 1000, 1000, 0, 0), c(0, 0, -0.5, -0.5, 0),
     type = "l", xlab = "Frequency (Hz)", ylab = "Attenuation (dB)",
     col = "red", ylim = c(-10,0), xlim = c(0,2000))
hf = freqz(bt, Fs = Fs)
lines(hf$f, 20*log10(abs(hf$h)))
```

cheblord	<i>Chebyshev type-I filter order and cutoff</i>
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Description

Compute discrete Chebyshev type-I filter order and cutoff for the desired response characteristics.

Usage

```
cheblord(Wp, Ws, Rp, Rs)
```

Arguments

Wp, Ws	pass-band and stop-band edges. For a low-pass or high-pass filter, Wp and Ws are scalars. For a band-pass or band-rejection filter, both are vectors of length 2. For a low-pass filter, Wp < Ws. For a high-pass filter, Ws > Wp. For a band-pass (Ws[1] < Wp[1] < Wp[2] < Ws[2]) or band-reject (Wp[1] < Ws[1] < Ws[2] < Wp[2]) filter design, Wp gives the edges of the pass band, and Ws gives the edges of the stop band. Frequencies are normalized to [0,1], corresponding to the range [0, Fs/2].
Rp	allowable decibels of ripple in the pass band.
Rs	minimum attenuation in the stop band in dB.

Value

An object of class `FilterOfOrder` with the following list elements:

n	filter order
Wc	cutoff frequency
Rp	allowable decibels of ripple in the pass band
type	filter type, one of "low", "high", "stop", or "pass"

This object can be passed directly to `cheby1` to compute filter coefficients.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle, pkienzle@user.sf.net and by Laurent S. Mazet. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[cheby1](#), [FilterOfOrder](#), [buttord](#)

Examples

```

Fs = 10000
chord = cheblord(1000/(Fs/2), 1200/(Fs/2), 0.5, 29)
plot(c(0, 1000, 1000, 0, 0), c(0, 0, -0.5, -0.5, 0),
     type = "l", xlab = "Frequency (Hz)", ylab = "Attenuation (dB)")
ch1 = cheby1(chord)
plot(c(0, 1000, 1000, 0, 0), c(0, 0, -0.5, -0.5, 0),
     type = "l", xlab = "Frequency (Hz)", ylab = "Attenuation (dB)",
     col = "red", ylim = c(-10,0), xlim = c(0,2000))
hf = freqz(ch1, Fs = Fs)
lines(hf$f, 20*log10(abs(hf$h)))

```

chebwin

*Dolph-Chebyshev window coefficients***Description**

Returns the filter coefficients of the n-point Dolph-Chebyshev window with a given attenuation.

Usage

```
chebwin(n, at)
```

Arguments

n	length of the filter; number of coefficients to generate.
at	dB of attenuation in the stop-band of the corresponding Fourier transform.

Details

The window is described in frequency domain by the expression:

$$W(k) = \frac{Cheb(n-1, \beta * \cos(\pi * k/n))}{Cheb(n-1, \beta)}$$

with

$$\beta = \cosh(1/(n-1) * \operatorname{acosh}(10^{at/20}))$$

and $Cheb(m, x)$ denoting the m -th order Chebyshev polynomial calculated at the point x .

Note that the denominator in $W(k)$ above is not computed, and after the inverse Fourier transform the window is scaled by making its maximum value unitary.

Value

An array of length n with the filter coefficients.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Andr   Carezia, <acarezia@uol.com.br>. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Peter Lynch, "The Dolph-Chebyshev Window: A Simple Optimal Filter", Monthly Weather Review, Vol. 125, pp. 655-660, April 1997. <http://www.maths.tcd.ie/~plynch/Publications/Dolph.pdf>

C. Dolph, "A current distribution for broadside arrays which optimizes the relationship between beam width and side-lobe level", Proc. IEEE, 34, pp. 335-348.

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[kaiser](#)

Examples

```
plot(chebwin(50, 100))
```

cheby1

Generate a Chebyshev filter.

Description

Generate a Chebyshev type I or type II filter coefficients with specified dB of pass band ripple.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
cheby1(n, Rp, W, type = c("low", "high", "stop",
"pass"), plane = c("z", "s"), ...)

## S3 method for class 'FilterOfOrder':
cheby1(n, Rp = n$Rp, W = n$Wc, type = n$type, ...)

## Default S3 method:
cheby2(n, Rp, W, type = c("low", "high", "stop",
"pass"), plane = c("z", "s"), ...)

## S3 method for class 'FilterOfOrder':
cheby2(n, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>n</code>	filter order or generic filter model
<code>Rp</code>	dB of pass band ripple
<code>W</code>	critical frequencies of the filter. <code>W</code> must be a scalar for low-pass and high-pass filters, and <code>W</code> must be a two-element vector <code>c(low, high)</code> specifying the lower and upper bands. For digital filters, <code>W</code> must be between 0 and 1 where 1 is the Nyquist frequency.
<code>type</code>	Filter type, one of "low" for a low-pass filter, "high" for a high-pass filter, "stop" for a stop-band (band-reject) filter, or "pass" for a pass-band filter.
<code>plane</code>	"z" for a digital filter or "s" for an analog filter.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments passed to <code>cheby1</code> or <code>cheby2</code> , overriding those given by <code>n</code> of class <code>FilterOfOrder</code> .

Details

Because `cheby1` and `cheby2` are generic, they can be extended to accept other inputs, using "cheblord" to generate filter criteria for example.

Value

An Arma object with list elements:

<code>b</code>	moving average (MA) polynomial coefficients
<code>a</code>	autoregressive (AR) polynomial coefficients

For `cheby1`, the ARMA model specifies a type-I Chebyshev filter, and for `cheby2`, a type-II Chebyshev filter.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@user.sf.net). Modified by Doug Stewart. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Parks & Burrus (1987). Digital Filter Design. New York: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chebyshev_filter

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[Arma](#), [filter](#), [butter](#), [ellip](#), and [cheblord](#)

Examples

```
# compare the frequency responses of 5th-order Butterworth and Chebyshev filters.
bf = butter(5, 0.1)
cf = cheby1(5, 3, 0.1)
bfr = freqz(bf)
cfr = freqz(cf)
plot(bfr$f/pi, 20 * log10(abs(bfr$h)), type = "l", ylim = c(-40, 0),
      xlim = c(0, .5), xlab = "Frequency", ylab = c("dB"))
lines(cfr$f/pi, 20 * log10(abs(cfr$h)), col = "red")
# compare type I and type II Chebyshev filters.
clfr = freqz(cheby1(5, .5, 0.5))
c2fr = freqz(cheby2(5, 20, 0.5))
plot(clfr$f/pi, abs(clfr$h), type = "l", ylim = c(0, 1),
      xlab = "Frequency", ylab = c("Magnitude"))
lines(c2fr$f/pi, abs(c2fr$h), col = "red")
```

chirp

*A chirp signal***Description**

Generate a chirp signal. A chirp signal is a frequency swept cosine wave.

Usage

```
chirp(t, f0 = 0, t1 = 1, f1 = 100, form = c("linear", "quadratic", "logarithmic"),
```

Arguments

t	array of times at which to evaluate the chirp signal.
f0	frequency at time t=0.
t1	time, s.
f1	frequency at time t=t1.
form	shape of frequency sweep, one of "linear", "quadratic", or "logarithmic".
phase	phase shift at t=0.

Details

'linear' is:

$$f(t) = (f1 - f0) * (t/t1) + f0$$

'quadratic' is:

$$f(t) = (f1 - f0) * t/t1^2 + f0$$

'logarithmic' is:

$$f(t) = (f1 - f0)^{t/t1} + f0$$

Value

Chirp signal, an array the same length as `t`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[specgram](#)

Examples

```
ch = chirp(seq(0, .6, len=5000))
plot(ch, type = "l")

# Shows a quadratic chirp of 400 Hz at t=0 and 100 Hz at t=10
# Time goes from -2 to 15 seconds.
specgram(chirp(seq(-2, 15, by=.001), 400, 10, 100, "quadratic"))

# Shows a logarithmic chirp of 200 Hz at t=0 and 500 Hz at t=2
# Time goes from 0 to 5 seconds at 8000 Hz.
specgram(chirp(seq(0, 5, by=1/8000), 200, 2, 500, "logarithmic"))
```

conv

Convolution

Description

A Matlab/Octave compatible convolution function that uses the Fast Fourier Transform.

Usage

```
conv(x, y)
```

Arguments

`x, y` numeric sequences to be convolved.

Details

The inputs `x` and `y` are post padded with zeros as follows:

```
ifft(fft(postpad(x, n) * fft(postpad(y, n))))
```

where `n = length(x) + length(y) - 1`

Value

An array of length equal to $\text{length}(x) + \text{length}(y) - 1$. If x and y are polynomial coefficient vectors, `conv` returns the coefficients of the product polynomial.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@user.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

`convolve`, `fft`, `ifft`, `fftfilt`, `poly`

Examples

```
conv(c(1,2,3), c(1,2))
conv(c(1,2), c(1,2,3))
conv(c(1,-2), c(1,2))
```

decimate

Decimate or downsample a signal

Description

Downsample a signal by a factor, using an FIR or IIR filter.

Usage

```
decimate(x, q, n = if (ftype == "iir") 8 else 30, ftype = "iir")
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	signal to be decimated.
<code>q</code>	integer factor to downsample by.
<code>n</code>	filter order used in the downsampling.
<code>ftype</code>	filter type, "iir" or "fir"

Details

By default, an order 8 Chebyshev type I filter is used or a 30-point FIR filter if `ftype` is 'fir'. Note that `q` must be an integer for this rate change method.

Value

The decimated signal, an array of length $\text{ceiling}(\text{length}(x) / q)$.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@user.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

`filter`, `resample`, `interp`

Examples

```
# The signal to decimate starts away from zero, is slowly varying
# at the start and quickly varying at the end, decimate and plot.
# Since it starts away from zero, you will see the boundary
# effects of the antialiasing filter clearly. You will also see
# how it follows the curve nicely in the slowly varying early
# part of the signal, but averages the curve in the quickly
# varying late part of the signal.
t = seq(0, 2, by = 0.01)
x = chirp(t, 2, .5, 10, 'quadratic') + sin(2*pi*t*0.4)
y = decimate(x, 4) # factor of 4 decimation
plot(t, x, type = "l")
lines(t[seq(1, length(t), by = 4)], y, col = "blue")
```

ellip

Elliptic or Cauer filter

Description

Generate an Elliptic or Cauer filter (discrete and continuous).

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
ellip(n, Rp, Rs, W, type = c("low", "high", "stop",
"pass"), plane = c("z", "s"), ...)

## S3 method for class 'FilterOfOrder':
ellip(n, Rp = n$Rp, Rs = n$Rs, W = n$Wc, type = n$type, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>n</code>	filter order or generic filter model
<code>Rp</code>	dB of pass band ripple
<code>Rs</code>	dB of stop band ripple
<code>W</code>	critical frequencies of the filter. <code>W</code> must be a scalar for low-pass and high-pass filters, and <code>W</code> must be a two-element vector <code>c(low, high)</code> specifying the lower and upper bands. For digital filters, <code>W</code> must be between 0 and 1 where 1 is the Nyquist frequency.
<code>type</code>	Filter type, one of "low" for a low-pass filter, "high" for a high-pass filter, "stop" for a stop-band (band-reject) filter, or "pass" for a pass-band filter.
<code>plane</code>	"z" for a digital filter or "s" for an analog filter.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments passed to <code>ellip</code> , overriding those given by <code>n</code> of class <code>FilterOfOrder</code> .

Details

Because `ellip` is generic, it can be extended to accept other inputs, using "ellipord" to generate filter criteria for example.

Value

An Arma object with list elements:

<code>b</code>	moving average (MA) polynomial coefficients
<code>a</code>	autoregressive (AR) polynomial coefficients

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paulo Neis (p_neis@yahoo.com.br). Modified by Doug Stewart. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Oppenheim, Alan V., Discrete Time Signal Processing, Hardcover, 1999.

Parente Ribeiro, E., Notas de aula da disciplina TE498 - Processamento Digital de Sinais, UFPR, 2001/2002.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Elliptic_filter

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[Arma](#), [filter](#), [butter](#), [cheby1](#), and [ellipord](#)

Examples

```
# compare the frequency responses of 5th-order Butterworth and elliptic filters.
bf = butter(5, 0.1)
ef = ellip(5, 3, 40, 0.1)
bfr = freqz(bf)
efr = freqz(ef)
plot(bfr$f, 20 * log10(abs(bfr$h)), type = "l", ylim = c(-50, 0),
      xlab = "Frequency, radians", ylab = c("dB"))
lines(efr$f, 20 * log10(abs(efr$h)), col = "red")
```

ellipord

Elliptic filter order and cutoff

Description

Compute discrete elliptic filter order and cutoff for the desired response characteristics.

Usage

```
ellipord(Wp, Ws, Rp, Rs)
```

Arguments

<code>Wp, Ws</code>	pass-band and stop-band edges. For a low-pass or high-pass filter, <code>Wp</code> and <code>Ws</code> are scalars. For a band-pass or band-rejection filter, both are vectors of length 2. For a low-pass filter, <code>Wp < Ws</code> . For a high-pass filter, <code>Ws > Wp</code> . For a band-pass (<code>Ws[1] < Wp[1] < Wp[2] < Ws[2]</code>) or band-reject (<code>Wp[1] < Ws[1] < Ws[2] < Wp[2]</code>) filter design, <code>Wp</code> gives the edges of the pass band, and <code>Ws</code> gives the edges of the stop band. Frequencies are normalized to <code>[0,1]</code> , corresponding to the range <code>[0, Fs/2]</code> .
<code>Rp</code>	allowable decibels of ripple in the pass band.
<code>Rs</code>	minimum attenuation in the stop band in dB.

Value

An object of class `FilterOfOrder` with the following list elements:

<code>n</code>	filter order
<code>Wc</code>	cutoff frequency
<code>type</code>	filter type, one of "low", "high", "stop", or "pass"
<code>Rp</code>	dB of pass band ripple
<code>Rs</code>	dB of stop band ripple

This object can be passed directly to `ellip` to compute discrete filter coefficients.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paulo Neis (p_neis@yahoo.com.br). Modified by Doug Stewart. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Lamar, Marcus Vinicius, Notas de aula da disciplina TE 456 - Circuitos Analogicos II, UFPR, 2001/2002.

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[Arma](#), [filter](#), [butter](#), [cheby1](#), and [ellipord](#)

Examples

```
Fs = 10000
elord = ellipord(1000/(Fs/2), 1200/(Fs/2), 0.5, 29)
plot(c(0, 1000, 1000, 0, 0), c(0, 0, -0.5, -0.5, 0),
     type = "l", xlab = "Frequency (Hz)", ylab = "Attenuation (dB)")
ell = ellip(elord)
plot(c(0, 1000, 1000, 0, 0), c(0, 0, -0.5, -0.5, 0),
     type = "l", xlab = "Frequency (Hz)", ylab = "Attenuation (dB)",
     col = "red", ylim = c(-35,0), xlim = c(0,2000))
lines(c(5000, 1200, 1200, 5000, 5000), c(-1000, -1000, -29, -29, -1000),
     col = "red")
hf = freqz(ell, Fs = Fs)
lines(hf$f, 20*log10(abs(hf$h)))
```

fftfilt

Filters with an FIR filter using the FFT

Description

Filters with an FIR filter using the FFT.

Usage

```
fftfilt(b, x, n = NULL)

FftFilter(b, n)

## S3 method for class 'FftFilter':
filter(filt, x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>b</code>	the moving-average (MA) coefficients of an FIR filter.
<code>x</code>	the input signal to be filtered.
<code>n</code>	if given, the length of the FFT window for the overlap-add method.
<code>filt</code>	filter to apply to the signal.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments (ignored).

Details

If `n` is not specified explicitly, we do not use the overlap-add method at all because loops are really slow. Otherwise, we only ensure that the number of points in the FFT is the smallest power of two larger than `n` and `length(b)`.

Value

For `fftfilt`, the filtered signal, the same length as the input signal `x`.

For `FftFilter`, a filter of class `FftFilter` that can be used with `filter`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Kurt Hornik and John W. Eaton. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[Ma](#), [filter](#), [fft](#), [filtfilt](#)

Examples

```
t = seq(0, 1, len=100) # 1 second sample
x = sin(2*pi*t*2.3) + 0.25*rnorm(length(t)) # 2.3 Hz sinusoid+noise
z = fftfilt(rep(1, 10)/10, x) # apply 10-point averaging filter
plot(t, x, type = "l")
lines(t, z, col="red")
```

filter	<i>Filter a signal.</i>
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Description

Generic filtering function. The default is to filter with an ARMA filter of given coefficients. The default filtering operation follows Matlab/Octave conventions.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
filter(filt, a, x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
filter(filt, x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
filter(filt, x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Zpg':
filter(filt, x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>filt</code>	For the default case, the moving-average coefficients of an ARMA filter (normally called 'b'). Generically, <code>filt</code> specifies an arbitrary filter operation.
<code>a</code>	the autoregressive (recursive) coefficients of an ARMA filter.
<code>x</code>	the input signal to be filtered.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments (ignored).

Details

The default filter is an ARMA filter defined as:

$$a_1 y_n + a_2 y_{n-1} + \dots + a_n y_1 = b_1 x_n + b_2 x_{n-1} + \dots + b_m x_1$$

The default filter calls `stats::filter`, so it returns a time-series object.

Since `filter` is generic, it can be extended to call other filter types.

Value

The filtered signal, normally of the same length of the input signal `x`.

Author(s)

Tom Short, EPRI Solutions, Inc., (tshort@eprisolutions.com)

References

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Digital_filter

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#) in the **stats** package, [Arma](#), [fftfilt](#), [filtfilt](#), and [runmed](#).

Examples

```
bf = butter(3, 0.1)           # 10 Hz low-pass filter
t = seq(0, 1, len=100)       # 1 second sample
x = sin(2*pi*t*2.3) + 0.25*rnrm(length(t)) # 2.3 Hz sinusoid+noise
z = filter(bf, x) # apply filter
plot(t, x, type = "l")
lines(t, z, col="red")
```

FilterOfOrder	<i>Filter of given order and specifications.</i>
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Description

IIR filter specifications, including order, frequency cutoff, type, and possibly others.

Usage

```
FilterOfOrder(n, Wc, type, ...)
```

Arguments

n	filter order
Wc	cutoff frequency
type	filter type, normally one of "low", "high", "stop", or "pass"
...	other filter description characteristics, possibly including R_p for dB of pass band ripple or R_s for dB of stop band ripple, depending on filter type (Chebyshev, etc.).

Details

The filter is

Value

A list of class `FilterOfOrder` with the following elements (repeats of the input arguments):

<code>n</code>	filter order
<code>Wc</code>	cutoff frequency
<code>type</code>	filter type, normally one of "low", "high", "stop", or "pass"
<code>...</code>	other filter description characteristics, possibly including <code>Rp</code> for dB of pass band ripple or <code>Rs</code> for dB of stop band ripple, depending on filter type (Chebyshev, etc.).

Author(s)

Tom Short

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

`filter`, `butter` and `buttord` `cheby1` and `cheblord`, and `ellip` and `ellipord`

`filtfilt`

Forward and reverse filter a signal

Description

Using two passes, forward and reverse filter a signal.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
filtfilt(filt, a, x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
filtfilt(filt, x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
filtfilt(filt, x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Zpg':
filtfilt(filt, x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>filt</code>	For the default case, the moving-average coefficients of an ARMA filter (normally called 'b'). Generically, <code>filt</code> specifies an arbitrary filter operation.
<code>a</code>	the autoregressive (recursive) coefficients of an ARMA filter.
<code>x</code>	the input signal to be filtered.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments (ignored).

Details

This corrects for phase distortion introduced by a one-pass filter, though it does square the magnitude response in the process. That's the theory at least. In practice the phase correction is not perfect, and magnitude response is distorted, particularly in the stop band.

In this version, we zero-pad the end of the signal to give the reverse filter time to ramp up to the level at the end of the signal. Unfortunately, the degree of padding required is dependent on the nature of the filter and not just its order, so this function needs some work yet.

Since `filtfilt` is generic, it can be extended to call other filter types.

Value

The filtered signal, normally the same length as the input signal `x`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle, pkienzle@user.sf.net. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#), [Arma](#), [fftfilter](#)

Examples

```
bf = butter(3, 0.1) # 10 Hz low-pass filter
t = seq(0, 1, len=100) # 1 second sample
x = sin(2*pi*t*2.3)+0.25*rnorm(length(t)) # 2.3 Hz sinusoid+noise
y = filtfilt(bf, x)
z = filter(bf, x) # apply filter
plot(t, x)
points(t, y, col="red")
points(t, z, col="blue")
legend("bottomleft", legend = c("data", "filtfilt", "filter"), pch = 1, col=c("black", "red", "blue"))
```

fir1

*FIR filter generation***Description**

FIR filter coefficients for a filter with the given order and frequency cutoff.

Usage

```
fir1(n, w, type = c("low", "high", "stop", "pass", "DC-0", "DC-1"), window = hammin
```

Arguments

n	order of the filter (1 less than the length of the filter)
w	band edges, strictly increasing vector in the range [0, 1], where 1 is the Nyquist frequency. A scalar for highpass or lowpass filters, a vector pair for bandpass or bandstop, or a vector for an alternating pass/stop filter.
type	character specifying filter type, one of "low" for a low-pass filter, "high" for a high-pass filter, "stop" for a stop-band (band-reject) filter, "pass" for a pass-band filter, "DC-0" for a bandpass as the first band of a multiband filter, or "DC-1" for a bandstop as the first band of a multiband filter.
window	smoothing window. The returned filter is the same shape as the smoothing window.
scale	whether to normalize or not. Use TRUE or 'scale' to set the magnitude of the center of the first passband to 1, and FALSE or 'noscale' to not normalize.

Value

The FIR filter coefficients, an array of length(n+1), of class Ma.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle, <pkienzle@user.sf.net>. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fir_filter

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#), [Ma](#), [fftfilt](#), [fir2](#)

Examples

```
freqz(fir1(40, 0.3))
freqz(fir1(10, c(0.3, .5), "stop"))
freqz(fir1(10, c(0.3, .5), "pass"))
```

fir2

FIR filter generation

Description

FIR filter coefficients for a filter with the given order and frequency cutoffs.

Usage

```
fir2(n, f, m, grid_n = 512, ramp_n = grid_n/20, window = hamming(n + 1))
```

Arguments

n	order of the filter (1 less than the length of the filter)
f	band edges, strictly increasing vector in the range [0, 1] where 1 is the Nyquist frequency. The first element must be 0 and the last element must be 1. If elements are identical, it indicates a jump in frequency response.
m	magnitude at band edges, a vector of <code>length(f)</code> .
grid_n	length of ideal frequency response function defaults to 512, should be a power of 2 bigger than n.
ramp_n	transition width for jumps in filter response defaults to <code>grid_n/20</code> . A wider ramp gives wider transitions but has better stopband characteristics.
window	smoothing window. The returned filter is the same shape as the smoothing window.

Value

The FIR filter coefficients, an array of `length(n+1)`, of class `Ma`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle, `<pkienzle@user.sf.net>`. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#), [Ma](#), [fftfilt](#), [fir1](#)

Examples

```
f = c(0, 0.3, 0.3, 0.6, 0.6, 1)
m = c(0, 0, 1, 1/2, 0, 0)
fh = freqz(fir2(100, f, m))
op = par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(f, m, type = "b", ylab = "magnitude", xlab = "Frequency")
lines(fh$f / pi, abs(fh$h), col = "blue")
# plot in dB:
plot(f, 20*log10(m+1e-5), type = "b", ylab = "dB", xlab = "Frequency")
lines(fh$f / pi, 20*log10(abs(fh$h)), col = "blue")
par(op)
```

freqs

s-plane frequency response

Description

Compute the s-plane frequency response of an ARMA model (IIR filter).

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
freqs(filt = 1, a = 1, W, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
freqs(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
freqs(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'freqs':
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'freqs':
plot(x, ...)

## Default S3 method:
freqs_plot(w, h, ...)

## S3 method for class 'freqs':
freqs_plot(w, ...)
```

Arguments

`filt` for the default case, the moving-average coefficients of an ARMA model or filter. Generically, `filt` specifies an arbitrary model or filter operation.

<code>a</code>	the autoregressive (recursive) coefficients of an ARMA filter.
<code>W</code>	the frequencies at which to evaluate the model.
<code>w</code>	for the default case, the array of frequencies. Generically, <code>w</code> specifies an object from which to plot a frequency response.
<code>h</code>	a complex array of frequency responses at the given frequencies.
<code>x</code>	object to be plotted.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments passed through to <code>plot</code> .

Details

When results of `freqs` are printed, `freqs_plot` will be called to display frequency plots of magnitude and phase. As with `lattice` plots, automatic printing does not work inside loops and function calls, so explicit calls to `print` are needed there.

Value

For `freqs` list of class `freqs` with items:

<code>H</code>	array of frequencies.
<code>W</code>	complex array of frequency responses at those frequencies.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Julius O. Smith III. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

See Also

`filter`, `Arma`, `freqz`

Examples

```
b = c(1, 2)
a = c(1, 1)
w = linspace(0, 4, 128)
freqs(b, a, w)
```

<code>freqz</code>	<i>s-plane frequency response</i>
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Description

Compute the z-plane frequency response of an ARMA model or IIR filter.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
freqz(filt = 1, a = 1, n = 512, region = NULL, Fs = 2 * pi, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
freqz(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
freqz(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'freqz':
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'freqz':
plot(x, ...)

## Default S3 method:
freqz_plot(w, h, ...)

## S3 method for class 'freqz':
freqz_plot(w, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>filt</code>	for the default case, the moving-average coefficients of an ARMA model or filter. Generically, <code>filt</code> specifies an arbitrary model or filter operation.
<code>a</code>	the autoregressive (recursive) coefficients of an ARMA filter.
<code>n</code>	number of points at which to evaluate the frequency response.
<code>region</code>	'half' (the default) to evaluate around the upper half of the unit circle or 'whole' to evaluate around the entire unit circle.
<code>Fs</code>	sampling frequency in Hz. If not specified, the frequencies are in radians.
<code>w</code>	for the default case, the array of frequencies. Generically, <code>w</code> specifies an object from which to plot a frequency response.
<code>h</code>	a complex array of frequency responses at the given frequencies.
<code>x</code>	object to be plotted.
<code>...</code>	for methods of <code>freqz</code> , arguments are passed to the default method. For <code>freqz_plot</code> , additional arguments are passed through to <code>plot</code> .

Details

For fastest computation, `n` should factor into a small number of small primes.

When results of `freqz` are printed, `freqz_plot` will be called to display frequency plots of magnitude and phase. As with `lattice` plots, automatic printing does not work inside loops and function calls, so explicit calls to `print` or `plot` are needed there.

Value

For `freqz` list of class `freqz` with items:

`h` array of frequencies.
`f` complex array of frequency responses at those frequencies.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by John W. Eaton. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#), [Arma](#), [freqs](#)

Examples

```
b = c(1, 0, -1)
a = c(1, 0, 0, 0, 0.25)
freqz(b, a)
```

grpdelay

Group delay of a filter or model

Description

The group delay of a filter or model. The group delay is the time delay for a sinusoid at a given frequency.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
grpdelay(filt, a = 1, n = 512, whole = FALSE, Fs = NULL, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
grpdelay(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
grpdelay(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Zpg':
grpdelay(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'grpdelay':
plot(x, ...)
```



```
## S3 method for class 'grpdelay':
print(x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>filt</code>	for the default case, the moving-average coefficients of an ARMA model or filter. Generically, <code>filt</code> specifies an arbitrary model or filter operation.
<code>a</code>	the autoregressive (recursive) coefficients of an ARMA filter.
<code>n</code>	number of points at which to evaluate the frequency response.
<code>whole</code>	'half' or FALSE (the default) to evaluate around the upper half of the unit circle or 'whole' to evaluate around the entire unit circle.
<code>Fs</code>	sampling frequency in Hz. If not specified, the frequencies are in radians.
<code>x</code>	object to be plotted.
<code>...</code>	for methods of <code>grpdelay</code> , arguments are passed to the default method. For <code>plot.grpdelay</code> , additional arguments are passed through to <code>plot</code> .

Details

For fastest computation, `n` should factor into a small number of small primes.

If the denominator of the computation becomes too small, the group delay is set to zero. (The group delay approaches infinity when there are poles or zeros very close to the unit circle in the z plane.)

When results of `grpdelay` are printed, the group delay will be plotted. As with `lattice` plots, automatic printing does not work inside loops and function calls, so explicit calls to `print` or `plot` are needed there.

Value

A list of class `grpdelay` with items:

<code>gd</code>	the group delay, in units of samples. It can be converted to seconds by multiplying by the sampling period (or dividing by the sampling rate <code>Fs</code>).
<code>w</code>	frequencies at which the group delay was calculated.
<code>ns</code>	number of points at which the group delay was calculated.
<code>HzFlag</code>	TRUE for frequencies in Hz, FALSE for frequencies in radians.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Julius O. Smith III and Paul Kienzle. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

http://ccrma.stanford.edu/~jos/filters/Numerical_Computation_Group_Delay.html

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Group_delay

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#), [Arma](#), [freqz](#)

Examples

```
# Two Zeros and Two Poles
b = poly(c(1/0.9*exp(1i*pi*0.2), 0.9*exp(1i*pi*0.6)))
a = poly(c(0.9*exp(-1i*pi*0.6), 1/0.9*exp(-1i*pi*0.2)))
grpdelay(b, a, 512, 'whole', 1)
```

ifft

Inverse FFT

Description

Matlab/Octave-compatible inverse FFT.

Usage

```
ifft(x)
```

Arguments

`x` the input array.

Details

It uses `fft` from the stats package as follows:

```
fft(x, inverse = TRUE)/length(x)
```

Note that it does not attempt to make the results real.

Value

The inverse FFT of the input, the same length as `x`.

Author(s)

Tom Short

See Also

[fft](#)

Examples

```
ifft(fft(1:4))
```

impz	<i>Impulse-response characteristics</i>
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Description

Impulse-response characteristics of a discrete filter.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
impz(filt, a = 1, n = NULL, Fs = 1, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
impz(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
impz(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'impz':
plot(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'impz':
print(x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>filt</code>	for the default case, the moving-average coefficients of an ARMA model or filter. Generically, <code>filt</code> specifies an arbitrary model or filter operation.
<code>a</code>	the autoregressive (recursive) coefficients of an ARMA filter.
<code>n</code>	number of points at which to evaluate the frequency response.
<code>Fs</code>	sampling frequency in Hz. If not specified, the frequencies are in per unit.
<code>...</code>	for methods of <code>impz</code> , arguments are passed to the default method. For <code>plot.impz</code> , additional arguments are passed through to <code>plot</code> .
<code>x</code>	object to be plotted.

Details

When results of `impz` are printed, the impulse response will be plotted. As with `lattice` plots, automatic printing does not work inside loops and function calls, so explicit calls to `print` or `plot` are needed there.

Value

For `impz`, a list of class `impz` with items:

<code>x</code>	impulse response signal.
<code>t</code>	time.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Kurt Hornik and John W. Eaton. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Impulse_response

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#), [freqz](#), [zplane](#)

Examples

```
bt = butter(5, .3)
impz(bt)
impz(ellip(5, .5, 30, .3))
```

interp

Interpolate / Increase the sample rate

Description

Upsample a signal by a constant factor by using an FIR filter to interpolate between points.

Usage

```
interp(x, q, n = 4, Wc = 0.5)
```

Arguments

x	the signal to be upsampled.
q	the integer factor to increase the sampling rate by.
n	the FIR filter length.
Wc	the FIR filter cutoff frequency.

Details

It uses an order $2*q*n+1$ FIR filter to interpolate between samples.

Value

The upsampled signal, an array of length $q * \text{length}(x)$.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@user.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Upsampling>

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[firl](#), [resample](#), [interp1](#), [decimate](#)

Examples

```
# The graph shows interpolated signal following through the
# sample points of the original signal.
t = seq(0, 2, by = 0.01)
x = chirp(t, 2, .5, 10, 'quadratic') + sin(2*pi*t*0.4)
y = interp(x[seq(1, length(x), by = 4)], 4, 4, 1) # interpolate a sub-sample
plot(t, x, type = "l")
idx = seq(1, length(t), by = 4)
lines(t, y[1:length(t)], col = "blue")
points(t[idx], y[idx], col = "blue", pch = 19)
```

interp1

Interpolation

Description

Interpolation methods, including linear, spline, and cubic interpolation.

Usage

```
interp1(x, y, xi, method = c("linear", "nearest", "pchip", "cubic", "spline"), extr
```

Arguments

<code>x, y</code>	vectors giving the coordinates of the points to be interpolated.
<code>xi</code>	points at which to interpolate.
<code>method</code>	one of "linear", "nearest", "pchip", "cubic", "spline".
<code>extrap</code>	if TRUE or 'extrap', then extrapolate values beyond the endpoints. If <code>extrap</code> is a number, replace values beyond the endpoints with that number (defaults to NA).
<code>...</code>	for <code>method='spline'</code> , additional arguments passed to <code>splinefun</code> .

Details

The following methods of interpolation are available:

'nearest': return nearest neighbour

'linear': linear interpolation from nearest neighbours

'pchip': piece-wise cubic hermite interpolating polynomial

'cubic': cubic interpolation from four nearest neighbours

'spline': cubic spline interpolation—smooth first and second derivatives throughout the curve

Value

The interpolated signal, an array of `length(xi)`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@user.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[approx](#), [filter](#), [resample](#), [interp](#), [spline](#)

Examples

```
xf = linspace(0,11,500); yf = sin(2*pi*xf/5)
#xp = c(0:1,3:10); yp = sin(2*pi*xp/5)
xp = c(0:10); yp = sin(2*pi*xp/5)
extrap = TRUE
lin = interp1(xp, yp, xf, 'linear', extrap = extrap)
spl = interp1(xp, yp, xf, 'spline', extrap = extrap)
pch = interp1(xp, yp, xf, 'pchip', extrap = extrap)
cub = interp1(xp, yp, xf, 'cubic', extrap = extrap)
near = interp1(xp, yp, xf, 'nearest', extrap = extrap)
plot(xp, yp, xlim=c(0,11))
lines(xf, lin, col = "red")
lines(xf, spl, col = "green")
lines(xf, pch, col = "orange")
lines(xf, cub, col = "blue")
lines(xf, near, col = "purple")
```

kaiser

*Kaiser window***Description**

Returns the filter coefficients of the n-point Kaiser window with parameter beta.

Usage

```
kaiser(n, beta)
```

Arguments

n	filter order.
beta	bessel shape parameter; larger beta gives narrower windows.

Value

An array of filter coefficients of length (n).

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Kurt Hornik. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Oppenheim, A. V.; Schafer, R. W.; and Buck J. R. (1999). Discrete-time signal processing. Upper Saddle River, N.J.: Prentice Hall.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kaiser_window

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[hamming](#), [kaiserord](#)

Examples

```
plot(kaiser(101, 2), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
lines(kaiser(101, 10), col = "blue")
lines(kaiser(101, 50), col = "green")
```

kaiserord

*Parameters for an FIR filter from a Kaiser window***Description**

Returns the parameters needed for `fir1` to produce a filter of the desired specification from a Kaiser window.

Usage

```
kaiserord(f, m, dev, Fs = 2)
```

Arguments

<code>f</code>	frequency bands, given as pairs, with the first half of the first pair assumed to start at 0 and the last half of the last pair assumed to end at 1. It is important to separate the band edges, since narrow transition regions require large order filters.
<code>m</code>	magnitude within each band. Should be non-zero for pass band and zero for stop band. All passbands must have the same magnitude, or you will get the error that pass and stop bands must be strictly alternating.
<code>dev</code>	deviation within each band. Since all bands in the resulting filter have the same deviation, only the minimum deviation is used. In this version, a single scalar will work just as well.
<code>Fs</code>	sampling rate. Used to convert the frequency specification into the [0, 1], where 1 corresponds to the Nyquist frequency, $F_s/2$.

Value

An object of class `FilterOfOrder` with the following list elements:

<code>n</code>	filter order
<code>Wc</code>	cutoff frequency
<code>type</code>	filter type, one of "low", "high", "stop", "pass", "DC-0", or "DC-1"
<code>beta</code>	shape parameter

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@users.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Oppenheim, A. V.; Schafer, R. W.; and Buck J. R. (1999). Discrete-time signal processing. Upper Saddle River, N.J.: Prentice Hall.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kaiser_window

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[hamming](#), [kaiser](#)

Examples

```

Fs = 11025
op = par(mfrow=c(2,2), mar=c(3,3,1,1))
for ( i in 1 : 4) {
  if (i==1) {
    bands=c(1200, 1500); mag=c(1, 0); dev=c(0.1, 0.1)
  } else if (i==2) {
    bands=c(1000, 1500); mag=c(0, 1); dev=c(0.1, 0.1)
  } else if (i==3) {
    bands=c(1000, 1200, 3000, 3500); mag=c(0, 1, 0); dev=0.1
  } else if (i==4) {
    bands=100*c(10, 13, 15, 20, 30, 33, 35, 40)
    mag=c(1, 0, 1, 0, 1); dev=0.05
  }
  kaisprm = kaiserord(bands, mag, dev, Fs)
  with(kaisprm, {
    d <- max(1, trunc(n/10))
    if (mag[length(mag)]==1 && d %% 2 ==1)
      d<-d+1
    f1 <- freqz(firl(n,Wc,type,kaiser(n+1,beta),'noscale'), Fs = Fs)
    f2 <- freqz(firl(n-d,Wc,type,kaiser(n-d+1,beta),'noscale'), Fs = Fs)
  })
  plot(f1$f,abs(f1$h), col = "blue", type="l", xlab = "", ylab = "")
  lines(f2$f,abs(f2$h), col = "red")
  legend("right", paste("order", c(kaisprm$n-d, kaisprm$n)), col=c("red", "blue"), lty=1, bty="n")
  b = c(0, bands, Fs/2)
  for ( i in seq(2,length(b),by=2)) {
    hi=mag[i/2]+dev[1]; lo=max(mag[i/2]-dev[1],0)
    lines(c(b[i-1], b[i], b[i], b[i-1], b[i-1]),c(hi, hi, lo, lo, hi))
  }
}
par(op)

```

Ma

Create a moving average (MA) model

Description

Returns a moving average MA model. The model could represent a filter or system model.

Usage

Ma(b)

Arguments

`b` moving average (MA) polynomial coefficients

Value

A list with the MA polynomial coefficients of class `Ma`.

Author(s)

Tom Short, EPRI Solutions, Inc., (tshort@eprisolutions.com)

See Also

See also [Arma](#)

`medfilt1`
Median filter

Description

Performs an *n*-point running median. For Matlab/Octave compatibility.

Usage

```
medfilt1(x, n = 3, ...)
```

```
MedianFilter(n = 3)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'MedianFilter':
filter(filt, x, ...)
```

Arguments

`x` signal to be filtered.

`n` size of window on which to perform the median.

`filt` filter to apply to the signal.

`...` additional arguments passed to `runmed`.

Details

`medfilt1` is a wrapper for `runmed`.

Value

For `medfilt1`, the filtered signal of length `(x)`.

For `MedianFilter`, a class of "MedianFilter" that can be used with `filter` to apply a median filter to a signal.

Author(s)

Tom Short.

References

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Median_filter

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[runmed](#), [median](#), [filter](#)

Examples

```
t = seq(0, 1, len=100)           # 1 second sample
x = sin(2*pi*t*2.3) + 0.25*rlnorm(length(t),.5) # 2.3 Hz sinusoid+noise
plot(t, x, type = "l")
# 3-point filter
lines(t, medfilt1(x), col="red", lwd=2)
# 7-point filter
lines(t, filter(MedianFilter(7), x), col = "blue", lwd=2) # another way to call it
```

pchip

Piecewise cubic hermite interpolation

Description

Piecewise cubic hermite interpolation.

Usage

```
pchip(x, y, xi = NULL)
```

Arguments

<code>x, y</code>	vectors giving the coordinates of the points to be interpolated. <code>x</code> must be strictly monotonic (either increasing or decreasing).
<code>xi</code>	points at which to interpolate.

Details

In contrast to `spline`, `pchip` preserves the monotonicity of `x` and `y`.

Value

Normally, the interpolated signal, an array of `length(xi)`.

if `xi == NULL`, a list of class `pp`, a piecewise polynomial representation with the following elements:

<code>x</code>	breaks between intervals.
<code>P</code>	a matrix with <code>n</code> times <code>d</code> rows and <code>k</code> columns. The <code>i</code> th row of <code>P</code> , <code>P[i,]</code> , contains the coefficients for the polynomial over the <code>i</code> th interval, ordered from highest to lowest. There must be one row for each interval in <code>x</code> .
<code>n</code>	number of intervals (<code>length(x) - 1</code>).
<code>k</code>	polynomial order.
<code>d</code>	number of polynomials.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzie (pkienzie@user.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Fritsch, F. N. and Carlson, R. E., "Monotone Piecewise Cubic Interpolation," SIAM Journal of Numerical Analysis, vol. 17, pp.238-246, 1980.

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[approx](#), [spline](#), [interp1](#)

Examples

```
xf = linspace(0,11,500); yf = sin(2*pi*xf/5)
xp = c(0:10); yp = sin(2*pi*xp/5)
pch = pchip(xp, yp, xf)
plot(xp, yp, xlim=c(0,11))
lines(xf, pch, col = "orange")
```

poly

Polynomial given roots

Description

Coefficients of a polynomial when roots are given or the characteristic polynomial of a matrix.

Usage

`poly(x)`

Arguments

`x` a vector or matrix. For a vector, it specifies the roots of the polynomial. For a matrix, the characteristic polynomial is found.

Value

An array of the coefficients of the polynomial in order from highest to lowest polynomial power.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Kurt Hornik. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[polyval](#), [roots](#), [conv](#)

Examples

```
poly(c(1, -1))  
poly(roots(1:3))  
poly(matrix(1:9, 3, 3))
```

polyval

Evaluate a polynomial

Description

Evaluate a polynomial at given points.

Usage

```
polyval(coef, z)
```

Arguments

`coef` coefficients of the polynomial, defined in decreasing power.
`z` the points at which to evaluate the polynomial.

Value

An array of `length(z)`, the polynomial evaluated at each element of `z`.

Author(s)

Tom Short

See Also[poly](#), [roots](#)**Examples**

```
polyval(c(1,0,-2), 1:3) # s^2 - 2
```

remez

*Parks-McClellan optimal FIR filter design***Description**

Parks-McClellan optimal FIR filter design.

Usage

```
remez(n, f, a, w = rep(1.0, length(f) / 2),
      ftype = c('bandpass', 'differentiator', 'hilbert'),
      density = 16)
```

Arguments

<code>n</code>	order of the filter (1 less than the length of the filter)
<code>f</code>	frequency at the band edges in the range (0, 1), with 1 being the Nyquist frequency.
<code>a</code>	amplitude at the band edges.
<code>w</code>	weighting applied to each band.
<code>ftype</code>	options are: 'bandpass', 'differentiator', and 'hilbert'.
<code>density</code>	determines how accurately the filter will be constructed. The minimum value is 16, but higher numbers are slower to compute.

Value

The FIR filter coefficients, an array of `length(n+1)`, of class `Ma`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle. Conversion to R by Tom Short. It uses C routines developed by Jake Janovetz.

References

Rabiner, L. R., McClellan, J. H., and Parks, T. W., "FIR Digital Filter Design Techniques Using Weighted Chebyshev Approximations," IEEE Proceedings, vol. 63, pp. 595 - 610, 1975.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fir_filter

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

`filter`, `Ma`, `fftfilt`, `fir1`

Examples

```
f1 = remez(15, c(0,0.3,0.4,1), c(1,1,0,0))
freqz(f1)
```

resample

Change the sampling rate of a signal

Description

Resample using bandlimited interpolation.

Usage

```
resample(x, p, q = 1, d = 5)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	signal to be resampled.
<code>p, q</code>	<code>p/q</code> specifies the factor to resample by.
<code>d</code>	distance.

Details

Note that `p` and `q` do not need to be integers since this routine does not use a polyphase rate change algorithm, but instead uses bandlimited interpolation, wherein the continuous time signal is estimated by summing the sinc functions of the nearest neighbouring points up to distance `d`.

Note that `resample` computes all samples up to but not including time `n+1`. If you are increasing the sample rate, this means that it will generate samples beyond the end of the time range of the original signal. That is why `xf` must go all the way to 10.95 in the example below.

Value

The resampled signal, an array of length `ceiling(length(x) * p / q)`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (`pkienzle@user.sf.net`). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

J. O. Smith and P. Gossett (1984). A flexible sampling-rate conversion method. In ICASSP-84, Volume II, pp. 19.4.1-19.4.2. New York: IEEE Press.

<http://www-ccrma.stanford.edu/~jos/resample/>

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#), [decimate](#), [interp](#)

Examples

```
xf=seq(0,10.95,by=0.05); yf = sin(2*pi*xf/5)
xp=0:10; yp = sin(2*pi*xp/5)
r = resample(yp,xp[2],xf[2])
title("confirm that the resampled function matches the original")
plot(xf,yf, type = "l", col = "blue")
lines(xf, r[1:length(xf)], col = "red")
points(xp,yp, pch = 19, col = "blue")
legend("bottomleft", c("Original", "Resample", "Data"),
      col = c("blue", "red", "blue"),
      pch = c(NA, NA, 19),
      lty = c(1, 1, NA), bty = "n")
```

roots

Roots of a polynomial

Description

Roots of a polynomial

Usage

```
roots(x)
```

Arguments

x polynomial coefficients with coefficients given in order from highest to lowest polynomial power. This is the Matlab/Octave convention; it is opposite of the convention used by `polyroot`.

Value

A complex array with the roots of the polynomial.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Kurt Hornik. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[polyroot](#), [polyval](#), [poly](#), [conv](#)

Examples

```
roots(1:3)
polyroot(3:1) # should be the same
poly(roots(1:3))
```

sftrans	<i>Transform filter band edges</i>
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Description

Transform band edges of a generic lowpass filter to a filter with different band edges and to other filter types (high pass, band pass, or band stop).

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
sftrans(Sz, Sp, Sg, W, stop = FALSE, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
sftrans(Sz, W, stop = FALSE, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Zpg':
sftrans(Sz, W, stop = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

Sz	In the generic case, a model to be transformed. In the default case, a vector containing the zeros in a pole-zero-gain model.
Sp	a vector containing the poles in a pole-zero-gain model.
Sg	a vector containing the gain in a pole-zero-gain model.
W	critical frequencies of the target filter specified in radians. W must be a scalar for low-pass and high-pass filters, and W must be a two-element vector c(low, high) specifying the lower and upper bands.
stop	FALSE for a low-pass or band-pass filter, TRUE for a high-pass or band-stop filter.
...	additional arguments (ignored).

Details

Given a low pass filter represented by poles and zeros in the splane, you can convert it to a low pass, high pass, band pass or band stop by transforming each of the poles and zeros individually. The following summarizes the transformations:

Low-Pass Transform

$$S \rightarrow CS/Fc$$

Zero at x	Pole at x
zero: $F_c x / C$	$F_c x / C$
gain: C / F_c	F_c / C

High-Pass Transform

$$S \rightarrow CF_c / S$$

Zero at x	Pole at x
zero: $F_c C / x$	$F_c C / x$
pole: 0	0
gain: $-x$	$-1/x$

Band-Pass Transform

$$S \rightarrow C \frac{S^2 + F_h F_l}{S(F_h - F_l)}$$

Zero at x	Pole at x
zero: $bsqrt(b^2 - F_h F_l)$	$bsqrt(b^2 - F_h F_l)$
pole: 0	0
gain: $C / (F_h - F_l)$	$(F_h - F_l) / C$
$b = x / C(F_h - F_l) / 2$	$b = x / C(F_h - F_l) / 2$

Band-Stop Transform

$$S \rightarrow C \frac{S(F_h - F_l)}{S^2 + F_h F_l}$$

Zero at x	Pole at x
zero: $bsqrt(b^2 - F_h F_l)$	$bsqrt(b^2 - F_h F_l)$
pole: $sqrt(-F_h F_l)$	$sqrt(-F_h F_l)$
gain: $-x$	$-1/x$
$b = C / x(F_h - F_l) / 2$	$b = C / x(F_h - F_l) / 2$

Bilinear Transform

$$S \rightarrow \frac{2}{T} \frac{z - 1}{z + 1}$$

Zero at x	Pole at x
zero: $(2 + xT) / (2 - xT)$	$(2 + xT) / (2 - xT)$
pole: -1	-1
gain: $(2 - xT) / T$	$(2 - xT) / T$

where C is the cutoff frequency of the initial lowpass filter, F_c is the edge of the target low/high pass filter and $[F_l, F_h]$ are the edges of the target band pass/stop filter. With abundant tedious algebra, you can derive the above formulae yourself by substituting the transform for S into $H(S) = S - x$ for a zero at x or $H(S) = 1 / (S - x)$ for a pole at x , and converting the result into the form:

$$H(S) = g\text{prod}(S - Xi)/\text{prod}(S - Xj)$$

Please note that a pole and a zero at the same place exactly cancel. This is significant for High Pass, Band Pass and Band Stop filters which create numerous extra poles and zeros, most of which cancel. Those which do not cancel have a ‘fill-in’ effect, extending the shorter of the sets to have the same number of as the longer of the sets of poles and zeros (or at least split the difference in the case of the band pass filter). There may be other opportunistic cancellations, but it does not check for them.

Also note that any pole on the unit circle or beyond will result in an unstable filter. Because of cancellation, this will only happen if the number of poles is smaller than the number of zeros and the filter is high pass or band pass. The analytic design methods all yield more poles than zeros, so this will not be a problem.

Value

For the default case or for `sftrans.zpg`, an object of class "Zpg", containing the list elements:

<code>zero</code>	complex vector of the zeros of the transformed model
<code>pole</code>	complex vector of the poles of the transformed model
<code>gain</code>	gain of the transformed model
<code>b</code>	moving average (MA) polynomial coefficients
<code>a</code>	autoregressive (AR) polynomial coefficients

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@users.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Proakis & Manolakis (1992). Digital Signal Processing. New York: Macmillan Publishing Company.

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[Zpg](#), [bilinear](#), [Arma](#)

sgolay

*Savitzsky-Golay smoothing filters***Description**

Computes the filter coefficients for all Savitzsky-Golay smoothing filters.

Usage

```
sgolay(p, n, m = 0, ts = 1)
```

Arguments

<code>p</code>	filter order.
<code>n</code>	filter length (must be odd).
<code>m</code>	return the <code>m</code> -th derivative of the filter coefficients.
<code>ts</code>	time scaling factor.

Details

The early rows of the result `F` smooth based on future values and later rows smooth based on past values, with the middle row using half future and half past. In particular, you can use row `i` to estimate `x[k]` based on the `i-1` preceding values and the `n-i` following values of `x` values as `y[k] = F[i,] * x[(k-i+1):(k+n-i)]`.

Normally, you would apply the first $(n-1)/2$ rows to the first `k` points of the vector, the last `k` rows to the last `k` points of the vector and middle row to the remainder, but for example if you were running on a realtime system where you wanted to smooth based on the all the data collected up to the current time, with a lag of five samples, you could apply just the filter on row `n-5` to your window of length `n` each time you added a new sample.

Value

An square matrix with dimensions `length(n)` that is of class `'sgolayFilter'` (so it can be used with `filter`).

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (`pkienzle@users.sf.net`). Modified by Pascal Dupuis. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

William H. Press, Saul A. Teukolsky, William T. Vetterling, Brian P. Flannery, Numerical Recipes in C: The Art of Scientific Computing , 2nd edition, Cambridge Univ. Press, N.Y., 1992.

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also[sgolayfilt](#), [filter](#)

`sgolayfilt`*Apply a Savitsky-Golay smoothing filter*

Description

Smooth data with a Savitsky-Golay smoothing filter.

Usage

```
sgolayfilt(x, p = 3, n = p + 3 - p%%2, m = 0, ts = 1)

## S3 method for class 'sgolayFilter':
filter(filt, x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	signal to be filtered.
<code>p</code>	filter order.
<code>n</code>	filter length (must be odd).
<code>m</code>	return the m-th derivative of the filter coefficients.
<code>ts</code>	time scaling factor.
<code>filt</code>	filter characteristics (normally generated by <code>sgolay</code>).
<code>...</code>	additional arguments (ignored).

Details

These filters are particularly good at preserving lineshape while removing high frequency squiggles.

Value

The filtered signal, of `length(x)`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@users.sf.net). Modified by Pascal Dupuis. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also[sgolay, filter](#)**Examples**

```
# Compare a 5 sample averager, an order-5 butterworth lowpass
# filter (cutoff 1/3) and sgolayfilt(x, 3, 5), the best cubic
# estimated from 5 points.
bf = butter(5,1/3)
x = c(rep(0,15), rep(10, 10), rep(0, 15))
sg = sgolayfilt(x)
plot(sg, type="l")
lines(filtfilt(rep(1, 5)/5,1,x), col = "red") # averaging filter
lines(filtfilt(bf,x), col = "blue")          # butterworth
points(x, pch = "x")                        # original data
```

signal-internal *Internal or uncommented functions*

Description

Internal or barely commented functions.

Details

```
# MOSTLY MATLAB/OCTAVE COMPATIBLE UTILITIES
fractdiff(x, d) # Fractional differences
linspace(from, to, n = 500) # seq(from, to, length = 500)
nextpow2(x) # next power of 2
postpad(x, n) # pad \code{x} with zeros at the end for a total length \code{n}
               # truncates if length(x) < n
sinc(x) # sin(pi * x) / (pi * x)

# MATLAB-INCOMPATIBLE UTILITIES
logseq(from, to, n = 500) # like \code{linspace} but equally spaced logarithmical

# DATA
eps # .Machine$double.eps

# DATA SET
wav # example wav file audio waveshape from Octave

# MAINLY INTERNAL, BUT MATLAB COMPATIBLE
mkpp(x, P, d = round(NROW(P)/pp$n)) # used by \code{pchip}
## Construct a piece-wise polynomial structure from sample points x and
## coefficients P.
ppval(pp, xi) # used by \code{pchip}
```

```
## Evaluate piece-wise polynomial pp and points xi.
ncauer(Rp, Rs, n) # used by \code{ellip}
ellipke(m) # used by \code{ellip}
cheb(n, x) # nth-order Chebyshev polynomial calculated at x
            # used by \code{chebwin}

# UTILITIES
m2R(mfile, Rfile = gsub(".m$", ".R", mfile)) # crude matlab to R converter
```

specgram

Spectrogram plot

Description

Generate a spectrogram for the signal. This chops the signal into overlapping slices, windows each slice and applies a Fourier transform to determine the frequency components at that slice.

Usage

```
specgram(x, n = min(256, length(x)), Fs = 2, window = hanning(n), overlap = length(x)/n)

## S3 method for class 'specgram':
plot(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'specgram':
print(x, ...)
```

Arguments

x	the vector of samples.
n	the size of the Fourier transform window.
Fs	the sample rate, Hz.
window	shape of the fourier transform window, defaults to <code>hanning(n)</code> . The window length for a hanning window can be specified instead.
overlap	overlap with previous window, defaults to half the window length.
...	additional arguments (ignored).

Details

When results of `specgram` are printed, a spectrogram will be plotted. As with `lattice` plots, automatic printing does not work inside loops and function calls, so explicit calls to `print` or `plot` are needed there.

The choice of window defines the time-frequency resolution. In speech for example, a wide window shows more harmonic detail while a narrow window averages over the harmonic detail and shows more formant structure. The shape of the window is not so critical so long as it goes gradually to zero on the ends.

Step size (which is window length minus overlap) controls the horizontal scale of the spectrogram. Decrease it to stretch, or increase it to compress. Increasing step size will reduce time resolution, but decreasing it will not improve it much beyond the limits imposed by the window size (you do gain a little bit, depending on the shape of your window, as the peak of the window slides over peaks in the signal energy). The range 1-5 msec is good for speech.

FFT length controls the vertical scale. Selecting an FFT length greater than the window length does not add any information to the spectrum, but it is a good way to interpolate between frequency points which can make for prettier spectrograms.

After you have generated the spectral slices, there are a number of decisions for displaying them. First the phase information is discarded and the energy normalized:

```
S = abs(S); S = S/max(S)
```

Then the dynamic range of the signal is chosen. Since information in speech is well above the noise floor, it makes sense to eliminate any dynamic range at the bottom end. This is done by taking the max of the magnitude and some minimum energy such as minE=-40dB. Similarly, there is not much information in the very top of the range, so clipping to a maximum energy such as maxE=-3dB makes sense:

```
S = max(S, 10^(minE/10)); S = min(S, 10^(maxE/10))
```

The frequency range of the FFT is from 0 to the Nyquist frequency of one half the sampling rate. If the signal of interest is band limited, you do not need to display the entire frequency range. In speech for example, most of the signal is below 4 kHz, so there is no reason to display up to the Nyquist frequency of 10 kHz for a 20 kHz sampling rate. In this case you will want to keep only the first 40% of the rows of the returned S and f. More generally, to display the frequency range [minF, maxF], you could use the following row index:

```
idx = (f >= minF & f <= maxF)
```

Then there is the choice of colormap. A brightness varying colormap such as copper or bone gives good shape to the ridges and valleys. A hue varying colormap such as jet or hsv gives an indication of the steepness of the slopes. The final spectrogram is displayed in log energy scale and by convention has low frequencies on the bottom of the image.

Value

For specgram list of class specgram with items:

S	complex output of the FFT, one row per slice.
f	the frequency indices corresponding to the rows of S.
t	the time indices corresponding to the columns of S..

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Paul Kienzle (pkienzle@users.sf.net). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also[fft](#), [image](#)**Examples**

```

specgram(chirp(seq(-2, 15, by = .001), 400, 10, 100, 'quadratic'))
specgram(chirp(seq(0, 5, by = 1/8000), 200, 2, 500, "logarithmic"), Fs = 8000)

data(wav) # contains wav$rate, wav$sound
Fs = wav$rate
step = trunc(5*Fs/1000); # one spectral slice every 5 ms
window = trunc(40*Fs/1000); # 40 ms data window
fftn = 2^nextpow2(window); # next highest power of 2
spg = specgram(wav$sound, fftn, Fs, window, window-step)
S = abs(spg$S[2:(fftn*4000/Fs),]) # magnitude in range 0<f<=4000 Hz.
S = S/max(S) # normalize magnitude so that max is 0 dB.
S[S < 10^(-40/10)] = 10^(-40/10) # clip below -40 dB.
S[S > 10^(-3/10)] = 10^(-3/10) # clip above -3 dB.
image(t(20*log10(S)), axes = FALSE) #, col = gray(0:255 / 255))

```

spencer

*Spencer filter***Description**

Spencer's 15-point moving average filter.

Usage

```

spencer(x)

spencerFilter()

```

Arguments

x signal to be filtered.

Value

For `spencer`, the filtered signal. For `spencerFilter`, a vector of filter coefficients with class `Ma` that can be passed to `filter`.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Friedrich Leisch. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

`filter`, `Ma`

unwrap

Unwrap radian phases

Description

Unwrap radian phases by adding multiples of 2π as appropriate to remove jumps.

Usage

```
unwrap(a, tol = pi, dim = 1)
```

Arguments

<code>a</code>	vector of phase angles in radians.
<code>tol</code>	tolerance for removing phase jumps.
<code>dim</code>	dimension with which to apply the phase unwrapping.

Value

A vector with the unwrapped phase angles.

Author(s)

Original Octave version by Bill Lash. Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

Examples

```
phase = c(linspace(0,2*pi), linspace(0, 2*pi))
plot(phase, type = "l", ylim = c(0, 4*pi))
lines(unwrap(phase), col = "blue")
```

Windowing functions*Windowing functions*

Description

A variety of generally Matlab/Octave compatible filter generation functions, including Bartlett, Blackman, Hamming, Hanning, and triangular.

Usage

```
bartlett(n)
blackman(n)
boxcar(n)
flattopwin(n, sym = c('symmetric', 'periodic'))
gausswin(n, w = 2.5)
hamming(n)
hanning(n)
triang(n)
```

Arguments

<code>n</code>	length of the filter; number of coefficients to generate.
<code>w</code>	the reciprocal of the standard deviation for <code>gausswin</code> . Use larger <code>a</code> for a narrower window.
<code>sym</code>	'symmetric' for a symmetric window, 'periodic' for a periodic window.

Details

`triang`, unlike the `bartlett` window, does not go to zero at the edges of the window. For odd `n`, `triang(n)` is equal to `bartlett(n+2)` except for the zeros at the edges of the window.

A main use of `flattopwin` is for calibration, due to its negligible amplitude errors. This window has low pass-band ripple, but high bandwidth.

Value

Filter coefficients.

Author(s)

Original Octave versions by Paul Kienzle (`boxcar`, `gausswin`, `triang`) and Andreas Weingessel (`bartlett`, `blackman`, `hamming`, `hanning`). Conversion to R by Tom Short.

References

Oppenheim, A.V., and R.W. Schaffer, "Discrete-Time Signal Processing", Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice-Hall, 1999.

Gade, S; Herlufsen, H; (1987) "Use of weighting functions in DFT/FFT analysis (Part I)", Bruel & Kjaer Technical Review No. 3.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Windowed_frame

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>

See Also

[filter](#), [fftfilt](#), [filtfilt](#), [fir1](#)

Examples

```
n = 51
op = par(mfrow=c(3,3))
plot(bartlett(n), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
plot(blackman(n), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
plot(boxcar(n), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
plot(flattopwin(n), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
plot(gausswin(n, 5), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
plot(hanning(n), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
plot(hamming(n), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
plot(triang(n), type = "l", ylim = c(0,1))
par(op)
```

Zpg

Zero-pole-gain model

Description

Zero-pole-gain model of an ARMA filter.

Usage

```
Zpg(zero, pole, gain)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
as.Zpg(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
as.Zpg(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Zpg':
as.Zpg(x, ...)
```

Arguments

zero	complex vector of the zeros of the model.
pole	complex vector of the poles of the model.
gain	gain of the model.
x	model to be converted.
...	additional arguments (ignored).

Details

as.Zpg converts from other forms, including Arma and Ma.

Value

An object of class "Zpg", containing the list elements:

zero	complex vector of the zeros of the model.
pole	complex vector of the poles of the model.
gain	gain of the model.

Author(s)

Tom Short

See Also

[Arma](#), [bilinear](#)

zplane	<i>Pole-zero plot</i>
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Description

Plot the poles and zeros of a model or filter.

Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
zplane(filt, a, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Arma':
zplane(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Ma':
zplane(filt, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Zpg':
zplane(filt, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>filt</code>	for the default case, the moving-average coefficients of an ARMA model or filter. Generically, <code>filt</code> specifies an arbitrary model or filter operation.
<code>a</code>	the autoregressive (recursive) coefficients of an ARMA filter.
<code>...</code>	Additional arguments passed to <code>plot</code> .

Details

Poles are marked with an 'x', and zeros are marked with an 'o'.

Value

No value is returned.

Author(s)

Tom Short

References

Octave Forge <http://octave.sf.net>
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pole-zero_plot

See Also

[Arma](#), [freqz](#)

Examples

```
filt <- ellip(5, 0.5, 20, .2)
zplane(filt)
```

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