

# Package ‘breaktest’

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ACF

*Calculating ACF values***Description**

A simple auxiliary function providing the estimates of autocorrelations of orders from 0 to  $N - 1$ .

**Usage**

```
ACF(y)
```

**Arguments**

`y`                      An input time series of interest.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

The vector of ACF values of orders from 0 to  $N - 1$ . Due to the R's way of indexing the 1-st element is the autocorrelation of order 0, and the  $N$ -th value is the autocorrelation of order  $N - 1$ .

ADF.test

*A simple implementation of ADF test***Description**

A function for ADF test with the ability to select the number of lags. Lags are selected by informational criterions which can be modified as in Ng and Perron (2001) and Cavaliere et al. (2015).

**Usage**

```
ADF.test(
  y,
  const = TRUE,
  trend = FALSE,
  max.lag = 0,
  criterion = NULL,
  modified.criterion = FALSE,
  rescale.criterion = FALSE
)
```

### Arguments

<code>y</code>	The input time series of interest.
<code>const, trend</code>	Whether a constant and trend are to be included.
<code>max.lag</code>	Maximum lag number
<code>criterion</code>	A criterion used to select number of lags. If lag selection is not needed keep this NULL.
<code>modified.criterion</code>	Whether the unit-root test modification is needed.
<code>rescale.criterion</code>	Whether the rescaling informational criterion is needed. Designed to cope with heteroscedasticity in residuals.

### Details

Due to the Frisch-Waugh-Lovell theorem we first detrend `y` and then apply the test to the detrended series.

### Value

List containing:

- `y`,
- `const`,
- `trend`,
- `residuals`,
- coefficient estimates,
- t-statistic value,
- critical value,
- Number of lags,
- indicator of stationarity.

### References

- Cavaliere, Giuseppe, Peter C. B. Phillips, Stephan Smeekes, and A. M. Robert Taylor. "Lag Length Selection for Unit Root Tests in the Presence of Nonstationary Volatility." *Econometric Reviews* 34, no. 4 (April 21, 2015): 512–36. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07474938.2013.808065>.
- Ng, Serena, and Pierre Perron. "Lag Length Selection and the Construction of Unit Root Tests with Good Size and Power." *Econometrica* 69, no. 6 (2001): 1519–54. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1468-0262.00256>.

ADF.test.S

*Detrending bootstrap test by Smeekes (2013)***Description**

This bootstrap test is based on the recursive detrending procedure of Taylor (2002). The main idea is to apply the standard ADF test to the series with nuisance parameters eliminated.

**Usage**

```
ADF.test.S(
  y,
  const = TRUE,
  trend = FALSE,
  c = 0,
  gamma = 0,
  trim = 0.15,
  max.lag = 0,
  criterion = NULL,
  modified.criterion = FALSE,
  iter = 999
)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest.
const, trend	Whether the constant and trend are to be included.
c	A filtration parameter used to construct an autocorrelation coefficient.
gamma	Detrending type selection parameter. If 0 the OLS detrending is applied, if 1 the GLS detrending is applied, otherwise the autocorrelation coefficient is calculated as $1 + c^\gamma T^{-\gamma}$ .
trim	A trimming parameter.
max.lag	The maximum lag for inner ADF testing.
criterion	A criterion used to select number of lags. If lag selection is not needed keep this NULL.
modified.criterion	Whether the unit-root test modification is needed.
iter	The number of bootstrap iterations.

**Details**

Critical values are calculated via a bootstrapping using MacKinnon-like regressions. For each number of observations and each number of variables obtained were 1999 values of test statistics. After that 1st, 2.5-th, 5-th, 10-th, and 97.5-th percentiles were calculated and saved along with the corresponding number of observations. This step was repeated 5 times to cope with possible biases. After that MacKinnon-like regressions were estimated.

## References

Taylor, A. M. Robert. “Regression-Based Unit Root Tests With Recursive Mean Adjustment for Seasonal and Nonseasonal Time Series.” *Journal of Business & Economic Statistics* 20, no. 2 (April 2002): 269–81. <https://doi.org/10.1198/073500102317352001>.

MacKinnon, James G. “Critical Values for Cointegration Tests.” Working Paper. Economics Department, Queen’s University, January 2010. <https://ideas.repec.org/p/qed/wpaper/1227.html>.

Smeekes, Stephan. “Detrending Bootstrap Unit Root Tests.” *Econometric Reviews* 32, no. 8 (July 2013): 869–91. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07474938.2012.690693>.

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AR

*Custom AR with extra information*

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## Description

Custom AR with extra information

## Usage

```
AR(y, x, max.lag, criterion = "aic")
```

## Arguments

<code>y</code>	Dependent variable.
<code>x</code>	Exogenous explanatory variables.
<code>max.lag</code>	The maximum number of lags.
<code>criterion</code>	A criterion for lag number estimation.

## Details

The function is not intended to be used directly so it’s not exported.

## Value

A list of:

- `beta`: estimates of coefficients,
- `residuals`: estimated residuals,
- `predict`: forecasted values,
- `t.beta`: *t*-statistics for `beta`,
- `lag`: estimated number of lags.

break.date.cset

*Confidence sets for the break date in dointegrating regressions***Description**

Confidence sets for the break date in dointegrating regressions

**Usage**

```
break.date.cset(
  y,
  trend = FALSE,
  zb = NULL,
  zf = NULL,
  z.lead = NULL,
  z.lag = NULL,
  conf.level = 0.9,
  trim = 0.05,
  criterion = "bic"
)
```

**Arguments**

y	A LHS variable of interest.
trend	Whether the trend is to be included.
zb	I(1) regressors with break.
zf	I(1) regressors without break.
z.lead, z.lag	Number of leads and lags of z regressors. If any is NULL then both are estimated using informational criterion.
conf.level	Confidence level to obtain appropriate critical values.
trim	The trimming parameter to find the lower and upper bounds of possible break date.
criterion	A criterion for lead and lag number estimation.

**Value**

A list of confidence sets.

**References**

Kurozumi, Eiji, and Anton Skrobotov. "Confidence Sets for the Break Date in Cointegrating Regressions." *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 80, no. 3 (2018): 514–35. <https://doi.org/10.1111/obes.12223>.

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coint.test.GH

*Gregory-Hansen test for the absense of cointegration*


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### Description

Gregory and Hansen (1996) test for the null hypothesis of no cointegration under a possible structural break at the unknown moment of time.

The authors proposed ADF- and Z-type tests, slightly modified to allow the presence of a possible regime shift. Three type of shifts are allowed:

- a shift in the constant,
- a shift in the constand with the trend included,
- and a shift in the constant and the cointegrating vector.

Critical values are calculated via the adopted MacKinnon procedure of estimating the model for the response surface.

### Usage

```
coint.test.GH(
  ...,
  shift = "level",
  trim = 0.15,
  max.lag = 10,
  criterion = "aic",
  add.criticals = TRUE
)
```

### Arguments

...	Variables of interest.
shift	Expected break type.
trim	The trimming parameter to calculate break moment bounds.
max.lag	The maximum number of lags for the internal ADF testing.
criterion	The criterion for lag selection.
add.criticals	Whether critical values are to be returned. This argument is needed to suppress the calculation of critical values during the precalculation of tables needed for the p-values estimating.

### Value

An object of type cointGH. It's a list of

- shift: shift type,
- Za:  $MZ_{\alpha}$  statistic and c.v.,
- Zt:  $MZ_t$  statistic and c.v.,
- ADF:  $ADF$  statistic and c.v..



## References

- MacKinnon, James G. “Critical Values for Cointegration Tests.” Working Paper. Working Paper. Economics Department, Queen’s University, January 2010. <https://ideas.repec.org/p/qed/wpaper/1227.html>.
- Gregory, Allan W., and Bruce E. Hansen. “Residual-Based Tests for Cointegration in Models with Regime Shifts.” *Journal of Econometrics* 70, no. 1 (January 1, 1996): 99–126. [https://doi.org/10.1016/0304-4076\(99\)00168-5](https://doi.org/10.1016/0304-4076(99)00168-5).

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CPST.rescale	<i>Generating rescaled series as in Cavaliere et al. (2015)</i>
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## Description

This rescaling procedure is needed to cope with possible heteroscedasticity in the data. Simply it’s achieved by taking a cumulative sum of the first difference normalized by the non-parametric local estimate of the variance.

## Usage

```
CPST.rescale(d.y, x, deter, k, max.lag)
```

## Arguments

d.y	A series of first differences.
x	A matrix of ADF RHS variables.
deter	A matrix of deterministic variables for detrending.
k	A lag of the corresponding ADF model.
max.lag	The maximum possible lag.

## Value

A rescaled series.

## References

- Cavaliere, Giuseppe, Peter C. B. Phillips, Stephan Smeekes, and A. M. Robert Taylor. “Lag Length Selection for Unit Root Tests in the Presence of Nonstationary Volatility.” *Econometric Reviews* 34, no. 4 (April 21, 2015): 512–36. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07474938.2013.808065>.

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```
critical.values.break.date.cset
```

*Critical values for break point confidence intervals*

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### Description

Auxiliary function returning pre-calculated critical values for [break.date.cset](#)

### Usage

```
critical.values.break.date.cset(l_1, trend, conf.level, p_zb, p_zf)
```

### Arguments

<code>l_1</code>	Relative break point position.
<code>trend</code>	Whether there is to be included.
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level.
<code>p_zb</code>	Number of variables with breaks.
<code>p_zf</code>	Number of variables without breaks.

### Details

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

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```
critical.values.KPSS.1p
```

*Critical values for KPSS test with 1 break*

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### Description

Auxiliary function returning pre-calculated critical values for [KPSS.1.break](#)

### Usage

```
critical.values.KPSS.1p(model, break.point, N, k)
```

### Arguments

<code>model</code>	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for model An,</li> <li>• 2: for model A,</li> <li>• 3: for model B,</li> <li>• 4: for model C,</li> <li>• 5: for model D,</li> <li>• 6: for model E.</li> </ul>
<code>break.point</code>	Position of the break point.
<code>N</code>	Number of observations.
<code>k</code>	Number of RHS variables.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

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critical.values.KPSS.2p

*Critical values for KPSS test with 2 breaks*

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**Description**

Auxiliary function returning pre-calculated critical values for [KPSS.2.breaks](#)

**Usage**

```
critical.values.KPSS.2p(model, break.point, N)
```

**Arguments**

model	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the AA (without trend) model,</li> <li>• 2: for the AA (with trend) model,</li> <li>• 3: for the BB model,</li> <li>• 4: for the CC model,</li> <li>• 5: for the AC-CA model.</li> </ul>
break.point	Position of the break point.
N	Number of observations.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

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determinants.KPSS.1.break

*Construct determinant variables for [KPSS.1.break](#)*

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**Description**

Construct determinant variables for [KPSS.1.break](#)

**Usage**

```
determinants.KPSS.1.break(model, N, break.point)
```

**Arguments**

model	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: Model with trend, break in const,</li> <li>• 2: Model with const and trend, break in const,</li> <li>• 3: Model with const and trend, break in trend,</li> <li>• 4: Model with const and trend, break in const and trend.</li> </ul>
N	Number of observations.
break.point	Break point.

**Details**

Procedure to compute deterministic terms for KPSS with 1 structural break.

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

Matrix of determinant variables.

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determinants.KPSS.2.breaks

*Construct determinant variables for [KPSS.2.breaks](#)*

---

**Description**

Construct determinant variables for [KPSS.2.breaks](#)

**Usage**

```
determinants.KPSS.2.breaks(model, N, break.point)
```

**Arguments**

model	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the AA (without trend) model,</li> <li>• 2: for the AA (with trend) model,</li> <li>• 3: for the BB model,</li> <li>• 4: for the CC model,</li> <li>• 5: for the AC-CA model,</li> <li>• 6: for the AC-CA model,</li> <li>• 7: for the AC-CA model.</li> </ul>
N	Number of observations.
break.point	Positions for the first and second structural breaks (relative to the origin which is 1).

**Details**

Procedure to compute deterministic terms for KPSS with 2 structural breaks.

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

Matrix of deterministic terms.

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determinants.KPSS.N.breaks

*Deterministic terms for [KPSS.N.breaks](#)*

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**Description**

Procedure to compute deterministic terms for KPSS with  $m$  structural breaks.

**Usage**

```
determinants.KPSS.N.breaks(model, N, break.point, const = FALSE, trend = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

model	A scalar or vector of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the break in const,</li> <li>• 2: for the break in trend,</li> <li>• 3: for the break in const and trend.</li> </ul>
N	Number of observations.
break.point	Array of structural breaks.
const, trend	Include constant and trend if TRUE.

**Details**

**model** should be either a scalar or a vector of the same size as the **break.point**. If scalar **model** will be repeated till the length of **break.point** is achieved.

**Value**

Matrix of deterministic terms.

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DOLS

*Estimating DOLS regression for multiple known break points*

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**Description**

Estimating DOLS regression for multiple known break points

**Usage**

```
DOLS(y, x, model, break.point, k.lags, k.leads)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	A dependent (LHS) variable.
<code>x</code>	A matrix of explanatory (RHS) variables.
<code>model</code>	See Carrion-i-Silvestre and Sansó (2006) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for model An,</li> <li>• 2: for model A,</li> <li>• 3: for model B,</li> <li>• 4: for model C,</li> <li>• 5: for model D,</li> <li>• 6: for model E.</li> </ul>
<code>break.point</code>	A position of the break point.
<code>k.lags, k.leads</code>	A number of lags and leads in DOLS regression.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of:

- Estimates of coefficients,
- Estimates of residuals,
- A value of BIC,
- *t*-statistics for the estimates of coefficients.

**References**

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. "Testing the Null of Cointegration with Structural Breaks." *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 68, no. 5 (October 2006): 623–46. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1468-0084.2006.00180.x>.

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DOLS.N.breaks

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*Estimating DOLS regression for multiple known break points*


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**Description**

Estimating DOLS regression for multiple known break points

**Usage**

```
DOLS.N.breaks(
  y,
  x,
  model,
  break.point,
  const = FALSE,
  trend = FALSE,
  k.lags,
  k.leads
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	A dependent (LHS) variable.
<code>x</code>	A matrix of explanatory (RHS) variables.
<code>model</code>	A scalar or vector of break types: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the break in const.</li> <li>• 2: for the break in trend.</li> <li>• 3: for the break in const and trend.</li> </ul>
<code>break.point</code>	An array of moments of structural breaks.
<code>const, trend</code>	Whether a constant or trend are to be included.
<code>k.lags, k.leads</code>	A number of lags and leads in DOLS regression.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of:

- Estimates of coefficients,
- Estimates of residuals,
- A set of informational criterions values,
- *t*-statistics for the estimates of coefficients.

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DOLS.vars.N.breaks	<i>Preparing variables for DOLS regression with multiple known break points</i>
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**Description**

Preparing variables for DOLS regression with multiple known break points

**Usage**

```
DOLS.vars.N.breaks(
  y,
  x,
  model,
  break.point,
  const = FALSE,
  trend = FALSE,
  k.lags,
  k.leads
)
```

**Arguments**

y	A dependent (LHS) variable.
x	A matrix of explanatory (RHS) variables.
model	A scalar or vector of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the break in const.</li> <li>• 2: for the break in trend.</li> <li>• 3: for the break in const and trend.</li> </ul>
break.point	An array of moments of structural breaks.
const, trend	Whether a constant or trend are to be included.
k.lags, k.leads	A number of lags and leads in DOLS regression.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of LHS and RHS variables.

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eos.break.test	<i>Andrews-Kim (2006) test</i>
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**Description**

Test for structural break at the end of the sample.

**Usage**

```
eos.break.test(eq, m, dataset)
```

**Arguments**

eq	Base model formula. At the moment all the variables included should be defined explicitly, dynamic regressors (i.e. functions etc.) are not supported.
m	Post-break period length.
dataset	Source of the data.



**Details**

See Andrews and Kim (2006) for the detailed description.

**Value**

A list of

- $m$ ,
- estimated values of P- and R-tests,
- sequences of auxiliary statistics  $P_j$  and  $R_j$ ,
- the corresponding p-values.

**References**

Andrews, D. W. K. “End-of-Sample Instability Tests.” *Econometrica* 71, no. 6 (2003): 1661–94. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1468-0262.00466>.

Andrews, Donald W. K, and Jae-Young Kim. “Tests for Cointegration Breakdown Over a Short Time Period.” *Journal of Business & Economic Statistics* 24, no. 4 (2006): 379–94. <https://doi.org/10.1198/07350010600>

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GLS	<i>Custom GLS with extra information</i>
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**Description**

Getting GLS estimates of betas, residuals, forecasted values and t-values.

**Usage**

GLS(y, z, c)

**Arguments**

y	Dependent variable.
z	Explanatory variables.
c	Coefficient for $\rho$ calculation.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

The list of betas, residuals, forecasted values and t-values.

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GLS.bt	<i>GLS fitering</i>
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**Description**

GLS fitering

**Usage**

```
GLS.bt(y, trim, c)
```

**Arguments**

y	Series of interest.
trim	Trimming parameter.
c	Filtering parameter.

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info.criterion	<i>Information criterions</i>
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**Description**

Information criterions

**Usage**

```
info.criterion(resids, extra, modification = FALSE, alpha = 0, y = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

resids	Input residuals needed for estimating the values of information criterions.
extra	Number of extra parameters needed for estimating the punishment term.
modification	Whether the unit-root test modificaton is needed. See Ng and Perron (2001) for further information.
alpha	The coefficient $\alpha$ of $y_{t-1}$ in ADF model. Needed only for criterion modification purposes.
y	The vector of $y_{t-1}$ in ADF model. Needed only for criterion modification purposes.

**Details**

Calculating the value of the following informational criterions:

- Akaike,
- Schwarz (Bayesian),
- Hannan-Quinn,
- Liu et al.

**Value**

The list of information criterions values.

**References**

Ng, Serena, and Pierre Perron. “Lag Length Selection and the Construction of Unit Root Tests with Good Size and Power.” *Econometrica* 69, no. 6 (2001): 1519–54. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1468-0262.00256>.

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KP	<i>Kejrival-Perron procedure of breaks number detection</i>
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**Description**

Kejrival-Perron procedure of breaks number detection

**Usage**

`KP(y, const = FALSE, breaks = 1, criterion = "aic", trim = 0.15)`

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	An input series of interest.
<code>const</code>	Whether the break in constant is allowed.
<code>breaks</code>	Number of breaks.
<code>criterion</code>	Needed information criterion: aic, bic, hq or lwz.
<code>trim</code>	A trimming value for a possible break date bounds.

**Value**

The estimated optimal break point.

**References**

Kejrival, Mohitosh, and Pierre Perron. “A Sequential Procedure to Determine the Number of Breaks in Trend with an Integrated or Stationary Noise Component: Determination of Number of Breaks in Trend.” *Journal of Time Series Analysis* 31, no. 5 (September 2010): 305–28. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1467-9892.2010.00666.x>.

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KPSS	<i>Auxiliary function returning KPSS statistic value.</i>
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**Description**

Auxiliary function returning KPSS statistic value.

**Usage**

```
KPSS(resids, variance)
```

**Arguments**

resids	The series of residuals.
variance	The value of the long-run variance.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

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KPSS.1.break	<i>KPSS-test with known structural break</i>
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**Description**

Computes the cointegration test with one known structural break.

**Usage**

```
KPSS.1.break(y, x, model, break.point, weakly.exog = TRUE, ll.init)
```

**Arguments**

y	An input (LHS) time series of interest.
x	A matrix of (RHS) explanatory stochastic regressors.
model	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for model An,</li> <li>• 2: for model A,</li> <li>• 3: for model B,</li> <li>• 4: for model C,</li> <li>• 5: for model D,</li> <li>• 6: for model E.</li> </ul>
break.point	Position of the break point.
weakly.exog	Exogeneity of the stochastic regressors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TRUE: if the regressors are weakly exogenous,</li> <li>• FALSE: if the regressors are not weakly exogenous (DOLS is used in this case).</li> </ul>
ll.init	Scalar, defines the initial number of leads and lags for DOLS.

## Details

The code provided is the original GAUSS code ported to R.  
See Carrion-i-Silvestre and Sansó (2006) for further details.

## Value

A list of:

- beta: DOLS estimates of the coefficients regressors,
- tests: SC test (coinKPSS-test),
- resid: Residuals of the model,
- t.beta: Individual significance t-statistics,
- break\_point: Break points.

## References

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. “Testing the Null of Cointegration with Structural Breaks.” *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 68, no. 5 (October 2006): 623–46. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1468-0084.2006.00180.x>.

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KPSS.1.break.unknown    *KPSS-test of cointegration*

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## Description

Procedure for testing the null of cointegration in the possible presence of structural breaks.

## Usage

```
KPSS.1.break.unknown(y, x, model, weakly.exog, ll.init)
```

## Arguments

y	(Tx1)-vector of the dependent variable
x	(Txk)-matrix of explanatory stochastic regressors
model	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for model An,</li> <li>• 2: for model A,</li> <li>• 3: for model B,</li> <li>• 4: for model C,</li> <li>• 5: for model D,</li> <li>• 6: for model E.</li> </ul>
weakly.exog	Exogeneity of the stochastic regressors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TRUE: if the regressors are weakly exogenous,</li> <li>• FALSE: if the regressors are not weakly exogenous (DOLS is used in this case).</li> </ul>
ll.init	Scalar, defines the initial number of leads and lags for DOLS.

## Details

Computes the cointegration test with one unknown structural break where the break point is estimated either minimizing the value of the statistic or the sum of the squared residuals. The estimation of the cointegrating relationship bases on DOLS.

The code provided is the original GAUSS code ported to R.

See Carrion-i-Silvestre and Sansó (2006) for further details.

## Value

(2x2)-matrix, where the first rows gives the value of the min(SC) test and the estimated break point; the second row gives the value of the SC statistic, where the break point is estimated as min(SSR).

## References

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. “Testing the Null of Cointegration with Structural Breaks.” *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 68, no. 5 (October 2006): 623–46. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1468-0084.2006.00180.x>.

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KPSS.2.breaks	<i>KPSS-test with 2 known structural breaks</i>
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## Description

Procedure to compute the KPSS test with two structural breaks

## Usage

```
KPSS.2.breaks(y, model, break.point, max.lag, kernel)
```

## Arguments

y	An input (LHS) time series of interest.
model	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the AA (without trend) model,</li> <li>• 2: for the AA (with trend) model,</li> <li>• 3: for the BB model,</li> <li>• 4: for the CC model,</li> <li>• 5: for the AC-CA model.</li> </ul>
break.point	Positions for the first and second structural breaks (relative to the origin which is 1).
max.lag	scalar, with the maximum order of the parametric correction. The final order of the parametric correction is selected using the BIC information criterion.
kernel	Kernel for calculating long-run variance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• bartlett: for Bartlett kernel,</li> <li>• quadratic: for Quadratic Spectral kernel,</li> <li>• NULL for the Kurozumi’s proposal, using Bartlett kernel.</li> </ul>

## Details

The break points are known

The code provided is the original GAUSS code ported to R.

See Carrion-i-Silvestre and Sansó (2007) for further details.

## Value

A list of:

- beta: DOLS estimates of the coefficients regressors,
- tests: SC test (coinKPSS-test),
- resid: Residuals of the model,
- t.beta: *t*-statistics for beta,
- break\_point: Break points.

## References

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. "The KPSS Test with Two Structural Breaks." Spanish Economic Review 9, no. 2 (May 16, 2007): 105–27. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10108-006-9017-8>.

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KPSS.2.breaks.unknown    *KPSS-test with 2 unknown structural breaks*

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## Description

Procedure to compute the KPSS test with two structural breaks

## Usage

```
KPSS.2.breaks.unknown(y, model, max.lag = 0, kernel = "bartlett")
```

## Arguments

y	(Tx1)-vector of time series.
model	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the AA (without trend) model,</li> <li>• 2: for the AA (with trend) model,</li> <li>• 3: for the BB model,</li> <li>• 4: for the CC model,</li> <li>• 5: for the AC-CA model.</li> </ul>
max.lag	scalar, with the maximum order of the parametric correction. The final order of the parametric correction is selected using the BIC information criterion.
kernel	Kernel for calculating long-run variance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• bartlett: for Bartlett kernel,</li> <li>• quadratic: for Quadratic Spectral kernel,</li> <li>• NULL for the Kurozumi's proposal, using Bartlett kernel.</li> </ul>

**Details**

The break points are known

The code provided is the original GAUSS code ported to R.

See Carrion-i-Silvestre and Sansó (2007) for further details.

**Value**

Value of test statistic.

**References**

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. “Testing the Null of Cointegration with Structural Breaks.” *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 68, no. 5 (October 2006): 623–46. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1468-0084.2006.00180.x>.

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 KPSS.HLT

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*Unit root testing procedure under a single structural break.*


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**Description**

Unit root testing procedure under a single structural break.

**Usage**

```
KPSS.HLT(y, const = FALSE, trim = 0.15)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest.
const	Whether a constant should be included.
trim	The trimming parameter to find the lower and upper bounds of possible break dates.

**Value**

The value of test statistic.

**References**

Harvey, David I., Stephen J. Leybourne, and A. M. Robert Taylor. “Unit Root Testing under a Local Break in Trend.” *Journal of Econometrics* 167, no. 1 (2012): 140–67.



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KPSS.N.breaks

*KPSS-test with multiple known structural breaks*


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## Description

Procedure to compute the KPSS test with multiple known structural breaks

## Usage

```
KPSS.N.breaks(
  y,
  x,
  model,
  break.point,
  const = FALSE,
  trend = FALSE,
  weakly.exog = TRUE,
  lags.init,
  leads.init,
  max.lag,
  kernel,
  criterion = "bic"
)
```

## Arguments

y	An input (LHS) time series of interest.
x	A matrix of (RHS) explanatory stochastic regressors.
model	A scalar or vector of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the break in const,</li> <li>• 2: for the break in trend,</li> <li>• 3: for the break in const and trend.</li> </ul>
break.point	Array of structural breaks.
const, trend	Whether a constant or trend should be included.
weakly.exog	Boolean where we specify whether the stochastic regressors are exogenous or not <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TRUE: if the regressors are weakly exogenous,</li> <li>• FALSE: if the regressors are not weakly exogenous (DOLS is used in this case).</li> </ul>
lags.init, leads.init	Scalars defining the initial number of lags and leads for DOLS.
max.lag	scalar, with the maximum order of the parametric correction. The final order of the parametric correction is selected using the BIC information criterion.
kernel	Kernel for calculating long-run variance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• bartlett: for Bartlett kernel,</li> <li>• quadratic: for Quadratic Spectral kernel,</li> <li>• NULL for the Kurozumi's proposal, using Bartlett kernel.</li> </ul>
criterion	Information criterion for DOLS lags and leads selection: aic, bic, hq, or lwz.

**Value**

A list of

- beta: DOLS estimates of the coefficients regressors,
- tests: SC test (coinKPSS-test),
- resid: Residuals of the model,
- t.beta: *t*-statistics for beta,
- DOLS.lags: The estimated number of lags and leads in DOLS,
- break\_point: Break points.

**References**

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. “Testing the Null of Cointegration with Structural Breaks.” *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 68, no. 5 (October 2006): 623–46. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1468-0084.2006.00180.x>.

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. “The KPSS Test with Two Structural Breaks.” *Spanish Economic Review* 9, no. 2 (May 16, 2007): 105–27. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10108-006-9017-8>.

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KPSS.N.breaks.bootstrap

*KPSS-test with multiple unknown structural breaks*

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**Description**

Procedure to compute the KPSS test with multiple unknown structural breaks

**Usage**

```
KPSS.N.breaks.bootstrap(
  y,
  x,
  model,
  break.point,
  const = FALSE,
  trend = FALSE,
  weakly.exog = TRUE,
  lags.init,
  leads.init,
  max.lag,
  kernel,
  iter = 9999,
  bootstrap = "sample",
  criterion = "bic"
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	An input (LHS) time series of interest.
<code>x</code>	A matrix of (RHS) explanatory stochastic regressors.
<code>model</code>	A scalar or vector of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the break in const,</li> <li>• 2: for the break in trend,</li> <li>• 3: for the break in const and trend.</li> </ul>
<code>break.point</code>	Array of structural breaks.
<code>const</code>	Include constant if <b>TRUE</b> .
<code>trend</code>	Include trend if <b>TRUE</b> .
<code>weakly.exog</code>	Boolean where we specify whether the stochastic regressors are exogenous or not <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TRUE: if the regressors are weakly exogenous,</li> <li>• FALSE: if the regressors are not weakly exogenous (DOLS is used in this case).</li> </ul>
<code>lags.init, leads.init</code>	Scalars defining the initial number of lags and leads for DOLS.
<code>max.lag</code>	scalar, with the maximum order of the parametric correction. The final order of the parametric correction is selected using the BIC information criterion.
<code>kernel</code>	Kernel for calculating long-run variance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <code>bartlett</code>: for Bartlett kernel,</li> <li>• <code>quadratic</code>: for Quadratic Spectral kernel,</li> <li>• <code>NULL</code> for the Kurozumi's proposal, using Bartlett kernel.</li> </ul>
<code>iter</code>	Number of bootstrap iterations.
<code>bootstrap</code>	Type of bootstrapping: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <code>"sample"</code>: sampling from residuals with replacement,</li> <li>• <code>"Cavalieri-Taylor"</code>: multiplying residuals by <math>N(0, 1)</math>-distributed variable,</li> <li>• <code>"Rademacher"</code>: multiplying residuals by Rademacher-distributed variable.</li> </ul>
<code>criterion</code>	Information criterion for DOLS lags and leads selection: <code>aic</code> , <code>bic</code> or <code>lwz</code> .

**Value**

A list of:

- `test`: The value of KPSS test statistic,
- `p.value`: The estimates p-value,
- `bootstrapped`: Bootstrapped auxiliary statistics.

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lagn	<i>Produce a vector lagged backward of forward</i>
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**Description**

Produce a vector lagged backward of forward

**Usage**

```
lagn(x, i, na = NA)
```

**Arguments**

x	Initial vector.
i	Size of lag (lead if negative).
na	Value to fill missing observations, NA by default.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

Lagged or leaded vector.

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lr.var	<i>Calculating long-run variance or covariance matrix</i>
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**Description**

Calculating long-run variance or covariance matrix

**Usage**

```
lr.var(
  y,
  demean = TRUE,
  kernel = "bartlett",
  limit.lags = FALSE,
  limit.selector = "kpss-q",
  upper.rho.limit = 0.97,
  upper.lag.limit = 0.8,
  recolor = FALSE,
  max.lag = 0,
  criterion = "bic"
)

lr.var.bartlett(y)
```

```
lr.var.quadratic(y)
```

```
lr.var.bartlett.AK(y)
```

```
lr.var.SPC(y, max.lag = 0, kernel = "bartlett", criterion = "bic")
```

## Arguments

y	A series of interest.
demean	Whether the demeaning is needed.
kernel	<p>A kernel to be used:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>truncated: <math>\begin{cases} 1 &amp;  x  \leq 1 \\ 0 &amp; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}</math></li> <li>bartlett: <math>\begin{cases} 1 -  x  &amp;  x  \leq 1 \\ 0 &amp; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}</math></li> <li>parzen: <math>\begin{cases} 1 - 6x^2 + 6 x ^3 &amp;  x  \leq 1/2 \\ 2(1 -  x )^3 &amp; 1/2 \leq  x  \leq 1 \\ 0 &amp; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}</math></li> <li>tukey-hanning: <math>\begin{cases} (1 + \cos(\pi x))/2 &amp;  x  \leq 1 \\ 0 &amp; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}</math></li> <li>quadratic: <math>\frac{25}{12\pi^2 x^2} \left( \frac{\sin(6\pi x/5)}{6\pi x/5} - \cos(6\pi x/5) \right)</math></li> </ul>
limit.lags	Whether all lags should be used in formulae.
limit.selector	<p>Way of limit selection:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>kpss-q: <math>4(T/100)^{1/4}</math>.</li> <li>kpss-m: <math>12(T/100)^{1/4}</math>.</li> <li>Andrews: kernel-specific formula from Andrews (1991).</li> <li>Kurozumi: kernel-specific formula from Andrews (1991) with Kurozumi (2002) proposal.</li> </ul>
upper.rho.limit	The upper limit for the value or AR-coefficient.
upper.lag.limit	The value used to calculate the upper limit for Kurozumi (2002) proposal.
recolor	Whether the correction by Sul et al. (2005) should be used. This option resets <code>limit.lags</code> to TRUE, and <code>limit.selector</code> to Andrews.
max.lag	Maximum number of lags used in AR regression during recolorization. Otherwise ignored.
criterion	The information criterion: bic, aic or lwz.

## References

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- Sul, Donggyu, Peter C. B. Phillips, and Chi-Young Choi. "Prewhitening Bias in HAC Estimation." *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 67, no. 4 (August 2005): 517–46. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1468-0084.2005.00130.x>.

MDF.CHLT

*MDF test for a single break and possible heteroscedasticity***Description**

MDF test for a single break and possible heteroscedasticity

**Usage**

```
MDF.CHLT(y, max.lag = 10, trim = 0.15, iter = 499)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest
max.lag	The maximum possible lag.
trim	Trimming parameter for lag selection
iter	Number of bootstrap iterations.

**Value**

An object of type `mdfCHLT`. It's a list of four sublists each containing:

- The value of  $MZ_\alpha$ ,  $MSB$ ,  $MZ_t$ , or  $ADF$ ,
- The asymptotic c.v.,
- The bootstrapped c.v.

**References**

Cavaliere, Giuseppe, David I. Harvey, Stephen J. Leybourne, and A.M. Robert Taylor. "Testing for Unit Roots in the Presence of a Possible Break in Trend and Nonstationary Volatility." *Econometric Theory* 27, no. 5 (October 2011): 957–91. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0266466610000605>.

MDF.multiple

*MDF procedure for multiple unknown breaks.***Description**

MDF procedure for multiple unknown breaks.

**Usage**

```
MDF.multiple(
  y,
  const = FALSE,
  breaks = 1,
  breaks.star = 1,
  trim = 0.15,
  ZA = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest.
const	Whether the constant term should be included.
breaks	Number of breaks.
breaks.star	Number of breaks got from the Kejriwal-Perron procedure.
trim	Trimming value for a possible break date bounds.
ZA	Whether ZA variant should be used.

**Value**

A list of sublists each containing

- The value of statistic:  $MDF - GLS$ ,  $MDF - OLS$ ,
- The asymptotic critical values.  $UR$  values are included as well.

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MDF.single	<i>MDF procedure for a single unknown break.</i>
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**Description**

MDF procedure for a single unknown break.

**Usage**

```
MDF.single(y, const = FALSE, trend = FALSE, trim = 0.15)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest.
const	Whether the constant term should be included.
trend	Whether the trend term should be included.
trim	Trimming value for a possible break date bounds.

**Value**

A list of sublists each containing

- The value of statistic:  $MDF - GLS$ ,  $MDF - OLS$ ,
- The asymptotic critical values.  $UR$  values are included as well.

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MZ.statistic	<i>Calculating M-statistics by Stock (1990) and Perron and Ng (1996).</i>
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**Description**

Calculating M-statistics by Stock (1990) and Perron and Ng (1996).

**Usage**

```
MZ.statistic(y, l, const = FALSE, trend = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest.
l	Number of lags for inner ADF test.
const, trend	Whether a constand and trend are to be included.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

List of values of  $MZ_\alpha$ ,  $MZ_t$  and  $MSB$  statistics.

**References**

Perron, Pierre, and Serena Ng. "Useful Modifications to Some Unit Root Tests with Dependent Errors and Their Local Asymptotic Properties." *The Review of Economic Studies* 63, no. 3 (July 1, 1996): 435–63. <https://doi.org/10.2307/2297890>.

Stock, James H. "A Class of Tests for Integration and Cointegration." Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, 1990.

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NW.estimation	<i>Nadaraya–Watson kernel regression.</i>
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**Description**

Nadaraya–Watson kernel regression.

**Usage**

```
NW.estimation(y, x, h, kernel = "unif")
```

**Arguments**

y	LHS dependent variable.
x	RHS explanation variable.
h	Bandwidth.
kernel	Needed kernel, currently only unif and gauss.



**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of arguments as well as the estimated coefficient vector and residuals.

**References**

Harvey, David I., S. Leybourne, Stephen J., and Yang Zu. "Nonparametric Estimation of the Variance Function in an Explosive Autoregression Model." School of Economics. University of Nottingham, 2022.

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NW.loocv	<i>LOO-CV for h in Nadaraya–Watson kernel regression.</i>
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**Description**

LOO-CV for h in Nadaraya–Watson kernel regression.

**Usage**

```
NW.loocv(y, x, kernel = "unif")
```

**Arguments**

y	LHS dependent variable.
x	RHS explanation variable.
kernel	Needed kernel, currently only unif and gauss.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of arguments as well as the estimated bandwidth h.

**References**

Harvey, David I., S. Leybourne, Stephen J., and Yang Zu. "Nonparametric Estimation of the Variance Function in an Explosive Autoregression Model." School of Economics. University of Nottingham, 2022.

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NW.volatility	<i>NW.volatility - Nadaraya–Watson kernel volatility estimation</i>
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**Description**

NW.volatility - Nadaraya–Watson kernel volatility estimation

**Usage**

```
NW.volatility(e, h, kernel = "unif")
```

**Arguments**

e	The series of interest.
h	Bandwidth.
kernel	Needed kernel, currently only unif and gauss.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of arguments as well as the estimated omega and s.e.

**References**

Cavaliere, Giuseppe, Peter C. B. Phillips, Stephan Smeekes, and A. M. Robert Taylor. “Lag Length Selection for Unit Root Tests in the Presence of Nonstationary Volatility.” *Econometric Reviews* 34, no. 4 (April 21, 2015): 512–36. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07474938.2013.808065>.

Harvey, David I., S. Leybourne, Stephen J., and Yang Zu. “Nonparametric Estimation of the Variance Function in an Explosive Autoregression Model.” School of Economics. University of Nottingham, 2022.

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OLS	<i>Custom OLS with extra information</i>
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**Description**

Getting OLS estimates of betas, residuals, forecasted values and t-values.

**Usage**

```
OLS(y, x)
```

**Arguments**

y	Dependent variable.
x	Explanatory variables.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

The list of:

- beta: estimates of coefficients,
- resid: estimated residuals,
- predict: forecasted values,
- t.beta: *t*-statistics for beta.

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p.values.SADF	<i>Critical values for SADF-type tests</i>
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**Description**

Interpolating p-value for intermediate observation numbers for SADF-type tests.

**Usage**

```
p.values.SADF(statistic, N.obs, cr.values)
```

**Arguments**

statistic	The statistic value.
N.obs	The number of observations.
cr.values	The set of precalculated tables.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

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print.sadf	<i>Custom functions for printing results in a nice way.</i>
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**Description**

Custom functions for printing results in a nice way.

**Usage**

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

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

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

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

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

**Arguments**

x	Object containing results.
...	Any additional arguments for <a href="#">print</a> function.

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PY.sequential

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*Sequential Perron-Yabu (2009) statistic for breaks at unknown date.*


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**Description**

Sequential Perron-Yabu (2009) statistic for breaks at unknown date.

**Usage**

```
PY.sequential(
  y,
  const = FALSE,
  breaks = 1,
  criterion = "aic",
  trim = 0.15,
  max.lag = 1
)
```

**Arguments**

y	The input series of interest.
const	Allowing the break in constant.
breaks	Number of breaks.
criterion	Needed information criterion: aic, bic, hq or lwz.
trim	A trimming value for a possible break date bounds.
max.lag	The maximum possible lag in the model.

**Value**

The estimated Wald statistic.

**References**

Kejriwal, Mohitosh, and Pierre Perron. "A Sequential Procedure to Determine the Number of Breaks in Trend with an Integrated or Stationary Noise Component: Determination of Number of Breaks in Trend." *Journal of Time Series Analysis* 31, no. 5 (September 2010): 305–28. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1467-9892.2010.00666.x>.

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PY.single

*Perron-Yabu (2009) statistic for break at unknown date.*


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**Description**

Perron-Yabu (2009) statistic for break at unknown date.

**Usage**

```
PY.single(
  y,
  const = FALSE,
  trend = FALSE,
  criterion = "aic",
  trim = 0.15,
  max.lag
)
```

**Arguments**

y	The input series of interest.
const, trend	Allowing the break in constant or trend.
criterion	Needed information criterion: aic, bic, hq or lwz.
trim	A trimming value for a possible break date bounds.
max.lag	The maximum possible lag in the model.

**Value**

A list of the estimated Wald statistic as well as its c.v.

**References**

Perron, Pierre, and Tomoyoshi Yabu. "Testing for Shifts in Trend With an Integrated or Stationary Noise Component." *Journal of Business & Economic Statistics* 27, no. 3 (July 2009): 369–96. <https://doi.org/10.1198/jbes.2009.07268>.

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recursive.detrend	<i>Detrending the data recursively</i>
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## Description

This procedure is aimed to provide a recursively detrended series. More or less classical approach of full-sample detrending may lead to the regressors correlated with the error term.

## Usage

```
recursive.detrend(y, x, c, gamma, trim)
```

## Arguments

y	The dependent (LHS) variable.
x	The matrix of explanatory (RHS) variables.
c	A filtration parameter used to construct an autocorrelation coefficient.
gamma	A detrending type selection parameter. If 0 the OLS detrending is applied, if 1 the GLS detrending is applied, otherwise the autocorrelation coefficient is calculated as $1 + c^\gamma T^{-\gamma}$ .
trim	The trimming parameter. It's used to find the minimum size of subsamples while calculating recursive estimates. The ending point of the subsample for the $t$ is $\max(t, \text{trim} \times T)$ .

## Details

Elliott et al (1996) recommend using  $c = -7$  for the model with only an intercept, and  $c = -13.5$  for the model with a linear trend.

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

## Value

A detrended series.

## References

- Elliott, Graham, Thomas J. Rothenberg, and James H. Stock. "Efficient Tests for an Autoregressive Unit Root." *Econometrica* 64, no. 4 (1996): 813–36. <https://doi.org/10.2307/2171846>.
- Taylor, A. M. Robert. "Regression-Based Unit Root Tests With Recursive Mean Adjustment for Seasonal and Nonseasonal Time Series." *Journal of Business & Economic Statistics* 20, no. 2 (April 2002): 269–81. <https://doi.org/10.1198/073500102317352001>.

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reindex	<i>A function that makes reindexing</i>
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### Description

The function is aimed to calculate the sequence of indices providing a new "time transformed" time series as in Cavaliere and Taylor (2008).

### Usage

```
reindex(u)
```

### Arguments

u                      The residuals series for reindexing.

### Details

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

### References

Cavaliere, Giuseppe, and A. M. Robert Taylor. "Time-Transformed Unit Root Tests for Models with Non-Stationary Volatility." *Journal of Time Series Analysis* 29, no. 2 (March 2008): 300–330. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1467-9892.2007.00557.x>.

Kurozumi, Eiji, Anton Skrobotov, and Alexey Tsarev. "Time-Transformed Test for Bubbles under Non-Stationary Volatility." *Journal of Financial Econometrics*, April 23, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jfinec/nbac004>.

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robust.tests.multiple	<i>A wrapping function around <a href="#">KP</a> and <a href="#">MDF.multiple</a>.</i>
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### Description

A wrapping function around [KP](#) and [MDF.multiple](#).

### Usage

```
robust.tests.multiple(
  y,
  const = FALSE,
  season = FALSE,
  breaks = 2,
  trim = 0.15
)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest.
const	Whether the constant term should be included.
season	Whether the seasonal adjustment is needed.
breaks	Number of breaks.
trim	Trimming value for a possible break date bounds.

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robust.tests.single	A wrapping function around <a href="#">MDF.single</a> .
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**Description**

A wrapping function around [MDF.single](#).

**Usage**

```
robust.tests.single(
  y,
  const = FALSE,
  trend = FALSE,
  season = FALSE,
  trim = 0.15
)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest.
const	Whether the constant term should be included.
trend	Whether the trend term should be included.
season	Whether the seasonal adjustment is needed.
trim	Trimming value for a possible break date bounds.

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SADF.bootstrap.test	Supremum ADF tests with wild bootstrap.
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**Description**

SADF.bootstrap.test is a wild bootstrapping procedure for estimating critical and  $p$ -values for [SADF.test](#).

GSADF.bootstrap.test is the same procedure but for [GSADF.test](#).



**Usage**

```

SADF.bootstrap.test(
  y,
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),
  const = TRUE,
  alpha = 0.05,
  iter = 999,
  seed = round(10^4 * sd(y))
)

GSADF.bootstrap.test(
  y,
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),
  const = TRUE,
  alpha = 0.05,
  iter = 4 * 200,
  seed = round(10^4 * sd(y))
)

```

**Arguments**

y	An input time series of interest.
trim	Trimming parameter to determine the lower and upper bounds.
const	Whether the constant needs to be included.
alpha	The significance level of interest.
iter	The number of iterations.
seed	The seed parameter for the random number generator.

**Value**

An object of type `sadf`. It's a list of:

- y,
- trim,
- const,
- alpha,
- iter,
- seed,
- vector of  $t$ -values,
- the value of the corresponding test statistic,
- series of bootstrapped test statistics,
- bootstrapped critical values,
- $p$ -value.

**References**

Kurozumi, Eiji, Anton Skrobotov, and Alexey Tsarev. "Time-Transformed Test for Bubbles under Non-Stationary Volatility." *Journal of Financial Econometrics*, April 23, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jfinec/nbac004>.

SADF.test

*Supremum ADF tests***Description**

SADF.test is a test statistic equal to the minimum value of ADF.test for subsamples starting at  $t = 1$ .

GSADF.test is a generalized version of SADF.test. Subsamples are allowed to start at any point between 1 and  $T(1 - trim)$ .

**Usage**

```
SADF.test(
  y,
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),
  const = TRUE,
  add.p.value = TRUE
)

GSADF.test(
  y,
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),
  const = TRUE,
  add.p.value = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

y	The input time series of interest.
trim	Trimming parameter to determine the lower and upper bounds.
const	Whether the constant needs to be included.
add.p.value	Whether the p-value is to be returned. This argument is needed to suppress the calculation of p-values during the precalculation of tables needed for the p-values estimating.

**Value**

An object of type `sadf`. It's a list of:

- y,
- trim,
- const,
- vector of  $t$ -values,
- the value of the corresponding test statistic,
- $p$ -value if it was asked for.

**References**

Kurozumi, Eiji, Anton Skrobotov, and Alexey Tsarev. "Time-Transformed Test for Bubbles under Non-Stationary Volatility." *Journal of Financial Econometrics*, April 23, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jfinec/nbac004>.

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sb.GSADF.test	<i>Sign-based SADF test</i>
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**Description**

Sign-based SADF test

**Usage**

```
sb.GSADF.test(
  y,
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),
  const = TRUE,
  alpha = 0.05,
  iter = 999,
  urs = TRUE,
  seed = round(10^4 * sd(y))
)
```

**Arguments**

y	A series of interest.
trim	Trimming parameter to determine the lower and upper bounds.
const	Whether the constant needs to be included.
alpha	Needed level of significance.
iter	Number of bootstrapping iterations.
urs	Use union of rejections strategy if TRUE.
seed	The seed parameter for the random number generator.

**References**

Harvey, David I., Stephen J. Leybourne, and Yang Zu. “Sign-Based Unit Root Tests for Explosive Financial Bubbles in the Presence of Deterministically Time-Varying Volatility.” *Econometric Theory* 36, no. 1 (February 2020): 122–69. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0266466619000057>.

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seasonal.dummies	<i>Generating monthly seasonal dummy variables</i>
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**Description**

Generating monthly seasonal dummy variables

**Usage**

```
seasonal.dummies(N)
```

**Arguments**

N	number of observations.
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**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

The matrix of values of seasonal dummies.

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segments.GLS

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*Procedure to minimize the GLS-SSR for 1 break point*


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**Description**

Procedure to minimize the GLS-SSR for 1 break point

**Usage**

```
segments.GLS(
  y,
  const = FALSE,
  trend = FALSE,
  breaks = 1,
  first.break = NULL,
  last.break = NULL,
  trim = 0.15
)
```

**Arguments**

y	Variable of interest.
const	Whether there is a break in the constant.
trend	Whether there is a break in the trend.
breaks	Number of breaks.
first.break	First possible break point.
last.break	Last possible break point.
trim	Trim value to calculate first.break and last.break if not provided.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

The point of possible break.

**References**

Skrobotov, Anton. "On Trend Breaks and Initial Condition in Unit Root Testing." *Journal of Time Series Econometrics* 10, no. 1 (2018): 1–15. <https://doi.org/10.1515/jtse-2016-0014>.

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segments.OLS	<i>Find <math>m + 1</math> optimal partitions</i>
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**Description**

Find  $m + 1$  optimal partitions

**Usage**

```
segments.OLS(y, x, m = 1, width = 2, SSR.data = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

y	(Tx1)-vector of the dependent variable.
x	(Txk)-vector of the explanatory stochastic regressors.
m	Number of breaks.
width	Minimum spacing between the breaks.
SSR.data	Optional matrix of recursive SSR's.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of:

- optimal SSR,
- the vector of break points.

**References**

Bai, Jushan, and Pierre Perron. "Computation and Analysis of Multiple Structural Change Models." *Journal of Applied Econometrics* 18, no. 1 (2003): 1–22. <https://doi.org/10.1002/jae.659>.

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segments.OLS.double	<i>Procedure to minimize the SSR for 2 break points</i>
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**Description**

Procedure to minimize the SSR for 2 break points

**Usage**

```
segments.OLS.double(y, model)
```

**Arguments**

y	(Tx1)-vector of time series
model	A scalar equal to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1: for the AA (without trend) model,</li> <li>• 2: for the AA (with trend) model,</li> <li>• 3: for the BB model,</li> <li>• 4: for the CC model,</li> <li>• 5: for the AC-CA model.</li> </ul>

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

- A list of
- resid: (Tx1) vector of estimated OLS residuals,
  - tb1: The first break point,
  - tb2: The second break point.

**References**

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. "The KPSS Test with Two Structural Breaks." Spanish Economic Review 9, no. 2 (May 16, 2007): 105–27. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10108-006-9017-8>.

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segments.OLS.single      *Procedure to minimize the SSR for 1 break point*

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**Description**

Procedure to minimize the SSR for 1 break point

**Usage**

```
segments.OLS.single(beg, end, first.break, last.break, len, SSR.data)
```

**Arguments**

beg	Sample begin.
end	Sample end.
first.break	First possible break point.
last.break	Last possible break point.
len	Total number of observations.
SSR.data	The matrix of recursive SSR values.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of:

- `SSR`: Optimal SSR value,
- `break.point`: The point of possible break.

**References**

Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís, and Andreu Sansó. "Testing the Null of Cointegration with Structural Breaks." *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 68, no. 5 (October 2006): 623–46. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1468-0084.2006.00180.x>.

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select.lead.lag

*Estimating optimal number of leads and lags*


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**Description**

Estimating optimal number of leads and lags

**Usage**

```
select.lead.lag(
  y,
  trend = TRUE,
  zb = NULL,
  zf = NULL,
  trim = 0.05,
  criterion = "bic"
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	LHS dependent variable.
<code>trend</code>	Whether the trend is to be included.
<code>zb</code>	I(1) regressors with break.
<code>zf</code>	I(1) regressors without break.
<code>trim</code>	The trimming parameter to find the lower and upper bounds of possible break date.
<code>criterion</code>	A criterion for lead and lag number estimation.

**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

A list of estimated values of leads and lags.

## References

Kurozumi, Eiji, and Anton Skrobotov. “Confidence Sets for the Break Date in Cointegrating Regressions.” *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* 80, no. 3 (2018): 514–35. <https://doi.org/10.1111/obes.12223>.

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SSR.matrix	<i>Pre-calculate matrix of recursive SSR values.</i>
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## Description

Pre-calculate matrix of recursive SSR values.

## Usage

```
SSR.matrix(y, x, width = 2)
```

## Arguments

y	Dependent variable.
x	Explanatory variables.
width	Minimum spacing between the breaks.

## Details

The function is not intended to be used directly so it’s not exported.

## Value

The matrix of recursive SSR values.

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SSR.recursive	<i>Calculate SSR recursively</i>
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## Description

Calculate SSR recursively

## Usage

```
SSR.recursive(y, x, beg, end, width = 2)
```

## Arguments

y	(Tx1)-vector of the dependent variable.
x	(Txk)-vector of the explanatory stochastic regressors.
beg, end	The start and the end of SSR calculating period.
width	Minimum spacing between the breaks.



**Details**

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

**Value**

The vector of calculated recursive SSR.

**References**

Brown, R. L., J. Durbin, and J. M. Evans. "Techniques for Testing the Constancy of Regression Relationships over Time." *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society. Series B (Methodological)* 37, no. 2 (1975): 149–92.

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STADF.test

*Supremum ADF tests with time transformation*


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**Description**

See [SADF.test](#). Tests with time transformation are the modified versions of the ordinary SADF and GSADF tests using Nadaraya-Watson residuals and reindexing procedure by Cavaliere-Taylor (2008).

**Usage**

```
STADF.test(
  y,
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),
  const = FALSE,
  omega.est = TRUE,
  truncated = TRUE,
  is.reindex = TRUE,
  ksi.input = "auto",
  hc = 1,
  pc = 1,
  add.p.value = TRUE
)

GSTADF.test(
  y,
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),
  const = FALSE,
  omega.est = TRUE,
  truncated = TRUE,
  is.reindex = TRUE,
  ksi.input = "auto",
  hc = 1,
  pc = 1,
  add.p.value = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	An input time series of interest.
<code>trim</code>	Trimming parameter to determine the lower and upper bounds.
<code>const</code>	Whether the constant needs to be included.
<code>omega.est</code>	Whether the variance of Nadaraya-Watson residuals should be used.
<code>truncated</code>	Whether the truncation of Nadaraya-Watson residuals is needed.
<code>is.reindex</code>	Whether the Cavaliere and Taylor (2008) time transformation is needed.
<code>ksi.input</code>	The value of the truncation parameter. Can be either auto or the explicit numerical value. In the former case the numeric value is estimated.
<code>hc</code>	The scaling parameter for Nadaraya-Watson bandwidth.
<code>pc</code>	The scaling parameter for the estimated truncation parameter value.
<code>add.p.value</code>	Whether the p-value is to be returned. This argument is needed to suppress the calculation of p-values during the precalculation of tables needed for the p-values estimating.

**Value**

An object of type `sadf`. It's a list of:

- `y`,
- `N`: Number of observations,
- `trim`,
- `const`,
- `omega.est`,
- `truncated`,
- `is.reindex`,
- `new.index`: the vector of new indices,
- `ksi.input`,
- `hc`,
- `h.est`,
- `u.hat`,
- `pc`,
- `w.sq`,
- `t.values`: vector of  $t$ -values,
- the value of the corresponding test statistic,
- `u.hat.truncated`: truncated residuals if truncation was asked for,
- `ksi`, `sigma`: estimated values of the truncation parameter and resulting s.e. if `ksi.input` equals `auto`,
- `eta.hat`: the values of reindexing function if reindexing was asked for,
- $p$ -value if it was asked for.

## References

Cavaliere, Giuseppe, and A. M. Robert Taylor. “Time-Transformed Unit Root Tests for Models with Non-Stationary Volatility.” *Journal of Time Series Analysis* 29, no. 2 (March 2008): 300–330. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1467-9892.2007.00557.x>.

Kurozumi, Eiji, Anton Skrobotov, and Alexey Tsarev. “Time-Transformed Test for Bubbles under Non-Stationary Volatility.” *Journal of Financial Econometrics*, April 23, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jfinec/nbac004>.

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supBZ.statistic	<i>Calculate supBZ statistic</i>
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## Description

Calculate supBZ statistic

## Usage

```
supBZ.statistic(
  y,
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),
  sigma.sq = NULL,
  generalized = FALSE
)
```

## Arguments

y	The series of interest.
trim	Trimming parameter to determine the lower and upper bounds.
sigma.sq	Local non-parametric estimates of variance. If NULL they will be estimated via Nadaraya-Watson procedure.
generalized	Whether to calculate generalized statistic value.

## Details

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

## Value

A list of:

- y,
- trim,
- sigma.sq,
- BZ.values: a series of BZ-statistic,
- supBZ.value: the maximum of supBZ.values,
- h.est: the estimated value of bandwidth if sigma.sq is NULL.

## References

Harvey, David I., Stephen J. Leybourne, and Yang Zu. “Testing Explosive Bubbles with Time-Varying Volatility.” *Econometric Reviews* 38, no. 10 (November 26, 2019): 1131–51. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07474938.2019.1644444>.

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supSBADF.statistic	<i>Calculate superior sign-based SADF statistic.</i>
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### Description

Calculate superior sign-based SADF statistic.

### Usage

```
supSBADF.statistic(y, trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)), generalized = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

y	The series of interest.
trim	Trimming parameter to determine the lower and upper bounds.
generalized	Whether to calculate generalized statistic value.

### Details

The function is not intended to be used directly so it's not exported.

### Value

A list of

- y,
- trim,
- C.t: the cumulative sum of "signs" (1 or -1) of the first difference of y,
- SBADF.values: series of sign-based ADF statistics,
- supSBADF.value: the maximum of SBADF.values.

### References

Harvey, David I., Stephen J. Leybourne, and Yang Zu. "Sign-Based Unit Root Tests for Explosive Financial Bubbles in the Presence of Deterministically Time-Varying Volatility." *Econometric Theory* 36, no. 1 (February 2020): 122–69. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0266466619000057>.

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weighted.SADF.test	<i>Weighted supremum ADF test</i>
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## Description

Weighted supremum ADF test

## Usage

```
weighted.SADF.test(  
  y,  
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),  
  const = TRUE,  
  alpha = 0.05,  
  iter = 4 * 200,  
  urs = TRUE,  
  seed = round(10^4 * sd(y))  
)  
  
weighted.GSADF.test(  
  y,  
  trim = 0.01 + 1.8/sqrt(length(y)),  
  const = TRUE,  
  alpha = 0.05,  
  iter = 4 * 200,  
  urs = TRUE,  
  seed = round(10^4 * sd(y))  
)
```

## Arguments

y	The input time series of interest.
trim	Trimming parameter to determine the lower and upper bounds.
const	Whether the constant needs to be included.
alpha	The significance level of interest.
iter	The number of iterations.
urs	Use union of rejections strategy.
seed	The seed parameter for the random number generator.

## Value

An object of type `sadf`. It's a list of:

- y,
- trim,
- const,
- alpha,
- iter,

- `urs`,
- `seed`,
- `sigma.sq`: the estimated variance,
- `BZ.values`: a series of BZ-statistic,
- `supBZ.value`: the maximum of `supBZ.values`,
- `supBZ.bootstrap.values`: bootstrapped supremum BZ values,
- `supBZ.cr.value`: supremum BZ  $\alpha$  critical value,
- `p.value`,
- `is.explosive`: 1 if `supBZ.value` is greater than `supBZ.cr.value`.

if `urs` is TRUE the following items are also included:

- vector of  $t$ -values,
- the value of the SADF test statistic,
- `SADF.bootstrap.values`: bootstrapped SADF values,
- `U.value`: union test statistic value,
- `U.bootstrap.values`: bootstrapped series of `U.value`,
- `U.cr.value`: critical value of `U.value`.

## References

- Harvey, David I., Stephen J. Leybourne, and Yang Zu. "Testing Explosive Bubbles with Time-Varying Volatility." *Econometric Reviews* 38, no. 10 (November 26, 2019): 1131–51. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07474938.2019.1644444>
- Kurozumi, Eiji, Anton Skrobotov, and Alexey Tsarev. "Time-Transformed Test for Bubbles under Non-Stationary Volatility." *Journal of Financial Econometrics*, April 23, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jfinec/nbac004>.

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