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# **Description**

The function aq.plot plots the ordered squared robust Mahalanobis distances of the observations against the empirical distribution function of the \$MD^2\_i\$. In addition the distribution function of \$chisq\_p\$ is plotted as well as two vertical lines corresponding to the chisq-quantile specified in the argument list (default is 0.975) and the so-called adjusted quantile. Three additional graphics are created (the first showing the data, the second showing the outliers detected by the specified quantile of the \$chisq\_p\$ distribution and the third showing these detected outliers by the adjusted quantile).

# Usage

```
aq.plot(x, delta=qchisq(0.975, df=ncol(x)), quan=1/2, alpha=0.05)
```

## **Arguments**

X	matrix or data.frame containing the data; has to be at least two-dimensional
delta	quantile of the chi-squared distribution with $ncol(x)$ degrees of freedom. This quantile appears as cyan-colored vertical line in the plot.
quan	proportion of observations which are used for mcd estimations; has to be between $0.5$ and $1$ , default ist $0.5$
alpha	Maximum thresholding proportion (optional scalar, default: alpha = 0.05)

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#### **Details**

The function aq.plot plots the ordered squared robust Mahalanobis distances of the observations against the empirical distribution function of the \$MD^2\_i\$. The distance calculations are based on the MCD estimator.

For outlier detection two different methods are used. The first one marks observations as outliers if they exceed a certain quantile of the chi-squared distribution. The second is an adaptive procedure searching for outliers specifically in the tails of the distribution, beginning at a certain chisq-quantile (see Filzmoser et al., 2005).

The function behaves differently depending on the dimension of the data. If the data is more than two-dimensional the data are projected on the first two robust principal components.

#### Value

outliers

boolean vector of outliers

#### Author(s)

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```

#### References

P. Filzmoser, R.G. Garrett, and C. Reimann. Multivariate outlier detection in exploration geochemistry. *Computers & Geosciences*, 31:579-587, 2005.

#### **Examples**

```
# create data:
set.seed(134)
x <- cbind(rnorm(80), rnorm(80), rnorm(80))
y <- cbind(rnorm(10, 5, 1), rnorm(10, 5, 1), rnorm(10, 5, 1))
z <- rbind(x,y)
# execute:
aq.plot(z, alpha=0.1)</pre>
```

arw

Adaptive reweighted estimator for multivariate location and scatter

## **Description**

Adaptive reweighted estimator for multivariate location and scatter with hard-rejection weights. The multivariate outliers are defined according to the supremum of the difference between the empirical distribution function of the robust Mahalanobis distance and the theoretical distribution function.

#### Usage

```
arw(x, m0, c0, alpha, pcrit)
```

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# **Arguments**

X	Dataset (n x p)
m0	Initial location estimator (1 x p)
c0	Initial scatter estimator (p x p)
alpha	Maximum thresholding proportion (optional scalar, default: alpha = 0.025)
pcrit	Critical value obtained by simulations (optional scalar, default value obtained from simulations)

## **Details**

At the basis of initial estimators of location and scatter, the function arw performs a reweighting step to adjust the threshold for outlier rejection. The critical value pcrit was obtained by simulations using the MCD estimator as initial robust covariance estimator. If a different estimator is used, pcrit should be changed and computed by simulations for the specific dimensions of the data x.

## Value

m	Adaptive location estimator (p x 1)	
С	Adaptive scatter estimator (p x p)	
cn	Adaptive threshold ("adjusted quantile")	
W	Weight vector (n x 1)	

## Author(s)

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```

## References

P. Filzmoser, R.G. Garrett, and C. Reimann. Multivariate outlier detection in exploration geochemistry. *Computers & Geosciences*, 31:579-587, 2005.

```
x <- cbind(rnorm(100), rnorm(100))
arw(x, apply(x,2,mean), cov(x))</pre>
```

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bhorizon

B-horizon of the Kola Data

# **Description**

The Kola data were collected in the Kola Project (1993-1998, Geological Surveys of Finland (GTK) and Norway (NGU) and Central Kola Expedition (CKE), Russia). More than 600 samples in five different layers were analysed, this dataset contains the B-horizon.

# Usage

data(bhorizon)

## **Format**

A data frame with 609 observations on the following 48 variables.

ID a numeric vector

XC00 a numeric vector

YC00 a numeric vector

Ag a numeric vector

Al a numeric vector

Al\_XRF a numeric vector

As a numeric vector

Ba a numeric vector

Be a numeric vector

Bi a numeric vector

Ca a numeric vector

Ca\_XRF a numeric vector

Cd a numeric vector

Co a numeric vector

Cr a numeric vector

Cu a numeric vector

EC a numeric vector

Fe a numeric vector

Fe\_XRF a numeric vector

K a numeric vector

K\_XRF a numeric vector

LOI a numeric vector

La a numeric vector

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Li a numeric vector

Mg a numeric vector

Mg\_XRF a numeric vector

Mn a numeric vector

Mn\_XRF a numeric vector

Mo a numeric vector

Na a numeric vector

Na\_XRF a numeric vector

Ni a numeric vector

P a numeric vector

P\_XRF a numeric vector

Pb a numeric vector

S a numeric vector

Sc a numeric vector

Se a numeric vector

Si a numeric vector

Si\_XRF a numeric vector

Sr a numeric vector

Te a numeric vector

Th a numeric vector

Ti a numeric vector

Ti\_XRF a numeric vector

V a numeric vector

Y a numeric vector

Zn a numeric vector

# Source

Kola Project (1993-1998)

#### References

Reimann C, Äyräs M, Chekushin V, Bogatyrev I, Boyd R, Caritat P de, Dutter R, Finne TE, Halleraker JH, Jæger Ø, Kashulina G, Lehto O, Niskavaara H, Pavlov V, Räisänen ML, Strand T, Volden T. Environmental Geochemical Atlas of the Central Barents Region. NGU-GTK-CKE Special Publication, Geological Survey of Norway, Trondheim, Norway, 1998.

```
data(bhorizon)
# classical versus robust correlation
corr.plot(log(bhorizon[,"Al"]), log(bhorizon[,"Na"]))
```

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Background map for the BSS project

## **Description**

Coordinates of the BSS data background map

## Usage

```
data(bss.background)
```

## **Format**

A data frame with 6093 observations on the following 2 variables.

V1 a numeric vector with the x-coordinates

V2 a numeric vector with the y-coordinates

#### **Details**

Is used by pbb()

# Source

BSS project

## References

Reimann C, Siewers U, Tarvainen T, Bityukova L, Eriksson J, Gilucis A, Gregorauskiene V, Lukashev VK, Matinian NN, Pasieczna A. Agricultural Soils in Northern Europe: A Geochemical Atlas. Geologisches Jahrbuch, Sonderhefte, Reihe D, Heft SD 5, Schweizerbart'sche Verlagsbuchhandlung, Stuttgart, 2003.

```
data(bss.background)
pbb()
```

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Bottom Layer of the BSS Data

## **Description**

The BSS data were collected in agrigultural soils from Northern Europe. from an area of about 1,800,000 km2. 769 samples on an iregular grid were taken in two different layers, the top layer (0-20cm) and the bottom layer. This dataset contains the bottom layer of the BSS data. It has 46 variables, including x and y coordinates.

## Usage

data(bssbot)

## **Format**

A data frame with 768 observations on the following 46 variables.

ID a numeric vector

CNo a numeric vector

XCOO x coordinates: a numeric vector

YCOO y coordinates: a numeric vector

SiO2\_B a numeric vector

TiO2 B a numeric vector

Al2O3\_B a numeric vector

Fe2O3 B a numeric vector

MnO\_B a numeric vector

MgO\_B a numeric vector

CaO\_B a numeric vector

Na2O\_B a numeric vector

**K2O\_B** a numeric vector

P2O5\_B a numeric vector

SO3 B a numeric vector

Cl\_B a numeric vector

**F\_B** a numeric vector

LOI\_B a numeric vector

As\_B a numeric vector

Ba\_B a numeric vector

Bi\_B a numeric vector

Ce\_B a numeric vector

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- Co\_B a numeric vector
- Cr\_B a numeric vector
- Cs\_B a numeric vector
- Cu\_B a numeric vector
- Ga\_B a numeric vector
- **Hf B** a numeric vector
- La B a numeric vector
- Mo B a numeric vector
- Nb\_B a numeric vector
- Ni\_B a numeric vector
- Pb\_B a numeric vector
- **Rb\_B** a numeric vector
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- **Sb\_B** a numeric vector
- Sc\_B a numeric vector
- Sn\_B a numeric vector
- **Sr\_B** a numeric vector
- Ta\_B a numeric vector
- Th\_B a numeric vector
- **U\_B** a numeric vector
- V\_B a numeric vector
- W\_B a numeric vector
- Y\_B a numeric vector
- Zn\_B a numeric vector
- **Zr B** a numeric vector

## **Source**

BSS Project in Northern Europe

## References

Reimann C, Siewers U, Tarvainen T, Bityukova L, Eriksson J, Gilucis A, Gregorauskiene V, Lukashev VK, Matinian NN, Pasieczna A. Agricultural Soils in Northern Europe: A Geochemical Atlas. Geologisches Jahrbuch, Sonderhefte, Reihe D, Heft SD 5, Schweizerbart'sche Verlagsbuchhandlung, Stuttgart, 2003.

```
data(bssbot)
# classical versus robust correlation
corr.plot(log(bssbot[, "Al203_B"]), log(bssbot[, "Na20_B"]))
```

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Top Layer of the BSS Data

# **Description**

The BSS data were collected in agrigultural soils from Northern Europe. from an area of about 1,800,000 km2. 769 samples on an iregular grid were taken in two different layers, the top layer (0-20cm) and the bottom layer. This dataset contains the top layer of the BSS data. It has 46 variables, including x and y coordinates.

## Usage

data(bsstop)

## **Format**

A data frame with 768 observations on the following 46 variables.

ID a numeric vector

CNo a numeric vector

XCOO x coordinates: a numeric vector

YCOO y coordinates: a numeric vector

SiO2\_T a numeric vector

TiO2 T a numeric vector

Al2O3\_T a numeric vector

Fe2O3\_T a numeric vector

MnO\_T a numeric vector

MgO\_T a numeric vector

CaO\_T a numeric vector

Na2O\_T a numeric vector

**K2O\_T** a numeric vector

P2O5\_T a numeric vector

SO3\_T a numeric vector

Cl\_T a numeric vector

**F\_T** a numeric vector

LOI\_T a numeric vector

As\_T a numeric vector

Ba\_T a numeric vector

Bi\_T a numeric vector

Ce\_T a numeric vector

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Co\_T a numeric vector

Cr\_T a numeric vector

Cs\_T a numeric vector

Cu\_T a numeric vector

Ga\_T a numeric vector

Hf\_T a numeric vector

La\_T a numeric vector

Mo\_T a numeric vector

Nb\_T a numeric vector

Ni\_T a numeric vector

Pb\_T a numeric vector

**Rb\_T** a numeric vector

Sb\_T a numeric vector

Sc\_T a numeric vector

Sn\_T a numeric vector

**Sr\_T** a numeric vector

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Ta\_T a numeric vector

Th\_T a numeric vector

U\_T a numeric vector

V\_T a numeric vector

W\_T a numeric vector

Y\_T a numeric vector

Zn\_T a numeric vector

**Zr\_T** a numeric vector

## **Source**

BSS Project in Northern Europe

## References

Reimann C, Siewers U, Tarvainen T, Bityukova L, Eriksson J, Gilucis A, Gregorauskiene V, Lukashev VK, Matinian NN, Pasieczna A. Agricultural Soils in Northern Europe: A Geochemical Atlas. Geologisches Jahrbuch, Sonderhefte, Reihe D, Heft SD 5, Schweizerbart'sche Verlagsbuchhandlung, Stuttgart, 2003.

```
data(bsstop)
# classical versus robust correlation
corr.plot(log(bsstop[, "Al203_T"]), log(bsstop[, "Na20_T"]))
```

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Chi-Square Plot		
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## **Description**

The function chisq.plot plots the ordered robust mahalanobis distances of the data against the quantiles of the Chi-squared distribution. By user interaction this plotting is iterated each time leaving out the observation with the greatest distance.

## Usage

```
chisq.plot(x, quan=1/2, ask=TRUE, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

X	matrix or data.frame containing the data
quan	amount of observations which are used for mcd estimations. has to be between $0.5\ \mathrm{and}\ 1,$ default ist $0.5\ \mathrm{cm}$
ask	logical. specifies whether user interacton is allowed or not. default is TRUE
	additional graphical parameters

#### **Details**

The function chisq.plot plots the ordered robust mahalanobis distances of the data against the quantiles of the Chi-squared distribution. If the data is normal distributed these values should approximately correspond to each other, so outliers can be detected visually. By user interaction this procedure is repeated, each time leaving out the observation with the greatest distance (the number of the observation is printed on the console). This method can be seen as an iterative deletion of outliers until a straight line appears.

#### Value

outliers indices of the outliers that are removed by left-click on the plotting device.

## Author(s)

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```

# References

R.G. Garrett (1989). The chi-square plot: a tools for multivariate outlier recognition. *Journal of Geochemical Exploration*, 32 (1/3), 319-341.

## **Examples**

```
data(humus)
res <-chisq.plot(log(humus[,c("Co","Cu","Ni")]))
res$outliers # these are the potential outliers</pre>
```

chorizon

C-horizon of the Kola Data

## **Description**

The Kola Data were collected in the Kola Project (1993-1998, Geological Surveys of Finland (GTK) and Norway (NGU) and Central Kola Expedition (CKE), Russia). More than 600 samples in five different layers were analysed, this dataset contains the C-horizon.

# Usage

```
data(chorizon)
```

#### **Format**

A data frame with 606 observations on the following 110 variables.

ID a numeric vector

XC00 a numeric vector

YC00 a numeric vector

Ag a numeric vector

Ag\_INAA a numeric vector

Al a numeric vector

Al203 a numeric vector

As a numeric vector

As\_INAA a numeric vector

Au\_INAA a numeric vector

B a numeric vector

Ba a numeric vector

Ba\_INAA a numeric vector

Be a numeric vector

Bi a numeric vector

Br\_IC a numeric vector

Br\_INAA a numeric vector

Ca a numeric vector

Ca\_INAA a numeric vector

CaO a numeric vector

Cd a numeric vector

Ce\_INAA a numeric vector

Cl\_IC a numeric vector

Co a numeric vector

Co\_INAA a numeric vector

EC a numeric vector

Cr a numeric vector

Cr\_INAA a numeric vector

Cs\_INAA a numeric vector

Cu a numeric vector

Eu\_INAA a numeric vector

F\_IC a numeric vector

Fe a numeric vector

Fe\_INAA a numeric vector

Fe203 a numeric vector

Hf\_INAA a numeric vector

Hg a numeric vector

Hg\_INAA a numeric vector

Ir\_INAA a numeric vector

K a numeric vector

K20 a numeric vector

La a numeric vector

La\_INAA a numeric vector

Li a numeric vector

LOI a numeric vector

Lu\_INAA a numeric vector

wt\_INAA a numeric vector

Mg a numeric vector

MgO a numeric vector

Mn a numeric vector

Mn0 a numeric vector

Mo a numeric vector

Mo\_INAA a numeric vector

Na a numeric vector

Na\_INAA a numeric vector

Na20 a numeric vector

Nd\_INAA a numeric vector

Ni a numeric vector

Ni\_INAA a numeric vector

NO3\_IC a numeric vector

P a numeric vector

P205 a numeric vector

Pb a numeric vector

pH a numeric vector

PO4\_IC a numeric vector

Rb a numeric vector

S a numeric vector

Sb a numeric vector

Sb\_INAA a numeric vector

Sc a numeric vector

Sc\_INAA a numeric vector

Se a numeric vector

Se\_INAA a numeric vector

Si a numeric vector

Si02 a numeric vector

Sm\_INAA a numeric vector

Sn\_INAA a numeric vector

S04\_IC a numeric vector

Sr a numeric vector

Sr\_INAA a numeric vector

SUM\_XRF a numeric vector

Ta\_INAA a numeric vector

Tb\_INAA a numeric vector

Te a numeric vector

Th a numeric vector

Th\_INAA a numeric vector

Ti a numeric vector

Ti02 a numeric vector

U\_INAA a numeric vector

V a numeric vector

W\_INAA a numeric vector

Y a numeric vector

Yb\_INAA a numeric vector

Zn a numeric vector

Zn\_INAA a numeric vector

ELEV a numeric vector

COUN a numeric vector

ASP a numeric vector

TOPC a numeric vector

LITO a numeric vector

Al\_XRF a numeric vector

Ca\_XRF a numeric vector

Fe\_XRF a numeric vector

K\_XRF a numeric vector

Mg\_XRF a numeric vector

Mn\_XRF a numeric vector

Na\_XRF a numeric vector

P\_XRF a numeric vector

Si\_XRF a numeric vector

Ti\_XRF a numeric vector

#### Source

Kola Project (1993-1998)

# References

Reimann C, Äyräs M, Chekushin V, Bogatyrev I, Boyd R, Caritat P de, Dutter R, Finne TE, Halleraker JH, Jæger Ø, Kashulina G, Lehto O, Niskavaara H, Pavlov V, Räisänen ML, Strand T, Volden T. Environmental Geochemical Atlas of the Central Barents Region. NGU-GTK-CKE Special Publication, Geological Survey of Norway, Trondheim, Norway, 1998.

```
data(chorizon)
# classical versus robust correlation
corr.plot(log(chorizon[,"Al"]), log(chorizon[,"Na"]))
```

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## Description

The function color.plot plots the (two-dimensional) data using different symbols according to the robust mahalanobis distance based on the mcd estimator with adjustment and using different colors according to the euclidean distances of the observations.

## Usage

```
color.plot(x, quan=1/2, alpha=0.025, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

x two dimensional matrix or data.frame containing the data.

quan amount of observations which are used for mcd estimations. has to be between

0.5 and 1, default ist 0.5

alpha amount of observations used for calculating the adjusted quantile (see function

arw).

... additional graphical parameters

#### **Details**

The function color.plot plots the (two-dimensional) data using different symbols (see function symbol.plot) according to the robust mahalanobis distance based on the mcd estimator with adjustment and using different colors according to the euclidean distances of the observations. Blue is typical for a little distance, whereas red is the opposite. In addition four ellipsoids are drawn, on which mahalanobis distances are constant. These constant values correspond to the 25%, 50%, 75% and adjusted quantiles (see function arw) of the chi-square distribution (see Filzmoser et al., 2005).

## Value

outliers boolean vector of outliers

md robust mahalanobis distances of the data

euclidean distances of the observations according to the minimum of the data.

## Author(s)

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```

#### References

P. Filzmoser, R.G. Garrett, and C. Reimann. Multivariate outlier detection in exploration geochemistry. *Computers & Geosciences*, 31:579-587, 2005.

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## See Also

```
symbol.plot, dd.plot, arw
```

# **Examples**

```
# create data:
x <- cbind(rnorm(100), rnorm(100))
y <- cbind(rnorm(10, 5, 1), rnorm(10, 5, 1))
z <- rbind(x,y)
# execute:
color.plot(z, quan=0.75)</pre>
```

corr.plot

Correlation Plot: robust versus classical bivariate correlation

## **Description**

The function corr.plot plots the (two-dimensional) data and adds two correlation ellipsoids, based on classical and robust estimation of location and scatter. Robust estimation can be thought of as estimating the mean and covariance of the 'good' part of the data.

## Usage

```
corr.plot(x, y, quan=1/2, alpha=0.025, ...)
```

# Arguments

x	vector to be plotted against y and of which the correlation with y is calculated.
У	vector to be plotted against x and of which the correlation with x is calculated.
quan	amount of observations which are used for mcd estimations. has to be between $0.5$ and $1$ , default ist $0.5$
alpha	Determines the size of the ellipsoids. An observation will be outside of the ellipsoid if its mahalanobis distance exceeds the 1-alpha quantile of the chi-squared distribution.
	additional graphical parameters

## Value

cor.cla	correlation between x and y based on classical estimation of location and scatter
cor.rob	correlation between x and y based on robust estimation of location and scatter

## Author(s)

```
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Peter Filzmoser <<P.Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at>> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/
```

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## See Also

covMcd

## **Examples**

```
# create data:
x <- cbind(rnorm(100), rnorm(100))
y <- cbind(rnorm(10, 3, 1), rnorm(10, 3, 1))
z <- rbind(x,y)
# execute:
corr.plot(z[,1], z[,2])</pre>
```

dat

Data of illustrative example in paper (see below)

# Description

Illustrative data example with 100 observations in two dimensions.

# Usage

```
data(dat)
```

#### **Format**

```
The format is: num [1:100, 1:2] 3.39 4.08 4.35 4.89 4.55 ...
```

## **Details**

Data are constructed to contain global as well as local outliers.

## **Source**

P. Filzmoser, A. Ruiz-Gazen, and C. Thomas-Agnan: Identification of local multivariate outliers. Submitted for publication, 2012.

## References

P. Filzmoser, A. Ruiz-Gazen, and C. Thomas-Agnan: Identification of local multivariate outliers. Submitted for publication, 2012.

```
data(dat)
plot(dat)
```

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# Description

The function dd.plot plots the classical mahalanobis distance of the data against the robust mahalanobis distance based on the mcd estimator. Different symbols (see function symbol.plot) and colours (see function color.plot) are used depending on the mahalanobis and euclidean distance of the observations (see Filzmoser et al., 2005).

## Usage

```
dd.plot(x, quan=1/2, alpha=0.025, ...)
```

# Arguments

x	matrix or data frame containing the data
quan	amount of observations which are used for mcd estimations. has to be between $0.5 \ \text{and} \ 1$ , default ist $0.5$
alpha	amount of observations used for calculating the adjusted quantile (see function arw).
	additional graphical parameters

## Value

outliers	boolean vector of outliers
md.cla	mahalanobis distances of the observations based on classical estimators of location and scatter.
md.rob	mahalanobis distances of the observations based on robust estimators of location and scatter (mcd).

#### Author(s)

```
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```

## References

P. Filzmoser, R.G. Garrett, and C. Reimann. Multivariate outlier detection in exploration geochemistry. *Computers & Geosciences*, 31:579-587, 2005.

## See Also

```
symbol.plot, color.plot, arw, covPlot
```

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## **Examples**

```
# create data:
x <- cbind(rnorm(100), rnorm(100))
y <- cbind(rnorm(10, 3, 1), rnorm(10, 3, 1))
z <- rbind(x,y)
# execute:
dd.plot(z)
#
# Identify multivariate outliers for Co-Cu-Ni in humus layer of Kola data:
data(humus)
dd.plot(log(humus[,c("Co","Cu","Ni")]))</pre>
```

humus

Humus Layer (O-horizon) of the Kola Data

## **Description**

The Kola Data were collected in the Kola Project (1993-1998, Geological Surveys of Finland (GTK) and Norway (NGU) and Central Kola Expedition (CKE), Russia). More than 600 samples in five different layers were analysed, this dataset contains the humus layer.

## Usage

data(humus)

## **Format**

A data frame with 617 observations on the following 44 variables.

ID a numeric vector

XC00 a numeric vector

YC00 a numeric vector

Ag a numeric vector

Al a numeric vector

As a numeric vector

B a numeric vector

Ba a numeric vector

Be a numeric vector

Bi a numeric vector

Ca a numeric vector

Cd a numeric vector

Co a numeric vector

Cr a numeric vector

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Cu a numeric vector

Fe a numeric vector

Hg a numeric vector

K a numeric vector

La a numeric vector

Mg a numeric vector

Mn a numeric vector

Mo a numeric vector

Na a numeric vector

Ni a numeric vector

P a numeric vector

Pb a numeric vector

Rb a numeric vector

S a numeric vector

Sb a numeric vector

Sc a numeric vector

Si a numeric vector

Sr a numeric vector

Th a numeric vector

T1 a numeric vector

U a numeric vector

V a numeric vector

Y a numeric vector

Zn a numeric vector

C a numeric vector

H a numeric vector

N a numeric vector

LOI a numeric vector

pH a numeric vector

Cond a numeric vector

#### Source

Kola Project (1993-1998)

#### References

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## **Examples**

```
data(humus)
# classical versus robust correlation:
corr.plot(log(humus[,"A1"]), log(humus[,"Na"]))
```

kola.background

Background map for the Kola project

## Description

Coordinates of the Kola background map

## Usage

```
data(kola.background)
```

#### **Format**

The format is: List of 4 \$ boundary: 'data.frame': 50 obs. of 2 variables: ..\$ V1: num [1:50] 388650 388160 386587 384035 383029 ... ..\$ V2: num [1:50] 7892400 7881248 7847303 7790797 7769214 ... \$ coast: 'data.frame': 6259 obs. of 2 variables: ..\$ V1: num [1:6259] 438431 439102 439102 439643 439643 ... ..\$ V2: num [1:6259] 7895619 7896495 7896495 7895800 7895542 ... \$ borders: 'data.frame': 504 obs. of 2 variables: ..\$ V1: num [1:504] 417575 417704 418890 420308 422731 ... ..\$ V2: num [1:504] 7612984 7612984 7613293 7614530 7615972 ... \$ lakes: 'data.frame': 6003 obs. of 2 variables: ..\$ V1: num [1:6003] 547972 546915 NA 547972 547172 ... ..\$ V2: num [1:6003] 7815109 7815599 NA 7815109 7813873 ...

## Details

Is used by map.plot()

## **Source**

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#### References

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```
example(map.plot)
```

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locoutNeighbor	Diagnostic plot for identifying local outliers with varying size of neighborhood

## **Description**

Computes global and pairwise Mahalanobis distances for visualizing global and local multivariate outliers. The size of the neighborhood (number of neighbors) is varying, but the fraction of neighbors is fixed.

## Usage

```
locoutNeighbor(dat, X, Y, propneighb = 0.1, variant = c("dist", "knn"), usemax = 1/3,
    npoints = 50, chisqqu = 0.975, indices = NULL, xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL,
    colall = gray(0.7), colsel = 1, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

dat	multivariate data set (without coordinates)
Χ	X coordinates of the data points
Υ	Y coordinates of the data points
propneighb	proportion of neighbors to be included in tolerance ellipse
variant	either search for neighbors according to the Eucl. Distance, or according to kNN
usemax	for either variant: give fraction of points (max Dist) that is used for the plot
npoints	computation is done at most at npoints points
chisqqu	quantile of the chisquare distribution for splitting the plot
indices	if this is not NULL, these should be indices of observations to be highlighted
xlab	x-axis label for plot
ylab	y-axis label for plot
colall	color for lines if indices is NULL
colsel	color for lines if indices are selected
	additional parameters for plotting

# **Details**

For this diagnostic tool, the number of neighbors is varied up to a fraction of usemax observations. Then propneighb (called beta) is fixed, and for each observation we compute the degree of isolation from a fraction of 1-beta of its neighbors. Neighborhood can be defined either via the Euclidean distance or by k-Nearest-Neighbors. For computational reasons, all computations are done at most for npoints points. The critical value for outliers is the quantile chisqqu of the chisquare distribution. One can also provide indices of observations (for indices). Then the corresponding lines in the plots will be highlighted.

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## Value

```
indices.reg indices of the (selected) observations being regular observations indices.out indices of the (selected) observations being golbal outliers
```

## Author(s)

```
Peter Filzmoser << P.Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at >> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/
```

## References

P. Filzmoser, A. Ruiz-Gazen, and C. Thomas-Agnan: Identification of local multivariate outliers. Submitted for publication, 2012.

## See Also

```
locoutPercent, locoutSort
```

## **Examples**

locoutPercent

Diagnostic plot for identifying local outliers with fixed size of neighborhood

## **Description**

Computes global and pairwise Mahalanobis distances for visualizing global and local multivariate outliers. The size of the neighborhood (number of neighbors) is fixed, but the fraction of neighbors is varying.

## Usage

```
locoutPercent(dat, X, Y, dist = NULL, k = 10, chisqqu = 0.975, sortup = 10, sortlow = 90, nlinesup = 10, nlineslow = 10, indices = NULL, xlab = "(Sorted) Index", ylab = "Distance to neighbor", col = gray(0.7), ...)
```

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## **Arguments**

dat	multivariate data set i	(without coordinates)
uat	munivariate data set	(William Coolainates)

X X coordinates of the data points
Y Y coordinates of the data points

dist maximum distance to search for neighbors; if nothing is provided, k for kNN is

used

k number of nearest neighbors to search - not taken if a value for dist is provided

chisqqu quantile of the chisquare distribution for splitting the plot

sort local outliers accorting to given percentage sortlow sort local inliers accorting to given percentage nlinesup number of lines to be plotted for upper part nlineslow number of lines to be plotted for lower part

indices if this is not NULL, these should be indices of observations to be highlighted

xlab x-axis label for plot ylab y-axis label for plot

col color for lines

... additional parameters for plotting

## Details

For this diagnostic tool, the number of neighbors is fixed, but propneighb (called beta) is varied. For each observation we compute the degree of isolation from a fraction of 1-beta of its neighbors. Neighborhood can be defined either via the Euclidean distance or by k-Nearest-Neighbors. The critical value for outliers is the quantile chisqua of the chisquare distribution. One can also provide indices of observations (for indices). Then the corresponding lines in the plots will be highlighted.

#### Value

ret list containing indices of regular and outlying observations

#### Author(s)

Peter Filzmoser << P.Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at>> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/

#### References

P. Filzmoser, A. Ruiz-Gazen, and C. Thomas-Agnan: Identification of local multivariate outliers. Submitted for publication, 2012.

# See Also

locoutNeighbor, locoutSort

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## **Examples**

```
# use data from illustrative example in paper:
data(X)
data(Y)
data(dat)
res <- locoutPercent(dat,X,Y,k=10,chisqqu=0.975, indices=c(1,11,24,36))</pre>
```

locoutSort

Interactive diagnostic plot for identifying local outliers

## **Description**

Computes global and pairwise Mahalanobis distances for visualizing global and local multivariate outliers. The plot is split into regular (left) and global (right) outliers, and points can be selected interactively. In a second plot, these points are shown by spatial coordinates.

#### Usage

```
locoutSort(dat, X, Y, distc = NULL, k = 10, propneighb = 0.1, chisqqu = 0.975, sel = NULL, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

dat	multivariate data set (without coordinates)
X	X coordinates of the data points
Υ	Y coordinates of the data points
distc	maximum distance to search for neighbors; if nothing is provided, $\boldsymbol{k}$ for $\boldsymbol{k}NN$ is used
k	number of nearest neighbors to search - not taken if a value for dist is provided
propneighb	proportion of neighbors to be included in tolerance ellipse
chisqqu	quantile of the chisquare distribution for splitting the plot
sel	optional list with x and y, i.e. coordinates with selected polygon
	additional parameters for plotting

# **Details**

For this diagnostic tool, the number of neighbors is fixed, and propneighb (called beta) is also fixed. For each observation we compute the degree of isolation from a fraction of 1-beta of its neighbors. The observations are sorted according to this degree of isolation, and this sorted index forms the x-axis of the left plot. This plot is also split into regular (left) and global (right) outliers. Then one can select with the mouse a region in this plot, meaning an observation and (some of) its neighbors. Alternatively, this region can be supplied by sel. The selected observations are then shown in the right plot. Links to the neighbors are also shown.

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## Value

list(sel=sel,index.regular=res\$indices.regular,index.outliers=res\$indices.outliers)

sel plot coordinates of the selected region

indices.reg indices of the bservations being regular observations indices.out indices of the observations being golbal outliers

## Author(s)

```
Peter Filzmoser << P.Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at >> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/
```

#### References

P. Filzmoser, A. Ruiz-Gazen, and C. Thomas-Agnan: Identification of local multivariate outliers. Submitted for publication, 2012.

## See Also

```
locoutPercent, locoutNeighbor
```

## **Examples**

map.plot

Plot Multivariate Outliers in a Map

# Description

The function map.plot creates a map using geographical (x,y)-coordinates. This is thought for spatially dependent data of which coordinates are available. Multivariate outliers are marked.

## Usage

```
map.plot(coord, data, quan=1/2, alpha=0.025, symb=FALSE, plotmap=TRUE,
    map="kola.background",which.map=c(1,2,3,4),map.col=c(5,1,3,4),
    map.lwd=c(2,1,2,1), ...)
```

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#### **Arguments**

coord (x,y)-coordinates of the data

data matrix or data.frame containing the data.

quan amount of observations which are used for mcd estimations. has to be between

0.5 and 1, default ist 0.5

alpha amount of observations used for calculating the adjusted quantile (see function

arw).

symb logical for plotting special symbols (see details).

plotmap logical for plotting the background map.

map see plot.kola.background()
which.map see plot.kola.background()
map.col see plot.kola.background()
map.lwd see plot.kola.background()
... additional graphical parameters

#### **Details**

The function map.plot shows mutlivariate outliers in a map. If symb=FALSE (default), only two colors and no special symbols are used to mark multivariate outliers (the outliers are marked red). If symb=TRUE different symbols and colors are used. The symbols (cross means big value, circle means little value) are selected according to the robust mahalanobis distance based on the adjusted mcd estimator (see function symbol.plot) Different colors (red means big value, blue means little value) according to the euclidean distances of the observations (see function color.plot) are used. For details see Filzmoser et al. (2005).

## Value

outliers boolean vector of outliers

md robust mahalanobis distances of the data

euclidean (only if symb=TRUE) euclidean distances of the observations according to the

minimum of the data.

#### Author(s)

```
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Peter Filzmoser << P. Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at >> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/
```

## References

P. Filzmoser, R.G. Garrett, and C. Reimann. Multivariate outlier detection in exploration geochemistry. *Computers & Geosciences*, 31:579-587, 2005.

#### See Also

```
symbol.plot, color.plot, arw
```

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## **Examples**

```
data(humus) # Load humus data
xy <- humus[,c("XCOO","YCOO")] # X and Y Coordinates
myhumus <- log(humus[, c("As", "Cd", "Co", "Cu", "Mg", "Pb", "Zn")])
map.plot(xy, myhumus, symb=TRUE)</pre>
```

moss

Moss Layer of the Kola Data

# Description

The Kola Data were collected in the Kola Project (1993-1998, Geological Surveys of Finland (GTK) and Norway (NGU) and Central Kola Expedition (CKE), Russia). More than 600 samples in five different layers were analysed, this dataset contains the moss layer.

## Usage

data(moss)

#### **Format**

A data frame with 598 observations on the following 34 variables.

ID a numeric vector

XC00 a numeric vector

YC00 a numeric vector

Ag a numeric vector

Al a numeric vector

As a numeric vector

B a numeric vector

Ba a numeric vector

Bi a numeric vector

Ca a numeric vector

Cd a numeric vector

Co a numeric vector

Cr a numeric vector

Cu a numeric vector

Fe a numeric vector

Hg a numeric vector

K a numeric vector

Mg a numeric vector

Mn a numeric vector

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Mo a numeric vector

Na a numeric vector

Ni a numeric vector

P a numeric vector

Pb a numeric vector

Rb a numeric vector

S a numeric vector

Sb a numeric vector

Si a numeric vector

Sr a numeric vector

Th a numeric vector

T1 a numeric vector

U a numeric vector

V a numeric vector

Zn a numeric vector

#### **Source**

Kola Project (1993-1998)

## References

Reimann C, Äyräs M, Chekushin V, Bogatyrev I, Boyd R, Caritat P de, Dutter R, Finne TE, Halleraker JH, Jæger Ø, Kashulina G, Lehto O, Niskavaara H, Pavlov V, Räisänen ML, Strand T, Volden T. Environmental Geochemical Atlas of the Central Barents Region. NGU-GTK-CKE Special Publication, Geological Survey of Norway, Trondheim, Norway, 1998.

# **Examples**

```
data(moss)
# classical versus robust correlation:
corr.plot(log(moss[,"A1"]), log(moss[,"Na"]))
```

mvoutlier.CoDa

Interpreting multivatiate outliers of CoDa

## **Description**

Computes the basis information for plot functions supporting the interpretation of multivariate outliers in case of compositional data.

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## Usage

```
mvoutlier.CoDa(x, quan = 0.75, alpha = 0.025,
    col.quantile = c(0, 0.05, 0.1, 0.5, 0.9, 0.95, 1),
    symb.pch = c(3, 3, 16, 1, 1), symb.cex = c(1.5, 1, 0.5, 1, 1.5),
    adaptive = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

x data set (matrix or data frame) containing the raw untransformed compositional

data

quantity of data used for robust estimation; between 0.5 and 1

alpha maximum threshold for adaptive outlier detection

col. quantile quantiles of an average concentration defining the colors

symb.pch plotting character for symbols symb.cex plotting size for symbols

adaptive if TRUE then the adaptive method for the outlier threshold is used

#### **Details**

In a first step, the raw compositional data set in transformed by the isometric logratio (ilr) transformation to the usual Euclidean space. Then adaptive outlier detection is performed: Starting from a quantile 1-alpha of the chisquare distribution, one looks for the supremum of the differences between the chisquare distribution and the empirical distribution of the squared Mahalanobis distances. The latter are derived from the MCD estimator using the proportion quan of the data. The supremum is the outlier cutoff, and certain colors and symbols for the outliers are computed: The colors should reflect the magnitude of the median element concentration of the observations, which is done by computing for each observation along the single ilr variables the distances to the medians. The mediab of all distances determines the color (or grey scale): a high value, resulting in a red (or dark) symbol, means that most univariate parts have higher values than the average, and a low value (blue or light symbol) refers to an observation with mainly low values. The symbols are according to the cut-points from the quantiles 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, and the outlier cutoff of the squared Mahalanobis distances.

#### Value

ilrvariables the ilr transformed data matrix

outliers TRUE/FALSE vector; TRUE refers to outlier

pcaobj object from PCA

colcol vector with the colors

colbw vector with the grey scales

pchvec vector with plotting symbols

cexvec vector with sizes of plot symbols

#### Author(s)

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## References

P. Filzmoser, K. Hron, and C. Reimann. Interpretation of multivariate outliers for compositional data. Submitted to Computers and Geosciences.

#### See Also

```
plot.mvoutlierCoDa, arw, map.plot, uni.plot
```

## **Examples**

```
data(humus)
d <- humus[,c("As","Cd","Co","Cu","Mg","Pb","Zn")]
res <- mvoutlier.CoDa(d)
str(res)</pre>
```

pbb

BSS background Plot

# **Description**

Plots the BSS background map

# Usage

```
pbb(map = "bss.background", add.plot = FALSE, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

map List of coordinates. For the correct format see also help(kola.background)
add.plot logical. If true background is added to an existing plot
additional plot parameters, see help(par)

# **Details**

The list of coordinates is plotted as a polygon line.

# Value

The plot is produced on the graphical device.

# Author(s)

Peter Filzmoser << P.Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at >> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/

pcout pcout

## References

Reimann C, Siewers U, Tarvainen T, Bityukova L, Eriksson J, Gilucis A, Gregorauskiene V, Lukashev VK, Matinian NN, Pasieczna A. Agricultural Soils in Northern Europe: A Geochemical Atlas. Geologisches Jahrbuch, Sonderhefte, Reihe D, Heft SD 5, Schweizerbart'sche Verlagsbuchhandlung, Stuttgart, 2003.

## See Also

See also pkb

## **Examples**

```
data(bss.background)
data(bsstop)
plot(bsstop$XCOO,bsstop$YCOO,col="red",pch=3)
pbb(add=TRUE)
```

pcout

PCOut Method for Outlier Identification in High Dimensions

## **Description**

Fast algorithm for identifying multivariate outliers in high-dimensional and/or large datasets, using the algorithm of Filzmoser, Maronna, and Werner (CSDA, 2007).

# Usage

## **Arguments**

X	a numeric matrix or data frame which provides the data for outlier detection
makeplot	a logical value indicating whether a diagnostic plot should be generated (default to FALSE) $$
explvar	a numeric value between 0 and 1 indicating how much variance should be covered by the robust PCs (default to $0.99$ )
crit.M1	a numeric value between 0 and 1 indicating the quantile to be used as lower boundary for location outlier detection (default to $1/3$ )
crit.c1	a positive numeric value used for determining the upper boundary for location outlier detection (default to $2.5$ )
crit.M2	a numeric value between 0 and 1 indicating the quantile to be used as lower boundary for scatter outlier detection (default to $1/4$ )
crit.c2	a numeric value between 0 and 1 indicating the quantile to be used as upper boundary for scatter outlier detection (default to 0.99)

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cs	a numeric value indicating the scaling constant for combined location and scatter weights (default to $0.25$ )
outbound	a numeric value between $0$ and $1$ indicating the outlier boundary for defining values as final outliers (default to $0.25$ )
	additional plot parameters, see help(par)

#### **Details**

Based on the robustly sphered data, semi-robust principal components are computed which are needed for determining distances for each observation. Separate weights for location and scatter outliers are computed based on these distances. The combined weights are used for outlier identification.

#### Value

wfinal01	0/1 vector with final weights for each observation; weight 0 indicates potential multivariate outliers.
wfinal	numeric vector with final weights for each observation; small values indicate potential multivariate outliers.
wloc	numeric vector with weights for each observation; small values indicate potential location outliers.
wscat	numeric vector with weights for each observation; small values indicate potential scatter outliers.
x.dist1	numeric vector with distances for location outlier detection.
x.dist2	numeric vector with distances for scatter outlier detection.
M1	upper boundary for assigning weight 1 in location outlier detection.
const1	lower boundary for assigning weight 0 in location outlier detection.
M2	upper boundary for assigning weight 1 in scatter outlier detection.
const2	lower boundary for assigning weight 0 in scatter outlier detection.

# Author(s)

Peter Filzmoser << P.Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at >> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/

#### References

P. Filzmoser, R. Maronna, M. Werner. Outlier identification in high dimensions, *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, 52, 1694-1711, 2008.

# See Also

```
sign1, sign2
```

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## **Examples**

```
# geochemical data from northern Europe
data(bsstop)
x=bsstop[,5:14]
# identify multivariate outliers
x.out=pcout(x,makeplot=FALSE)
# visualize multivariate outliers in the map
op <- par(mfrow=c(1,2))</pre>
data(bss.background)
pbb(asp=1)
points(bsstop$XCOO,bsstop$YCOO,pch=16,col=x.out$wfinal01+2)
title("Outlier detection based on pcout")
legend("topleft",legend=c("potential outliers","regular observations"),pch=16,col=c(2,3))
# compare with outlier detection based on MCD:
x.mcd <- robustbase::covMcd(x)</pre>
pbb(asp=1)
points(bsstop$XCOO,bsstop$YCOO,pch=16,col=x.mcd$mcd.wt+2)
title("Outlier detection based on MCD")
legend("topleft",legend=c("potential outliers","regular observations"),pch=16,col=c(2,3))
par(op)
```

pkb

Kola background Plot

## **Description**

Plots the Kola background map

# Usage

```
pkb(map = "kola.background", which.map = c(1, 2, 3, 4), map.col = c(5, 1, 3, 4), map.lwd = c(2, 1, 2, 1), add.plot = FALSE, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

map	List of coordinates. For the correct format see also help(kola.background)
which.map	which==1 plot project boundary \# which==2 plot coast line \# which==3 plot country borders \# which==4 plot lakes and rivers
map.col	Map colors to be used
map.lwd	Defines linestyle of the background
add.plot	logical. if true background is added to an existing plot
	additional plot parameters, see help(par)

## **Details**

Is used by map.plot()

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## Author(s)

Peter Filzmoser << P.Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at>> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/

#### References

Reimann C, Äyräs M, Chekushin V, Bogatyrev I, Boyd R, Caritat P de, Dutter R, Finne TE, Halleraker JH, Jæger Ø, Kashulina G, Lehto O, Niskavaara H, Pavlov V, Räisänen ML, Strand T, Volden T. Environmental Geochemical Atlas of the Central Barents Region. NGU-GTK-CKE Special Publication, Geological Survey of Norway, Trondheim, Norway, 1998.

# Examples

```
example(map.plot)
```

plot.mvoutlierCoDa

Plots for interpreting multivatiate outliers of CoDa

## **Description**

Plots the computed information by mvoutlier. CoDa for supporting the interpretation of multivariate outliers in case of compositional data.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mvoutlierCoDa'
plot(x, ..., which = c("biplot", "map", "uni", "parallel"),
    choice = 1:2, coord = NULL, map = NULL, onlyout = TRUE, bw = FALSE, symb = TRUE,
    symbtxt = FALSE, col = NULL, pch = NULL, obj.cex = NULL, transp = 1)
```

#### **Arguments**

X	resulting object from function involutives . Coba	
	further plotting arguments	
which	type of plot that should be made	
choice	select the pair of PCs used for the biplot	
coord	coordinates for the presentation in a map	
map	coordinates for the background map; see details below	
onlyout	if TRUE only the outliers are shown in the plot	
bw	if TRUE symbold will be in grey scale rather than in color	
symb	if TRUE special symbols are used according to outlyingness	
symbtxt	if TRUE text labels are used for plotting	
col	define colors to be used for outliers and non-outliers	
pch	define plotting symbols to be used for outliers and non-outliers	
obj.cex	define symbol size for outliers and non-outliers	
transp	define transparancy for parallel coordinate plot	

resulting object from function myoutlier CoDa

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#### **Details**

The function mvoutlier.CoDa prepares the information needed for this plot function: In a first step, the raw compositional data set in transformed by the isometric logratio (ilr) transformation to the usual Euclidean space. Then adaptive outlier detection is performed: Starting from a quantile 1-alpha of the chisquare distribution, one looks for the supremum of the differences between the chisquare distribution and the empirical distribution of the squared Mahalanobis distances. The latter are derived from the MCD estimator using the proportion quan of the data. The supremum is the outlier cutoff, and certain colors and symbols for the outliers are computed: The colors should reflect the magnitude of the median element concentration of the observations, which is done by computing for each observation along the single ilr variables the distances to the medians. The mediab of all distances determines the color (or grey scale): a high value, resulting in a red (or dark) symbol, means that most univariate parts have higher values than the average, and a low value (blue or light symbol) refers to an observation with mainly low values. The symbols are according to the cut-points from the quantiles 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, and the outlier cutoff of the squared Mahalanobis distances. This plot function then allows to visualize the information.

The optional background map for the representation of the outliers in a map can be included using the argument map. This should consist of one or more polygons representing the geographical x-and y-coordinates of the background map. Of course, this map should be represented in the same coordinate system as the coordinates for the sample locations provided by coord. The structure of map is as follows: It should consist of 2 columns, one for the x-, one for the y-coordinates. If a polygon ends, a row with 2 entries NA should follow. At the end two NA rows are needed. See also examples below.

#### Value

A plot is drawn.

## Author(s)

Peter Filzmoser << P.Filzmoser@tuwien.ac.at>> http://cstat.tuwien.ac.at/filz/

# References

P. Filzmoser, K. Hron, and C. Reimann. Interpretation of multivariate outliers for compositional data. Submitted to Computers and Geosciences.

### See Also

```
mvoutlier.CoDa, arw, map.plot, uni.plot
```

```
data(humus)
el=c("As","Cd","Co","Cu","Mg","Pb","Zn")
dsel <- humus[,el]
data(kola.background) # contains different information (coast, borders, etc.)
coo <- rbind(kola.background$coast,kola.background$boundary,kola.background$borders)
XY <- humus[,c("XCOO","YCOO")]
set.seed(123)</pre>
```

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```
res <- mvoutlier.CoDa(dsel)</pre>
par(ask=TRUE)
### Parallel coordinate plot:
## show for all obvervations (transp is only useful when generating e.g. a pdf):
# plot(res,onlyout=FALSE,bw=TRUE,which="parallel",symb=FALSE,symbtxt=FALSE,transp=0.3)
## show only outliers with special colors and labels in the margins:
plot(res,onlyout=TRUE,bw=FALSE,which="parallel",symb=TRUE,symbtxt=TRUE,transp=0.3)
### Biplot:
## show all data points, outliers are in different color and have different symbol:
# plot(res,onlyout=FALSE,which="biplot",bw=FALSE,symb=FALSE,symbtxt=FALSE)
## show only the outliers with special symbols and colors:
plot(res,onlyout=TRUE,which="biplot",bw=FALSE,symb=TRUE,symbtxt=TRUE)
## show all data points, outliers are in different color and have different symbol:
# plot(res,coord=XY,map=coo,onlyout=FALSE,which="map",bw=FALSE,symb=FALSE,symbtxt=FALSE)
## show only the outliers with special symbols and colors:
plot(res,coord=XY,map=coo,onlyout=TRUE,which="map",bw=FALSE,symb=TRUE,symbtxt=TRUE)
### Univariate scatterplot:
## show all data points, outliers are in different color and have different symbol:
# plot(res,onlyout=FALSE,which="uni",symb=FALSE,symbtxt=FALSE)
## show only the outliers with special symbols and colors:
plot(res,onlyout=TRUE,which="uni",symb=TRUE,symbtxt=TRUE)
```

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Sign Method for Outlier Identification in High Dimensions - Simple Version

## **Description**

Fast algorithm for identifying multivariate outliers in high-dimensional and/or large datasets, using spatial signs, see Filzmoser, Maronna, and Werner (CSDA, 2007). The computation of the distances is based on Mahalanobis distances.

### Usage

```
sign1(x, makeplot = FALSE, qcrit = 0.975, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

X	a numeric matrix or data frame which provides the data for outlier detection
makeplot	a logical value indicating whether a diagnostic plot should be generated (default to FALSE)
qcrit	a numeric value between $0$ and $1$ indicating the quantile to be used as critical value for outlier detection (default to $0.975$ )
	additional plot parameters, see help(par)

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#### **Details**

Based on the robustly sphered and normed data, robust principal components are computed. These are used for computing the covariance matrix which is the basis for Mahalanobis distances. A critical value from the chi-square distribution is then used as outlier cutoff.

#### Value

wfinal01 0/1 vector with final weights for each observation; weight 0 indicates potential

multivariate outliers.

x.dist numeric vector with distances used for outlier detection.

const outlier cutoff value.

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#### References

P. Filzmoser, R. Maronna, M. Werner. Outlier identification in high dimensions, *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, 52, 1694-1711, 2008.

N. Locantore, J. Marron, D. Simpson, N. Tripoli, J. Zhang, and K. Cohen (1999). Robust principal components for functional data, *Test* 8, 1–73.

#### See Also

```
pcout, sign2
```

```
# geochemical data from northern Europe
data(bsstop)
x=bsstop[,5:14]
# identify multivariate outliers
x.out=sign1(x,makeplot=FALSE)
# visualize multivariate outliers in the map
op <- par(mfrow=c(1,2))
data(bss.background)
pbb(asp=1)
points(bsstop$XCOO,bsstop$YCOO,pch=16,col=x.out$wfinal01+2)
title("Outlier detection based on signout")
legend("topleft",legend=c("potential outliers","regular observations"),pch=16,col=c(2,3))
# compare with outlier detection based on MCD:
x.mcd <- robustbase::covMcd(x)</pre>
pbb(asp=1)
points(bsstop$XCOO,bsstop$YCOO,pch=16,col=x.mcd$mcd.wt+2)
title("Outlier detection based on MCD")
legend("topleft",legend=c("potential outliers","regular observations"),pch=16,col=c(2,3))
par(op)
```

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sign2	Sign Method for Outlier Identification in High Dimensions - Sophisticated Version

# Description

Fast algorithm for identifying multivariate outliers in high-dimensional and/or large datasets, using spatial signs, see Filzmoser, Maronna, and Werner (CSDA, 2007). The computation of the distances is based on principal components.

# Usage

```
sign2(x, makeplot = FALSE, explvar = 0.99, qcrit = 0.975, ...)
```

# Arguments

X	a numeric matrix or data frame which provides the data for outlier detection	
makeplot	a logical value indicating whether a diagnostic plot should be generated (default to FALSE)	
explvar	a numeric value between 0 and 1 indicating how much variance should be covered by the robust PCs (default to $0.99$ )	
qcrit	a numeric value between 0 and 1 indicating the quantile to be used as critical value for outlier detection (default to $0.975$ )	
	additional plot parameters, see help(par)	

# **Details**

Based on the robustly sphered and normed data, robust principal components are computed which are needed for determining distances for each observation. The distances are transformed to approach chi-square distribution, and a critical value is then used as outlier cutoff.

# Value

wfinal01	0/1 vector with final weights for each observation; weight 0 indicates potential multivariate outliers.
x.dist	numeric vector with distances used for outlier detection.
const	outlier cutoff value.

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## References

P. Filzmoser, R. Maronna, M. Werner. Outlier identification in high dimensions, *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, 52, 1694–1711, 2008.

N. Locantore, J. Marron, D. Simpson, N. Tripoli, J. Zhang, and K. Cohen. Robust principal components for functional data, *Test* 8, 1-73, 1999.

# See Also

```
pcout, sign1
```

#### **Examples**

```
# geochemical data from northern Europe
data(bsstop)
x=bsstop[,5:14]
# identify multivariate outliers
x.out=sign2(x,makeplot=FALSE)
# visualize multivariate outliers in the map
op \leftarrow par(mfrow=c(1,2))
data(bss.background)
pbb(asp=1)
points(bsstop$XCOO,bsstop$YCOO,pch=16,col=x.out$wfinal01+2)
title("Outlier detection based on signout")
legend("topleft",legend=c("potential outliers","regular observations"),pch=16,col=c(2,3))
# compare with outlier detection based on MCD:
x.mcd <- robustbase::covMcd(x)</pre>
pbb(asp=1)
points(bsstop$XCOO,bsstop$YCOO,pch=16,col=x.mcd$mcd.wt+2)
title("Outlier detection based on MCD")
legend("topleft",legend=c("potential outliers","regular observations"),pch=16,col=c(2,3))
par(op)
```

symbol.plot

Symbol Plot

## **Description**

The function symbol.plot plots the (two-dimensional) data using different symbols according to the robust mahalanobis distance based on the mcd estimator with adjustment.

# Usage

```
symbol.plot(x, quan=1/2, alpha=0.025, ...)
```

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# **Arguments**

X	two dimensional matrix or data.frame containing the data.
quan	amount of observations which are used for mcd estimations. has to be between $0.5\ \mathrm{and}\ 1,$ default ist $0.5\ \mathrm{cm}$
alpha	amount of observations used for calculating the adjusted quantile (see function arw).
	additional graphical parameters

#### **Details**

The function symbol.plot plots the (two-dimensional) data using different symbols. In addition a legend and four ellipsoids are drawn, on which mahalanobis distances are constant. As the legend shows, these constant values correspond to the 25%, 50%, 75% and adjusted (see function arw) quantiles of the chi-square distribution.

#### Value

outliers	boolean vector of outliers
md	robust mahalanobis distances of the data

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```

# References

P. Filzmoser, R.G. Garrett, and C. Reimann. Multivariate outlier detection in exploration geochemistry. *Computers & Geosciences*, 31:579-587, 2005.

## See Also

```
dd.plot, color.plot, arw
```

```
# create data:
x <- cbind(rnorm(100), rnorm(100))
y <- cbind(rnorm(10, 5, 1), rnorm(10, 5, 1))
z <- rbind(x,y)
# execute:
symbol.plot(z, quan=0.75)</pre>
```

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uni.plot	Univariate Presentation of Multivariate Outliers
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#### **Description**

The function uni.plot plots each variable of x parallel in a one-dimensional scatter plot and in addition marks multivariate outliers.

## Usage

```
uni.plot(x, symb=FALSE, quan=1/2, alpha=0.025, ...)
```

## Arguments

х	matrix or data.frame containing the data.
symb	logical. if FALSE, only two colors and no special symbols are used. outliers are marked red. if TRUE different symbols (cross means big value, circle means little value) according to the robust mahalanobis distance based on the mcd estimator and different colors (red means big value, blue means little value) according to the euclidean distances of the observations are used.
quan	amount of observations which are used for mcd estimations. has to be between $0.5$ and $1$ , default ist $0.5$
alpha	amount of observations used for calculating the adjusted quantile (see function arw).
	additional graphical parameters

### **Details**

The function uni.plot shows the multivariate outliers in the single variables by one-dimensional scatter plots. If symb=FALSE (default), only two colors and no special symbols are used to mark multivariate outliers (the outliers are marked red). If symb=TRUE different symbols and colors are used. The symbols (cross means big value, circle means little value) are selected according to the robust mahalanobis distance based on the adjusted mcd estimator (see function symbol.plot) Different colors (red means big value, blue means little value) according to the euclidean distances of the observations (see function color.plot) are used. For details see Filzmoser et al. (2005).

# Value

outliers	boolean vector of outliers
md	robust multivariate mahalanobis distances of the data
euclidean	(only if symb=TRUE) multivariate euclidean distances of the observations ac-
	cording to the minimum of the data.

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```

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## References

P. Filzmoser, R.G. Garrett, and C. Reimann. Multivariate outlier detection in exploration geochemistry. *Computers & Geosciences*, 31:579-587, 2005.

# See Also

```
map.plot, symbol.plot, color.plot, arw
```

# **Examples**

```
data(swiss)
uni.plot(swiss)
#
# Geostatistical data:
data(humus) # Load humus data
uni.plot(log(humus[, c("As", "Cd", "Co", "Cu", "Mg", "Pb", "Zn")]),symb=TRUE)
```

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Data (X coordinate) of illustrative example in paper (see below)

## **Description**

Illustrative data example with 100 values for the X coordinate.

## Usage

data(X)

## **Format**

The format is: num [1:100] 3.72 5.1 3.33 2.13 4.42 ...

# **Details**

Data are constructed to contain global as well as local outliers.

## Source

P. Filzmoser, A. Ruiz-Gazen, and C. Thomas-Agnan: Identification of local multivariate outliers. Submitted for publication, 2012.

# References

P. Filzmoser, A. Ruiz-Gazen, and C. Thomas-Agnan: Identification of local multivariate outliers. Submitted for publication, 2012.

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# **Examples**

```
data(X)
data(Y)
plot(X,Y)
```

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Data (Y coordinate) of illustrative example in paper (see below)

# Description

Illustrative data example with 100 values for the Y coordinate.

# Usage

```
data(Y)
```

## **Format**

The format is: num [1:100] 1.25 1.4 0.372 0.791 2.74 ...

# **Details**

Data are constructed to contain global as well as local outliers.

## **Source**

P. Filzmoser, A. Ruiz-Gazen, and C. Thomas-Agnan: Identification of local multivariate outliers. Submitted for publication, 2012.

## References

 $P.\ Filzmoser,\ A.\ Ruiz\mbox{-}Gazen,\ and\ C.\ Thomas\mbox{-}Agnan:\ Identification\ of\ local\ multivariate\ outliers.$  Submitted for publication, 2012.

```
data(X)
data(Y)
plot(X,Y)
```

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