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A.excursion

Excursion area

### Description

Computes the excursion area where X(t) is greater or lower than the constant level A for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

### Usage

```
A.excursion(X, A, n = 10000, level = "greater", subI = NULL, plot = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

X	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $t$ and the second one is the values of the time series $X(t)$ .
Α	Constant level as a numeric value.
n	Number of points a time interval to be split into. Default set to 10000.
level	A vector of character strings which specifies whether the excursion area is required for X, "greater" or "lower" than A. Default set to "greater".
subI	Time sub-interval is a vector, where the lower bound is the first element and the upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided, the excursion area for the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time interval is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series, constant level and excursion area are plotted.

### Value

Excursion area. If plot=TRUE, the time series, the constant level and excursion area are plotted.

### See Also

sojourn

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=1000)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(1000))
A.excursion(TS,0.8,level='lower',subI=c(0.5,0.8),plot=TRUE)</pre>
```

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Bm

Simulation of Brownian motion

#### **Description**

This function simulates a realisation of the Brownian motion over time interval  $[t_{start}, t_{end}]$  with N increments and initial value x1.

#### Usage

```
Bm(x1 = 0, t_start = 0, t_end = 1, N = 1000, plot = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

Value of the process at the initial time point.

t\_start Initial time point.t\_end Terminal time point.

N Number of time steps the interval  $[t_{start}, t_{end}]$  is split into. Default set to 1000.

plot Logical: If TRUE, the realisation of the Brownian motion is plotted.

#### Value

A data frame where the first column is t and second column is simulated values of the realisation of Brownian motion.

#### See Also

```
GHBMP, FBM, sim_FGN
```

### **Examples**

```
{\tt Bm(x1=0,t\_start=0,t\_end=2,plot=TRUE)}
```

cov\_GHBMP

Covariance of Gaussian Haar-based multifractional processes

#### **Description**

Computes the theoretical covariance matrix of a Gaussian Haar-based multifractional process.

### Usage

```
cov_GHBMP(t, H, J = 8, plot = FALSE, num.cores = availableCores(omit = 1))
```

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#### **Arguments**

t	Time point or time sequence on the interval $[0, 1]$ .
Н	Hurst function $H(t)$ which depends on t.
J	Positive integer. For large J values could be rather time consuming. Default is
	set to 8.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, a 3D surface plot of the covariance function is plotted.

num. cores Number of cores to set up the clusters for parallel computing.

#### Value

An  $m \times m$  matrix, where m is the length of t.

#### References

Ayache, A., Olenko, A. and Samarakoon, N. (2025). On Construction, Properties and Simulation of Haar-Based Multifractional Processes. doi:10.48550/arXiv.2503.07286. (submitted).

#### See Also

**GHBMP** 

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
#Covariance of a GHBMP with H=0.5-0.4* sin(6*3.14*t)
t <- seq(0,1,by=0.01)
H <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4* sin(6*3.14*t))}
cov_GHBMP(t,H,plot=TRUE)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

cross\_mean

Mean time between crossings

### Description

Computes the mean duration between crossings of a time series across a specified constant level for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

### Usage

```
cross_mean(X, A, subI = NULL, plot = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

X	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $t$ and the second one is the values of the time series $X(t)$ .
Α	Constant level as a numeric value.
subI	Time sub-interval is a vector, where the lower bound is the first element and upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided level crossing times of the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time interval is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series, the constant level and crossing points are plotted.

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#### Value

The estimated mean time between crossings. If plot=TRUE, a plot of the time series with the constant level and crossing points are plotted.

#### See Also

```
cross_T, cross_rate
```

### **Examples**

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=100)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(100))
cross_mean(TS,0.1,subI=c(0.2,0.8),plot=TRUE)</pre>
```

cross\_rate

Crossing rate

### Description

Computes the rate at which a time series crosses a specific constant level for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

#### Usage

```
cross_rate(X, A, subI = NULL, plot = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

Χ	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $t$ and the second one is the values of the time series $X(t)$ .
Α	Constant level as a numeric value.
subI	Time sub-interval as a vector, where the lower bound is the first element and upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided crossing rate for the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time interval is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series, the constant level and crossing points are plotted.

### Value

The crossing rate. If plot=TRUE, a plot of the time series with the constant level and crossing points are plotted.

### See Also

```
cross_T, cross_mean
```

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=100)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(100))
cross_rate(TS,0.1,subI=c(0.2,0.8),plot=TRUE)</pre>
```

cross\_T

cross_T	Estimated level crossing times

### Description

Computes the estimated t value(s), where a time series crosses a specific constant level for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

#### Usage

```
cross_T(X, A, subI = NULL, plot = FALSE, vline = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

X	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $t$ and the second one is the values of the time series $X(t)$ .
A	Constant level as a numeric value.
subI	Time sub-interval as a vector, where the lower bound is the first element and upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided level crossing times of the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time interval is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series, the constant level and corresponding $t$ values are plotted.
vline	Logical: If TRUE, a vertical line is plotted across the crossing point(s).

#### Value

The estimated level crossing times. If plot=TRUE, a plot of the time series with the constant level crossing and level crossing times are plotted.

#### See Also

```
cross_rate cross_mean
```

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=100)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(100))
cross_T(TS,0.1,subI=c(0.2,0.8),plot=TRUE,vline=TRUE)</pre>
```

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est\_cov

Empirical covariance function of a process

#### **Description**

Computes the empirical covariance function of a process, for each pair of time points in the time sequence using M realizations of the process.

#### Usage

```
est_cov(X, plot = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

X A data frame where the first column is the time sequence and the remaining

columns are the values of each realization of the process.

plot Logical: If TRUE, a 3D surface plot of the covariance function is plotted.

#### Value

An  $m \times m$  matrix, where m is the number of time points. Each element represents the estimated value of covariance function for the corresponding time points. Time points are arranged in ascending order.

### Examples

```
#Matrix of empirical covariance estimates of the GHBMP with Hurst function H. t <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^8) H <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))} #Only 5 realizations of GHBMP are used in this example to reduce the computational time. X.t <- replicate(5, GHBMP(t,H), simplify = FALSE) X <- do.call(rbind, lapply(X.t, function(df) df[, 2])) Data <- data.frame(t,t(X)) cov.mat <- est\_cov(Data,plot=TRUE) cov.mat
```

**FBM** 

Simulation of fractional Brownian motion

### Description

This function simulates a realisation of the fractional Brownian motion over time interval  $[0, t_{end}]$  for a provided Hurst parameter.

#### Usage

```
FBM(H, t_end, N = 1000, plot = FALSE)
```

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#### **Arguments**

H Hurst parameter which lies between 0 and 1.

t\_end Terminal time point.

N Number of time steps the interval  $[0, t_{end}]$  is split into. Default set to 1000. plot Logical: If TRUE, the realisation of the fractional Brownian motion is plotted.

#### Value

A data frame where the first column is t and second column is simulated values of the realisation of fractional Brownian motion.

#### See Also

```
sim_FGN, Bm, GHBMP
```

#### **Examples**

```
FBM(H=0.3,t_end=1,plot=TRUE)
```

**GHBMP** 

Simulation of Gaussian Haar-based multifractional processes

#### **Description**

This function simulates a Gaussian Haar-based multifractional process at any time point or time sequence on the interval [0, 1].

#### Usage

```
GHBMP(t, H, J = 15, num.cores = availableCores(omit = 1))
```

#### **Arguments**

t Time point or time sequence on the interval [0, 1].

H Hurst function which depends on t (H(t)). See Examples for usage.

J Positive integer. J is recommended to be greater than  $\log_2(length(t))$ . For large

J values could be rather time consuming. Default is set to 15.

num. cores Number of cores to set up the clusters for parallel computing.

#### **Details**

The following formula defined in Ayache, A., Olenko, A. & Samarakoon, N. (2025) was used in simulating Gaussian Haar-based multifractional process.

$$X(t) := \textstyle \sum_{j=0}^{+\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{2^{j}-1} \left( \int_{0}^{1} (t-s)_{+}^{H_{j}(k/2^{j})-1/2} h_{j,k}(s) ds \right) \varepsilon_{j,k},$$

where

$$\int_0^1 (t-s)_+^{H_{j,k}-\frac{1}{2}} h_{j,k}(s) ds = 2^{-jH_{j,k}} h^{[H_{j,k}]}(2^j t - k)$$

with  $h^{[\lambda]}(x)=\int_{\mathbb{R}}(x-s)_+^{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}h(s)ds$ . h is the Haar mother wavelet, j and k are positive integers, t is time, H is the Hurst function and  $\varepsilon_{j,k}$  is a sequence of independent  $\mathcal{N}(0,1)$  Gaussian random variables. For simulations, the truncated version of this formula with first summation up to J is considered.

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#### Value

A data frame of class "mp" where the first column is time moments t and second column is simulated values of X(t).

#### Note

See Examples for the usage of Hurst functions, for example, constant, time-varying, piecewise or step functions.

#### References

Ayache, A., Olenko, A. and Samarakoon, N. (2025). On Construction, Properties and Simulation of Haar-Based Multifractional Processes. doi:10.48550/arXiv.2503.07286. (submitted).

#### See Also

```
Hurst, plot.mp, Bm, FBM, sim_FGN
```

### **Examples**

```
#Constant Hurst function
t <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)
H \leftarrow function(t) \{return(0.4 + 0*t)\}
GHBMP(t,H)
#Linear Hurst function
t \le seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)
H \leftarrow function(t) \{return(0.2+0.45*t)\}
GHBMP(t,H)
#Oscillating Hurst function
t <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)
H \leftarrow function(t) \{return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))\}
GHBMP(t,H)
#Piecewise Hurst function
t \le seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)
H <- function(x) {</pre>
ifelse(x >= 0 & x <= 0.8, 0.375 * x + 0.2,
      ifelse(x > 0.8 & x <= 1,-1.5 * x + 1.7, NA))
GHBMP(t,H)
```

hclust\_hurst

Hierarchical clustering of multifractional processes

### Description

This function performs hierarchical clustering of realisations of multifractional processes based on the estimated Hurst functions.

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#### Usage

```
hclust_hurst(
   X.t,
   k = NULL,
   h = NULL,
   dist.method = "euclidean",
   method = "complete",
   dendrogram = FALSE,
   N = 100,
   Q = 2,
   L = 2
)
```

#### **Arguments**

X.t	A list of data frames. In each data frame, the first column is a time sequence from 0 to 1 and the second gives the values of the multifractional process. See Examples for usage.
k	The desired number of clusters.
h	The height where the dendrogram should be cut into. Either k or h must be specified. If both are provided k is used.
dist.method	A string which specifies a registered distance from proxy::dist(). The default is "euclidean".
method	A string which specifies the hierarchical method used. Available methods are "ward.D", "ward.D2", "single", "complete", "average", "mcquitty", "median" and "centroid". The default method is "complete".
dendrogram	Logical: If TRUE the dendrogram is plotted indicating the clusters.
N	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Number of sub-intervals on which the estimation is performed on. Default is set to 100 sub-intervals.
Q	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.
L	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.

#### **Details**

The Hurst function of each realisation is estimated using the function Hurst and the smoothed Hurst estimates are used for the cluster analysis. The distances between smoothed Hurst estimates are computed by the dist.method provided and passed into the hclust for hierarchical clustering.

#### Value

An object list of class "hc\_hurst" with print and plot methods. The list has following components:

cluster\_info A data frame indicating the cluster number and distance to cluster center from each smoothed estimated Hurst function (item). Distance is obtained from the dist.method.

cluster A vector with cluster number of each item.

cluster\_sizes Number of items in each cluster.

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centers A data frame of cluster centers. Center obtained as the average of each smoothed estimated Hurst function in the cluster. Columns denote time points in which estimates were obtained. Row names denote cluster numbers.

smoothed\_Hurst\_estimates A data frame of smoothed Hurst estimates. Columns denote time points in which estimates were obtained. Rows denote estimates for each realisation.

raw\_Hurst\_estimates A list of data frames of raw Hurst estimates.

call Information about the input parameters used.

#### See Also

```
print.hc_hurst, plot.hc_hurst, kmeans_hurst
```

#### **Examples**

```
#Simulation of multifractional processes
t <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)
H1 <- function(t) {return(0.1+0*t)}
H2 <- function(t) {return(0.2+0.45*t)}
H3 <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))}
X.list.1 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H1),simplify = FALSE)
X.list.2 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H2),simplify = FALSE)
X.list.3 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H3),simplify = FALSE)
X.list <- c(X.list.1,X.list.2,X.list.3)
#Hierarchical clustering based on k=3 clusters with dendrogram plotted
HC <- hclust_hurst(X.list,k=3,dendrogram=TRUE)
print(HC)
#Plot of smoothed Hurst functions in each cluster with cluster centers
plot(HC,type ="ec")</pre>
```

Hurst

Statistical estimation of the Hurst function

#### **Description**

This function computes statistical estimates for the Hurst function of multifractional processes.

#### Usage

```
Hurst(X.t, N = 100, Q = 2, L = 2)
```

### Arguments

X.t	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence from 0 to 1 and the second the values of the multifractional process. For reliable estimates the data frame should be of at least 500 data points.
N	Number of sub-intervals on which the estimation is performed on. Default is set to 100 sub-intervals.
Q	Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.
L	Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.

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#### **Details**

Statistical estimation of the Hurst function is done based on the results of Ayache, A., & Bouly, F. (2023). The estimator is built through generalized quadratic variations of the process associated with its increments.

#### Value

A data frame of class "est" where the first column is a time sequence and second column is estimated values of the Hurst function.

#### References

Ayache, A. and Bouly, F. (2023). Uniformly and strongly consistent estimation for the random Hurst function of a multifractional process. Latin American Journal of Probability and Mathematical Statistics, 20(2):1587–1614. doi:10.30757/alea.v2060.

#### See Also

```
plot.est
```

#### **Examples**

```
#Example 1: For a multifractional process simulated using GHBMP function T <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10) H <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))} X <- GHBMP(T,H) Hurst(X)
```

kmeans\_hurst

K-means clustering of multifractional processes

#### **Description**

This function performs k-means clustering of realisations of multifractional processes based on the estimated Hurst functions.

#### Usage

```
kmeans_hurst(X.t, k, ..., N = 100, Q = 2, L = 2)
```

### Arguments

X.t	A list of data frames. In each data frame, the first column is a time sequence
	from 0 to 1 and the second gives the values of the multifractional process. See
	Examples for usage.

k The desired number of clusters.

... Optional arguments: iter.max, nstart and algorithm. Refer kmeans.

N Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Number of sub-intervals on which the estimation is performed on. Default is set to 100 sub-intervals.

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Q	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Fixed integer greater than
	or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.

Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.

#### **Details**

The Hurst function of each realisation is estimated using Hurst. The smoothed Hurst estimates are used for k-means clustering in kmeans. The Hartigan and Wong algorithm is used as the default k-means clustering algorithm.

#### Value

An object list of class "k\_hurst" with print and plot methods. The list has following components:

cluster\_info A data frame indicating the cluster number and euclidean distance to cluster center of each smoothed estimated Hurst function (item)

cluster A vector of cluster number of each item.

cluster\_sizes Number of item in each cluster.

centers A data frame of cluster centers. Center obtained as the average of each smoothed estimated Hurst function in the cluster. Columns denote time points in which estimates were obtained. Row names denote cluster numbers.

smoothed\_Hurst\_estimates A data frame of smoothed Hurst estimates. Columns denote time points in which estimates were obtained. Rows denote estimates for each realisation.

raw\_Hurst\_estimates A list of data frames of raw Hurst estimates.

call Information about the input parameters used

#### See Also

```
print.k_hurst, plot.k_hurst, hclust_hurst
```

```
#Simulation of multifractional processes
t <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)
H1 <- function(t) {return(0.1+0*t)}
H2 <- function(t) {return(0.2+0.45*t)}
H3 <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))}
X.list.1 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H1),simplify = FALSE)
X.list.2 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H2),simplify = FALSE)
X.list.3 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H3),simplify = FALSE)
X.list <- c(X.list.1,X.list.2,X.list.3)

#K-means clustering based on k=3 clusters
KC <- kmeans_hurst(X.list,k=3)
print(KC)

#Plot of smoothed Hurst functions in each cluster with cluster centers
plot(KC,type ="ec")</pre>
```

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LFD

Estimation of the local fractal dimension

### Description

This function computes the estimates for the local fractal dimension of multifractional processes.

### Usage

```
LFD(X.t, N = 100, Q = 2, L = 2)
```

### **Arguments**

X.t	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence from 0 to 1 and the second the values of the multifractional process. For reliable estimates the data frame should be of at least 500 data points.
N	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst function. Number of sub-intervals on which the estimation is performed on. Default is set to 100 sub-intervals.
Q	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst function. Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.
L	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst function. Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.

### Value

A data frame where the first column is a time sequence and second column is estimated values of the local fractal dimension.

#### See Also

```
Hurst, plot.est, plot.mp
```

```
#Example 1: For a multifractional process simulated using GHBMP function T <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10) 
 H <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))} 
 X <- GHBMP(T,H) 
 LFD(X)
```

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long_streak Longest streak of increasing/decreasing
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#### **Description**

Computes the time span of the longest increasing or decreasing streak for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

### Usage

```
long_streak(X, direction = "increasing", subI = NULL, plot = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

X	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $t$ and the second one is the values of the time series $X(t)$ .
direction	A vector of character strings which specifies the direction of the streak: "increasing" or "decreasing".
subI	Time sub-interval is a vector, where the lower bound is the first element and upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided level crossing times of the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time interval is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series and the longest streak of increasing/decreasing is plotted.

#### Value

Time span t and the corresponding X(t) of the longest increasing/decreasing streak.

#### See Also

```
mean_streak
```

### **Examples**

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=100)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(100))
long_streak(TS,direction='decreasing',subI=c(0.2,0.8),plot=TRUE)</pre>
```

mean\_streak

Mean time span of increasing increasing/decreasing streaks

### Description

Computes the mean time span of the increasing/decreasing streaks for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

#### Usage

```
mean_streak(X, direction = "increasing", subI = NULL, plot = FALSE)
```

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#### **Arguments**

Χ	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $t$ and the second one is the values of the time series $X(t)$ .
direction	A vector of character strings which specifies the direction of the streak: "increasing" or "decreasing".
subI	Time sub-interval is a vector, where the lower bound is the first element and upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided level crossing times of the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time interval is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series and the increasing/decreasing streaks are plot-

#### Value

Mean time span of the increasing/decreasing streaks

#### See Also

```
long_streak
```

### **Examples**

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=100)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(100))
mean_streak(TS,direction='decreasing',subI=c(0.2,0.8),plot=TRUE)</pre>
```

plot.est

Plot theoretical and estimated Hurst functions

### Description

Creates a plot of the estimated Hurst function with the theoretical Hurst function and the smoothed estimated Hurst function using the return from Hurst.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'est'
plot(x, H = NULL, Raw_Est_H = TRUE, Smooth_Est_H = TRUE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

X	Return from Hurst.	
Н	Theoretical Hurst function. Optional: If provided, the theoretical Hurst function is plotted.	
Raw_Est_H	Logical: If TRUE, the Hurst function estimated by using Hurst is plotted.	
Smooth_Est_H	Logical: If TRUE, the smoothed estimated Hurst function is plotted. The estimated Hurst function is smoothed using the loess method.	
	Unused arguments.	

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#### Value

A ggplot object which plots the theoretical, estimated and smoothed Hurst functions.

#### See Also

Hurst

#### **Examples**

```
#Simulation of the multifractional process and estimation of the Hurst function T <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10) H <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))} X <- GHBMP(T,H)  
Est_H <- Hurst(X)  
#Plot of theoretical, estimated and smoothed Hurst functions plot(Est_H,H=H)  
#Plot of estimated and smoothed Hurst functions plot(Est_H)
```

plot.hc\_hurst

Plot smoothed Hurst functions in each cluster with cluster centers

#### **Description**

Creates a plot of the smoothed Hurst functions of realisations of multifractional processes separately in each cluster with cluster centers using the return from hclust\_hurst. Options to plot only estimates, only centers or both are available.

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'hc_hurst'
plot(x, type = "estimates", ...)
```

### Arguments

x Return from hclust\_hurst.

type The type of plot required:
 "estimates" Only the smoothed Hurst functions in each cluster.
 "centers" Only the cluster centers. Center denotes average of all smoothed
 Hurst functions in the cluster
 "ec" Both "estimates" and "centers".

... Unused arguments

#### Value

A ggplot object which plots the relevant type of plot: "estimates", "centers" or "ec".

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#### See Also

```
hclust_hurst
```

#### **Examples**

```
#Simulation of multifractional processes
t <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)
H1 <- function(t) {return(0.1+0*t)}
H2 <- function(t) {return(0.2+0.45*t)}
H3 <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))}
X.list.1 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H1),simplify = FALSE)
X.list.2 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H2),simplify = FALSE)
X.list.3 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H3),simplify = FALSE)
X.list <- c(X.list.1,X.list.2,X.list.3)

#Hierarchical clustering based on k=3 clusters with dendrogram plotted
HC<- hclust_hurst(X.list,k=3,dendrogram=TRUE)
print(HC)

#Plot of smoothed Hurst functions in each cluster with cluster centers
plot(HC,type ="ec")</pre>
```

plot.k\_hurst

Plot smoothed Hurst functions in each cluster with cluster centers

#### **Description**

Creates a plot of the smoothed Hurst functions of realisations of multifractional processes separately in each cluster with cluster centers using the return from kmeans\_hurst. Options to plot only estimates, only centers or both are available.

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'k_hurst'
plot(x, type = "estimates", ...)
```

### Arguments

#### Value

A ggplot object which plots the relevant type of plot: "estimates", "centers" or "ec".

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#### See Also

kmeans\_hurst

#### **Examples**

```
#Simulation of multifractional processes
t <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)
H1 <- function(t) {return(0.1+0*t)}
H2 <- function(t) {return(0.2+0.45*t)}
H3 <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))}
X.list.1 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H1),simplify = FALSE)
X.list.2 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H2),simplify = FALSE)
X.list.3 <- replicate(3, GHBMP(t,H3),simplify = FALSE)
X.list <- c(X.list.1,X.list.2,X.list.3)

#K-means clustering based on k=3 clusters
KC <- kmeans_hurst(X.list,k=3)
print(KC)

#Plot of smoothed Hurst functions in each cluster with cluster centers
plot(KC,type ="ec")</pre>
```

plot.mp

Plot Gaussian Haar-based multifractional processes with their theoretical and estimated Hurst functions

### Description

Creates a plot of the Gaussian Haar-based multifractional process simulated by using GHBMP with theoretical Hurst function (if provided), Hurst function estimated using Hurst and the smoothed estimated Hurst function.

#### Usage

```
## $3 method for class 'mp'
plot(
    x,
    H = NULL,
    Raw_Est_H = TRUE,
    Smooth_Est_H = TRUE,
    N = 100,
    Q = 2,
    L = 2,
    ...
)
```

#### Arguments

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x Return from GHBMP. For accurate estimated Hurst functions, x should be of at least 500 data points.

Theoretical Hurst function. Optional: If provided, the theoretical Hurst function is plotted.

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Raw_Est_H	Logical: If TRUE, the Hurst function estimated by using Hurst is plotted.
Smooth_Est_H	Logical: If TRUE, the smoothed estimated Hurst function is plotted. The estimated Hurst function is smoothed using the loess method.
N	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Number of sub-intervals on which the estimation is performed on. Default is set to 100 sub-intervals.
Q	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.
L	Argument used for the estimation of Hurst functions. Fixed integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.
	Unused arguments.

#### Value

A ggplot object which plots the multifractional process with theoretical, estimated and smoothed Hurst functions.

#### See Also

```
GHBMP, Hurst
```

#### **Examples**

```
#Simulation of the multifractional process and estimation of the Hurst function T <- seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10) H <- function(t) {return(0.5-0.4*sin(6*3.14*t))} X <- GHBMP(T,H) #Plot of multifractional process, theoretical, estimated and smoothed Hurst functions plot(X,H=H) #Plot of multifractional process, estimated and smoothed Hurst functions plot(X)
```

print.hc\_hurst

Print method for "hc\_hurst" class objects

#### **Description**

Prints the results of hierarchical clustering of realisations of processes.

#### Usage

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

#### **Arguments**

x Object of class "hc\_hurst".

... Unused arguments

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#### See Also

hclust\_hurst

print.k\_hurst

Print method for "k\_hurst" class objects

#### **Description**

Prints the results of k-means clustering of realisations of processes.

#### Usage

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

### Arguments

x Object of class "k\_hurst".

... Unused arguments

#### See Also

kmeans\_hurst

RS\_Index

Relative strength index

### Description

This function computes the Relative Strength Index (RSI) from a series of prices.

#### Usage

```
RS_Index(prices, period = 14, plot = FALSE, overbought = 70, oversold = 30)
```

#### Arguments

prices	Series of prices as a list, vector or xts object.
period	Period length used for smoothing. Default is set to 14.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, a plot of the price series and a plot of the RSI are displayed in the same window.
overbought	Horizontal line which indicates an overbought level in the RSI plot. Default is set to 70.
oversold	Horizontal line which indicates an oversold level in the RSI plot. Default is set

to 30.

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#### **Details**

To compute the RSI,  $100 \frac{Average_gain}{Average_gain + Average_loss}$  formula is used. Average gain and average loss are computed using the Wilders's smoothing method.

#### Value

A list, vector or xts object of the RSI values. If plot=TRUE, a plot of the price series and a plot of the RSI with overbought and oversold levels are plotted.

#### **Examples**

shinyapp\_sim

Shiny app to plot realisations of Gaussian Haar-based multifractional processes with theoretical and estimated Hurst functions

#### **Description**

Launches a shiny app that plots the realisations of Gaussian Haar-based multifractional processes simulated using the function GHBMP with theoretical Hurst function, Hurst function estimated using Hurst and the smoothed estimated Hurst function.

#### Usage

```
shinyapp_sim()
```

#### Value

An interactive shiny app with the following user interface controls:

Hurst function Input the Hurst function in terms of t. The default is set to 0.2+0\*t.

Time sequence Input the time sequence which belongs to the interval [0,1]. The default is set to  $seq(0,1,by=(1/2)^10)$ .

J Input or select a positive integer. For large J could be rather time consuming. Default is set to 15.

Number of sub-intervals for estimation  $\ensuremath{\text{Default}}$  is set to 100.

- Q Input or select an integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.
- L Input or select an integer greater than or equal to 2. Default is set to 2.

Hurst function to plot Select: Theoretical Hurst function, Raw estimate of Hurst function, Smoothed estimate of Hurst function

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#### See Also

```
GHBMP, Hurst
```

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
#To run the shiny app
shinyapp_sim()
## End(Not run)
```

sim\_FGN

Simulation of fractional Gaussian noise

### Description

This function simulates a realisation of the fractional Gaussian noise over time interval  $[t_{start}, t_{end}]$  for a provided Hurst parameter.

### Usage

```
sim_FGN(H, t_start, t_end, N = 1000, plot = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

H Hurst parameter which lies between 0 and 1.

t\_start Initial time point.t\_end Terminal time point.

N Number of time steps the interval  $[t_{start}, t_{end}]$  is split into. Default set to 1000.

plot Logical: If TRUE, the realisation of the fractional Gaussian noise is plotted.

#### Value

A data frame where the first column is t and second column is simulated values of the realisation of fractional Gaussian noise.

#### See Also

```
FBM, Bm, GHBMP
```

```
sim_FGN(H=0.3,t_start=0,t_end=1,plot=TRUE)
```

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sojourn	Estimated sojourn measure	
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### Description

Computes the estimated sojourn measure for X(t) greater or lower than the constant level A for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

### Usage

```
sojourn(X, A, n = 10000, level = "greater", subI = NULL, plot = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

X	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $t$ and the second one is the values of the time series $X(t)$ .
Α	Constant level as a numeric value.
n	Number of points a time interval to be split into. Default set to 10000.
level	A vector of character strings which specifies which sojourn measure required for X, "greater" or "lower" than A. Default set to "greater".
subI	Time sub-interval is a vector, where the lower bound is the first element and the upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided, the estimated sojourn measure for the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time interval is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series, constant level and the sojourn measure are plotted.

### Value

Estimated sojourn measure. If plot=TRUE, the time series, the constant level and the excursion region are plotted.

### See Also

```
A.excursion
```

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=1000)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(1000))
sojourn(TS,0.8,level='lower',subI=c(0.5,0.8),plot=TRUE)</pre>
```

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### Description

This function computes the maximum of a time series for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

### Usage

```
X_max(X, subI = NULL, plot = FALSE, vline = FALSE, hline = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

X	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $(t)$ and the second the values of the time series $(X(t))$ .
subI	Time sub-interval is a vector where the lower bound is the first element and upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided maximum of the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time sequence is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series, the maximum and corresponding $\boldsymbol{t}$ values are plotted.
vline	Logical: If TRUE, a vertical line is plotted across the maximum.
hline	Logical: If TRUE, a horizontal line is plotted across the maximum.

#### Value

Print the maximum of the time series and the corresponding t values. If plot=TRUE, a plot of the time series with with maximum and corresponding t values are plotted.

### See Also

X\_min

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=100)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(100))
X_max(TS,subI=c(0.5,0.8),plot=TRUE)</pre>
```

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X_min	Estimated minimum of a time series	

### Description

This function computes the minimum of a time series for the provided time interval or its sub-interval.

### Usage

```
X_min(X, subI = NULL, plot = FALSE, vline = FALSE, hline = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

X	Data frame where the first column is a time sequence $t$ and the second the values of the time series $X(t)$ .
subI	Time sub-interval is a vector where the lower bound is the first element and upper bound is the second. Optional: If provided minimum of the sub-interval is returned, otherwise the whole time interval is considered.
plot	Logical: If TRUE, the time series, the minimum and corresponding $\boldsymbol{t}$ values are plotted.
vline	Logical: If TRUE, a vertical line is plotted across the minimum.
hline	Logical: If TRUE, a horizontal line is plotted across the minimum.

### Value

Print the minimum of the time series and the corresponding t values. If plot=TRUE, a plot of the time series with with minimum and corresponding t values are plotted.

#### See Also

X\_max

```
t <- seq(0,1,length=100)
TS <- data.frame("t"=t,"X(t)"=rnorm(100))
X_min(TS,subI=c(0.2,0.8),plot=TRUE)</pre>
```

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