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# Description

A package to detect and quantify community assembly processes using trait values of individuals or populations, the T-statistics and other metrics, and dedicated null models.

### **Details**

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This package provides functions to calculate T-statistics (Tstats function) and other uni-traits metrics (ComIndex function) to test community assembly traits measured on individuals and beyond (e.g. populations, functional groups). Variance partitioning (partvar function) and density plot (plot-Distri function) are also available. Finaly, this package includes functions to summarize community assembly metrics and functions to plot standardized effect size of index.

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| AbToInd | Internal function.<br>like matrix. | Transform abundance data matrix into individual |  |
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## **Description**

Transform abundance data matrix into individual like matrix to allows the use of ComIndex and ComIndexMulti on populationnal or specific traits values.

# Usage

```
AbToInd(traits, com, type="count")
```

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#### **Arguments**

traits Individual Matrix of traits with traits in columns. "traits" matrix must have row

names (e.g. species or populationnal names).

com Community data matrix with species in rows and sites in column.

type Either "count" or "abundance". Use abundance when all values in the com ma-

trix are not superior to one. Using abundance type is EXPERIMENTAL. This

function round abundance to fit count data.

#### **Details**

Internal function

#### Value

A list of objects:

\$traits Individual traits matrix
\$sp Vector of species attributes
\$ind.plot Vector of sites attributes

### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

as.listofindex Transform index results in a list of index

## **Description**

Transform various results from functions Tstast, ComIndex or ComIndexMulti in a list of index. Useful to use the functions plot.listofindex (S3 method) and ses.listofindex.

### Usage

```
as.listofindex(x, namesindex = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

x A list of objects of class Tstast, ComIndex or ComIndexMulti namesindex Optionnal, the names of index in the same order as in x.

#### Value

A list of observed values and corresponding "null" values (i.e. produced by null models) in the form "list(index1, null model index1, index2, null model index2 ...)"

## Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

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#### See Also

```
ses.listofindex; plot.listofindex
```

```
data(finch.ind)
oldpar <- par()
####
#The function ComIndex allow to choose your own function
#(like mean, range, variance...) to calculate customize index.
require(e1071)
funct <- c("mean(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE)",</pre>
"max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "CVNND(x)")
res.finch.sp_mn2 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct, sp=sp.finch,</pre>
nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.sp_mn3 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct, sp=sp.finch,</pre>
nullmodels=c(3,3,3,3), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, print=FALSE)
#We can represent Standardized Effect Size (ses) using the
#function plot(as.listofindex(list1, list2, list3))
#The function ComIndex allow to choose your own function
#(like mean, range, variance...) to calculate customize index.
funct <- c("mean(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE)",</pre>
"max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "CVNND(x)" )
funct <- c("mean(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE)",</pre>
"max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "CVNND(x)" )
res.finch.sp_mn2 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct, sp=sp.finch,
nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.sp_mn3 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct, sp=sp.finch,
nullmodels=c(3,3,3,3), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, print=FALSE)
####
#We can represent Standardized Effect Size (ses)
#using the function plot(as.listofindex(list1, list2, list3))
list.ind2 <- list(res.finch.sp_mn2, res.finch.sp_mn3)</pre>
index.list2 <- as.listofindex(list.ind2)</pre>
plot(index.list2, type="bytraits")
plot(index.list2)
```

| ComIndex | Computing the moments of the trait distribution and other metrics to test and quantify the non-random assembly of communities |
|----------|---|
|          | test and quantify the non-random assembly of communities  |

#### **Description**

Computing the moments of the trait distribution and other metrics to test and quantify the non-random assembly of communities.

# Usage

```
ComIndex(traits = NULL, index = NULL, namesindex = NULL,
nullmodels = NULL, ind.plot = NULL, sp = NULL, com=NULL,
reg.pool=NULL, nperm = 99, printprogress = TRUE, ind.value=TRUE,
type="count")
```

#### **Arguments**

| traits | Individual Matrix | of traits w | vith traits in column. |
|--------|-------------------|-------------|------------------------|
|        |                   |             |                        |

index A vector of function to apply to traits vectors in the form "mean(x, na.rm =

TRUE)" or "range(x)", see examples for more complexe functions.

namesindex A vector of names for index.

nullmodels A vector of values corresponding to null models tu use for each index. A value

of 1 corresponds to a randomization of individual values within a given community. A value of 2 corresponds to randomization of individual values within region, ie within all the dataset. A value of 3 corresponds to randomization of population values (each individual value are replaced by the mean value of it population) within region. For example, if nullmodels=c(1,2), the first index will be calculated on the null model 1 and the second index on the null model 2. If only one value is given, all the the null model will be determined by this value.

ind.plot Factor defining the name of the plot (site or community) in which the individual

is.

sp Factor defining the species which the individual belong to.

com Community data matrix with species (or populations) in rows and sites in col-

umn. Use only if ind.value=FALSE. "traits" matrix and "com" matrix must have

the same number of rows.

reg.pool Regional pool data for traits. If not informed, traits is considere as the regional

pool. This matrix need to be larger than traits. Use only for null model 2.

nperm Number of permutations. If NULL, only observed values are returned;

printprogress Logical value; print progress during the calcul or not.

ind.value Do the data are from individual value. If not, an internal function transform

the abundance data matrix of com into a individual like matrix to compute the

function.

type Only if ind.value=FALSE. Either "count" or "abundance". Use abundance when

one value or more in the com matrix are inferior to one. Using abundance type

is EXPERIMENTAL. This function round abundance to fit count data.

#### **Details**

Compute statistics (e.g. mean, range, CVNND and kurtosis) to test community assembly using null models. For each statistic this function returns observed values and the related null distribution. This function implement three null models which keep unchanged the number of individual per community. Model 1 corresponds to randomization of individual values within community. Model 2 corresponds to randomization of individual values within region. Model 3 corresponds to randomization of population values within region.

In most cases, models 1 and 2 correspond to index at the individual level and the model 3 to index at the species level (or any other aggregate variable like genus, family or functionnal group).

#### Value

An object of class "ComIndex" corresponding to a list of lists:

\$obs List of observed values for each trait in each community. Each component of

the list corresponds to a matrix containing the result for each custom function.

\$Null List of null values for each trait in each community. Each component of the

list corresponds to an array containing the result of the permutations for each

custom function.

\$list.index List of index values and related null models. Internal use in other function.

Traits in columns.

\$list.index.t List of index values and related null models. Internal use in other function.

Traits in rows.

\$sites\_richness

Number of species per site.

\$namestraits Names of traits.

#### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

#### See Also

```
ComIndexMulti; plot.listofindex; ses
```

```
data(finch.ind)
oldpar <- par()

####

#The function ComIndex allow to choose your own function
#(like mean, range, variance...) to calculate customize index.

require(e1071)

funct <- c("mean(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE)",
    "max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "CVNND(x)" )

## Not run:
res.finch.sp_mn2 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct,
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,</pre>
```

```
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.sp_mn3 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(3,3,3,3), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
####
#We can represent Standardized Effect Size (ses)
#using the function plot(as.listofindex(list1, list2, list3))
list.ind2 <- list(res.finch.sp_mn2, res.finch.sp_mn3)</pre>
index.list2 <- as.listofindex(list.ind2)</pre>
plot(index.list2, type="bytraits")
plot(index.list2)
####
#This allows to calcul index per site
#for example using "tapply(x, sites, mean)".
funct <- c("tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))",</pre>
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))",
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) max(x, na.rm=TRUE) -
min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )", "tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)
CVNND(x))")
##Null model 1 is trivial for this function
#because randomisation is within community only
res.finch.ind_mn1 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(1,1,1,1), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.ind_mn2 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
#We can calcul metrics with or without intraspecific variance.
#Calculation of trait averages per population
#(name_sp_site is a name of a population)
#like in the function ComIndex
#and determine the site for each population (sites_bypop)
name_sp_sites=paste(sp.finch, ind.plot.finch, sep="_")
traits.by.pop <- apply(traits.finch, 2 , function (x)</pre>
tapply(x, name_sp_sites, mean , na.rm=TRUE))
sites_bypop <- lapply(strsplit(paste(rownames(traits.by.pop), sep="_"),</pre>
split="_"), function(x) x[3])
funct.withoutIV <- c("tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x)</pre>
mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x)
kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x)
```

```
max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )",
"tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x) CVNND(x))" )
funct.withIV <- c("tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)</pre>
mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)
kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)
max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )",
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) CVNND(x))" )
res.finch.withIV <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct.withIV,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.withoutIV <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct.withoutIV,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(3,3,3,3), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
####
#We can also represent T-statistics and custom index thanks to
#the plot.listofindex function.
res.finch <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch, sp=sp.finch,</pre>
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
list.ind <- list(res.finch.withIV, res.finch.withoutIV ,res.finch)</pre>
index.list1 <- as.listofindex(list.ind, namesindex=c("mean", "kurtosis",</pre>
"range", "CVNND", "mean.pop", "kurtosis.pop", "range.pop", "CVNND.pop",
"T_IP.IC", "T_IC.IR", "T_PC.PR"))
class(index.list1)
par(mfrow=c(2,3))
plot(index.list1,type="bytraits", bysite=TRUE)
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
plot(index.list1,type="bytraits")
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
plot(index.list1,type="simple")
plot(index.list1,type="simple_range")
plot(index.list1,type="normal")
plot(index.list1,type="barplot")
## End(Not run)
####Using ind.value=FALSE and community data matrix if there is no data
#available at the individual level.
## Not run:
#create traits data at the species level
traits_by_sp <- apply(traits.finch,2,function(x) tapply(x,sp.finch,</pre>
function(x) mean(x, na.rm=T)))
```

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```
#create traits data at the populational level
names_sp_ind_plot <- as.factor(paste(sp.finch, ind.plot.finch, sep="@"))</pre>
traits_by_pop <- apply(traits.finch,2,function(x) tapply(x,names_sp_ind_plot,</pre>
function(x) mean(x, na.rm=T) ))
\#create community data matrix at the species or populational level
w1 <- table(sp.finch,ind.plot.finch)</pre>
dim(w1)
dim(traits_by_sp)
w2 <- table(names_sp_ind_plot,ind.plot.finch)</pre>
dim(traits_by_pop)
#Choose indices
require(e1071)
funct <- c("mean(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE)", \\
"max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "CVNND(x)" )
##################
#with species value
res <- AbToInd(traits_by_sp, w1)</pre>
{\tt ComIndex(traits\_by\_sp, nullmodels=2, ind.value=FALSE, index=funct,}
sp=rownames(traits_by_sp), com=w1, nperm=9)
##################
#with population value
res <- AbToInd(traits_by_pop, w2)</pre>
sp.sp <- unlist(strsplit(rownames(traits_by_pop), "@"))[seq(1,39*2,2)]</pre>
ComIndex(traits_by_pop, nullmodels=2, ind.value=FALSE, index=funct,
sp=sp.sp, com=w2)
## End(Not run)
```

#### **Description**

ComIndexMulti

Computing multitraits metrics to test and quantify the non-random assembly of communities

Computing multitraits metrics to test and quantify the non-random as-

#### Usage

```
ComIndexMulti(traits = NULL, index = NULL, by.factor = NULL,
namesindex = NULL, nullmodels = NULL, ind.plot = NULL, sp = NULL,
```

sembly of communities

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com=NULL, reg.pool=NULL, nperm = 99, printprogress = TRUE, ind.value=TRUE, type="count")

#### **Arguments**

traits Individual Matrix of traits with traits in column.

index A vector of functions to apply to traits vectors in the form "mean(x, na.rm =

TRUE)" or "range(x)".

by factor A factor to split the Matrix of traits and compute index for each subset eg for

each site.

names index A vector of names for metrics.

nullmodels A vector of values for null models coresponding to index. A value of 1 corre-

spond to randomization of individual values within community. A value of 2 correspond to randomization of individual values within region. A values of 3

correspond to randomization of population values within region.

ind.plot Factor defining the name of the plot (site or community) in which the individual

is.

sp Factor defining the species which the individual belong to.

com Community data matrix with species (or populations) in rows and sites in col-

umn. Use only if ind.value=FALSE. "traits" matrix and "com" matrix must have

the same number of rows.

reg.pool Regional pool data for traits. If not informed, traits is considere as the regional

pool. This matrix need to be larger than traits. Use only for null model 2.

nperm Number of permutations. If NULL, only observed values are returned;

printprogress Logical value; print progress during the calcul or not.

ind.value Do the data are from individual value. If not, an internal function transform

the abundance data matrix of com into a individual like matrix to compute the

function.

type Only if ind.value=FALSE. Either "count" or "abundance". Use abundance when

all values in the com matrix are not superior to one.

#### Value

A list of lists:

\$obs List of observed values for each trait in each community. Each component of

the list correspond to a matrix containing the result for each custom function.

\$Null List of null values for each trait in each community. Each component of the list

correspond to an array containing the result of the permutations for each custom

function.

\$list.index List of index values and associate null models. Internal use in other function.

Traits in columns.

\$list.index.t List of index values and associate null models. Internal use in other function.

Traits in rows.

\$sites\_richness

Number of species per site.

\$namestraits Names of traits.

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#### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

#### See Also

```
ComIndex; plot.listofindex; ses
```

```
data(finch.ind)
#For most multivariate functions we need to replace (or exclude)
#NA values.
#For this example, we use the package mice to complete the data.
names.sp_ind_plot <- as.factor(paste(sp.finch, ind.plot.finch, sep="_"))</pre>
comm <- t(table(ind.plot.finch,1:length(ind.plot.finch)))</pre>
library(mice)
traits=traits.finch
mice <- mice(traits.finch)</pre>
traits.finch.mice <- complete(mice)</pre>
####
#A simple example to illustrate the concept of the function
#ComIndexMulti
res.sum.1 <- ComIndexMulti(traits.finch,</pre>
index=c("sum(scale(x), na.rm=TRUE)", "sum(x, na.rm=TRUE)"),
by.factor=names.sp_ind_plot, nullmodels=c(2,2),
ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=50, sp=sp.finch)
attributes(ses.listofindex(as.listofindex(res.sum.1)))
####
#A more interesting example using the function hypervolume
#from the package hypervolume.
#We show here several results which differe in there factor
#that delimit the group to calculate different hypervolume
#(argument by_factor).
require(hypervolume)
res.hv.1 <- ComIndexMulti(traits.finch.mice, index=c("as.numeric</pre>
(try(hypervolume(na.omit(x), reps=100, bandwidth=0.2, verbose=FALSE,
warnings=FALSE)@Volume))"), by.factor=rep(1,length(names.sp_ind_plot)),
nullmodels=c(2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, sp=sp.finch)
res.hv.2 <- ComIndexMulti(traits.finch.mice, index=c("as.numeric")</pre>
(try(hypervolume(na.omit(x), reps=100, bandwidth=0.2, verbose=FALSE,
warnings=FALSE)@Volume))"), by.factor=names.sp_ind_plot,
nullmodels=c(2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, sp=sp.finch)
```

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```
res.hv.3 <- ComIndexMulti(traits.finch.mice, index=c("as.numeric
(try(hypervolume(na.omit(x), reps=100, bandwidth=0.2, verbose=FALSE,
warnings=FALSE)@Volume))"), by.factor=ind.plot.finch,
nullmodels=c(2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, sp=sp.finch)

res.hv.4 <- ComIndexMulti(traits.finch.mice, index=c("as.numeric
(try(hypervolume(na.omit(x), reps=100, bandwidth=0.2, verbose=FALSE,
warnings=FALSE)@Volume))"), by.factor=sp.finch,
nullmodels=c(2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, sp=sp.finch)

list.ind.multi <- as.listofindex(list(res.hv.2, res.hv.3, res.hv.4))

ses.listofindex(list.ind.multi)
plot(list.ind.multi, xlim=c(-200,20))

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

**CVNND** 

Coefficient of variation of the nearest neigbourhood distance (CVNND)

### **Description**

Coefficient of variation of the nearest neigbourhood distance (CVNND). Internal use for other function.

# Usage

```
CVNND(trait, div_range= FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

trait Trait vector.

div\_range Does CVNND need to be divise by the range.

# Value

One value corresponding to the coefficient of variation of the nearest neigbourhood for the trait.

# Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

### References

Jung, Vincent, Cyrille Violle, Cedric Mondy, Lucien Hoffmann, et Serge Muller. 2010. Intraspecific variability and trait-based community assembly: Intraspecific variability and community assembly. Journal of Ecology 98 (5): 1134-1140. doi:10.1111/j.1365-2745.2010.01687.x.

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# **Examples**

```
data(finch.ind)
CVNND(traits.finch[,1])
```

decompWithin

Variance partitioning for multiple traits

### **Description**

This function decomposes the variation in community trait composition into three sources: (i) the intraspecific trait variability, (ii) the variability due to species turnover and (iii) their covariation is also separated. This decomposition is computed for the whole variation in the trait values and, The formula specified, across the contribution of various explanatory variables considered in the model. Barplot.decompWithin allow to plot the result of the decomposition.

### Usage

```
decompWithin(traits = NULL, formula = ~1, ind.plot = NULL, sp = NULL,
printprogress = TRUE, ...)
## S3 method for class 'decompWithin'
barplot(height, resume = TRUE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

| traits        | Matrix of traits with traits in column  |
|---------------|---|
| height        | An object of class decompWithin obtain by the function decompWithin.  |
| formula       | The formula parameter must be a one-sided formula, i.e. starting with a tilde ( $\sim$ ) character. The response variable is specified by the next two arguments, specif.avg and const.avg. By default set to $\sim$ 1. |
| ind.plot      | Factor defining the name of the plot (site or community) in which the individual is.  |
| sp            | Factor defining the species which the individual belong to.   |
| printprogress | Logical value; print progress during the calcul or not.   |
| resume        | Logical. If resume=FALSE, plot one graphic by traits.   |
|               | Optional additional arguments   |

# Value

An object of class "decompWithin".

### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere Jan Leps

#### References

Leps, Jan, Francesco de Bello, Petr Smilauer and Jiri Dolezal. 2011. Community trait response to environment: disentangling species turnover vs intraspecific trait variability effects. Ecography 34 (5): 856-863.

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#### See Also

```
barplot.decompWithin; traitflex.anova
```

### **Examples**

```
data(finch.ind)

res.decomp <- decompWithin(traits=traits.finch, sp=sp.finch, ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, print=FALSE)

barplot.decompWithin(res.decomp)

par(mfrow=c(2,2))
barplot.decompWithin(res.decomp, resume=FALSE)
par(mfrow=c(1,1))</pre>
```

finch.ind

Finch morphological data

# Description

Individual morphological data for Darwin's finches. finch is the all data.frame. ind.plot.finch and sp.finch respectively correspond to the Ilsland and the species attribute of each individual. traits.finch is the matrix of traits with four traits in rows and 2677 individuals in columns.

### Usage

```
data(finch.ind)
```

## **Format**

A data.frame of 2677 individuals in rows and 14 columns.

#### **Details**

See http://bioquest.org/birdd/morph.php for more information on database.

#### **Source**

http://bioquest.org/birdd/morph.php

```
data(finch.ind)
```

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| partvar Variance partitioning accross nested scales |  |
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### **Description**

Variance partitioning accross nested scales using a decomposition (varcomp function) of variance on restricted maximum likelihood (REML) method (lme function). See Messier et al. 2010 for more information. barPartvar and piePartvar are associated plotting functions.

# Usage

```
partvar(traits, factors, printprogress = TRUE)
barPartvar(partvar, col.bar = NA, ...)
piePartvar(partvar, col.pie = NA, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

| traits        | Matrix of traits with traits in column   |
|---------------|--|
| factors       | A matrix of factors with the first column corresponds to the higher level factor, the second row the second higher level factor and so on. |
| printprogress | Logical value; print progress during the calcul or not.  |
| partvar       | The result of the partvar function.  |
| col.bar       | Vector of colors of bars   |
|               | Any additional arguments are passed to the pie function.   |
| col.pie       | Vector of color for pie.   |

#### Value

An object of class "partvar" corresponding to a matrix of variance values with traits in rows and nested factors in column.

# Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere Julie Messier

# References

Messier, Julie, Brian J. McGill, et Martin J. Lechowicz. 2010. How do traits vary across ecological scales? A case for trait-based ecology: How do traits vary across ecological scales? Ecology Letters 13(7): 838-848. doi:10.1111/j.1461-0248.2010.01476.x.

#### See Also

```
piePartvar; barPartvar
```

#### **Examples**

```
data(finch.ind)
genus <- as.vector(unlist(strsplit(as.vector(sp.finch),"_"))
[seq(1,length(sp.finch)*2, by=2)])

res.partvar.finch <- partvar(traits=traits.finch,
    factors=cbind(sites=as.factor(as.vector(ind.plot.finch)),
    species=as.factor(as.vector(sp.finch)), genus=as.factor(genus)))

res.partvar.finch

oldpar <- par()
    par(mfrow=c(2,2), mai=c(0.2,0.2,0.2,0.2))
    piePartvar(res.partvar.finch, col=c("red", "green", "blue", "purple"))
par(oldpar)

barPartvar(res.partvar.finch, col=c("red", "green", "blue", "purple"))</pre>
```

plot.listofindex

Plot community assembly index

### **Description**

Plot community assembly index and confidence intervals using a list of index. S3 method for class listofindex.

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'listofindex'
plot(x, type = "normal",
col.index = c("red", "purple", "green"), add.conf = TRUE,
color.cond = TRUE, val.quant = c(0.025, 0.975),
grid.v = TRUE, grid.h = TRUE, xlim = NULL, ylim = NULL,
cex.text = 0.8, plot.ask = FALSE, srt.text = 90,
bysite = FALSE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

| x          | A list of index and related null models obtained from to the as.listofindex function.   |
|------------|---|
| type       | Type of plot. Possible type = "simple", "simple_range", "normal", "barplot" and "bytraits".   |
| col.index  | Vector of colors for index.   |
| add.conf   | Logical value; Add confidence intervals or not.   |
| color.cond | Logical value; If color.cond=TRUE, color points indicate T-statistics values significatively different from the null model and grey points are not different from null model. |
| val.quant  | Numeric vectors of length 2, giving the quantile to calculate confidence interval. By default val.quant= $c(0.025,0.975)$ for a bilateral test with alpha = $5\%$ .           |

| grid.v   | Logical value; print vertical grid or not   |
|----------|---|
| grid.h   | Logical value; print horizontal grid or not   |
| xlim     | Numeric vectors of length 2, giving the x coordinates range   |
| ylim     | Numeric vectors of length 2, giving the y coordinates range   |
| cex.text | Numeric value; the magnification to be used for text relative to the current setting of cex   |
| plot.ask | Logical value; ask for plotting the next plot or not.   |
| srt.text | Degree of rotation for text.  |
| bysite   | Logical value; plot per site or by traits.  |
|          | Any additional arguments are passed to the plot function creating the core of the plot and can be used to adjust the look of resulting graph. |

#### Value

None; used for the side-effect of producing a plot.

## Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

### See Also

```
as.listofindex; plot.Tstats; ses.listofindex
```

```
data(finch.ind)
oldpar <- par()
####
#The function ComIndex allow to choose your own function
#(like mean, range, variance...) to calculate customize index.
require(e1071)
funct <- c("mean(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE)",</pre>
"max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE)", "CVNND(x)" )
## Not run:
res.finch.sp_mn2 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.sp_mn3 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(3,3,3,3), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
####
#We can represent Standardized Effect Size (ses)
#using the function plot(as.listofindex(list1, list2, list3))
list.ind2 <- list(res.finch.sp_mn2, res.finch.sp_mn3)</pre>
```

```
index.list2 <- as.listofindex(list.ind2)</pre>
plot(index.list2, type="bytraits")
plot(index.list2)
## End(Not run)
#This allows to calcul index per site
#for example using "tapply(x, sites, mean)".
funct <- c("tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))",</pre>
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))",
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) max(x, na.rm=TRUE) -
min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )", "tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) CVNND(x))")
##Null model 1 is trivial for this function
#because randomisation is within community only
res.finch.ind_mn1 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(1,1,1,1), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.ind_mn2 <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
####
#We can calcul metrics with or without intraspecific variance.
#Calculation of trait averages per population
#(name_sp_site is a name of a population)
#like in the function ComIndex
#and determine the site for each population (sites_bypop)
name_sp_sites=paste(sp.finch, ind.plot.finch, sep="_")
traits.by.pop <- apply(traits.finch, 2 , function (x)</pre>
tapply(x, name_sp_sites, mean , na.rm=TRUE))
sites_bypop <- lapply(strsplit(paste(rownames(traits.by.pop), sep="_"),</pre>
split="_"), function(x) x[3])
sites_bypop <- lapply(strsplit(paste(rownames(traits.by.pop), sep="_"),</pre>
split="_"), function(x) x[3])
funct.withoutIV <- c("tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop),</pre>
function(x) mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop),
function(x) kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop),
function(x) max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )",
"tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x) CVNND(x))" )
funct.withoutIV <- c("tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop),</pre>
function(x) mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop),
function(x) kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop),
```

```
function(x) max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )"
"tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x) CVNND(x))" )
funct.withIV <- c("tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)</pre>
mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)
kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)
max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )",
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) CVNND(x))" )
funct.withIV <- c("tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)</pre>
mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)
kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))", "tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)
max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )",
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) CVNND(x))" )
res.finch.withIV <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct.withIV,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.withIV <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct.withIV,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
res.finch.withoutIV <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct.withoutIV,</pre>
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(3,3,3,3), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch,
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
## End(Not run)
####
#We can also represent T-statistics and custom index thanks to
#the plot.listofindex function.
## Not run:
res.finch <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch, sp=sp.finch,</pre>
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
list.ind <- list(res.finch.withIV, res.finch.withoutIV ,res.finch)</pre>
index.list1 <- as.listofindex(list.ind, namesindex=c("mean", "kurtosis",</pre>
"range", "CVNND", "mean.pop", "kurtosis.pop", "range.pop", "CVNND.pop",
"T_IP.IC", "T_IC.IR", "T_PC.PR"))
class(index.list1)
par(mfrow=c(2,3))
plot(index.list1,type="bytraits", bysite=TRUE)
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
plot(index.list1,type="bytraits")
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
plot(index.list1,type="simple")
plot(index.list1,type="simple_range")
plot(index.list1,type="normal")
plot(index.list1,type="barplot")
```

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| ## | End(Not | run) |
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| plotCorTstats Plot the bivariate relationships between T-statistics | otCorTstats |
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# **Description**

Plot the bivariate relationships between the three T-statistics namely T\_IP.IC, T\_IC.IR and T\_PC.PR.

# Usage

```
plotCorTstats(tstats = NULL, val.quant = c(0.025, 0.975), add.text= FALSE, bysite= FALSE, col.obj = NULL, plot.ask = TRUE, multipanel = TRUE, ...)
```

### **Arguments**

| tstats     | The list resulting from the function Tstats.   |
|------------|--|
| val.quant  | Numeric vector of length 2, giving the quantile to calculate confidence interval. By default val.quant= $c(0.025,0.975)$ for a bilateral test with alpha = $5\%$ . |
| add.text   | Logical value; Add text or not.  |
| bysite     | Logical value; plot per site or by traits.   |
| col.obj    | Vector of colors for object (either traits or sites).  |
| plot.ask   | Logical value; Ask for new plot or not.  |
| multipanel | Logical value. If TRUE divides the device to shown several traits graphics in the same device.   |
|            | Any additional arguments are passed to the plot function creating the core of the plot and can be used to adjust the look of resulting graph.                      |

### Value

None; used for the side-effect of producing a plot.

### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

### See Also

```
Tstats; plot.Tstats; plotSESvar
```

```
data(finch.ind)
res.finch <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch,
sp=sp.finch, nperm=9)

plotCorTstats(res.finch, bysite = FALSE)
plotCorTstats(res.finch, bysite = TRUE)</pre>
```

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| plotDistri | Plot function to represent density of trait values |  |
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# Description

Plot function to represent density of trait values

# Usage

```
plotDistri(traits=NULL, var.1=NULL, var.2=NULL, col.dens=NULL,
plot.ask=TRUE, ylim.cex=1, cex.leg=0.8, polyg=TRUE,
multipanel=TRUE, leg=TRUE)
```

# **Arguments**

| traits     | Matrix of traits with traits in column.  |
|------------|--|
| var.1      | The first variable defines the division of each plots, in most case either a vector of species or name of sites. |
| var.2      | The second variable define the division by color, in most case either a vector of species or name of sites.      |
| col.dens   | A vector of colors for the second variable.  |
| plot.ask   | Logical value; ask for plotting the next plot or not.  |
| ylim.cex   | Numeric value; the magnification to be used for range of y axe   |
| cex.leg    | Numeric value; the magnification to be used for legend relative to the current setting of cex                    |
| polyg      | Logical value; do the mean distribution is full or empty   |
| multipanel | Logical value. If TRUE divides the device to shown several traits graphics in the same device.                   |
| leg        | Logical value; if TRUE print the legend.   |

### Value

None; used for the side-effect of producing a plot.

# Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

# See Also

```
plotSpPop
```

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#### **Examples**

```
data(finch.ind)
#Plot the distribution of trait values for populations,
#species, sites and regional scales.
#First, let try the distribution for all populations
#of Darwin finches.
par(mfrow=c(4,4), cex=0.5)
plotDistri(traits.finch, sp.finch, ind.plot.finch, ylim.cex=3,
plot.ask=FALSE, multipanel=FALSE, leg=FALSE)
par(mfrow=c(1,1), cex=1)
#Then we can inverse the second and the third arguments
#to plot the distribution for all finches species.
par(mfrow=c(4,4), cex=0.5)
plotDistri(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, ylim.cex=8,
plot.ask=FALSE, multipanel=FALSE, leg=FALSE)
par(mfrow=c(1,1), cex=1)
#You can also plot trait distribution for all species in the region
plotDistri(traits.finch, rep("region", times=dim(traits.finch)[1]),
sp.finch, ylim.cex=6, plot.ask=FALSE, leg=FALSE)
#You can also plot trait distribution for all sites
#without taking into account species identity
plotDistri(traits.finch, rep("toutes_sp", times=dim(traits.finch)[1]),
ind.plot.finch, ylim.cex=3, plot.ask=FALSE)
par(mfrow=c(4,4), cex=0.5)
```

plotRandtest

Plot result of observed indices values against null distribution

### **Description**

Function to plot result of observed indices values against null distribution.

# Usage

```
plotRandtest(x, alternative=c("greater", "less", "two-sided"), ...)
```

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#### **Arguments**

x An object of class listofindex, ComIndex, ComIndexMulti or Tstats.

alternative Indicates the alternative hypothesis and must be one of "two.sided", "greater" or

"less". You can specify just the initial letter. "greater" corresponds to positive

association, "less" to negative association.

... Any additional arguments are passed to the plot function creating the core of the

plot and can be used to adjust the look of resulting graph.

#### Value

None; used for the side-effect of producing a plot.

#### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

#### See Also

```
ComIndex; ComIndexMulti; Tstats; as.listofindex; plot.listofindex
```

### **Examples**

```
data(finch.ind)
res.finch <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch,
sp=sp.finch, nperm=9, print=FALSE)

par(mfrow=c(3,4))

plotRandtest(res.finch)
plotRandtest(res.finch, alter="two-sided")</pre>
```

plotSESvar

Plot SES values against a variable

### **Description**

Plot standardized effect size values against a variable

#### Usage

```
plotSESvar(index.list, variable = NULL, ylab = "variable", color.traits = NULL, val.quant = c(0.025,\ 0.975), resume = FALSE, multipanel = TRUE)
```

## **Arguments**

index.list A list of index and the associate null models in the forme: list(index\_1=index\_1\_observed,

 $index\_1\_nm=null.model.index\_1\ , index\_2=index\_2\_observed, index\_2\_nm=null.model.index\_2, \\$ 

...).

variable The variable against standardized effect sizes are plotted.

ylab Label for the variable.

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color.traits A vector of colors corresponding to traits.

val.quant Numeric vectors of length 2, giving the quantile to calcul confidence interval.

By default val.quant=c(0.025,0.975) for a bilateral test with alpha = 5%.

resume Logical value; resume=FALSE by default; Simplify the plot by plotting the

mean and standard error for index value of multiple traits

multipanel Logical value. If TRUE divides the device to shown several traits graphics in

the same device.

#### Value

None; used for the side-effect of producing a plot.

#### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

#### See Also

```
plot.listofindex; ses
```

#### **Examples**

```
data(finch.ind)
res.finch <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch, sp=sp.finch,
nperm=9)

par(mfrow=c(2,2))
species.richness <- table(ind.plot.finch)
plotSESvar(as.listofindex(list(res.finch)), species.richness,
multipanel=FALSE)

#Same plot with resume=TRUE.

par(mfrow=c(2,2))
plotSESvar(as.listofindex(list(res.finch)), species.richness,
resume=TRUE, multipanel=FALSE)
par(mfrow=c(1,1))</pre>
```

plotSpPop

Plot populations values against species values

# **Description**

Plot populations values against species values. The objectif is to see the contribution of intraspecific vs inter-specific variation to trait gradient.

# Usage

```
plotSpPop(traits = NULL, ind.plot = NULL, sp = NULL, col.ind = rgb(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), col.pop = NULL, col.sp = NULL, col.site = NULL, resume= FALSE, p.val = 0.05, min.ind.signif = 10, multipanel = TRUE, col.nonsignif.lm = rgb(0, 0, 0, 0.5), col.signif.lm = rgb(1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.8), silent= FALSE)
```

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#### **Arguments**

|                  | traits         | Individual Matrix of traits with traits in columns.  |
|------------------|----------------|--|
|                  | ind.plot       | Factor defining the name of the plot in which the individual is.   |
|                  | sp             | Factor defining the species which the individual belong to.  |
|                  | col.ind        | Color for individual values.   |
|                  | col.pop        | Color for populational mean values.  |
|                  | col.sp         | Color for species mean values.   |
|                  | col.site       | Color for sites mean values.   |
|                  | resume         | Logical, if TRUE plot a simple form of the plot.   |
|                  | p.val          | Choosen p.value to print significant linear relationship using linear model. Argument past to the lm funtion internally. |
|                  | min.ind.signif | Minimum individual to print significant linear relationship.   |
|                  | multipanel     | Logical value. If TRUE divides the device to shown several traits graphics in the same device.                           |
| col.nonsignif.lm |                |  |
|                  |                | Color for non significant linear relationship.   |
|                  | col.signif.lm  | Color for significant linear relationship.   |
|                  | silent         | Logical value, if resume=FALSE do not print warnings argument.   |
|                  |                |  |

#### Value

None; used for the side-effect of producing a plot.

### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

## See Also

```
plotDistri
```

```
data(finch.ind)
plotSpPop(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, silent=TRUE)

#If we change the value of the threshold
#(alpha=10% instead of 5%
#and the minimum individual to represent significativity
#fixed to 3 instead of 10 by default)
#we can see some significant relationships.

plotSpPop(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, p.val=0.1, min.ind.signif=3, silent=TRUE)

#For a more simple figure, add the option resume=TRUE.
#Again if we change the value of the threshold
#(alpha=10% instead of 5%
#and the minimum individual to represent significativity
# fixed to 3 instead of 10 by default)
```

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```
#we can see some significant relationships.

plotSpPop(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, silent=TRUE,
resume=TRUE, col.pop="grey")

plotSpPop(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, silent=TRUE,
resume=TRUE, col.pop="grey", col.sp="black")

plotSpPop(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, silent=TRUE,
resume=TRUE, col.pop="grey", col.sp="black",
p.val=0.1, min.ind.signif=3)
```

plotSpVar

Plot populations values against species values

# Description

Plot populations values against species values. The objectif is to see the contribution of intraspecific vs inter-specific variation to trait gradient.

#### Usage

```
plotSpVar(traits = NULL, ind.plot = NULL, sp = NULL, variable = NULL, col.ind = rgb(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), col.pop = NULL, col.sp = NULL, col.site = NULL, resume= FALSE, p.val = 0.05, min.ind.signif = 10, multipanel = TRUE, col.nonsignif.lm = rgb(0, 0, 0, 0.5), col.signif.lm = rgb(1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.8), silent= FALSE)
```

# Arguments

|                  | traits         | Individual Matrix of traits with traits in columns.  |
|------------------|----------------|--|
|                  | ind.plot       | Factor defining the name of the plot in which the individual is.   |
|                  | sp             | Factor defining the species which the individual belong to.  |
|                  | variable       | A matrix of variables corresponding to each site (in rows) and each trait (in columns). If you want to plot all traits against one variable, variable can be a vector of numerical values. |
|                  | col.ind        | Color for individual values.   |
|                  | col.pop        | Color for populational mean values.  |
|                  | col.sp         | Color for species mean values.   |
|                  | col.site       | Color for sites mean values.   |
|                  | resume         | Logical, if TRUE plot a simple form of the plot.   |
|                  | p.val          | Choosen p.value to print significant linear relationship using linear model. Argument past to the lm funtion internally.   |
|                  | min.ind.signif | Minimum individual to print significant linear relationship.   |
|                  | multipanel     | Logical value. If TRUE divides the device to shown several traits graphics in the same device.   |
| col.nonsignif.lm |                |  |
|                  |                | Color for non significant linear relationship.   |
|                  | col.signif.lm  | Color for significant linear relationship.   |
|                  | silent         | Logical value, if resume=FALSE do not print warnings argument.   |
|                  |                |  |

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#### Value

None; used for the side-effect of producing a plot.

#### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

#### See Also

plotDistri

# **Examples**

```
data(finch.ind)
#Random variable for this example
variable <- c(1,5,15,6,3,25)
plotSpVar(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, variable,
silent=TRUE)
#If we change the value of the threshold
#(alpha=10% instead of 5%
#and the minimum individual to represent significativity
#fixed to 3 instead of 10 by default)
#we can see some significant relationships.
plotSpVar(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, variable,
p.val=0.1, min.ind.signif=3, silent=TRUE)
#For a more simple figure, add the option resume=TRUE.
#Again if we change the value of the threshold
#(alpha=10% instead of 5%
#and the minimum individual to represent significativity
# fixed to 3 instead of 10 by default)
#we can see some significant relationships.
plotSpVar(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, variable,
silent=TRUE, resume=TRUE, col.pop="grey")
plotSpVar(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, variable,
silent=TRUE, resume=TRUE, col.pop="grey", col.sp="black")
plotSpVar(traits.finch, ind.plot.finch, sp.finch, variable,
silent=TRUE, resume=TRUE, col.pop="grey", col.sp="black",
p.val=0.1, min.ind.signif=3)
```

RaoRel

Alpha, gamma and beta-components for taxonomic, functional and phylogenetic diversity

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#### **Description**

The Rao function computes alpha, gamma and beta-components for taxonomic, functional and phylogenetic diversity with the Rao index. The script integrates two functions: "Qdecomp", by Villeger et Mouillot (J Ecol, 2008) modified by Wilfried Thuiller, and "disc", by S. Pavoine, in the package ade4. For a regional assemblage of C local communities gamma = mean(alpha) + beta, where: gamma is the diversity of the regional pool, alpha is the diversity of the local community and beta is the turn over between local communities diversity is estimated with the Rao quadratic entropy index (Rao 1982)

### Usage

```
RaoRel(sample, dfunc, dphyl, weight = FALSE, Jost = FALSE,
structure = NULL)
```

Bello et al, 2011 for more details.

#### **Arguments**

| sample    | Community matrix of abundance (c $x$ s) of the s species for the c local communities.                |
|-----------|--|
| dfunc     | matrix $(s \ x \ s)$ or dist object with pairwise functional trait distances between the $s$ species |
| dphyl     | As dfunct but for phylogenetic distances   |
| weight    | Defining if the correction by Villeger & Mouillot (J Ecol, 2008) is applied or not                   |
| Jost      | Defining if the Jost correction is applied (Jost 2007)   |
| structure | A data frame containing the name of the group to which samples belong see de                         |

#### **Details**

NA are not allowed in "locabrel <- abundances/ablocist". NA are automatically replaced by 0 in "sample". This function use the function "Qdecomp" by Sebastien Villeger & David Mouillot (J Ecol, 2008) modified by Wilfried Thuiller and the function disc originally proposed by Sandrine Pavoine.

#### Value

The results are organized for Taxonomic diversity (\$TD), Functional diversity (\$FD) and phylogenetical diversity (\$PD). Beta and gamma diversities are calculated for the whole data set and for each pair of samples ("Pairwise\_samples"):

\$Richness\_per\_plot(number of species per sample)

\$Relative\_abundance (species relative abundances per plot)

\$Pi (species regional relative abundance)

\$Wc (weigthing factor),

\$Mean\_Alpha (mean aplpha diversity; for taxonomic diversity the Simpson index is calculated)

\$Alpha (alpha diversity for each sample; for taxonomic diversity the Simpson index is calculated)

\$Gamma (gamma diversity; for taxonomic diversity the Simpson index is calculated)

\$Beta\_add (Gamma-Mean\_Alpha)

\$Beta\_prop (Beta\_add\*100/Gamma)

\$Pairwise\_samples\$Alpha (mean alpha for each pair of samples)

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```
$Pairwise_samples$Gamma (gamma for each pair of samples)
$Pairwise_samples$Beta_add (beta for each pair of samples as Gamma-Mean_Alpha)
$Pairwise_samples$Beta_prop (beta for each pair of samples as Beta_add*100/Gamma)
```

#### Author(s)

Francesco De Bello et al., 2011

#### References

De Bello, Francesco, Sandra Lavorel, Cecile H. Albert, Wilfried Thuiller, Karl Grigulis, Jiri Dolezal, stepan Janecek, et Jan Leps. 2011. Quantifying the relevance of intraspecific trait variability for functional diversity: Intraspecific variability in functional diversity. Methods in Ecology and Evolution 2: 163-174.

```
data(finch.ind)
## Not run:
comm <- t(table(ind.plot.finch,1:length(ind.plot.finch)))</pre>
comm.sp <- table(sp.finch, ind.plot.finch)</pre>
class(comm.sp) <- "matrix"</pre>
traits.finch.sp <- apply( apply(traits.finch, 2, scale ), 2,</pre>
function(x) tapply(x, sp.finch, mean, na.rm=TRUE))
mat.dist <- as.matrix(dist(traits.finch.sp))^2</pre>
res.rao <- RaoRel(sample=as.matrix(comm.sp), dfunc=mat.dist, dphyl=NULL,</pre>
weight=FALSE, Jost=FALSE, structure=NULL)
witRao <- res.rao$FD$Mean_Alpha #overall within species variance</pre>
betRao <- res.rao$FD$Beta_add  #between species variance</pre>
totRao <- res.rao$FD$Gamma #the total variance</pre>
witRao+betRao
totRao
#Now let"s take the abundance to calculate Rao diversity.
res.rao.w <- RaoRel(sample=as.matrix(comm.sp), dfunc=mat.dist, dphyl=NULL,</pre>
weight=TRUE, Jost=FALSE, structure=NULL)
witRao.w <- res.rao.w$FD$Mean_Alpha #overall within species variance</pre>
betRao.w <- res.rao.w$FD$Beta_add  #between species variance</pre>
totRao.w <- res.rao.w$FD$Gamma</pre>
                                       #the total variance
witRao.w
betRao.w
#Plot the results
barplot(cbind(c(witRao.w, betRao.w), c(witRao, betRao)),
```

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```
names.arg =c("abundance" ,"presence"),
legend.text=c("within species", "between species"),
ylab="Rao", ylim=c(0,10))
#We can do this analysis for each trait separately.
#First we need to replace (or exclude) NA values.
#For this example, we use the package mice to complete the data.
comm <- t(table(ind.plot.finch,1:length(ind.plot.finch)))</pre>
library(mice)
traits=traits.finch
mice <- mice(traits.finch)</pre>
traits.finch.mice <- complete(mice)</pre>
traits.finch.mice.sp <- apply(apply(traits.finch.mice, 2, scale ), 2,</pre>
function(x) tapply(x, sp.finch, mean, na.rm=TRUE))
trait.rao.w <- list()</pre>
witRao.w.bytrait <- c()</pre>
betRao.w.bytrait <- c()</pre>
for(t in 1:4){
  trait.rao.w[[t]] <- RaoRel(sample=as.matrix(comm.sp),</pre>
  dfunc=dist(traits.finch.mice.sp[,t]), dphyl=NULL, weight=TRUE,
  Jost=FALSE, structure=NULL)
  witRao.w.bytrait <- c(witRao.w.bytrait, trait.rao.w[[t]]$FD$Mean_Alpha)</pre>
  betRao.w.bytrait <- c(betRao.w.bytrait, trait.rao.w[[t]]$FD$Beta_add)</pre>
#Plot the results by traits.
barplot(t(cbind( witRao.w.bytrait, betRao.w.bytrait)),
names.arg = colnames(traits.finch),
legend.text=c("within species", "between species"),
ylab="Rao", ylim=c(0,1.5))
## End(Not run)
```

ses

Standardized effect size and confidence interval for a matrix of statistics

### Description

Calcul standardized effect size and confidence interval for a matrix of statistics and the related null model expressed as a list or as an array. Internal function use by other functions of the package. You can transpose the observed matrix to represent either the SES by traits or by plots. Warnings, to detect automatically the correspondence between dimension of observed matrix and null model list or array, observed matrix needs to have different numbers of rows and columns.

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#### Usage

```
ses(obs = NULL, nullmodel = NULL, val.quant = c(0.025, 0.975))
```

#### **Arguments**

obs Observed matrix or vector of values.

nullmodel Either a list or an array of three (two for a vector of observed values) dimensions

corresponding to the null model permutations.

val.quant Numeric vectors of length 2, giving the quantile to calcul confidence interval.

By default val.quant=c(0.025,0.975) for a bilateral test with alpha = 5%.

#### Value

A list of three components:

\$ses Observed value of standardized effect size.
\$ses.inf Lower limit of the confidence interval.
\$ses.sup Upper limit of the confidence interval.

#### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

#### See Also

```
plot.listofindex; plotSESvar; ses.listofindex
```

### **Examples**

```
data(finch.ind)
res.finch <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch,
sp=sp.finch, nperm=9)
ses(res.finch$T_IP.IC, res.finch$T_IP.IC_nm)
ses(t(res.finch$T_IP.IC), res.finch$T_IP.IC_nm)</pre>
```

ses.listofindex

Standardized effect size for a list of index.

### **Description**

Standardized effect size and confidence interval for a list of index.

# Usage

```
ses.listofindex(index.list = NULL, val.quant = c(0.025, 0.975))
```

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#### **Arguments**

index.list A list of index obtain using the function as.listofindex.

val.quant Numeric vectors of length 2, giving the quantile to calcul confidence interval.

By default val.quant=c(0.025,0.975) for a bilateral test with alpha = 5%.

#### Value

A list which each component correspond to the result of the ses function for an index. Further, each component is a list of three components:

\$ses Observed value of standardized effect size.

\$ses.inf Lower limit of the confidence interval.

\$ses.sup Upper limit of the confidence interval.

#### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere

#### See Also

```
as.listofindex; ses
```

```
data(finch.ind)
res.finch <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch, sp=sp.finch,</pre>
nperm=9, print=FALSE)
#Calcul of means by population (name_sp_site is a name of a population)
#like in the function ComIndex and determine the site
#for each population (sites_bypop)
name_sp_sites=paste(sp.finch, ind.plot.finch, sep="_")
traits.by.pop <- apply(traits.finch, 2 , function (x)</pre>
tapply(x, name_sp_sites, mean , na.rm=TRUE))
require(e1071)
sites_bypop <- lapply(strsplit(paste(rownames(traits.by.pop), sep="_")</pre>
, split="_"), function(x) x[3])
funct.withoutIV <- c("tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop),</pre>
function(x) mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))",
"tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x) kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))",
"tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x)
max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )",
"tapply(x, unlist(sites_bypop), function(x) CVNND(x))" )
funct.withIV \leftarrow c("tapply(x, ind.plot.finch,
function(x) mean(x, na.rm=TRUE))",
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) kurtosis(x, na.rm=TRUE))",
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x)
max(x, na.rm=TRUE) - min(x, na.rm=TRUE) )",
"tapply(x, ind.plot.finch, function(x) CVNND(x))" )
```

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```
res.finch.withIV <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch, index=funct.withIV,
sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(2,2,2,2), ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9
, print=FALSE)
res.finch.withoutIV <- ComIndex(traits=traits.finch,</pre>
index=funct.withoutIV, sp=sp.finch, nullmodels=c(3,3,3,3),
ind.plot=ind.plot.finch, nperm=9, print=FALSE)
##Plot T-statistics and custom metrics thanks to
#the plot.listofindex function.
list.ind <- list(res.finch.withIV, res.finch.withoutIV ,res.finch)</pre>
index.list <- as.listofindex(list.ind,</pre>
namesindex=c("mean", "kurtosis", "range", "CVNND",
 class(index.list)
par(mfrow=c(2,3))
plot(index.list, plot.ask=FALSE)
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
plot(index.list, plot.ask=FALSE, bysite=FALSE)
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
ses.list <- ses.listofindex(index.list)</pre>
#### An other way to see "ses values"
# Custom theme (from rasterVis package)
require(rasterVis)
my.theme <- BuRdTheme()</pre>
# Customize the colorkey
my.ckey <- list(col=my.theme$regions$col)</pre>
levelplot(t(rbind(ses.list[[1]]$ses, ses.list[[2]]$ses,
ses.list[[3]]$ses, ses.list[[4]]$ses)), colorkey=my.ckey,
par.settings=my.theme,border="black")
levelplot(t(rbind(ses.list[[1]]$ses>ses.list[[1]]$ses.sup,
ses.list[[2]]$ses>ses.list[[2]]$ses.sup,
ses.list[[3]]$ses>ses.list[[3]]$ses.sup,
ses.list[[4]]$ses>ses.list[[4]]$ses.sup)),
colorkey=my.ckey, par.settings=my.theme,border="black")
#For all metrics of the list of index
ses.list.levelplot <- c()</pre>
for(i in 1: length(ses.list)){
ses.list.levelplot <- rbind(ses.list.levelplot, ses.list[[i]]$ses)</pre>
}
```

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```
levelplot(t(ses.list.levelplot), colorkey=my.ckey,
par.settings=my.theme,border="black")
```

traitflex.anova

Variance decomposition for a given trait

#### **Description**

This function decomposes variation of trait values within a community into three sources: (i) the intraspecific trait variability, (ii) the variability due to species turnover and (iii) their covariation is also separated. This decomposition is computed for the whole variation in the trait values and, The formula specified, across the contribution of various explanatory variables considered in the model. S3 method plot summarizes graphically the decomposition of trait variation, obtained with the traitflex.anova function. Print is an other S3 method for object of class traitflex.

### Usage

```
traitflex.anova(formula, specif.avg, const.avg, ...)
## S3 method for class 'traitflex'
plot(x, plot.total= FALSE, use.percentage = TRUE,
plot.covar= FALSE, cumul= FALSE,
legend.pos = if (plot.total) "topleft" else "topright",
plot.res = TRUE, ...)
## S3 method for class 'traitflex'
print(x, ...)
```

ables.

# Arguments

| formula        | The formula parameter must be a one-sided formula, i.e. starting with a tilde character. The response variable is specified by the next two arguments, specif.avg and const.avg.  |
|----------------|---|
| specif.avg     | Vector with community trait composition values for a single trait. It is calculated from trait values specific to each community (i.e. trait values for individual species are 'specific' to each plot, or habitat, where the species is found)   |
| const.avg      | Vector with community trait composition values for a single trait. It is calculated from average (fixed) trait values of individual species (i.e. fixed trait value for individual species used for all habitats where the species is found)  |
| x              | An object of class traitflex.   |
| plot.total     | Logical value; if TRUE plot not only the individual components of variation, but also the total variation. This is useful particularly when the decomposition was done with non-trivial formula (i.e. with explanatory variables)   |
| use.percentage | Logical value; if TRUE the individual plotted sources of trait variation are shown as percentages of the total variation, on 0-100 scale.   |
| plot.covar     | Logical value; if TRUE the covariance between within-species trait variability and the variability due to species composition turnover is plotted as yet another category within the stacked bars. The plot.covar argument is entirely ignored when plotting traitflex object fitted with a formula without any predictor vari- |

| cumul      | Logical value; if TRUE values are shown in a cumulative way.   |
|------------|--|
| legend.pos | This argument allows you to specify the position of graph legend. Thus argument is entirely ignored when plotting traitflex object created with a formula without predictors |
| plot.res   | Logical value; if resume=FALSE plot is not shown but the table of values used to print the plot is return.   |
|            | Optional additional arguments.   |

#### **Details**

The formula parameter must be a one-sided formula, i.e. starting with a tilde character. The response variable is specified by the next two arguments, specif.avg and const.avg.

#### Value

An object of class traitflex. There are print and plot methods available for it. The object contains decomposition of sum of squares into intraspecific variation component, compositional variation component, their covariation and total in a SumSq element. This is a data frame with multiple rows if predictors were specified in formula argument. The RelSumSq element contains the same table relativized to unit row totals. Finally, the anova.turnover, anova.total, and anova.diff elements contain the three aov objects used to decompose the variation.

#### Author(s)

Jan Leps et al., 2011

#### References

Leps, Jan, Francesco de Bello, Petr Smilauer and Jiri Dolezal. 2011. Community trait response to environment: disentangling species turnover vs intraspecific trait variability effects. Ecography 34 (5): 856-863.

#### See Also

```
print.traitflex; plot.traitflex
```

Tstats

Computing observed T-statistics (T for Traits) and null expectations.

# **Description**

Computing observed T-statistics (T for Traits) as three ratios of variance, namely T\_IP.IC, T\_IC.IR and T\_PC.PR. This function can also return the distribution of this three statistics under null models.

#### Usage

```
Tstats(traits, ind_plot, sp, reg.pool=NULL, nperm = NULL, printprogress = TRUE,
p.value = TRUE)

## S3 method for class 'Tstats'
barplot(height, val.quant = c(0.025, 0.975),
col.Tstats = c("red", "purple", "green", "white"), ylim=NULL, ...)

## S3 method for class 'Tstats'
plot(x, val.quant = c(0.025, 0.975),
col.Tstats = c("red", "purple", "green"), type = "normal",
add.conf = TRUE, ylim=NULL, xlim=NULL, ...)

summary_Tstats(x, val.quant = c(0.025, 0.975), type = "all")
```

#### **Arguments**

| t, use as.matrix(). |
|---------------------|
| .,                  |

ind\_plot Factor defining the name of the plot in which the individual is.

sp Factor defining the species which the individual belong to.

reg.pool Regional pool data for traits. If not informed, traits is considere as the regional

pool. This matrix need to be larger than traits. Use only for null model 2.

nperm Number of permutations. If NULL, only observed values are returned;

printprogress Logical value; print progress during the calcul or not.

p. value Logical value; calcul p-value or not. p-value are here defined as: (x+1)/y

with x the number of null values greater or lesser than the observed value and y

the total number of null values.

x An object of class Tstats.

height An object of class Tstats.

val.quant Numeric vectors of length 2, giving the quantile to calcul confidence interval.

By default val.quant=c(0.025,0.975) for a bilateral test with alpha = 5%.

col. Tstats A vector of three color correspond to the three T-statistics.

type For the plot function, type of plot. Either "color\_cond", "simple", "simple\_sd",

"normal" and "barplot". For the summary function, type of summary statistics.

Either "binary", "percent", "p.value", "site" or "all".

add.conf Logical value; Add confidence intervals or not.

ylim limits for the y axis. xlim limits for the x axis.

... Any additional arguments are passed to the plot function creating the core of the

plot and can be used to adjust the look of resulting graph.

#### **Details**

S3 method plot: -Normal type plot means, standard deviations, ranges and confidence intervals of T-statistics. -Color\_cond type plot T-statistics for each site and traits with color for significant values and grey for non signifivative ones. -Simple\_sd type plot means, standard deviations and confidence intervals of T-statistics -Simple type plot T-statistics for each site and traits and the

mean confidence intervals by traits -Barplot type plot means, standard deviations and confidence intervals of T-statistics in a barplot fashion

S3 method summary: -Binary type only test if a T-statistics is significatively different from the null expectation for each trait. -Percent type determine the percentage of sites were the T-statistics is significatively different from the null expectation for each trait. Asterix shows global significance of the test. -P-value type determine the p-value (two unilateral tests) of the T-statistics for each trait and sites. -Site type allows to know in which sites T-statistics deviate from the null expectation. -All type do all the precedent type of summary.

#### Value

A list of statistics:

| \$T_IP.IC                             | Observed ratio between variance of individuals in populations and individuals in communities |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|
| \$T_IC.IR                             | Observed ratio between variance of individuals in communities and individuals in the region  |  |
| \$T_PC.PR                             | Observed ratio between variance of populations in communities and populations in the region  |  |
| \$T_PC.PR                             | Observed ratio between variance of populations in communities and individuals in the region  |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          | IP   |  |
|                                       | variance of individuals within populations   |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          | PC   |  |
|                                       | variance of populations within communities   |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          |  |  |
|                                       | variance of communities within the region  |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          |  |  |
|                                       | variance of individuals within communities   |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          |  |  |
| ¢                                     | variance of populations within the region  |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          | variance of individuals within the region  |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          | _  |  |
| Tyai TailCeSTyai _                    | variance of individuals within populations in null model 1                                   |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          | * *  |  |
| TVAI TAILCESTVAI                      | variance of populations within communities in null model 3                                   |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          |  |  |
| • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • | variance of communities within the region in null model 1                                    |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          |  |  |
|                                       | variance of individuals within communities in null model 2                                   |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_</pre>          |  |  |
|                                       | variance of populations within the region in null model 3                                    |  |
| <pre>\$variances\$var_IR_nm2</pre>    |  |  |
|                                       | variance of individuals within the region in null model 2                                    |  |
| \$T_IP.IC_nm                          | If nperm is numeric; Result of simulation for T_IP.IC  |  |
| \$T_IC.IR_nm                          | If nperm is numeric; Result of simulation for T_IC.IR  |  |
| \$T_PC.PR_nm                          | If nperm is numeric; Result of simulation for T_PC.PR  |  |

```
$pval$T_IP.IC.inf
                 If p.value=TRUE; Result of p-value using the alternate hypothesis: T_IP.IC
                 observed < T_IP.IC simulated
$pval$T_IC.IR.inf
                 If p.value=TRUE; Result of p-value using the alternate hypothesis: T_IC.IR
                 observed < T_IC.IR simulated
$pval$T_PC.PR.inf
                 If p.value=TRUE; Result of p-value using the alternate hypothesis: T_PC.PR
                 observed < T_PC.PR simulated
$pval$T_IP.IC.sup
                 If p.value=TRUE; Result of p-value using the alternate hypothesis: T_IP.IC
                 observed > T_IP.IC simulated
$pval$T_IC.IR.sup
                 If p.value=TRUE; Result of p-value using the alternate hypothesis: T_IC.IR
                 observed > T_IC.IR simulated
$pval$T_PC.PR.sup
                 If p.value=TRUE; Result of p-value using the alternate hypothesis: T PC.PR
```

#### Author(s)

Adrien Taudiere Cyrille Violle

#### References

Violle, Cyrille, Brian J. Enquist, Brian J. McGill, Lin Jiang, Cecile H. Albert, Catherine Hulshof, Vincent Jung, et Julie Messier. 2012. The return of the variance: intraspecific variability in community ecology. Trends in Ecology & Evolution 27 (4): 244-252. doi:10.1016/j.tree.2011.11.014.

#### See Also

ComIndex; ComIndexMulti; plotCorTstats; plotSESvar; plot.listofindex

observed > T PC.PR simulated

```
data(finch.ind)

res.finch <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch,
sp=sp.finch, nperm=9, print=FALSE)

attributes(res.finch)

#Tstats class is associated to S3 methods plot, barplot and summary

plot(res.finch)

plot(res.finch, type="color_cond")
plot(res.finch, type="simple")
plot(res.finch, type="simple_sd")
plot(res.finch, type="barplot")

attributes(summary_Tstats(res.finch))
head(summary_Tstats(res.finch))$p.value, 10)

summary_Tstats(res.finch, type="binary")</pre>
```

```
summary_Tstats(res.finch, type="percent")
summary_Tstats(res.finch, type="site")
summary_Tstats(res.finch, type="p.value")
summary_Tstats(res.finch, type="all")
barplot(res.finch)
attributes(summary_Tstats(res.finch))
head(summary_Tstats(res.finch)$p.value, 10)
#### An other way to see "ses values" of T-statistics
# Custom theme (from rasterVis package)
require(rasterVis)
my.theme <- BuRdTheme()</pre>
# Customize the colorkey
my.ckey <- list(col=my.theme$regions$col)</pre>
levelplot(t(ses(res.finch$T_IP.IC,res.finch$T_IP.IC_nm)$ses),
colorkey=my.ckey, par.settings=my.theme,border="black")
#### Use a different regional pool than the binding of studied communities
#create a random regional pool for the example
reg.p <- rbind(traits.finch, traits.finch[sample(1:2000,300),])</pre>
res.finch2 <- Tstats(traits.finch, ind_plot=ind.plot.finch,</pre>
    sp=sp.finch, nperm=9, print=FALSE)
```

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