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Examples

```
### EXAMPLES OF SOME FUNCTIONS AVAILABLE IN THIS SOFTWARE:
```

```
### This demo will use a model (series are usually read using the function 'read').
data(modelA)
```

```
### Interpolate the model stratigraphic series to its median sampling interval
modelAInterp=linterp(modelA)
```

```
### Calculate MTM spectrum using 2pi Slepian tapers, include AR1 confidence level estimates,
### plot power with linear scale
mtm(modelAInterp,tbw=2,ar=TRUE,pl=2)
```

```
### Perform Evolutive Harmonic Analysis using 2pi Slepian tapers, a window of 8 meters,
### pad to 1000 points, and output Harmonic F-test confidence level results
fCL=eha(modelAInterp,win=8,pad=1000,output=4)
```

```
### Extract Harmonic F-test spectrum at approximately 22 meters height
spec=extract(fCL,22)
### In this extracted spectrum, identify F-test peak maxima exceeding 90% confidence level
freqs=peak(spec,level=0.9)[2]
### Conduct ASM testing on these peaks
# set Rayleigh frequency in cycles/m
rayleigh=0.1245274
# set Nyquist frequency in cycles/m
nyquist=6.66597
```

```

# set orbital target in 1/ky
target=c(1/405.47,1/126.98,1/96.91,1/37.66,1/22.42,1/18.33)
# execute ASM
asm(freq=freqs,target=target,rayleigh=rayleigh,nyquist=nyquist,sedmin=0.5,sedmax=3,numsed=100,
    linLog=1,iter=100000,output=FALSE)

# Check to see if this is an interactive R session, for compliance with CRAN standards.
# YOU SHOULD SKIP THE FOLLOWING LINE IF YOU ARE USING AN INTERACTIVE SESSION.
if(interactive()) {

### Interactively track obliquity term in EHA harmonic F-test confidence level results
freqs=trackFreq(fCL,fmin=1.2,fmax=2.4,threshold=0.8)

### Convert the spatial frequencies to sedimentation rates
sedrate=freq2sedrate(freqs,period=37.66)

### Convert the sedimentation rate curve to a time-space map
time=sedrate2time(sedrate)

### Tune the stratigraphic series using the time-space map
modelATuned=tune(modelAInterp,time)

### Interpolate the tuned series
modelATunedInterp=linterp(modelATuned)

### Perform Evolutive Harmonic Analysis on the tuned series
eha(modelATunedInterp)

}

```

anchorTime

Anchor a floating astrochronology to a radioisotopic age

Description

Anchor a floating astrochronology to a radioisotopic age. The floating astrochronology is centered on a given ('floating') time datum and assigned the 'anchored' age.

Usage

```
anchorTime(dat,time,age,timeDir=1,flipOut=F,verbose=T,genplot=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series. First column should be floating time scale, second column should be data value.
time	'Floating' time datum to center record on. Units should be ka.

age	Radioisotopic age (or otherwise) for anchoring at floating 'time' datum. Units should be ka.
timeDir	Direction of 'floating' time in input record; 1 = elapsed time towards present; 2 = elapsed time away from present
flipOut	Flip the output (sort so the ages are presented in decreasing order)? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

ar1	<i>Generate AR(1) surrogates</i>
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Description

Generate AR(1) surrogates. Implement shuffling algorithm of Meyers (2012) if desired.

Usage

```
ar1(npts=1024,dt=1,mean=0,sdev=1,rho=0.9,shuffle=F,nsim=1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

npts	number of time series data points
dt	sampling interval
mean	mean value for AR1 surrogate series
sdev	standard deviation for AR1 surrogate series
rho	AR(1) coefficient
shuffle	Apply secondary shuffle of Gaussian deviates before AR modeling
nsim	Number of AR1 surrogate series to generate
genplot	generate summary plots (T or F)
verbose	verbose output (T or F)

Details

These simulations use the random number generator of Matsumoto and Nishimura [1998]. If shuffle = T, the algorithm from Meyers (2012, pg. 11) is applied: (1) two sets of random sequences of same the length are generated, (2) the first random sequence is then sorted, and finally (3) the permutation vector of the sorted sequence is used to reorder the second random number sequence. This is done to guard against potential shortcomings in random number generation that are specific to spectral estimation.

References

S.R. Meyers, 2012, *Seeing red in cyclic stratigraphy: Spectral noise estimation for astrochronology*: Paleocceanography, v. 27, PA3328.

ar1etp	<i>AR(1) + ETP simulation routine</i>
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Description

Simulate a combined AR(1) + ETP signal, plot spectrum and confidence levels

Usage

```
ar1etp(etpdat=NULL,nsim=100,rho=0.9,wtAR=1,sig=90,tbw=2,padfac=5,ftest=F,fmax=0.1,
      speed=0.5,pl=2,graphfile=0)
```

Arguments

etpdat	Eccentricity, tilt, precession astronomical series. First column = time, second column = ETP. If not entered will use default series from Laskar et al. (2004), spanning 0-1000 kyr.
nsim	Number of simulations.
rho	AR(1) coefficient for noise modeling.
wtAR	Multiplicative factor for AR1 noise (1= equivalent to ETP variance).
sig	Demarcate what confidence level (percent) on plots?
tbw	MTM time-bandwidth product.
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the number of data points.
ftest	Include MTM harmonic f-test results? (T or F)
fmax	Maximum frequency for plotting.
speed	Set the amount of time to pause before plotting new graph, in seconds.
pl	Plot log power (1) or linear power (2)?
graphfile	Output a pdf or jpg image of each plot? 0 = no, 1 = pdf, 2 = jpeg. If yes, there will be no output to screen. Individual graphic files will be produced for each simulation, for assembling into a movie.

Details

Note: Setting wtAR=1 will provide equal variance contributions from the etp model and the ar1 model. More generally, set wtAR to the square root of the desired variance contribution (wtAR=0.5 will generate an AR1 model with variance that is 25% of the etp model).

Note: You may use the function etp to generate eccentricity-tilt-precession models.

References

Laskar, J., Robutel, P., Joutel, F., Gastineau, M., Correia, A.C.M., Levrard, B., 2004, *A long term numerical solution for the insolation quantities of the Earth*: Astron. Astrophys., Volume 428, 261-285.

See Also

[getLaskar](#), and [etp](#)

Examples

```
# run simulations using the default settings
ar1etp()

# compare with a second model:
# generate etp model spanning 0-2000 ka, with sampling interval of 5 ka.
ex1=etp(tmin=0,tmax=2000,dt=5)
# run simulations, with rho=-.7, and scaling noise to have 50% of the etp model variance
ar1etp(etpdat=ex1,rho=-0.7,wtAR=sqrt(0.5))
```

arcsinT	<i>Arcsine transformation of stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Arcsine transformation of stratigraphic series

Usage

```
arcsinT(dat,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for arcsine transformation. Input can have any number of columns desired. If two or more columns are input, the first column must be location (e.g., depth), while remaining columns are data values for transformation.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F). This is automatically deactivated if more than one variable is transformed.
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[demean](#), [detrend](#), [divTrend](#), [logT](#), [prewhiteAR](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

armaGen	<i>Generate autoregressive moving-average model</i>
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Description

Generate an autoregressive moving-average time series model

Usage

```
armaGen(npts=1024,dt=1,m=0,std=1,rhos=c(0.9),thetas=c(0),genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

npts	Number of time series data points.
dt	Sampling interval.
m	Mean value of final time series.
std	Standard deviation of final time series.
rhos	Vector of AR coefficients for each order.
thetas	Vector of MA coefficients for each order.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

asm	<i>Average Spectral Misfit</i>
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Description

Calculate Average Spectral Misfit with Monte Carlo spectra simulations, as updated in Meyers et al. (2012).

Usage

```
asm(freq,target,fper=NULL,rayleigh,nyquist,sedmin=1,sedmax=5,numsed=50,  
    linLog=1,iter=100000,output=F,genplot=T)
```

Arguments

freq	A vector of candidate astronomical cycles observed in your data spectrum (cycles/m). Maximum allowed is 500.
target	A vector of astronomical frequencies to evaluate (1/ka). These must be in order of increasing frequency (e.g., e1,e2,e3,o1,o2,p1,p2). Maximum allowed is 50 frequencies.
fper	A vector of uncertainties on each target frequency (1/ka). Values should be from 0-1, representing uncertainty as a percent of each target frequency. The order of the uncertainties must follow that of the target vector. By default, no uncertainty is assigned.
rayleigh	Rayleigh frequency (cycles/m).
nyquist	Nyquist frequency (cycles/m).
sedmin	Minimum sedimentation rate for investigation (cm/ka).
sedmax	Maximum sedimentation rate for investigation (cm/ka).
numsed	Number of sedimentation rates to investigate in ASM optimization grid. Maximum allowed is 500.
linLog	Use linear or logarithmic scaling for sedimentation rate grid spacing? (0=linear, 1=log)
iter	Number of Monte Carlo simulations for significance testing. Maximum allowed is 100,000.
output	Return output as a new data frame? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)

Details

This function will calculate the Average Spectral Misfit between a data spectrum and astronomical target spectrum, following the approach outlined in Meyers and Sageman (2007), and the improvements of Meyers et al. (2012).

Value

A data frame containing: Sedimentation rate (cm/ka), ASM (cycles/ka), Null hypothesis significance level (0-100 percent), Number of astronomical terms fit.

References

S.R. Meyers and B.B. Sageman, 2007, *Quantification of Deep-Time Orbital Forcing by Average Spectral Misfit*: American Journal of Science, v. 307, p. 773-792.

S.R. Meyers, B.B. Sageman and M.A. Arthur, 2012, *Obliquity forcing of organic matter accumulation during Oceanic Anoxic Event 2*: Paleoceanography, 27, PA3212, doi:10.1029/2012PA002286.

See Also

[eAsm](#), [eAsmTrack](#), [testPrecession](#), [timeOpt](#), and [timeOptSim](#)

Examples

```
## these frequencies are from modelA (type '?astrochron' for more information). Units are cycles/m
freq <- c(0.1599833,0.5332776,1.5998329,2.6797201,3.2796575,3.8795948,5.5194235,6.5459830)
freq <- data.frame(freq)

## Rayleigh frequency in cycles/m
rayleigh <- 0.1245274

## Nyquist frequency in cycles/m
nyquist <- 6.66597

## orbital target in 1/ky. Predicted periods for 94 Ma (see Meyers et al., 2012)
target <- c(1/405.47,1/126.98,1/96.91,1/37.66,1/22.42,1/18.33)

## percent uncertainty in orbital target
fper=c(0.023,0.046,0.042,0.008,0.035,0.004)

asm(freq=freq,target=target,fper=fper,rayleigh=rayleigh,nyquist=nyquist,sedmin=0.5,sedmax=3,
    numsed=100,linLog=1,iter=100000,output=FALSE)
```

autoPlot	<i>Automatically plot multiple stratigraphic series, with smoothing if desired</i>
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Description

Automatically plot and smooth specified stratigraphic data, versus location. Data are smoothed with a Gaussian kernel.

Usage

```
autoPlot(dat,cols=NULL,nrows=NULL,ydir=-1,smooth=0,xgrid=1,output=F,plotype=1,
    genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Your data frame; first column should be location identifier (e.g., depth).
cols	A vector that identifies the columns to extract (first column automatically extracted).
nrows	Number of rows in figure.
ydir	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth,height,time). -1 = values increase downwards, 1 = values increase upwards
smooth	Width (temporal or spatial dimension) for smoothing with a Gaussian kernel (0 = no smoothing); the Gaussian kernel is scaled so that its quartiles (viewed as probability densities, that is, containing 50 percent of the area) are at +/- 25 percent of this value.

xgrid	For kernal smoothing: (1) evaluate on ORIGINAL sample grid, or (2) evaluate on EVENLY SPACED grid covering range.
output	Output data frame of smoothed values? (T or F)
plotype	Type of plot to generate: 1= points and lines, 2 = points, 3 = lines
genplot	generate summary plots (T or F)
verbose	verbose output (T or F)

bandpass	<i>Bandpass filter stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Bandpass filter stratigraphic series using rectangular, Gaussian or tapered cosine (a.k.a. Tukey) window

Usage

```
bandpass(dat, padfac=2, flow=NULL, fhigh=NULL, win=0, alpha=3, p=0.25, demean=T,
         detrend=F, addmean=T, output=1, xmin=0, xmax=Nyq, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for bandpass filtering. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points.
flow	Lowest frequency to bandpass.
fhigh	Highest frequency to bandpass.
win	Window type for bandpass filter: 0 = rectangular , 1= Gaussian, 2= Cosine-tapered window (a.k.a. Tukey window).
alpha	Gaussian window parameter: alpha is 1/stdev, a measure of the width of the Dirichlet kernel. Choose alpha >= 2.5.
p	Cosine-tapered (Tukey) window parameter: p is the percent of the data series tapered (choose 0-1).
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
addmean	Add mean value to bandpass result? (T or F)
output	Output: (1) filtered series, (2) bandpass filter window.
xmin	Smallest frequency for plotting.
xmax	Largest frequency for plotting.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Value

bandpassed stratigraphic series.

See Also

[lowpass](#), [noKernel](#), [noLow](#), [prewhiteAR](#), [prewhiteAR1](#), and [taner](#)

Examples

```
# generate example series with 3 precession terms and noise
ex <- cycles(noisevar=.0004,dt=5)
# bandpass precession terms using cosine-tapered window
res_ex <- bandpass(ex,flow=0.038,fhigh=0.057,win=2,p=.4)
```

 bergerPeriods

Obliquity and precession periods of Berger et al. (1992)

Description

Determine the predicted precession and obliquity periods based on Berger et al. (1992). Values are determined by piecewise linear interpolation.

Usage

```
bergerPeriods(age,genplot=T)
```

Arguments

age	Age (millions of years before present)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)

References

A. Berger, M.F. Loutre, and J. Laskar, 1992, *Stability of the Astronomical Frequencies Over the Earth's History for Paleoclimate Studies*: Science, v. 255, p. 560-566.

cb	<i>Combine multiple vectors</i>
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Description

Bind two vectors together and return result as a data frame. Alternatively, extract specified columns from a data frame, bind them together, and return result as a data frame.

Usage

```
cb(a,b)
```

Arguments

a	first input vector OR a data frame with >1 column.
b	second input vector OR if a is a data frame with > 1 column, a list of columns to bind.

Examples

```
# example dataset
x<-rnorm(100)
dim(x)<-c(10,10)
x<-data.frame(x)

# bind two columns
cb(x[1],x[5])

# bind five columns
cb(x,c(1,2,4,7,9))
```

clipIt	<i>Create non-linear response by clipping stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Create non-linear response by clipping stratigraphic series below a threshold value. Alternatively, mute response below a threshold value using a constant divisor. Both approaches will enhance power in modulator (e.g., eccentricity) and diminish power the carrier (e.g., precession).

Usage

```
clipIt(dat,thresh=NULL,clipval=NULL,clipdiv=NULL,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
thresh	Clip below what threshold value? By default will clip at mean value.
clipval	What number should be assigned to the clipped values? By default, the value of thresh is used.
clipdiv	Clip using what divisor? A typical value is 2. By default, clipdiv is unity.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

constantSedrate	<i>Apply a constant sedimentation rate model to transform a spatial series to temporal series</i>
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Description

Apply a constant sedimentation rate model to transform a spatial series to temporal series.

Usage

```
constantSedrate(dat,sedrate,begin=0,timeDir=1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
sedrate	Sedimentation rate, in same spatial units as dat.
begin	Time value to assign to first datum.
timeDir	Direction of floating time in tuned record: 1 = elapsed time increases with depth/height; -1 = elapsed time decreases with depth/height)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

cosTaper

Apply cosine taper to stratigraphic series

Description

Apply a "percent-tapered" cosine taper (a.k.a. Tukey window) to a stratigraphic series.

Usage

```
cosTaper(dat,p=.25,rms=T,demean=T,detrend=F,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for tapering. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value. If no data is identified, will output a 256 point taper to evaluate the spectral properties of the window.
p	Cosine-tapered window parameter: p is the percent of the data series tapered (choose 0-1). When p=1, this is equivalent to a Hann taper.
rms	Normalize taper to RMS=1 to preserve power for white process? (T or F)
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[dpssTaper](#), [gausTaper](#), and [hannTaper](#)

cycles

Generate harmonic model

Description

Make a time series with specified harmonic components and noise

Usage

```
cycles(freqs=NULL,phase=NULL,amp=NULL,start=0,end=499,dt=1,noisevar=0,genplot=T,
      verbose=T)
```


Arguments

freqs	Vector with frequencies to model ('linear' frequencies).
phase	Vector with phases for each frequency (phase in radians). Phases are subtracted.
amp	Vector with amplitudes for each frequency.
start	First time/depth/height for output.
end	Last time/depth/height for output.
dt	Sampling interval.
noisevar	Variance of additive Gaussian noise.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Value

modeled time series.

Examples

```
## test signal on pg 38 of Choudhury, Shah, and Thornhill (2008)
freqs=c(0.12,0.18,0.30,0.42)
phase=c(-pi/3,-pi/12,-pi/4,-3*pi/8)
amp=c(1,1,1,1)

cycles(freqs,phase,amp,start=0,end=4095,dt=1,noisevar=0.2)
```

delPts	<i>Interactively delete points in plot</i>
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Description

Interactively delete points in x,y plot.

Usage

```
delPts(dat,del=NULL,ptsize=1,xmin=NULL,xmax=NULL,ymin=NULL,ymax=NULL,plotype=1,
       genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Data frame with two columns
del	A vector of indices indicating points to delete. If specified, the interactive plot is disabled.
ptsize	Size of plotted points.

xmin	Minimum x-value (column 1) to plot
xmax	Maximum x-value (column 1) to plot
ymin	Minimum y-value (column 2) to plot
ymax	Maximum y-value (column 2) to plot
plotype	Type of plot to generate: 1= points and lines, 2 = points, 3 = lines
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[idPts](#), [iso](#), [trim](#) and [trimAT](#)

demean	<i>Remove mean value from stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Remove mean value from stratigraphic series

Usage

demean(dat,genplot=T,verbose=T)

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for mean removal. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[arcsinT](#), [detrrend](#), [divTrend](#), [logT](#), [prewhiteAR](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

detrend	<i>Subtract linear trend from stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Remove linear trend from stratigraphic series

Usage

```
detrend(dat, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for linear detrending. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[arcsinT](#), [demean](#), [divTrend](#), [logT](#), [prewhiteAR](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

divTrend	<i>Divide by linear trend in stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Divide data series value by linear trend observed in stratigraphic series

Usage

```
divTrend(dat, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for div-trending. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[arcsinT](#), [demean](#), [detrend](#), [logT](#), [prewhiteAR](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

dpssTaper

Apply DPSS taper to stratigraphic series

Description

Apply a single Discrete Prolate Spheroidal Sequence (DPSS) taper to a stratigraphic series

Usage

```
dpssTaper(dat, tbw=1, num=1, rms=T, demean=T, detrend=F, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for tapering. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value. If no data is identified, will output a 256 point taper to evaluate the spectral properties of the window.
tbw	Time-bandwidth product for the DPSS
num	Which one of the DPSS would you like to use?
rms	Normalize taper to RMS=1 to preserve power for white process? (T or F)
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[cosTaper](#), [gausTaper](#), and [hannTaper](#)

eAsm

Evolutionary Average Spectral Misfit

Description

Calculate Evolutionary Average Spectral Misfit with Monte Carlo spectra simulations, as updated in Meyers et al. (2012).

Usage

```
eAsm(spec, siglevel=0.9, target, fper=NULL, rayleigh, nyquist, sedmin=1, sedmax=5,
      numsed=50, linLog=1, iter=100000, ydir=1, output=4, genplot=F)
```

Arguments

spec	Time-frequency spectral results to evaluate. Must have the following format: column 1=frequency; remaining columns (2 to n)=probability; titles for columns 2 to n must be the location (depth or height). Note that this format is output by function eha.
siglevel	Threshold level for filtering peaks.
target	A vector of astronomical frequencies to evaluate (1/ka). These must be in order of increasing frequency (e.g., e1,e2,e3,o1,o2,p1,p2). Maximum allowed is 50 frequencies.
fper	A vector of uncertainties on each target frequency (1/ka). Values should be from 0-1, representing uncertainty as a percent of each target frequency. The order of the uncertainties must follow that of the target vector. By default, no uncertainty is assigned.
rayleigh	Rayleigh frequency (cycles/m).
nyquist	Nyquist frequency (cycles/m).
sedmin	Minimum sedimentation rate for investigation (cm/ka).
sedmax	Maximum sedimentation rate for investigation (cm/ka).
numsed	Number of sedimentation rates to investigate in ASM optimization grid. Maximum allowed is 500.
linLog	Use linear or logarithmic scaling for sedimentation rate grid spacing? (0=linear, 1=log)
iter	Number of Monte Carlo simulations for significance testing. Maximum allowed is 100,000.
ydir	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth or height). -1 = values increase downwards (slower plotting!), 1 = values increase upwards.
output	Return output as a new data frame? (0 = nothing, 1 = Ho-SL, 2 = ASM, 3 = # astronomical terms, 4 = everything)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)

Details

Please see function asm for details.

References

- S.R. Meyers and B.B. Sageman, 2007, *Quantification of Deep-Time Orbital Forcing by Average Spectral Misfit*: American Journal of Science, v. 307, p. 773-792.
- S.R. Meyers, 2012, *Seeing Red in Cyclic Stratigraphy: Spectral Noise Estimation for Astrochronology*: Paleoceanography, 27, PA3228, doi:10.1029/2012PA002307.
- S.R. Meyers, B.B. Sageman and M.A. Arthur, 2012, *Obliquity forcing of organic matter accumulation during Oceanic Anoxic Event 2*: Paleoceanography, 27, PA3212, doi:10.1029/2012PA002286.

See Also

[asm](#), [eAsmTrack](#), [eha](#), [testPrecession](#), [timeOpt](#), and [timeOptSim](#)

Examples

```
# use modelA as an example
data(modelA)

# interpolate to even sampling interval
modelAInterp=linterp(modelA)

# perform EHA analysis, save harmonic F-test confidence level results to 'spec'
spec=eha(modelAInterp,win=8,step=2,pad=1000,output=4)

# perform Evolutive Average Spectral Misfit analysis, save results to 'res'
res=eAsm(spec,target=c(1/405.47,1/126.98,1/96.91,1/37.66,1/22.42,1/18.33),rayleigh=0.1245274,
        nyquist=6.66597,sedmin=0.5,sedmax=3,numsed=100,siglevel=0.8,iter=10000,output=4)

# identify minimum Ho-SL in each record and plot
pl(1)
eAsmTrack(res[1],threshold=0.05)

# extract Ho-SL result at 18.23 m
HoSL18.23=extract(res[1],get=18.23,pl=1)

# extract ASM result at 18.23 m
asm18.23=extract(res[2],get=18.23,pl=0)
```

eAsmTrack

Track ASM null hypothesis significance level minima in eASM results

Description

Track ASM null hypothesis significance level minima in eASM results.

Usage

```
eAsmTrack(res,threshold=.5,ydir=-1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

res	eAsm results. Must have the following format: column 1=sedimentation rate; remaining columns (2 to n)=Ho-SL; titles for columns 2 to n must be the location (depth or height). Note that this format is ouput by function eAsm.
threshold	Threshold Ho-SL value for analysis and plotting.
ydir	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth or height). -1 = values increase downwards (slower plotting!), 1 = values increase upwards.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

Please see function eAsm for details.

See Also

[asm](#), [eAsm](#), and [eha](#)

 eha

Evolutionary Harmonic Analysis & Evolutionary Power Spectral Analysis

Description

Evolutionary Harmonic Analysis & Evolutionary Power Spectral Analysis using the Thomson multitaper method (Thomson, 1982)

Usage

```
eha(dat,tbw=2,pad,fmin,fmax,step,win,demean=T,detrend=T,siglevel=0.90,
    sigID=F,ydir=1,output=0,pl=1,palette=1,centerZero=T,ncolors=100,xlab,ylab,
    genplot=2,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series to analyze. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
tbw	MTM time-bandwidth product (≤ 10)
pad	Pad with zeros to how many points? Must not factor into a prime number > 23 . Maximum number of points is 200,000.
fmin	Smallest frequency for analysis and plotting.
fmax	Largest frequency for analysis and plotting.
step	Step size for EHA window, in units of space or time.
win	Window size for EHA, in units of space or time.
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
siglevel	Significance level for peak identification/filtering (0-1)
sigID	Identify significant frequencies on power, amplitude, and probability plots. Only applies when one spectrum is calculated. (T or F)
ydir	Direction for y-axis in EHA plots (depth,height,time). -1 = values increase downwards (slower plotting), 1 = values increase upwards
output	Return output as new data frame? 0=no; 1=all results; 2=power; 3=amplitude; 4=probability; 5=significant frequencies (only for one spectrum); 6=significant frequencies and their probabilities (only for one spectrum)
pl	Plot logarithm of spectral power (1) or linear spectral power (2)?

palette	What color palette would you like to use? (1) rainbow, (2) grayscale, (3) blue, (4) red, (5) blue-white-red (if values are negative and positive, white is centered on zero)
centerZero	Center color scale on zero (use an equal number of positive and negative color divisions)? (T or F)
ncolors	Number of colors steps to use in palette.
xlab	Label for x-axis. Default = "Frequency"
ylab	Label for y-axis. Default = "Location"
genplot	Plotting options. 0= no plots; 1= power, amplitude, f-test, probability; 2=data series, power, amplitude, probability; 3= data series, power, normalized amplitude (maximum in each window normalized to unity), normalized amplitude filtered at specified siglevel; 4= data series, normalized power (maximum in each window normalized to unity), normalized amplitude (maximum in each window normalized to unity), normalized amplitude filtered at specified siglevel
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

References

Thomson, D. J., 1982, *Spectrum estimation and harmonic analysis*, Proc. IEEE, 70, 1055-1096, doi:10.1109/PROC.1982.12433.

See Also

[extract](#), [lowspec](#), [mtmAR](#), [mtmML96](#), [periodogram](#), [trackFreq](#) and [traceFreq](#)

Examples

```
## as an example, evaluate the modelA
data(modelA)

## interpolate to even sampling interval of 0.075 m
ex1=linterp(modelA, dt=0.075)

## perform EHA with a time-bandwidth parameter of 2, using an 7.95 meter window, 0.15 m step,
## and pad to 1000 points
## set labels for plots (optional)
eha(ex1,tbw=2,win=7.95,step=0.15,pad=1000,xlab="Frequency (cycles/m)",ylab="Height (m)")

## for comparison generate spectrum for entire record, using time-bandwidth parameter of 3, and
## pad to 5000 points
## start by making a new plot
pl(1)
eha(ex1,tbw=3,win=38,pad=5000,xlab="Frequency (cycles/m)")
```

etp	<i>Generate eccentricity-tilt-precession models</i>
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Description

Calculate eccentricity-tilt-precession time series using the theoretical astronomical solutions. By default, the Laskar et al. (2004) solutions will be downloaded. Alternatively, one can specify the astronomical solution.

Usage

```
etp(tmin=NULL, tmax=NULL, dt=1, eWt=1, oWt=1, pWt=1, esinw=T, solution=NULL, standardize=T,
    genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

tmin	Start time (ka before present, J2000) for ETP. Default value is 0 ka, unless the data frame 'solution' is specified, in which case the first time datum is used.
tmax	End time (ka before present, J2000) for ETP. Default value is 1000 ka, unless the data frame 'solution' is specified, in which case the last time datum is used.
dt	Sample interval for ETP (ka). Minimum = 1 ka.
eWt	Relative weight applied to eccentricity solution.
oWt	Relative weight applied to obliquity solution.
pWt	Relative weight applied to precession solution.
esinw	Use e*sinw in ETP calculation? (T or F). If set to false, sinw is used.
solution	A data frame containing the astronomical solution to use. The data frame must have four columns: Time (ka, positive and increasing), Precession Angle, Obliquity, Eccentricity.
standardize	Standardize (subtract mean, divide by standard deviation) precession, obliquity and eccentricity series before applying weight and combining? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F).
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F).

Details

Note: If you plan to repeatedly execute the etp function, it is advisable to download the astronomical solution once using the function getLaskar.

Note: It is common practice to construct ETP models that have specified variance ratios (e.g., 1:1:1 or 1:0.5:0.5) for eccentricity, obliquity and precession. In order to construct such models, it is necessary to choose 'standardize=T', and to set the individual weights (eWt, oWt, pWt) to the square root of the desired variance contribution.

Value

Eccentricity + tilt + precession.

References

Laskar, J., Robutel, P., Joutel, F., Gastineau, M., Correia, A.C.M., Levrard, B., 2004, *A long term numerical solution for the insolation quantities of the Earth*: Astron. Astrophys., Volume 428, 261-285.

Laskar, J., Fienga, A., Gastineau, M., Manche, H., 2011, *La2010: A new orbital solution for the long-term motion of the Earth*: Astron. Astrophys., Volume 532, A89.

Laskar, J., Gastineau, M., Delisle, J.-B., Farres, A., Fienga, A.: 2011, *Strong chaos induced by close encounters with Ceres and Vesta*: Astron. Astrophys., Volume 532, L4.

See Also

[getLaskar](#)

Examples

```
# create an ETP model from 10000 ka to 20000 ka, with a 5 ka sampling interval
# this will automatically download the astronomical solution
ex=etp(tmin=10000,tmax=20000,dt=5)

# alternatively, download the astronomical solution first
ex2=getLaskar()
ex=etp(tmin=10000,tmax=20000,dt=5,solution=ex2)
```

extract

Extract record from EHA time-frequency output or eAsm output

Description

Extract record from EHA time-frequency output or eAsm output: Use interactive graphical interface to identify record.

Usage

```
extract(spec,get=NULL,xmin=NULL,xmax=NULL,ymin=NULL,ymax=NULL,h=6,w=4,ydir=1,pl=0,
        ncolors=100,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

spec	Time-frequency spectral results to evaluate, or alternatively, eAsm results to evaluate. For time-frequency results, must have the following format: column 1=frequency; remaining columns (2 to n)=power, amplitude or probability; titles for columns 2 to n must be the location (depth or height). Note that this format is output by function eha. For eAsm results, must have the following format: column 1=sedimentation rate; remaining columns (2 to n)=Ho-SL or ASM; titles for columns 2 to n must be the location (depth or height).
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get	Record to extract (height/depth/time). If no value given, graphical interface is activated.
xmin	Minimum frequency or sedimentation rate for PLOTTING.
xmax	Maximum frequency or sedimentation rate for PLOTTING.
ymin	Minimum depth/height for PLOTTING.
ymax	Maximum depth/height for PLOTTING.
h	Height of plot in inches.
w	Width of plot in inches.
ydir	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth or height). -1 = values increase downwards (slower plotting!), 1 = values increase upwards.
pl	An option for the color plots (0=do nothing; 1=plot log of value [useful for plotting power], 2=normalize to maximum value [useful for plotting amplitude]).
ncolors	Number of colors to use in plot.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also[eha](#)

flip	<i>Flip stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Flip the stratigraphic order of your data series (e.g., convert stratigraphic depth series to height series, relative to a defined datum.)

Usage

```
flip(dat,begin=0,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
begin	Depth/height value to assign to (new) first stratigraphic datum.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

freq2sedrate	<i>Convert record of local spatial frequency (from EHA) to sedimentation rate curve</i>
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Description

Convert record of local spatial frequency (from EHA) to sedimentation rate curve

Usage

```
freq2sedrate(freqs,period=NULL,ydir=1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

freqs	Data frame containing depth/height in first column (meters) and spatial frequencies in second column (cycles/m)
period	Temporal period of spatial frequency (ka)
ydir	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth,height). -1 = values increase downwards (slower), 1 = values increase upwards
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

gausTaper	<i>Apply Gaussian taper to stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Apply a Gaussian taper to a stratigraphic series

Usage

```
gausTaper(dat,alpha=3,rms=T,demean=T,detrend=F,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for tapering. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value. If no data is identified, will output a 256 point taper to evaluate the spectral properties of the window.
alpha	Gaussian window parameter: alpha is 1/stdev, a measure of the width of the Dirichlet kernel. Larger values decrease the width of data window, reduce discontinuities, and increase width of the transform. Choose alpha >= 2.5.
rms	Normalize taper to RMS=1 to preserve power for white process? (T or F)
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

References

Harris, 1978, *On the use of windows for harmonic analysis with the discrete Fourier transform*: Proceedings of the IEEE, v. 66, p. 51-83.

See Also

[cosTaper](#), [dpssTaper](#), and [hannTaper](#)

getColor	<i>Query R for color information</i>
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Description

Query R for color information.

Usage

```
getColor(color)
```

Arguments

color	The name of the color you are interested in, in quotes.
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getData	<i>Download file from astrochron data server</i>
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Description

Download data file from astrochron server.

Usage

```
getData(dat="1262-a*")
```

Arguments

dat	A character string that specifies the data file to download. At present there are two options: "1262-a*" or "926B-18O"
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getLaskar	<i>Download Laskar et al. (2004, 2011a, 2011b) astronomical solutions</i>
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Description

Download Laskar et al. (2004, 2011a, 2011b) astronomical solutions.

Usage

```
getLaskar(sol="la04", verbose=T)
```

Arguments

sol	A character string that specifies the astronomical solution to download: "la04", "la10a", "la10b", "la10c", "la10d", "la11"
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

la04 : three columns containing precession angle, obliquity, and eccentricity of Laskar et al. (2004)

la10a : one column containing the la10a eccentricity solution of Laskar et al. (2011a)

la10b : one column containing the la10b eccentricity solution of Laskar et al. (2011a)

la10c : one column containing the la10c eccentricity solution of Laskar et al. (2011a)

la10d : one column containing the la10d eccentricity solution of Laskar et al. (2011a)

la11 : one column containing the la11 eccentricity solution of Laskar et al. (2011b; please also cite 2011a)

References

J. Laskar, P. Robutel, F. Joutel, M. Gastineau, A.C.M. Correia, and B. Levrard, B., 2004, *A long term numerical solution for the insolation quantities of the Earth*: Astron. Astrophys., Volume 428, 261-285.

Laskar, J., Fienga, A., Gastineau, M., Manche, H., 2011a, *La2010: A new orbital solution for the long-term motion of the Earth*: Astron. Astrophys., Volume 532, A89.

Laskar, J., Gastineau, M., Delisle, J.-B., Farres, A., Fienga, A.: 2011b, *Strong chaos induced by close encounters with Ceres and Vesta*, Astron: Astrophys., Volume 532, L4.

hannTaper	<i>Apply Hann taper to stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Apply a Hann (Hanning) taper to a stratigraphic series

Usage

```
hannTaper(dat, rms=T, demean=T, detrend=F, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for tapering. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value. If no data is identified, will output a 256 point taper to evaluate the spectral properties of the window.
rms	Normalize taper to RMS=1 to preserve power for white process? (T or F)
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[cosTaper](#), [dpssTaper](#), and [gausTaper](#)

headn	<i>List column numbers for each variable</i>
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Description

Execute 'head' function, with column numbers indicated for each variable. (useful for functions such as 'autoplot')

Usage

```
headn(dat)
```

Arguments

dat	Your data frame.
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hilbert	<i>Hilbert transform of stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Calculate instantaneous amplitude (envelope) via Hilbert Transform of stratigraphic series

Usage

```
hilbert(dat,padfac=2,demean=T,detrend=F,output=T,addmean=F,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series to Hilbert Transform. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points.
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
output	Return results as new data frame? (T or F)
addmean	Add mean value to instantaneous amplitude? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Examples

```
# generate example series with 3 precession terms and noise
ex <- cycles(noisevar=.0004,dt=5)
# bandpass precession terms using cosine-tapered window
res_ex <- bandpass(ex,flow=0.038,fhigh=0.057,win=2,p=.4)
# hilbert transform
hil_ex <- hilbert(res_ex)
```

idPts	<i>Interactively identify points in plot</i>
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Description

Interactively identify points in x,y plot.

Usage

```
idPts(dat1,dat2=NULL,ptsize=1,xmin=NULL,xmax=NULL,ymin=NULL,ymax=NULL,
      logx=F,logy=F,plotype=1,annotate=1,output=1,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat1	Data frame with one or two columns. If one column, dat2 must also be specified.
dat2	Data frame with one column.
ptsize	Size of plotted points.
xmin	Minimum x-value (column 1) to plot
xmax	Maximum x-value (column 1) to plot
ymin	Minimum y-value (column 2) to plot
ymax	Maximum y-value (column 2) to plot
logx	Plot x-axis using logarithmic scaling? (T or F)
logy	Plot y-axis using logarithmic scaling? (T or F)
plotype	Type of plot to generate: 1= points and lines, 2 = points, 3 = lines
annotate	Annotate plot with text indicating coordinates?: 0=none, 1=annotate above point, 2=annotate below point
output	Return identified points as a data frame? (0) no, (1) return x and y, (2) return index, x and y
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[delPts](#), [iso](#), [trim](#) and [trimAT](#)

integratePower

Determine the total power within a given bandwidth

Description

Determine the total power within a given bandwidth, and also the ratio of this power to the total power in the spectrum (or up to a specified frequency). If bandwidth is not specified, generate interactive plots for bandwidth selection. For use with the function eha, integratePower can process spectrograms (time-frequency) or single spectra.

Usage

```
integratePower(spec,flow=NULL,fhigh=NULL,fmax=NULL,unity=F,f0=T,xmin=NULL,
               xmax=NULL,ymin=NULL,ymax=NULL,npts=NULL,pad=NULL,ydir=1,ncolors=100,
               h=6,w=9,ln=F,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

<code>spec</code>	Spectral results to evaluate. If the data frame contains time-frequency results, it must have the following format: column 1=frequency; remaining columns (2 to n)=power; titles for columns 2 to n must be the location (depth or height). Note that this format is output by function <code>eha</code> . If the data frame contains one spectrum, it must have the following format: column 1=frequency, column 2=power.
<code>flow</code>	Low frequency cutoff for integration. If <code>flow</code> or <code>fhigh</code> are not specified, interactive plotting is activated.
<code>fhigh</code>	High frequency cutoff for integration. If <code>flow</code> or <code>fhigh</code> are not specified, interactive plotting is activated.
<code>fmax</code>	Integrate total power up to this frequency.
<code>unity</code>	Normalize spectra such that total variance (up to <code>fmax</code>) is unity. (T or F)
<code>f0</code>	Is $f(0)$ included in the spectra? (T or F)
<code>xmin</code>	Minimum frequency for PLOTTING.
<code>xmax</code>	Maximum frequency for PLOTTING.
<code>ymin</code>	Minimum depth/height/time for PLOTTING. Only used if processing time-frequency results.
<code>ymax</code>	Maximum depth/height/time for PLOTTING. Only used if processing time-frequency results.
<code>npts</code>	The number of points in the processed time series window. This is needed for proper spectrum normalization.
<code>pad</code>	The total padded length of the processed time series window. This is needed for proper spectrum normalization.
<code>ydir</code>	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth or height). -1 = values increase downwards (slower plotting!), 1 = values increase upwards. Only used if processing time-frequency results.
<code>ncolors</code>	Number of colors to use in plot. Only used if processing time-frequency results.
<code>h</code>	Height of plot in inches.
<code>w</code>	Width of plot in inches.
<code>ln</code>	Plot natural log of spectral results? (T or F)
<code>genplot</code>	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
<code>verbose</code>	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

Depending on the normalization used, you may want to preprocess the power spectra prior to integration.

See Also

[eha](#)

Examples

```
# generate etp signal over past 10 Ma
ex=etp(tmax=10000)

# evolutive power
pwr=eha(ex,win=500,fmax=.1,pad=2000,output=2,pl=2)

# integrate power from main obliquity term
integratePower(pwr,flow=0.02,fhigh=0.029,npts=501,pad=2000)
```

iso

Isolate data from a specified stratigraphic interval

Description

Isolate a section of a uni- or multi-variate stratigraphic data set for further analysis

Usage

```
iso(dat,xmin,xmax,col=2,logx=F,logy=F,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Data frame containing stratigraphic variable(s) of interest. First column must be location (e.g., depth).
xmin	Minimum depth/height/time for isolation. If xmin is not specified, it will be selected using a graphical interface.
xmax	Maximum depth/height/time for isolation. If xmax is not specified, it will be selected using a graphical interface.
col	If you are using the graphical interface to select xmin/xmax, which column would you like to plot? (default = 2).
logx	Plot x-axis using logarithmic scaling? (T or F)
logy	Plot y-axis using logarithmic scaling? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[delPts](#), [idPts](#), [trim](#) and [trimAT](#)

linage	<i>Tune stratigraphic series to an astronomical target using graphical interface</i>
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Description

Tune stratigraphic series to an astronomical target using graphical interface similar to AnalyseSeries 'Linage' routine (Paillard et al, 1996).

Usage

```
linage(dat,target,extrapolate=F,xmin=NULL,xmax=NULL,tmin=NULL,tmax=NULL,size=1,plotype=1,
       output=1,genplot=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for tuning, with two columns. First column is depth/height.
target	Astronomical tuning target series. First column is time.
extrapolate	Extrapolate sedimentation rates above and below 'tuned' interval? (T or F)
xmin	Minimum height/depth to plot.
xmax	Maximum height/depth to plot.
tmin	Minimum time value to plot.
tmax	Maximum time value to plot.
size	Multiplicative factor to increase or decrease size of symbols and fonts.
plotype	Type of plot to generate: 1= points and lines, 2 = points, 3 = lines
output	Return which of the following? 1 = tuned stratigraphic series; 2 = age control points; 3 = tuned stratigraphic series and age control points
genplot	Generate additional summary plots (tuned record, time-space map, sedimentation rates)? (T or F)

References

Paillard, D., L. Labeyrie and P. Yiou, 1996), *Macintosh program performs time-series analysis*: Eos Trans. AGU, v. 77, p. 379.

Examples

```
# Check to see if this is an interactive R session, for compliance with CRAN standards.
# YOU CAN SKIP THE FOLLOWING LINE IF YOU ARE USING AN INTERACTIVE SESSION.
if(interactive()) {

# generate example series with 3 precession terms and noise using function 'cycles'
# then convert from time to space using sedimentation rate that increases from 1 to 7 cm/ka
ex=sedRamp(cycles(start=1,end=400, dt=2,noisevar=.00005),srstart=0.01,srend=0.07)
```

```

# create astronomical target series
targ=cycles(start=1,end=400,dt=2)

## manually tune
tuned=linage(ex,targ)

## should you need to flip the direction of the astronomical target series, use function 'cb':
tuned=linage(ex,cb(targ[1]*-1,targ[2]))

}

```

linterp	<i>Piecewise linear interpolation of stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Interpolate stratigraphic series onto a evenly sampled grid, using piecewise linear interpolation

Usage

```
linterp(dat,dt,start,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for piecewise linear interpolation. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
dt	New sampling interval.
start	Start interpolating at what time/depth/height value? By default, the first value of the stratigraphic series will be used.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

logT	<i>Log transformation of stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Log transformation of stratigraphic series.

Usage

```
logT(dat,c=0,opt=1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for log transformation. Input can have any number of columns desired. If two or more columns are input, the first column must be location (e.g., depth), while remaining columns are data values for transformation.
c	Constant to add prior to log transformation. Default = 0.
opt	(1) use natural logarithm, (2) use log10. Default = 1.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F). This is automatically deactivated if more than one variable is transformed.
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[arcsinT](#), [demean](#), [detrend](#), [divTrend](#), [prewhiteAR](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

lowpass	<i>Lowpass filter stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Lowpass filter stratigraphic series using rectangular, Gaussian or tapered cosine window [cosine window is experimental]

Usage

```
lowpass(dat,padfac=2,fcut=NULL,win=0,demean=T,detrend=F,addmean=T,alpha=3,p=0.25,
        xmin=0,xmax=Nyq,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for lowpass filtering. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points.
fcut	Cutoff frequency for lowpass filtering.
win	Window type for bandpass filter: 0 = rectangular , 1= Gaussian, 2= Cosine-tapered window.
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
addmean	Add mean value to bandpass result? (T or F)
alpha	Gaussian window parameter: alpha is 1/stddev, a measure of the width of the Dirichlet kernel. Larger values decrease the width of data window, reduce discontinuities, and increase width of the transform. Choose alpha >= 2.5.

p	Cosine-tapered window parameter: p is the percent of the data series tapered (choose 0-1).
xmin	Smallest frequency for plotting.
xmax	Largest frequency for plotting.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[bandpass](#), [noKernel](#), [noLow](#), [prewhiteAR](#), [prewhiteAR1](#), and [taner](#)

Examples

```
# generate example series with periods of 405 ka, 100 ka and 20 ka, plus noise
ex=cycles(freqs=c(1/405,1/100,1/20),noisevar=.1,dt=5)
# lowpass filter using cosine-tapered window
res_ex=lowpass(ex,fcut=.02,win=2,p=.4)
```

lowspec

*Robust Locally-Weighted Regression Spectral Background Estimation***Description**

LOWSPEC: Robust Locally-Weighted Regression Spectral Background Estimation (Meyers, 2012)

Usage

```
lowspec(dat,decimate=NULL,tbw=3,padfac=5,detrend=F,siglevel=0.9,setrho,
        lowspan,b_tun,output=0,CLpwr=T,xmin,xmax,pl=1,sigID=T,genplot=T,
        verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for LOWSPEC. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
decimate	Decimate stratigraphic series to have this sampling interval (via piecewise linear interpolation). By default, no decimation is performed.
tbw	MTM time-bandwidth product (2 or 3 permitted)
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points.
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? This detrending is performed following AR1 prewhitening. (T or F)
siglevel	Significance level for peak identification. (0-1)

setrho	Define AR1 coefficient for pre-whitening (otherwise calculated). If set to 0, no pre-whitening is applied.
lowspan	Span for LOWESS smoothing of prewhitened signal, usually fixed to 1. If using value <1, the method is overly conservative with a reduced false positive rate.
b_tun	Robustness weight parameter for LOWSPEC. By default, this will be estimated internally.
output	What should be returned as a data frame? (0=nothing; 1=pre-whitened spectrum + LOWSPEC background + LOWSPEC CL + 90%-99% LOWSPEC power levels + harmonic F-test CL; 2=sig peaks)
CLpwr	Plot LOWSPEC noise confidence levels on power spectrum? (T or F)
xmin	Smallest frequency for plotting.
xmax	Largest frequency for plotting.
pl	Plot logarithm of spectral power (1) or linear spectral power (2)?
sigID	Identify significant frequencies on power and probability plots? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

LOWSPEC is a 'robust' method for spectral background estimation, designed for the identification of potential astronomical signals that are imbedded in red noise (Meyers, 2012). The complete algorithm implemented here is as follows: (1) initial pre-whitening with AR1 filter (default) or other filter as appropriate (e.g., see function `prewhiteAR`), (2) power spectral estimation via the multitaper method (Thomson, 1982), (3) robust locally weighted estimation of the spectral background using the LOWESS-based (Cleveland, 1979) procedure of Ruckstuhl et al. (2001), (4) assignment of confidence levels using a Chi-square distribution.

NOTE: If you choose to pre-whiten before running LOWSPEC (rather than using the default AR1 pre-whitening), specify `setrho=0`.

Candidate astronomical cycles are subsequently identified via isolation of those frequencies that achieve the required (e.g., 90 percent) LOWSPEC confidence level and MTM harmonic F-test confidence level. Allowance is made for the smoothing inherent in the MTM power spectral estimate as compared to the MTM harmonic spectrum. That is, an F-test peak is reported if it achieves the required MTM harmonic confidence level, while also achieving the required LOWSPEC confidence level within +/- half the power spectrum bandwidth resolution. One additional criterion is included to further reduce the false positive rate, a requirement that significant F-tests must occur on a local power spectrum high, which is parameterized as occurring above the local LOWSPEC background estimate. See Meyers (2012) for further information on the algorithm.

In this implementation, the 'robustness criterion' ('b' in EQ. 6 of Ruckstuhl et al., 2001) has been optimized for 2 and 3 pi DPSS, using a 'span' of 1. By default the robustness criterion will be estimated. Both 'b' and the 'span' can be explicitly set using parameters 'b_tun' and 'lowspan'. Note that it is permissible to decrease 'lowspan' from its default value, but this will result in an overly conservative false positive rate. However, it may be necessary to reduce 'lowspan' to provide an appropriate background fit for some stratigraphic data. Another option is to decimate the data series prior to spectral estimation.

Value

If option 1 is selected, a data frame containing the following is returned: Frequency, Prewhitened power, LOWSPEC background, LOWSPEC CL, 90%-99% LOWSPEC power levels, harmonic F-test CL.

If option 2 is selected, the 'significant' frequencies are returned (as described above).

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See Also

[eha](#), [mtm](#), [mtmAR](#), [mtmML96](#), [periodogram](#), [rfbaseline](#), and [spec.mtm](#)

Examples

```
# generate example series with periods of 400 ka, 100 ka, 40 ka and 20 ka
ex = cycles(freqs=c(1/400,1/100,1/40,1/20),start=1,end=1000,dt=5)

# add AR1 noise
noise = ar1(npts=200,dt=5,sd=.5)
ex[2] = ex[2] + noise[2]

# LOWSPEC analysis
pl(1, title="lowspec")
lowspec(ex)

# compare to MTM spectral analysis, with conventional AR1 noise test
pl(1,title="mtm")
mtm(ex,ar1=TRUE)

# compare to ML96 analysis
pl(1, title="mtmML96")
mtmML96(ex)

# compare to amplitudes from eha
pl(1,title="eha")
eha(ex,tbw=3,win=1000,pad=1000)
```

modelA	<i>Example stratigraphic model series</i>
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Description

Example stratigraphic model series.

Usage

modelA

Format

Height (meters), weight percent CaCO₃

mtm	<i>Multitaper method spectral analysis</i>
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Description

Multitaper method (MTM) spectral analysis (Thomson, 1982)

Usage

```
mtm(dat, tbw=3, ntap=NULL, padfac=5, demean=T, detrend=F, siglevel=0.9, ar1=T, output=0,
    CLpwr=T, xmin, xmax, pl=1, sigID=T, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for MTM spectral analysis. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
tbw	MTM time-bandwidth product.
ntap	Number of DPSS tapers to use. By default, this is set to (2*tbw)-1.
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points.
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
siglevel	Significance level for peak identification. (0-1)
ar1	Estimate conventional AR(1) noise spectrum and confidence levels? (T or F)
CLpwr	Plot AR(1) noise confidence levels on power spectrum? (T or F)

output	What should be returned as a data frame? (0=nothing; 1= power spectrum + harmonic CL + AR1 CL + AR1 fit + 90%-99% AR1 power levels (ar1 must be set to TRUE to output AR model results); 2=significant peak frequencies; 3=significant peak frequencies + harmonic CL; 4=internal variables from spec.mtm). Option 4 is intended for expert users, and should generally be avoided.
xmin	Smallest frequency for plotting.
xmax	Largest frequency for plotting.
pl	Plot logarithm of spectral power (1) or linear spectral power (2)?
sigID	Identify significant frequencies on power and probability plots? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

If `ar1=T`, candidate astronomical cycles are identified via isolation of those frequencies that achieve the required (e.g., 90 percent) "red noise" confidence level and MTM harmonic F-test confidence level. Allowance is made for the smoothing inherent in the MTM power spectral estimate as compared to the MTM harmonic spectrum. That is, an F-test peak is reported if it achieves the required MTM harmonic confidence level, while also achieving the required red noise confidence level within +/- half the power spectrum bandwidth resolution. One additional criterion is included to further reduce the false positive rate, a requirement that significant F-tests must occur on a local power spectrum high, which is parameterized as occurring above the local red noise background estimate. See Meyers (2012) for further information.

References

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See Also

[eha](#), [lowspec](#), [mtmAR](#), [mtmML96](#), [periodogram](#), and [spec.mtm](#)

Examples

```
# generate example series with periods of 400 ka, 100 ka, 40 ka and 20 ka
ex = cycles(freqs=c(1/400,1/100,1/40,1/20),start=1,end=1000,dt=5)

# add AR1 noise
noise = ar1(npts=200,dt=5,sd=.5)
ex[2] = ex[2] + noise[2]
```

```

# MTM spectral analysis, with conventional AR1 noise test
pl(1,title="mtm")
mtm(ex,ar1=TRUE)

# compare to ML96 analysis
pl(1, title="mtmML96")
mtmML96(ex)

# compare to analysis with LOWSPEC
pl(1, title="lowspec")
lowspec(ex)

# compare to amplitudes from eha
pl(1,title="eha")
eha(ex,tbw=3,win=1000,pad=1000)

```

mtmAR

Intermediate spectrum test of Thomson et al. (2001)

Description

Perform the 'intermediate spectrum test' of Thomson et al. (2001).

Paraphrased from Thomson et al. (2001): Form an intermediate spectrum by dividing MTM by AR estimate. Choose an order P for a predictor. A variety of formal methods are available in the literature, but practically, one keeps increasing P (the order) until the range of the intermediate spectrum $S_i(f)$ (equation (C4) of Thomson et al., 2001) stops decreasing rapidly as a function of P. If the intermediate spectrum is not roughly white, as judged by the minima, the value of P should be increased.

Usage

```
mtmAR(dat, tbw=3, ntap=NULL, order=1, method="mle", CIttype=1, padfac=5, demean=T, detrend=F,
      output=1, xmin=0, xmax=Nyq, pl=1, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for analysis. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
tbw	MTM time-bandwidth product.
ntap	Number of DPSS tapers to use. By default, this is set to $(2*tbw)-1$.
order	Order of the AR spectrum.
method	AR method ("yule-walker", "burg", "ols", "mle", "yw")
CIttype	Illustrate (1) one-sided or (2) two-sided confidence intervals on plots

padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points.
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
output	Output (1) intermediate spectrum and confidence levels, (2) intermediate spectrum, (3) confidence levels
xmin	Smallest frequency for plotting.
xmax	Largest frequency for plotting.
p1	Plot logarithm of spectral power (1) or linear spectral power (2)?
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

References

Thomson, D. J., L. J. Lanzerotti, and C. G. MacLennan, 2001, *The interplanetary magnetic field: Statistical properties and discrete modes*, J. Geophys. Res., 106, 15,941-15,962, doi:10.1029/2000JA000113.

See Also

[eha](#), [lowspec](#), [mtm](#), [mtmML96](#), [periodogram](#), and [spec.mtm](#)

Examples

```
# generate example series with periods of 400 ka, 100 ka, 40 ka and 20 ka
ex = cycles(freqs=c(1/400,1/100,1/40,1/20),start=1,end=1000,dt=5)

# add AR1 noise
noise = ar1(npts=200,dt=5,sd=.5)
ex[2] = ex[2] + noise[2]

# MTM spectral analysis, with conventional AR1 noise test
p1(1,title="mtmAR")
mtmAR(ex)
```

mtmML96

Mann and Lees (1996) robust red noise MTM analysis

Description

Mann and Lees (1996) robust red noise MTM analysis. This function implements several improvements to the algorithm used in SSA-MTM toolkit, including faster AR1 model optimization, and more appropriate 'edge-effect' treatment.

Usage

```
mtmML96(dat, tbw=3, ntap=NULL, padfac=5, demean=T, detrend=F, medsmooth=0.2,
        opt=1, linLog=2, siglevel=0.9, output=0, CLpwr=T, xmin=0, xmax=Nyq,
        sigID=T, pl=1, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for MTM spectral analysis. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
tbw	MTM time-bandwidth product.
ntap	Number of DPSS tapers to use. By default, this is set to (2*tbw)-1.
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points.
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
medsmooth	ML96 median smoothing parameter (1 = use 100% of spectrum; 0.20 = use 20%)
opt	Optimization method for robust AR1 model estimation (1=Brent's method:fast, 2=Gauss-Newton:fast, 3=grid search:slow)
linLog	Optimize AR1 model fit using (1) linear power or (2) log(power)?
siglevel	Significance level for peak identification. (0-1)
output	What should be returned as a data frame? (0=nothing; 1= power spectrum + harmonic CL + AR1 CL + AR1 fit + 90%-99% AR1 power levels + median smoothed spectrum; 2=significant peak frequencies; 3=significant peak frequencies + harmonic CL)
CLpwr	Plot ML96 AR(1) noise confidence levels on power spectrum? (T or F)
xmin	Smallest frequency for plotting.
xmax	Largest frequency for plotting.
sigID	Identify significant frequencies on power and probability plots? (T or F)
pl	Plot logarithm of spectral power (1) or linear spectral power (2)?
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

This function conducts the Mann and Lees (1996; ML96) "robust red noise" analysis, with an improved median smoothing approach. The original Mann and Lees (1996) approach applies a truncation of the median smoothing window to include fewer frequencies near the edges of the spectrum; while truncation is required, its implementation in the original method often results in an "edge effect" that can produce excess false positive rates at low frequencies, commonly within the eccentricity-band (Meyers, 2012).

To help address this issue, an alternative median smoothing approach is applied that implements Tukey's robust end-point rule and symmetrical medians (see the function runmed for details). Numerical experiments indicate that this approach produces an approximately uniform false positive

rate across the spectrum. It should be noted that the false positive rates are still inflated with this method, but they are substantially reduced compared to the original ML96 approach. For example, simulations using $\rho=0.9$ (using identical parameters to those in Meyers, 2012) yield median false positive rates of 1.7%, 7.3% and 13.4%, for the 99%, 95% and 90% confidence levels (respectively). This compares with 4.7%, 11.4% and 17.8% using the original approach (see Table 2 of Meyers, 2012).

Candidate astronomical cycles are identified via isolation of those frequencies that achieve the required (e.g., 90 percent) "robust red noise" confidence level and MTM harmonic F-test confidence level. Allowance is made for the smoothing inherent in the MTM power spectral estimate as compared to the MTM harmonic spectrum. That is, an F-test peak is reported if it achieves the required MTM harmonic confidence level, while also achieving the required robust red noise confidence level within \pm half the power spectrum bandwidth resolution. One additional criterion is included to further reduce the false positive rate, a requirement that significant F-tests must occur on a local power spectrum high, which is parameterized as occurring above the local robust red noise background estimate. See Meyers (2012) for further information.

NOTE: If the (fast) Brent or Gauss-Newton methods fail, use the (slow) grid search approach.

This version of the ML96 algorithm was first implemented in Patterson et al. (2014).

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See Also

[eha](#), [lowspec](#), [mtm](#), [mtmAR](#), [periodogram](#), [runmed](#), and [spec.mtm](#)

Examples

```
# generate example series with periods of 400 ka, 100 ka, 40 ka and 20 ka
ex = cycles(freqs=c(1/400,1/100,1/40,1/20),start=1,end=1000,dt=5)

# add AR1 noise
noise = ar1(npts=200,dt=5,sd=0.5)
ex[2] = ex[2] + noise[2]
```

```
# run ML96 analysis
pl(1, title="mtmML96")
mtmML96(ex)

# compare to analysis with conventional AR1 noise test
pl(1,title="mtm")
mtm(ex)

# compare to analysis with LOWSPEC
pl(1, title="lowspec")
lowspec(ex)

# compare to amplitudes from eha
pl(1,title="eha")
eha(ex,tbw=3,win=1000,pad=1000)
```

mwCor

Calculate moving window correlation coefficient for two stratigraphic series, using a 'dynamic window'

Description

Calculate moving window correlation coefficient for two stratigraphic series, using a 'dynamic window'. This routine adjusts the number of data points in the window so it has a constant duration in time or space, for use with unevenly sampled data.

Usage

```
mwCor(dat,cols=NULL,win=NULL,conv=1,cormethod=1,output=T,pl=1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Your data frame containing stratigraphic data; any number of columns (variables) are permitted, but the first column should be a location identifier (e.g., depth, height, time).
cols	A vector that identifies the two variable columns to be extracted (first column automatically extracted).
win	Moving window size in units of space or time.
conv	Convention for window placement: (1) center each window on a stratigraphic level in 'dat' (DEFAULT), (2) start with the smallest location datum in 'dat', (3) start with the largest location datum in 'dat'. For options 2 and 3, the center of the window will not necessarily coincide with a measured stratigraphic level in 'dat', but edges of the data set are better preserved.
cormethod	Method used for calculation of correlation coefficient (1=Pearson, 2=Spearman, 3=Kendall)

output	Output results? (T or F)
pl	(1) Plot results at window midpoint, or (2) create "string of points plot" as in Sageman and Hollander (1999)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

References

B.B. Sageman and D.H. Hollander, 1999, *Cross correlation of paleoecological and geochemical proxies: A holistic approach to the study of past global change*, in E. Barrera and C.C. Johnson, eds., GSA Special Paper 332, p. 365-384.

Examples

```
# generate example series
ex <- cycles(freqs=c(1/40,1/20),noisevar=.2)

# add second variable
ex[3] <- cycles(freqs=c(1/40,1/20),noisevar=0.2)[2]

# jitter sampling times
ex[1]=ex[1]+rnorm(500,sd=5)
# sort
ex = ex[order(ex[1],na.last=NA,decreasing=FALSE),]

# run mwCor
mwCor(ex,win=50)
```

mwin

Determine 'dynamic moving window' for stratigraphic series

Description

Determine start and end points for a moving window of fixed duration (e.g. 500 kiloyears). The dynamic window allows for adjustment of the number of data points in the window, so it has a constant duration in time or space.

Usage

```
mwin(dat,win,conv=1,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Your data frame containing stratigraphic data; any number of columns (variables) are permitted, but the first column should be a location identifier (e.g., depth, height, time).
win	Moving window size in units of space or time.
conv	Convention for window placement: (1) center each window on a stratigraphic level in 'dat' (DEFAULT), (2) start with the smallest location datum in 'dat', (3) start with the largest location datum in 'dat'. For options 2 and 3, the center of the window will not necessarily coincide with a measured stratigraphic level in 'dat', but edges of the data set are better preserved.
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

This algorithm steps forward one stratigraphic datum at a time. The output consists of:

Average = this is the average of the depth/time values in the given window.

Center = this is the center of the 'win' size window.

Midpoint = this is midpoint between first and last observation in the window (for unevenly sampled data this is typically less than the size of 'win').

Value

A data frame containing: Starting index for window, Ending index for window, Location (average), Location (center), Location (midpoint)

Examples

```
# generate some noise
ex1 <- ar1(npts=50,dt=1)

# jitter sampling times
ex1[1]=ex1[1]+rnorm(50,sd=3)
# sort
ex1 = ex1[order(ex1[1],na.last=NA,decreasing=FALSE),]

# run mwin
mwin(ex1,win=10)
```

mwStats	<i>'Dynamic window' moving average, median and standard deviation of stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

'Dynamic window' moving average, median and standard deviation of stratigraphic series. This routine adjusts the number of data points in the window so it has a constant duration in time or space, for use with unevenly sampled data.

Usage

```
mwStats(dat,cols=NULL,win=NULL,conv=1,output=T,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Your data frame containing stratigraphic data; any number of columns (variables) are permitted, but the first column should be a location identifier (e.g., depth, height, time).
cols	A vector that identifies the variable column to be extracted (first column automatically extracted).
win	Moving window size in units of space or time.
conv	Convention for window placement: (1) center each window on a stratigraphic level in 'dat' (DEFAULT), (2) start with the smallest location datum in 'dat', (3) start with the largest location datum in 'dat'. For options 2 and 3, the center of the window will not necessarily coincide with a measured stratigraphic level in 'dat', but edges of the data set are better preserved.
output	Output results? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Value

A data frame with four columns: Middle of window, Average, Median, Variance

Examples

```
# generate example series from ar1 noise, 5 kyr sampling interval
ex = ar1(npts=1001,dt=5)

# jitter sampling times
ex[1]=ex[1]+rnorm(1001,sd=50)
# sort
ex = ex[order(ex[1],na.last=NA,decreasing=FALSE),]
```

```
# run mwStats
mwStats(ex,win=100)
```

noKernel	<i>Remove Gaussian kernel smoother from stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Estimate trend and remove from stratigraphic series using a Gaussian kernel smoother

Usage

```
noKernel(dat,smooth=0.1,sort=F,output=1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for smoothing. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
smooth	Degree of smoothing with a Gaussian kernel (0 = no smoothing); for a value of 0.5, the kernel is scaled so that its quartiles (viewed as prob densities) are at +/- 25 percent of the data series length. Must be > 0.
sort	Sort data into increasing depth (required for ksmooth)? (T or F)
output	1= output residual values; 2= output Gaussian kernel smoother.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[bandpass](#), [lowpass](#), [noLow](#), [prewhiteAR](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

noLow	<i>Fit and remove Lowess smoother from stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Fit and remove lowess smoother from stratigraphic series

Usage

```
noLow(dat,smooth=.20,output=1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for lowess smoother removal. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
smooth	Lowess smoothing parameter.
output	1= output residual values; 2= output lowess fit
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[bandpass](#), [lowpass](#), [noKernel](#), [prewhiteAR](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

pad	<i>Pad stratigraphic series with zeros</i>
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Description

Pad stratigraphic series with zeros ("zero padding")

Usage

```
pad(dat,zeros,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for mean removal. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
zeros	Number of zeros to add on the end of the series. By default, the number of points will be doubled.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

peak	<i>Identify maxima of peaks in series, filter at desired threshold value</i>
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Description

Identify maxima of peaks in any 1D or 2D series, filter at desired threshold value.

Usage

```
peak(dat, level, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	1 or 2 dimensional series. If 2 dimesions, first column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
level	Threshold level for filtering peaks. By default all peak maxima reported.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Examples

```
ex=cycles(genplot=FALSE)
peak(ex, level=0.02)
```

periodogram	<i>Simple periodogram</i>
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Description

Calculate periodogram for stratigraphic series

Usage

```
periodogram(dat, padfac=2, demean=T, detrend=F, nrm=1, xmin=0, xmax=Nyq, pl=1, output=0,
            f0=F, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series to analyze. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points. padfac will automatically promote the total padded series length to an even number, to ensure the Nyquist frequency is calculated. However, if padfac is set to 0, no padding will be implemented.
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
nrm	Power normalization: 0 = no normalization; 1 = divide Fourier transform by npts.
xmin	Smallest frequency for plotting.
xmax	Largest frequency for plotting.
pl	Power spectrum plotting: 1 = log power, 2 = linear power
output	Return output as new data frame? (0= no; 1= frequency,amplitude,power,phase; 2= frequency,real coeff.,imag. coeff)
f0	Return results for the zero frequency? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[mtm](#) and [lowspec](#)

Examples

```
# ***** PART 1: Demonstrate the impact of tapering
# generate example series with 10 periods: 100, 40, 29, 21, 19, 14, 10, 5, 4 and 3 ka.
ex=cycles(c(1/100,1/40,1/29,1/21,1/19,1/14,1/10,1/5,1/4,1/3),amp=c(1,.75,0.01,.5,.25,
0.01,0.1,0.05,0.001,0.01))

# set zero padding amount for spectral analyses
# (pad= 1 results in no zero padding, pad = 2 will pad the series to two times its original length)
# start with pad = 1, then afterwards evaluate pad=2
pad=1

# calculate the periodogram with no tapering applied (a "rectangular window")
res=periodogram(ex,output=1,padfac=pad)

# save the frequency grid and the power for plotting
freq=res[1]
pwr_rect=res[3]

# now compare with results obtained after applying four different tapers:
# Hann, % cosine taper, DPSS with a time-bandwidth product of 1, and DPSS
# with a time-bandwidth product of 3
```

```

pwr_hann=periodogram(hannTaper(ex,demean=FALSE),output=1,padfac=pad)[3]
pwr_cos=periodogram(cosTaper(ex,p=.3,demean=FALSE),output=1,padfac=pad)[3]
pwr_dpss1=periodogram(dpssTaper(ex,tbw=1,demean=FALSE),output=1,padfac=pad)[3]
pwr_dpss3=periodogram(dpssTaper(ex,tbw=3,demean=FALSE),output=1,padfac=pad)[3]

# now plot the results
ymin=min(rbind(log(pwr_rect[,1]),log(pwr_hann[,1]),log(pwr_cos[,1]),log(pwr_dpss1[,1]),
               log(pwr_dpss3[,1]))))
ymax=max(rbind(log(pwr_rect[,1]),log(pwr_hann[,1]),log(pwr_cos[,1]),log(pwr_dpss1[,1]),
               log(pwr_dpss3[,1]))))

pl(2)
plot(freq[,1],log(pwr_rect[,1]),type="l",ylim=c(ymin,ymax),lwd=2,ylab="log(Power)",
      xlab="Frequency (cycles/ka)",
      main="Comparison of rectangle (black), 30% cosine (blue) and Hann (orange) taper",
      cex.main=1)
lines(freq[,1],log(pwr_hann[,1]),col="orange",lwd=2)
lines(freq[,1],log(pwr_cos[,1]),col="blue")
points(c(1/100,1/40,1/29,1/21,1/19,1/14,1/10,1/5,1/4,1/3),rep(ymax,10),cex=.5,
       col="purple")

plot(freq[,1],log(pwr_rect[,1]),type="l",ylim=c(ymin,ymax),lwd=2,ylab="log(Power)",
      xlab="Frequency (cycles/ka)",
      main="Comparison of rectangle (black), 1pi DPSS (green) and 3pi DPSS (red) taper",
      cex.main=1)
lines(freq[,1],log(pwr_dpss1[,1]),col="green")
lines(freq[,1],log(pwr_dpss3[,1]),col="red",lwd=2)
points(c(1/100,1/40,1/29,1/21,1/19,1/14,1/10,1/5,1/4,1/3),rep(ymax,10),cex=.5,
       col="purple")

# ***** PART 2: Now add a very small amount of red noise to the series
#                  (with lag-1 correlation = 0.5)
ex2=ex
ex2[2]=ex2[2]+ar1(rho=.5,dt=1,npts=500,sd=.005,genplot=FALSE)[2]

# compare the original series with the series+noise
pl(2)
plot(ex,type="l",lwd=2,lty=3,col="black",xlab="time (ka)",ylab="signal",
      main="signal (black dotted) and signal+noise (red)"); lines(ex2,col="red")
plot(ex[,1],ex2[2]-ex[,2],xlab="time (ka)",ylab="difference",
      main="Difference between the two time series (very small!)")

# calculate the periodogram with no tapering applied (a "rectangular window")
res.2=periodogram(ex2,output=1,padfac=pad)

# save the frequency grid and the power for plotting
freq.2=res.2[1]
pwr_rect.2=res.2[3]

# now compare with results obtained after applying four different tapers:
# Hann, % cosine taper, DPSS with a time-bandwidth product of 1, and DPSS
# with a time-bandwidth product of 3

```



```

pwr_hann.2=periodogram(hannTaper(ex2,demean=FALSE),output=1,padfac=pad)[3]
pwr_cos.2=periodogram(cosTaper(ex2,p=.3,demean=FALSE),output=1,padfac=pad)[3]
pwr_dpss1.2=periodogram(dpssTaper(ex2,tbw=1,demean=FALSE),output=1,padfac=pad)[3]
pwr_dpss3.2=periodogram(dpssTaper(ex2,tbw=3,demean=FALSE),output=1,padfac=pad)[3]

# now plot the results
ymin=min(rbind (log(pwr_rect.2[,1]),log(pwr_hann.2[,1]),log(pwr_cos.2[,1]),
               log(pwr_dpss1.2[,1]),log(pwr_dpss3.2[,1]) ))
ymax=max(rbind (log(pwr_rect.2[,1]),log(pwr_hann.2[,1]),log(pwr_cos.2[,1]),
               log(pwr_dpss1.2[,1]),log(pwr_dpss3.2[,1]) ))

pl(2)
plot(freq.2[,1],log(pwr_rect.2[,1]),type="l",ylim=c(ymin,ymax),lwd=2,ylab="log(Power)",
      xlab="Frequency (cycles/ka)",
      main="Comparison of rectangle (black), 30% cosine (blue) and Hann (orange) taper",
      cex.main=1)
lines(freq.2[,1],log(pwr_hann.2[,1]),col="orange",lwd=2)
lines(freq.2[,1],log(pwr_cos.2[,1]),col="blue")
points(c(1/100,1/40,1/29,1/21,1/19,1/14,1/10,1/5,1/4,1/3),rep(ymax,10),cex=.5,
       col="purple")

plot(freq.2[,1],log(pwr_rect.2[,1]),type="l",ylim=c(ymin,ymax),lwd=2,ylab="log(Power)",
      xlab="Frequency (cycles/ka)",
      main="Comparison of rectangle (black), 1pi DPSS (green) and 3pi DPSS (red) taper",
      cex.main=1)
lines(freq.2[,1],log(pwr_dpss1.2[,1]),col="green")
lines(freq.2[,1],log(pwr_dpss3.2[,1]),col="red",lwd=2)
points(c(1/100,1/40,1/29,1/21,1/19,1/14,1/10,1/5,1/4,1/3),rep(ymax,10),cex=.5,
       col="purple")

# ***** PART 3: Return to PART 1, but this time increase the zero padding to 2 (pad=2)

```

pl

Set up plots

Description

Open new device and set up for multiple plots, output to screen or PDF if desired.

Usage

```
pl(n,r,c,h,w,mar,file,title)
```

Arguments

n	Number of plots per page (1-25). When specified, this parameter takes precedence and the default settings for r and c are used (the r and c options below are ignored).
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<code>r</code>	Number of rows of plots.
<code>c</code>	Number of columns of plots.
<code>h</code>	Height of new page (a.k.a. "device").
<code>w</code>	Width of new page (a.k.a. "device").
<code>mar</code>	A numerical vector of the form <code>c(bottom, left, top, right)</code> which gives the margin size specified in inches.
<code>file</code>	PDF file name, in quotes. If a file name is not designated, then the plot is output to the screen instead.
<code>title</code>	Plot title (must be in quotes)

plotEha

Create color time-frequency plots from eha results.

Description

Create color time-frequency plots from eha results.

Usage

```
plotEha(spec,xmin,xmax,ymin,ymax,h=6,w=4,ydir=1,pl=0,norm,palette=1,
        centerZero=T,ncolors=100,colorscale=F,xlab,ylab,filetype=0,output=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

<code>spec</code>	Time-frequency spectral results to evaluate. Must have the following format: column 1=frequency; remaining columns (2 to n)=power, amplitude or probability; titles for columns 2 to n must be the location (depth or height). Note that this format is output by function eha.
<code>xmin</code>	Minimum frequency for PLOTTING.
<code>xmax</code>	Maximum frequency for PLOTTING.
<code>ymin</code>	Minimum depth/height for PLOTTING.
<code>ymax</code>	Maximum depth/height for PLOTTING.
<code>h</code>	Height of plot in inches.
<code>w</code>	Width of plot in inches.
<code>ydir</code>	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth or height). -1 = values increase downwards (slower plotting!), 1 = values increase upwards.
<code>pl</code>	An option for the color plots (0=linear scale; 1=plot log of value [useful for plotting power], 2=normalize to maximum value [useful for plotting amplitude], 3=use normalization provided in norm.
<code>norm</code>	Optional amplitude normalization divisor, consisting of a single column dataframe. This option is provided in case you'd like to normalize a set of EHA results using the same scheme (e.g., before and after removal of spectral lines).

palette	What color palette would you like to use? (1) rainbow, (2) grayscale, (3) blue, (4) red, (5) blue-white-red (if values are negative and positive, white is centered on zero)
centerZero	Center color scale on zero (use an equal number of positive and negative color divisions)? (T or F)
ncolors	Number of colors steps to use in palette.
colorscale	Include a color scale in the plot? (T or F)
xlab	Label for x-axis. Default = "Frequency"
ylab	Label for y-axis. Default = "Location"
filetype	Generate .pdf, .jpeg or .png file? (0=no; 1=pdf; 2=jpeg; 3=png)
output	If amplitude is normalized (pl = 2), output normalization used? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

pIS

*Set default plotting parameters for vertical stratigraphic plots***Description**

Set default plotting parameters for vertical stratigraphic plots. This is usually invoked after function pl.

Usage

```
pIS(f=T,s=1)
```

Arguments

f	Are you plotting the first (leftmost) stratigraphic plot? (T or F)
s	Size of the symbols and text on plot. Default = 1

prewhiteAR

*Prewhiten stratigraphic series with autoregressive filter, order selected by Akaike Information Criterion***Description**

Prewhiten stratigraphic series using autoregressive (AR) filter. Appropriate AR order can be automatically determined using the Akaike Information Criterion, or alternatively, the order may be predefined.

Usage

```
prewhiteAR(dat,order=0,method="mle",aic=T,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for prewhitening. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value for prewhitening. Series must have uniform sampling interval.
order	AR order for prewhitening (if aic=F), or alternatively, the maximum AR order to investigate (if aic=T). If order is set to <=0, will evaluate up to maximum default order (this varies based on method).
method	Method for AR parameter estimation: ("yule-walker", "burg", "ols", "mle", "yw")
aic	Select model using AIC? if F, will use order. AIC is only strictly valid if method is "mle".
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

References

Akaike, H. (1974), *A new look at the statistical model identification*, IEEE Trans. Autom. Control, 19, 716-723, doi:10.1109/TAC.1974.1100705.

See Also

[ar](#), [arcsinT](#), [bandpass](#), [demean](#), [detrend](#), [divTrend](#), [logT](#), [lowpass](#), [noKernel](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

prewhiteAR1	<i>Prewhiten stratigraphic series with AR1 filter, using 'standard' or unbiased estimate of rho</i>
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Description

Prewhiten stratigraphic series using autoregressive-1 (AR1) filter. Rho can be estimated using the 'standard' approach, or following a bias correction.

Usage

```
prewhiteAR1(dat, setrho=NULL, bias=F, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for prewhitening. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value for prewhitening. Series must have uniform sampling interval.
setrho	Specified lag-1 correlation coefficient (rho). By default, rho is calculated.
bias	Calculate unbiased estimate of rho, as in Mudelsee (2010, eq. 2.45). (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

References

M. Mudelsee, 2010, *Climate Time Series Analysis: Classical Statistical and Bootstrap Methods*, 474 pp., Springer, Dordrecht, Netherlands.

See Also

[arcsinT](#), [bandpass](#), [demean](#), [detrend](#), [divTrend](#), [logT](#), [lowpass](#), [noKernel](#), and [prewhiteAR](#)

rankSeries	Create lithofacies rank series from bed thickness data
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Description

Create lithofacies rank series from bed thickness data.

Usage

```
rankSeries(dat,dt,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	First column should be bed thickness, and second column should be lithofacies rank.
dt	Sampling interval for piecewise linear interpolation. By default a grid spacing that is 5 times smaller than the thinnest bed is used.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Examples

```
# generate example series with random bed thicknesses
exThick=rnorm(n=20,mean=10,sd=2)
# assign alternating rank of 1 and 2
rank=double(20)
rank[seq(from=1,to=19,by=2)] <- 1
rank[seq(from=2,to=20,by=2)] <- 2

# combine into a dataframe
ex=cb(exThick,rank)

# generate lithofacies rank series
rankSeries(ex)
```

read	<i>Read data from file</i>
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Description

Read stratigraphic data series from a file, either tab-delimited, CSV, or semicolon-delimited. First column MUST contain location data (depth, height, time). The function will remove missing entries, sort by location, average duplicate values, and generate summary plots.

Usage

```
read(file=NULL,d=1,h="auto",check=T,srt=T,ave=T,genplot=T)
```

Arguments

file	An optional file name, which must be in quotes (use the full directory path if the file is not in your present working directory). When a file name is not specified (the default), the file will be selected using a graphical user interface.
d	What column delimiter is used? (0 = tab/.txt, 1 = comma/.csv, 2 = semicolon). CSV is the default option, which interfaces well with EXCEL.
h	Does the data file have column titles/headers? ("yes", "no", "auto"). "auto" will auto detect column titles/headers, which must be single strings and start with a character.
srt	Sort data values by first column? (T or F)
check	Check for sorting, duplicates, and empty entries in the data frame? (T or F). If set to F, sorting, duplicate averaging and empty entry removal are disabled.
ave	Average duplicate values? (T or F). Only applies if input file has 2 columns
genplot	generate summary plots (T or F).

Details

Missing values (in the file that you are reading from) should be indicated by 'NA'. If you have included characters in the column titles that are not permitted by R, they will be modified!

readMatrix	<i>Read data matrix from file</i>
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Description

Read data matrix from a file, either tab-delimited, CSV, or semicolon-delimited.

Usage

```
readMatrix(file=NULL,d=1,h="auto",check=T,output=1,genplot=F)
```

Arguments

file	An optional file name, which must be in quotes (use the full directory path if the file is not in your present working directory). When a file name is not specified (the default), the file will be selected using a graphical user interface.
d	What column delimiter is used? (0 = tab/.txt, 1 = comma/.csv, 2 = semicolon). CSV is the default option, which interfaces well with EXCEL.
h	Does the data file have column titles/headers? ("yes", "no", "auto"). "auto" will auto detect column titles/headers, which must be single strings and start with a character.
check	Check for empty entries in the matrix? (T or F).
output	Return data as: 1= matrix, 2=data frame
genplot	generate summary plots (T or F).

Details

Missing values (in the file that you are reading from) should be indicated by 'NA'. If you have included characters in the column titles that are not permitted by R, they will be modified!

repl0	<i>Replace values < 0 with 0</i>
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Description

Replace all variable values < 0 with 0. If first column is location ID (depth/height/time), it will not be processed. Any number of variables (columns) permitted.

Usage

```
repl0(dat, ID=T, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Data series to process. If location is included (e.g., depth), it should be in the first column.
ID	Is a location ID included in the first column? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

replEps	<i>Replace values ≤ 0 with smallest positive value</i>
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Description

Replace all variable values ≤ 0 with the smallest positive floating-point number (eps) that can be represented on machine. If first column is location ID (depth/height/time), it will not be processed. Any number of variables (columns) permitted.

Usage

```
replEps(dat,ID=T,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Data series to process. If location is included (e.g., depth), it should be in the first column.
ID	Is a location ID included in the first column? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

resample	<i>Resample stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Resample a stratigraphic series using a new (variably sampled) time or space axis. Values are piecewise-linearly interpolated from original data.

Usage

```
resample(dat,xout,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for resampling. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
xout	Vector of new sampling locations.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

rmNA	<i>Remove stratigraphic levels that contain one or more NAs</i>
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Description

Remove stratigraphic levels that contain one or more NAs.

Usage

```
rmNA(dat, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Data series to process. If location is included (e.g., depth), it should be in the first column.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

s	<i>Standardize variable in stratigraphic series</i>
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Description

Standardize variable in stratigraphic series (subtract mean value and divide by standard deviation)

Usage

```
s(dat, genplot=F, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for standardization. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

sedRamp	<i>Apply 'ramping' sedimentation rate model to convert time to stratigraphy</i>
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Description

Apply a linearly increasing (or decreasing) sedimentation rate model to convert time to stratigraphy.

Usage

```
sedRamp(dat,srstart=0.01,srend=0.05,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Time series. First column should be time (in ka), second column should be data value.
srstart	Initial sedimentation rate (in m/ka).
srend	Final sedimentation rate (in m/ka).
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Value

modeled stratigraphic series.

Examples

```
# generate example series with 3 precession terms using function 'cycles'
# then convert from time to space using sedimentation rate that increases from 1 to 7 cm/ka
ex=sedRamp(cycles(),srstart=0.01,srend=0.07)
```

sedrate2time	<i>Integrate sedimentation rate curve to obtain time-space map</i>
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Description

Integrate sedimentation rate curve to obtain time-space map.

Usage

```
sedrate2time(sedrates,timedir=1,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

sedrates	Data frame containing depth/height in first column (meters) and sedimentation rates in second column (cm/ka).
timedir	Floating time scale direction: 1= time increases with depth/height; 2= time decreases with depth/height.)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

slideCor	<i>Identify optimal spatial/temporal shift to maximize correlation between two stratigraphic series.</i>
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Description

Identify optimal spatial/temporal shift to maximize correlation between two stratigraphic series.

Usage

```
slideCor(dat1,dat2,rev=F,cormethod=1,minpts=5,output=T,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat1	Stratigraphic series 1. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
dat2	Stratigraphic series 2. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
rev	Reverse polarity of stratigraphic series 2 (multiply proxy data value by -1)? (T or F)
cormethod	Method used for calculation of correlation coefficient (1=Pearson, 2=Spearman rank, 3=Kendall)
minpts	Minimum number of data points for calculation of correlation coefficient.
output	Output correlation coefficient results as a dataframe? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

slideCor is a general purpose tool to identify the optimal spatial/temporal correlation between two data sets. A few example applications include: (1) stratigraphic correlation of data series from two locations (as in Preto et al., 2004), (2) identification of the optimal spatial/temporal lag between two variables from the same site, and (3) identification of the optimal fit between a floating astrochronology and astronomical target (e.g, Mitchell et al., 2008).

Both series must be evenly sampled, but are not required to have the same sampling interval. If stratigraphic series of different duration/length are being compared, the shift (in spatial or temporal

units) should be interpreted as the location within the longer stratigraphic series where the shorter stratigraphic series begins. If both stratigraphic series are of the same duration/length, then the shift is the location within dat1 where dat2 begins.

References

Preto, N., Hinnov, L.A., De Zanche, V., Mietto, P., and Hardie, L.A., 2004, *The Milankovitch interpretation of the Latemar Platform cycles (Dolomites, Italy): Implications for geochronology, biostratigraphy, and Middle Triassic carbonate accumulation*, SEPM Special Publication 81.

Mitchell, R.N., Bice, D.M., Montanari, A., Cleaveland, L.C., Christianson, K.T., Coccioni, R., and Hinnov, L.A., 2008, *Oceanic anoxic cycles? Orbital prelude to the Bonarelli Level (OAE 2)*, Earth Planet. Sci. Lett. 26, 1-16.

See Also

[surrogateCor](#)

Examples

```
# Example 1: generate AR1 noise
ex1 <- ar1(npts=1000,dt=1)
# isolate a section
ex2 <- iso(ex1,xmin=200,500)
ex2[1] <- ex2[1]-200

slideCor(ex1,ex2)

# Example 2: an astronomical signal
ex1=etp(tmin=0,tmax=1000)
# isolate a section
ex2=iso(ex1,xmin=400,xmax=600)
ex2[1] <- ex2[1]-400

slideCor(ex1,ex2)
```

sortNave

Remove missing entries, sort data, average duplicates

Description

Sort and average duplicates in stratigraphic series, as performed in 'read' function.

Usage

```
sortNave(dat,sortDecr=F,ave=T,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for processing. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
sortDecr	Sorting direction? (F=increasing, T=decreasing)
ave	Average duplicate values? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

stepHeat	<i>Ar/Ar Geochronology: Generate an Ar/Ar age spectrum and calculate step-heating plateau age.</i>
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Description

The stepHeat function will evaluate data from stepwise heating experiments, producing an Ar/Ar age spectrum, a weighted mean age with uncertainty, and other helpful statistics/plots (with interactive graphics for data culling). The function includes the option to generate results using the approach of IsoPlot 3.70 (Ludwig, 2008) or ArArCALC (Koppers, 2002).

Usage

```
stepHeat(dat,unc=1,lambda=5.463e-10,J=NULL,Jsd=NULL,CI=2,cull=-1,del=NULL,output=F,
         idPts=T,size=NULL,unit=1,setAr=95,color="black",genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	dat must be a data frame with seven columns, as follows: (1) %Ar39 released, (2) date, (3) date uncertainty (one or two sigma), (4) K/Ca, (5) %Ar40*, (6) F, and (7) F uncertainty (one or two sigma). NOTE: F is the ratio Ar40*/Ar39K (see Koppers, 2002).
unc	What is the uncertainty on your input dates? (1) one sigma, or (2) two sigma. DEFAULT is one sigma. This also applies to the F uncertainty, and the J-value uncertainty (if specified)
lambda	Total decay constant of K40, in units of 1/year. The default value is 5.463e-10/year (Min et al., 2000).
J	Neutron fluence parameter
Jsd	Uncertainty for J-value (neutron fluence parameter; as one or two sigma)
CI	Which convention would you like to use for the 95% confidence intervals? (1) ISOPLOT (Ludwig, 2008), (2) ArArCALC (Koppers, 2002)
cull	Would you like select dates with a graphical interface? (0=no, 1=select points to retain, -1=select points to remove)
del	A vector of indices indicating dates to remove from weighted mean calculation. If specified, this takes precedence over cull.

output	Return weighted mean results as new data frame? (T or F)
idPts	Identify datum number on each point? (T or F)
size	Multiplicative factor to increase or decrease size of symbols and fonts. The default is 1.4
unit	The time unit for your results. (1) = Ma, (2) = Ka
setAr	Set the %Ar40* level to be illustrated on the plot. The default is 95%.
color	Color to use for symbols. Default is black.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

This function performs weighted mean age calculations for step-heating data, including estimation of age uncertainties, mean square weighted deviation, and probability of fit.

The following plots are produced:

- (1) %Ar40* versus %Ar39 released
- (2) K/Ca versus %Ar39 released
- (3) Ar/Ar age spectrum, with 2 sigma uncertainties for each step, and weighted mean with 95% confidence interval (in red)

If the J-value and its uncertainty are input, stepHeat will calculate and include the uncertainty associated with J. The uncertainty is calculated and propagated following equation 18 of Koppers (2002).

A NOTE regarding confidence intervals: There are two conventions that can be used to calculate the confidence intervals, selected with the option 'CI':

- (1) ISOPLOT convention (Ludwig, 2008). When the probability of fit is ≥ 0.15 , the confidence interval is based on $1.96 \times \text{sigma}$. When the probability of fit is < 0.15 , the confidence interval is based on $t \times \text{sigma} \times \sqrt{\text{MSWD}}$.
- (2) ArArCALC convention (Koppers, 2002). When $\text{MSWD} \leq 1$, the confidence interval is based on $1.96 \times \text{sigma}$. When $\text{MSWD} > 1$, the confidence interval is based on $1.96 \times \text{sigma} \times \sqrt{\text{MSWD}}$.

ADDITIONAL ADVICE: Use the function readMatrix to load your data in R (rather than the function read).

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- I. McDougall and T.M. Harrison, 1991, *Geochronology and Thermochronology by the 40Ar/39Ar Method*: Oxford University Press, New York, 269 pp.
- K. Min, R. Mundil, P.R. Renne, and K. Ludwig, 2000, *A test for systematic errors in 40Ar/39Ar geochronology through comparison with U/Pb analysis of a 1.1-Ga rhyolite*: Geochimica et Cosmochimica Acta, v. 64, p. 73-98.

I. Wendt and C. Carl, 1991, *The statistical distribution of the mean squared weighted deviation*: Chemical Geology, v. 86, p. 275-285.

See Also

[wtMean](#)

Examples

```
# Check to see if this is an interactive R session, for compliance with CRAN standards.
# YOU CAN SKIP THE FOLLOWING LINE IF YOU ARE USING AN INTERACTIVE SESSION.
if(interactive()) {

# Sample MT-09-09 incremental heating Ar/Ar data from Sageman et al. (2014).
perAr39 <- c(4.96,27.58,19.68,39.9,6.25,1.02,0.42,0.19)
age <- c(90.08,89.77,89.92,89.95,89.89,89.55,87.71,86.13)
sd <- c(0.18,0.11,0.08,0.06,0.14,0.64,1.5,3.22)
KCa <- c(113,138,101,195,307,27,17,24)
perAr40 <- c(93.42,99.42,99.64,99.79,99.61,97.99,94.64,90.35)
Fval <- c(2.148234,2.140643,2.144197,2.145006,2.143627,2.135163,2.090196,2.051682)
Fsd <- c(0.00439,0.00270,0.00192,0.00149,0.00331,0.01557,0.03664,0.07846)
ex <- data.frame(cbind(perAr39,age,sd,KCa,perAr40,Fval,Fsd))

stepHeat(ex)

# plot without points identified
stepHeat(ex,size=0,idPts=FALSE,cull=0)

}
```

strats

Summary statistics for stratigraphic series

Description

Summary statistics for stratigraphic series: sampling interval and proxy values.

Usage

```
strats(dat,output=0,genplot=1)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series to evaluate. The first column should contain location (e.g., depth), and the second column should contain data value. This function also accepts non-stratigraphic (single column) input, in which case the sampling interval assessment is skipped.
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output	Output: (0) nothing, (1) cumulative dt as percent of data points, (2) cumulative dt as percent of total interval duration, (3) dt by location
genplot	Generate summary plots? (0) none, (1) include plot of cumulative dt, (2) include dt histogram/density plot

Details

This function will generate a range of summary statistics for time series, including sampling interval information and the statistical distribution of proxy values.

surrogateCor	<i>Estimate correlation coefficient and significance for serially correlated data</i>
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Description

Estimate correlation coefficient and significance for serially correlated data. This algorithm permits the analysis of data sets with different sampling grids, as discussed in Baddouh et al. (2016). The sampling grid from the data set with fewer points (in the common interval) is used for resampling. Resampling is conducted using piecewise-linear interpolation.

If either dat1 or dat2 have only one column, the resampling is skipped.

The significance of the correlation is determined using the method of Ebisuzaki W. (1997).

Usage

```
surrogateCor(dat1,dat2,firstDiff=F,cormethod=1,nsim=1000,output=2,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat1	Data series with one or two columns. If two columns, first should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
dat2	Data series with one or two columns. If two columns, first should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
firstDiff	Calculate correlation using first differences? (T or F)
cormethod	Method used for calculation of correlation coefficient (1=Pearson, 2=Spearman rank, 3=Kendall)
nsim	Number of phase-randomized surrogate series to generate. If nsim <=1, simulation is deactivated.
output	Return which of the following?: 1= correlation coefficients for each simulation; 2= correlation coefficient for data series; 3= data values used in correlation estimate (resampled)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

Paraphrased from Baddouh et al. (2016): To provide a quantitative evaluation of the correlation between two data sets that do not share a common sampling grid, we introduce a statistical approach that employs sample interpolation, and significance testing with phase-randomized surrogate data (Ebisuzaki, 1997). The sparser sampling grid is used to avoid over-interpolation. Correlation is evaluated using Pearson, Spearman Rank, or Kendall rank coefficients. The statistical significance of the resulting correlation coefficients are estimated via Monte Carlo simulations using phase-randomized surrogates; the surrogates are subject to the same interpolation process, and compensate for potential serial correlation of data (Ebisuzaki, 1997).

The first-difference series of each variable can also be evaluated, to assess correlation in the magnitude of change between sequential stratigraphic samples rather than absolute magnitude.

References

M. Baddouh, S.R. Meyers, A.R. Carroll, B.L. Beard, C.M. Johnson, 2016, *Lacustrine 87-Sr/86-Sr as a tracer to reconstruct Milankovitch forcing of the Eocene hydrologic cycle*: Earth and Planetary Science Letters.

W. Ebisuzaki, 1997, *A Method to Estimate the Statistical Significance of a Correlation When the Data Are Serially Correlated*: Journal of Climate, v. 10, p. 2147-2153.

See Also

[surrogates](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
# generate two stochastic AR1 series
ex1 <- ar1(npts=100,dt=5)
ex2 <- ar1(npts=100,dt=6)

# calculate pearson correlation coefficient and p-value
surrogateCor(ex1,ex2)

## End(Not run)
```

surrogates

Generate phase-randomized surrogate series as in Ebisuzaki (1997)

Description

Generate phase-randomized surrogate series as in Ebisuzaki (1997).

Usage

```
surrogates(dat,nsim=1,preserveMean=T,std=T,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

<code>dat</code>	Data series with one or two columns. If two columns, first should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
<code>nsim</code>	Number of phase-randomized surrogate series to generate.
<code>preserveMean</code>	Should surrogate series have the same mean value as data series? (T or F)
<code>std</code>	Standardize results to guarantee equivalent variance as data series? (T or F)
<code>genplot</code>	Generate summary plots? Only applies if <code>nsim=1</code> . (T or F)
<code>verbose</code>	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

This function will generate phase-randomized surrogate series as in Ebisuzaki (1997). It is an R-translation of the Matlab code by V. Moron (see link below), with modifications and additional features.

References

W. Ebisuzaki, 1997, *A Method to Estimate the Statistical Significance of a Correlation When the Data Are Serially Correlated*: Journal of Climate, v. 10, p. 2147-2153.

Matlab code by V. Moron: <http://www.mathworks.com/matlabcentral/fileexchange/10881-weaclim/content/ebisuzaki.m>

Original C-code by W. Ebisuzaki: http://www ftp.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/wd51we/random_phase/

Examples

```
# generate example series with 3 precession terms and noise
ex <- cycles(start=0,end=500,noisevar=.0004,dt=5)

# generate phase-randomized surrogates
ran_ex <- surrogates(ex,nsim=1)

# compare periodograms of data and surrogates
res1 <- periodogram(ex,padfac=0,output=1,genplot=FALSE)
res2 <- periodogram(ran_ex,padfac=0,output=1,genplot=FALSE)

pl(2)
plot(ex,type="l",main="black=original; red=surrogate")
lines(ran_ex,col="red",lty=4)
plot(res1[,1],res1[,2],type="l",lwd=2,main="black=original; red=surrogate")
lines(res2[,1],res2[,2],col="red",lwd=2,lty=4)
```

taner

Apply Taner bandpass or lowpass filter to stratigraphic series

Description

Apply Taner bandpass or lowpass filter to stratigraphic series.

Usage

```
taner(dat, padfac=2, flow=NULL, fhigh=NULL, roll=10^3, demean=T, detrend=F, addmean=T,
      output=1, xmin=0, xmax=Nyq, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for bandpass filtering. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
padfac	Pad with zeros to (padfac*npts) points, where npts is the original number of data points.
flow	Low frequency cut-off for Taner filter (half power point). If this value is not set (NULL), it will default to -1*fhigh, which will create a lowpass filter.
fhigh	High frequency cut-off for Taner filter (half power point).
roll	Roll-off rate, in dB/octave. Typical values are 10^3 to 10^12, but can be larger.
demean	Remove mean from data series? (T or F)
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
addmean	Add mean value to bandpass result? (T or F)
output	Output: (1) filtered series, (2) bandpass filter window.
xmin	Smallest frequency for plotting.
xmax	Largest frequency for plotting.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Value

bandpassed stratigraphic series.

References

http://www.rocksolidimages.com/pdf/attrib_revisited.htm#_Toc328470897

See Also

[bandpass](#), [lowpass](#), [noKernel](#), [noLow](#), [prewhiteAR](#), and [prewhiteAR1](#)

Examples

```
# generate example series with periods of 405 ka, 100 ka and 20 ka, plus noise
ex=cycles(freqs=c(1/405,1/100,1/20),noisevar=.1,dt=5)
# bandpass precession terms using Taner window
res_ex <- taner(ex,flow=0.04,fhigh=0.06,roll=10^10)
# lowpass filter using Taner window
res_ex=taner(ex,fhigh=.02,roll=10^10)
```

testPrecession	<i>Astrochronologic testing via the amplitude modulation approach of Zeeden et al. (2015).</i>
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Description

Astrochronologic testing via the amplitude modulation approach of Zeeden et al. (2015).

Usage

```
testPrecession(dat,nsim=1000,gen=1,rho=NULL,esinw=NULL,output=T,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series to analyze. First column should be location (time in kyr, a positive value), second column should be data value.
nsim	Number of Monte Carlo simulations (phase-randomized surrogates or AR1 surrogates).
gen	Monte Carlo simulation generator: (1) use phase-randomized surrogates, (2) use AR1 surrogates.
rho	Specified lag-1 correlation coefficient (rho). This value is only used if gen=2. If rho is not specified, it will be calculated within the function.
esinw	Theoretical target 'eccentricity * sin(omega)' used for astrochronologic testing. By default this is automatically determined within the function, using the solution of Laskar et al. (2004).
output	Return results as a new data frame? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

This astrochronologic testing method compares observed precession-scale amplitude modulations to those expected from the theoretical eccentricity solutions. It is applicable for testing astrochronologies spanning 0-50 Ma. The technique implements a series of filters to guard against artificial introduction of eccentricity modulations during tuning and data processing, and evaluates the statistical significance of the results using Monte Carlo simulation (Zeeden et al., 2015).

The astronomically-tuned data series under evaluation should consist of two columns: time in kiloyears & data value. Note that time must be positive. The default astronomical solutions used for the astrochronologic testing come from Laskar et al. (2004).

When reporting a p-value for your result, it is important to consider the number of simulations used. A factor of 10 is appropriate, such that for 1000 simulations one would report a minimum p-value of "p<0.01", and for 10000 simulations one would report a minimum p-value of "p<0.001".

Please be aware that the kernel density estimate plots, which summarize the simulations, represent 'smoothed' models. Due to the smoothing bandwidth, they can sometimes give the impression of simulation values that are larger or smaller than actually present. However, the reported p-value does not suffer from these issues.

Value

When nsim is set to zero, the function will output a data frame with five columns:

1=time, 2=precession bandpass filter output, 3=amplitude envelope of (2), 4=lowpass filter output of (3), 5=theoretical eccentricity (as extracted from precession modulations using the filtering algorithm)

When nsim is > 0, the function will output the correlation coefficients for each simulation.

References

C. Zeeden, S.R. Meyers, L.J. Lourens, and F.J. Hilgen, 2015, *Testing astronomically tuned age models*: *Paleoceanography*, 30, doi:10.1002/2014PA002762.

J. Laskar, P. Robutel, F. Joutel, M. Gastineau, A.C.M. Correia, and B. Levrard, B., 2004, *A long term numerical solution for the insolation quantities of the Earth*: *Astron. Astrophys.*, Volume 428, 261-285.

See Also

[asm](#), [eAsmTrack](#), [timeOpt](#), and [timeOptSim](#)

Examples

```
### as a test series, use the three dominant precession terms from Berger et al. (1992)
ex<-cycles(start=0,end=1000,dt=2)
```

```
### now conduct astrochronologic testing
res1=testPrecession(ex)
```

```
### if you plan to run testPrecession repeatedly, it is advisable to download the astronomical
```

```
### solution and construct esinw first
ex2<-getLaskar()
ex3<-etp(tmin=0,tmax=1000,dt=2,eWt=0,oWt=0,pWt=1,esinw=TRUE,solution=ex2,standardize=FALSE)

### now conduct astrochronologic testing
res2<-testPrecession(ex,esinw=ex3)
```

timeOpt	<i>TimeOpt: Evaluation of eccentricity-related amplitude modulation and bundling in paleoclimate data</i>
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Description

TimeOpt: Evaluation of eccentricity-related amplitude modulation and bundling in paleoclimate data, as in Meyers (2015).

Usage

```
timeOpt(dat,sedmin=0.5,sedmax=5,numsed=100,linLog=1,limit=T,fit=1,flow=NULL,fhigh=NULL,
        roll=NULL,targetE=NULL,targetP=NULL,detrend=T,output=0,title=NULL,genplot=T,
        verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for astrochronologic assessment. First column should be depth or height (in meters), second column should be data value.
sedmin	Minimum sedimentation rate for investigation (cm/ka).
sedmax	Maximum sedimentation rate for investigation (cm/ka).
numsed	Number of sedimentation rates to investigate in optimization grid.
linLog	Use linear or logarithmic scaling for sedimentation rate grid spacing? (0=linear, 1=log; default value is 1)
limit	Limit evaluated sedimentation rates to region in which full target signal can be recovered? (T or F)
fit	Test for (1) precession amplitude modulation or (2) short eccentricity amplitude modulation?
flow	Low frequency cut-off for Taner bandpass (half power point; in cycles/ka)
fhigh	High frequency cut-off for Taner bandpass (half power point; in cycles/ka)
roll	Taner filter roll-off rate, in dB/octave.
targetE	A vector of eccentricity periods to evaluate (in ka). These must be in order of decreasing period, with a first value of 405 ka.
targetP	A vector of precession periods to evaluate (in ka). These must be in order of decreasing period.
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)

title	A character string (in quotes) specifying the title for the graphics window (optional)
output	Which results would you like to return to the console? (0) no output; (1) return sedimentation rate grid, r^2_envelope, r^2_power, r^2_opt; (2) return optimal time series, bandpassed series, envelope, reconstructed eccentricity model
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

TimeOpt is an astronomical testing algorithm for untuned (spatial) stratigraphic data. The algorithm identifies the sedimentation rate(s) that simultaneously optimizes: (1) eccentricity amplitude modulations within the precession band, and (2) the concentration of spectral power at specified target astronomical periods.

For each temporal calibration investigated (i.e., sedimentation rate), the observed precession band amplitude envelope is extracted using bandpass filtering and the Hilbert transform. The fit of the extracted precession envelope to the eccentricity periods is evaluated using a linear regression onto sine and cosine terms that reflect the five dominant eccentricity periods (~405.7, 130.7, 123.8, 98.9 and 94.9 kyr); amplitude and phase of the eccentricity terms are not assigned, but are determined during the linear model optimization. This approach is advantageous, as (1) the transfer functions associated with the climate and depositional systems can alter the amplitude and phase of the theoretical eccentricity terms (e.g. Laurin et al., 2005), and (2) the amplitude and phase of the eccentricity terms are unconstrained for deep-time investigations (>50 Ma). The quality of the "fit" is estimated by calculation of the correlation of the fitted eccentricity model time series to the observed precession band envelope (r^2_envelope), indicating the fraction of variance shared between the model and envelope.

The concentration of power at the target astronomical periods is evaluated using a linear regression of the temporally-calibrated series onto sine and cosine terms that reflect the dominant eccentricity and precession periods. As above, the amplitude and phase of each term is determined during the linear model optimization, and the quality of the "fit" is estimated by calculation of the correlation of the fitted astronomical model series to the temporally-calibrated series (r^2_spectral).

The final measure of fit (r^2_opt) is determined as:

$$r^2_{opt} = r^2_{envelope} * r^2_{spectral}$$

which is simply the product of the fraction of variance shared between "model and envelope" and "model and time-calibrated data". This optimization approach identifies the sedimentation rate at which the precession envelope strongly expresses expected eccentricity modulation, while simultaneously, spectral power is concentrated at the target astronomical periods. r^2_opt can take on values ranging from 0 to 1 (a perfect fit to the astronomical model), and provides a measure of overall quality of the astronomically calibrated time series. A similar approach is applicable to evaluate short eccentricity amplitude modulations. The statistical significance of the r^2_opt is determined via Monte Carlo simulation (see timeOptSim).

Value

if output = 1, a data frame containing the following will be returned: Sedimentation rate (cm/ka), r^2_envelope, r^2_spectral, r^2_opt

if output = 2, a data frame containing the following will be returned: Time (ka), tuned time series, bandpassed series, envelope, reconstructed model

References

S.R. Meyers, 2015, *The evaluation of eccentricity-related amplitude modulation and bundling in paleoclimate data: An inverse approach for astrochronologic testing and time scale optimization*: Paleoceanography, 30, doi:10.1002/2015PA002850.

See Also

[asm](#), [eAsmTrack](#), [testPrecession](#), [timeOptPlot](#), and [timeOptSim](#)

Examples

```
# generate a test signal with precession and eccentricity
ex=etp(tmin=1,tmax=1000,dt=1,pWt=1,oWt=0,eWt=1,esinw=TRUE,genplot=FALSE,verbose=FALSE)
# convert to meters with sedimentation rate of 2 cm/kyr
ex[1]<-ex[1]*0.02
# evaluate precession modulations
timeOpt(ex,sedmin=0.5,sedmax=5,numsed=100,fit=1,output=0)
# evaluate short eccentricity modulations
timeOpt(ex,sedmin=0.5,sedmax=5,numsed=100,fit=2,output=0)
```

timeOptPlot

TimeOptPlot: Generate summary figure for TimeOpt analyses

Description

TimeOptPlot: Generate summary figure for TimeOpt analyses.

Usage

```
timeOptPlot(dat=NULL,res1=NULL,res2=NULL,simres=NULL,flow=NULL,fhigh=NULL,targetE=NULL,
            targetP=NULL,xlab="Depth (m)",ylab="Proxy Value",fitR=NULL,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series used for astrochronologic assessment. First column should be depth or height (in meters), second column should be data value.
res1	Data frame containing TimeOpt results: sedimentation rate grid, r ² _envelope, r ² _power, r ² _opt.
res2	Data frame containing the optimal-fitted time series, bandpassed series, envelope, and reconstructed eccentricity model.
simres	Data frame containing the r ² _opt value for each Monte Carlo simulation.

flow	Low frequency cut-off for Taner bandpass (half power point; in cycles/ka).
fhigh	High frequency cut-off for Taner bandpass (half power point; in cycles/ka).
targetE	A vector of eccentricity periods to evaluate (in ka). These must be in order of decreasing period, with a first value of 405 ka.
targetP	A vector of precession periods to evaluate (in ka). These must be in order of decreasing period.
xlab	Label for the depth/height axis.
ylab	Label for proxy variable evaluated.
fitR	The r2_opt value at the optimal sedimentation rate.
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

References

S.R. Meyers, 2015, *The evaluation of eccentricity-related amplitude modulation and bundling in paleoclimate data: An inverse approach for astrochronologic testing and time scale optimization*: Paleoceanography, 30, doi:10.1002/2015PA002850.

See Also

[asm](#), [eAsmTrack](#), [testPrecession](#), [timeOpt](#), and [timeOptSim](#)

Examples

```
# generate a test signal with precession and eccentricity
ex=etp(tmin=1,tmax=1000,dt=1,pWt=1,oWt=0,eWt=1,esinw=TRUE,genplot=FALSE,verbose=FALSE)
# convert to meters with sedimentation rate of 2 cm/kyr
ex[1]<-ex[1]*0.02
# evaluate precession modulations
res1=timeOpt(ex,sedmin=0.5,sedmax=5,numsed=100,fit=1,output=1)
res2=timeOpt(ex,sedmin=0.5,sedmax=5,numsed=100,fit=1,output=2)
simres=timeOptSim(ex,sedrate=2,numsim=2000,fit=1,output=2)
timeOptPlot(ex,res1,res2,simres,flow=0.035,fhigh=0.065,
  targetE=c(405.6795,130.719,123.839,98.86307,94.87666),
  targetP=c(23.62069,22.31868,19.06768,18.91979),xlab="Depth (m)",
  ylab="Value",fitR=0.832,verbose=T)
```

timeOptSim

Monte Carlo simulation for TimeOpt

Description

Perform Monte Carlo AR1 simulations to evaluate significance of TimeOpt results, as in Meyers (2015).

Usage

```
timeOptSim(dat,sedrate=NULL,numsim=1000,rho=NULL,fit=1,flow=NULL,fhigh=NULL,
           roll=NULL,targetE=NULL,targetP=NULL,detrend=T,output=0,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for astrochronologic assessment. First column should be depth or height (in meters), second column should be data value.
sedrate	Sedimentation rate for investigation (cm/ka).
numsim	Number of Monte Carlo AR1 simulations
rho	AR1 coefficient to use in simulations. By default this will be estimated from the stratigraphic series.
fit	Test for (1) precession amplitude modulations or (2) short eccentricity amplitude modulations?
flow	Low frequency cut-off for Taner bandpass (half power point; in cycles/ka)
fhigh	High frequency cut-off for Taner bandpass (half power point; in cycles/ka)
roll	Taner filter roll-off rate, in dB/octave.
targetE	A vector of eccentricity periods to evaluate (in ka). These must be in order of decreasing period, with a first value of 405 ka.
targetP	A vector of precession periods to evaluate (in ka). These must be in order of decreasing period.
detrend	Remove linear trend from data series? (T or F)
output	Return: (0) nothing; (1) p-value; (2) output simulation r^2_{opt} results
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

References

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See Also

[asm](#), [eAsm](#), [eAsmTrack](#), [testPrecession](#), [timeOpt](#), and [timeOptPlot](#)

Examples

```
# generate a test signal with precession and eccentricity
ex=etp(tmin=1,tmax=1000,dt=1,pWt=1,oWt=0,eWt=1,esinw=TRUE,genplot=FALSE,verbose=FALSE)
# convert to meters with sedimentation rate of 2 cm/kyr
ex[1]<-ex[1]*0.02
# evaluate precession modulations
timeOptSim(ex,sedrate=2,numsim=2000,fit=1)
```

tones	<i>Calculate all possible difference and combinations tones</i>
-------	---

Description

Determine all possible difference and combinations tones from a set of frequencies, and find the closest one to a specified frequency

Usage

```
tones(a=NULL,freqs=NULL,f=T)
```

Arguments

a	The frequency you seeking to match, in cycles/ka.
freqs	The vector of frequencies from which to calculate difference and combination tones, in cycles/ka.
f	Output results as frequencies (cycles/ka)? If false, will output results as periods (ka). (T or F)

traceFreq	<i>Frequency-domain minimal tuning: Use interactive graphical interface to trace frequency drift</i>
-----------	--

Description

Frequency-domain minimal tuning: Use interactive graphical interface to trace frequency drift.

Usage

```
traceFreq(spec,color=2,h=6,w=4,ydir=1,xmin=NULL,xmax=NULL,ymin=NULL,ymax=NULL,ncolors=100,
          path=1,pl=0)
```

Arguments

spec	Time-frequency spectral results to evaluate. Must have the following format: column 1=frequency; remaining columns (2 to n)=power, amplitude or probability; titles for columns 2 to n must be the location (depth or height). Note that this format is ouput by function eha.
color	Line color for tracing. 1 = transparent black; 2 = transparent white; 3 = transparent yellow
h	Height of plot in inches.
w	Width of plot in inches.

ydir	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth or height). -1 = values increase downwards (slower plotting!), 1 = values increase upwards.
xmin	Minimum spatial frequency to plot.
xmax	Maximum spatial frequency to plot.
ymin	Minimum depth/height to plot.
ymax	Maximum depth/height to plot.
ncolors	Number of colors to use in plot.
path	How do you want to represent the spatial frequency path?: 1=lines and points; 2=lines; 3=points
pl	An option for the color plots: 0=linear scale; 1=plot log of value, 2=normalize to maximum value

See Also

[eha](#) and [trackFreq](#)

Examples

```
# Check to see if this is an interactive R session, for compliance with CRAN standards.
# YOU CAN SKIP THE FOLLOWING LINE IF YOU ARE USING AN INTERACTIVE SESSION.
if(interactive()) {

  # Generate example series with 3 terms using function 'cycles'.
  # Then convert from time to space with sedimentation rate that increases from 1 to 5 cm/ka, using
  # function 'sedramp'.
  # Finally interpolate to median sampling interval using function 'linterp'.
  dat=linterp(sedRamp(cycles(freqs=c(1/100,1/40,1/20),start=1,end=2500,dt=5)))

  # EHA analysis, output amplitude results
  out=eha(dat,output=3)

  ## Interactively track frequency drift
  freq=trackFreq(out)

}
```

trackFreq	<i>Frequency-domain minimal tuning: Use interactive graphical interface and sorting to track frequency drift</i>
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Description

Frequency-domain minimal tuning: Use interactive graphical interface and sorting algorithm to track frequency drift.

Usage

```
trackFreq(spec, threshold=NULL, pick=T, fmin=NULL, fmax=NULL, dmin=NULL, dmax=NULL, xmin=NULL,
          xmax=NULL, ymin=NULL, ymax=NULL, h=6, w=4, ydir=1, ncolors=100, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

spec	Time-frequency spectral results to evaluate. Must have the following format: column 1=frequency; remaining columns (2 to n)=power, amplitude or probability; titles for columns 2 to n must be the location (depth or height). Note that this format is output by function eha.
threshold	Threshold level for filtering peaks. By default all peak maxima reported.
pick	Pick the peaks of interest using a graphical interface? (T or F). Only activated if genplot=T.
fmin	Minimum frequency for analysis.
fmax	Maximum frequency for analysis.
dmin	Minimum depth/height for analysis. NOT ACTIVATED YET!
dmax	Maximum depth/height for analysis. NOT ACTIVATED YET!
xmin	Minimum frequency for PLOTTING.
xmax	Maximum frequency for PLOTTING.
ymin	Minimum depth/height for PLOTTING.
ymax	Maximum depth/height for PLOTTING.
h	Height of plot in inches.
w	Width of plot in inches.
ydir	Direction for y-axis in plots (depth or height). -1 = values increase downwards (slower plotting!), 1 = values increase upwards.
ncolors	Number of colors to use in plot.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[eha](#) and [traceFreq](#)

Examples

```
# Check to see if this is an interactive R session, for compliance with CRAN standards.
# YOU CAN SKIP THE FOLLOWING LINE IF YOU ARE USING AN INTERACTIVE SESSION.
if(interactive()) {

  # Generate example series with 3 terms using function 'cycles'.
  # Then convert from time to space with sedimentation rate that increases from 1 to 5 cm/ka, using
  # function 'sedramp'.
  # Finally interpolate to median sampling interval using function 'linterp'.
```

```
dat=interp(sedRamp(cycles(freqs=c(1/100,1/40,1/20),start=1,end=2500,dt=5)))

# EHA anlaysis, output probability results
out=eha(dat,output=4)

## Isolate peaks with probability >= 0.8
freq=trackFreq(out,0.8)

}
```

trim	<i>Remove outliers from stratigraphic series</i>
------	--

Description

Automatically remove outliers from stratigraphic series, using 'boxplot' algorithm.

Usage

```
trim(dat,c=1.5,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for outlier removal. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
c	'c' defines the 'coef' variable for boxplot.stats. For more information: ?boxplot.stats
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[delPts](#), [idPts](#), [iso](#) and [trimAT](#)

trimAT	<i>Remove outliers from stratigraphic series</i>
--------	--

Description

Remove outliers from stratigraphic series, using specified threshold value.

Usage

```
trimAT(dat,thresh=0,dir=2,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for outlier removal. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
thresh	Threshold value for outlier detection.
dir	Remove values (1) smaller than or (2) larger than this threshold?
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

See Also

[delPts](#), [idPts](#), [iso](#) and [trim](#)

trough	<i>Identify minima of troughs in series, filter at desired threshold value</i>
--------	--

Description

Identify minima of troughs in any 1D or 2D series, filter at desired threshold value.

Usage

```
trough(dat, level, genplot=T, verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	1 or 2 dimensional series. If 2 dimesions, first column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
level	Threshold level for filtering troughs. By default all trough minima reported.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Examples

```
ex=cycles(genplot=FALSE)
trough(ex, level=-0.02)
```

tune	<i>Tune stratigraphic series</i>
------	----------------------------------

Description

Tune stratigraphic series from space to time, using specified control points

Usage

```
tune(dat,controlPts,extrapolate=F,genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	Stratigraphic series for tuning. First column should be location (e.g., depth), second column should be data value.
controlPts	Tuning control points. A data frame or matrix containing two columns: depth, time
extrapolate	Extrapolate sedimentation rates above and below 'tuned' interval? (T or F)
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

writeCSV	<i>Write CSV file</i>
----------	-----------------------

Description

Write data frame as file with comma separated values

Usage

```
writeCSV(filename,output)
```

Arguments

filename	Desired filename, in quotes: "result.csv"
output	Data frame to write to file.

writeT	<i>Write tab-delimited file</i>
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Description

Write data frame as file with tab-delimited values

Usage

```
writeT(filename,output)
```

Arguments

filename	Desired filename, in quotes: "result.tab"
output	Data frame to write to file.

wtMean	<i>Ar/Ar Geochronology: calculate weighted mean age, age uncertainty, and other associated statistics/plots (with interactive graphics for data culling).</i>
--------	---

Description

The wtMean function will calculate weighted mean age, age uncertainty, and other helpful statistics/plots (with interactive graphics for data culling). The function includes the option to generate results using the approach of IsoPlot 3.70 (Ludwig, 2008) or ArArCALC (Koppers, 2002).

Usage

```
wtMean(dat,sd=NULL,unc=1,lambda=5.463e-10,J=NULL,Jsd=NULL,CI=2,cull=-1,del=NULL,
       sort=1,output=F,idPts=T,size=NULL,unit=1,setAr=95,color="black",
       genplot=T,verbose=T)
```

Arguments

dat	dat must contain one of the following: (1) a vector of dates for weighted mean calculation, (2) a matrix with two columns: date and uncertainty (one or two sigma), or (3) a matrix with six columns, as follows: date, date uncertainty (one or two sigma), K/Ca, %Ar40*, F, and F uncertainty (one or two sigma). NOTE: F is the ratio Ar40*/Ar39K (see Koppers, 2002). See "details" for more information.
sd	Vector of uncertainties associated with each date in 'dat', as one or two sigma. This option is ignored if dat has more than one column

unc	What is the uncertainty on your input dates? (1) one sigma, or (2) two sigma. DEFAULT is one sigma. This also applies to the F uncertainty, and the J-value uncertainty (if specified)
lambda	Total decay constant of K40, in units of 1/year. The default value is 5.463e-10/year (Min et al., 2000).
J	Neutron fluence parameter
Jsd	Uncertainty for J-value (neutron fluence parameter; as one or two sigma)
CI	Which convention would you like to use for the 95% confidence intervals? (1) ISOPLLOT (Ludwig, 2008), (2) ArArCALC (Koppers, 2002) (see below for details)
cull	Would you like select dates with a graphical interface? (0=no, 1=select points to retain, -1=select points to remove)
del	A vector of indices indicating dates to remove from weighted mean calculation. If specified, this takes precedence over cull.
sort	Sort dates? (0=no; 1=sort into increasing order; 2=sort into decreasing order)
output	Return weighted mean results as new data frame? (T or F)
idPts	Identify datum number on each point? (T or F)
size	Multiplicative factor to increase or decrease size of symbols and fonts.
unit	The time unit for your results. (1) = Ma, (2) = Ka
setAr	Set the %Ar40* level to be illustrated on the plot. The default is 95%.
color	Color to use for symbols. Default is black.
genplot	Generate summary plots? (T or F)
verbose	Verbose output? (T or F)

Details

This function performs weighted mean age calculations, including estimation of age uncertainties, mean square weighted deviation, and probability of fit, following the approaches used in IsoPlot 3.70 (Ludwig, 2008) and ArArCALC (Koppers, 2002).

The function accepts input in three formats:

- (1) each date and its uncertainty can be entered as individual vectors ('dat' and 'sd').
- (2) a two column matrix can be input as 'dat', with each date (first column) and its uncertainty (second column).
- (3) a six column matrix can be input as 'dat', with each date, its uncertainty, the associated K/Ca value, %Ar40*, F, and F uncertainty (one or two sigma). This option must be used if you wish to calculate and include the uncertainty associated with J. The uncertainty is calculated and propagated following equation 18 of Koppers (2002).

The following plots are produced:

- (1) A normal Q-Q plot for the dates (in essence this is the same as IsoPlot's linearized probability plot).
- (2) A cumulative Gaussian plot for the dates (a.k.a. cumulative probability plot). This is derived by summing the individual normal distributions for each date.

(3) A plot of each date with its 2-sigma uncertainties.

In addition, K/Ca and Ar40* data are plotted if provided.

A NOTE regarding confidence intervals: There are two conventions that can be used to calculate the confidence intervals, selected with the option 'CI':

(1) ISOPLOT convention (Ludwig, 2008). When the probability of fit is ≥ 0.15 , the confidence interval is based on $1.96 \times \sigma$. When the probability of fit is < 0.15 , the confidence interval is based on $t \times \sigma \times \sqrt{\text{MSWD}}$.

(2) ArArCALC convention (Koppers, 2002). When $\text{MSWD} \leq 1$, the confidence interval is based on $1.96 \times \sigma$. When $\text{MSWD} > 1$, the confidence interval is based on $1.96 \times \sigma \times \sqrt{\text{MSWD}}$.

ADDITIONAL ADVICE: Use the function readMatrix to load your data in R (rather than the function read).

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See Also

[stepHeat](#)

Examples

```
# Check to see if this is an interactive R session, for compliance with CRAN standards.
# YOU CAN SKIP THE FOLLOWING LINE IF YOU ARE USING AN INTERACTIVE SESSION.
if(interactive()) {

  # Sample NE-08-01 Ar/Ar data from Meyers et al. (2012) supplement
  age <- c(93.66,94.75,94.6,94.22,86.87,94.64,94.34,94.03,93.56,93.85,88.55,93.45,93.84,
          94.39,94.11,94.48,93.82,93.81,94.18,93.78,94.41,93.49,95.07,94.19)
  sd2<- c(5.83,4.10,8.78,2.5,8.86,3.37,4.63,3.18,8.35,5.73,4.23,2.56,2.3,1.7,3.1,2.78,
          1.62,.92,.98,1.41,1.21,1.38,1.48,0.93)
  sd <- sd2/2
  wtMean(age,sd)

}
```

xplot	<i>Generate cross-plot with density estimates on axes</i>
-------	---

Description

Generate a cross-plot with density estimates on axes. If multiple data points are superposed in cross-plot, transparency of points reflects data density. Custom axes titles optional.

Usage

```
xplot(x,y,xlab=NULL,ylab=NULL,main=NULL,fill=T)
```

Arguments

x	Variable 1
y	Variable 2
xlab	Label for the x-axis, in quotes
ylab	Label for the y-axis, in quotes
main	Label for the plot, in quotes
fill	Use gray fill for density plots? (T or F)

Examples

```
# random numbers from a normal distribution
ex1<-rnorm(1000)
# random numbers from an exponential distribution
ex2<-rexp(1000)

xplot(ex1,ex2)
```

zoomIn	<i>Dynamically explore cross-plot, zoom-in into specified region</i>
--------	--

Description

Dynamically explore cross-plot, zoom-in into specified region. Accepts one dataframe/matrix with two columns, or two dataframes/vectors with one column.

Usage

```
zoomIn(dat1,dat2=NULL,ptsize=1,xmin=NULL,xmax=NULL,ymin=NULL,ymax=NULL,plottype=1,
       verbose=T)
```

Arguments

<code>dat1</code>	Data frame with one or two columns. If one column, <code>dat2</code> must also be specified.
<code>dat2</code>	Data frame with one column.
<code>ptsize</code>	Size of plotted points.
<code>xmin</code>	Minimum x-value (column 1) to plot
<code>xmax</code>	Maximum x-value (column 1) to plot
<code>ymin</code>	Minimum y-value (column 2) to plot
<code>ymax</code>	Maximum y-value (column 2) to plot
<code>plotype</code>	Type of plot to generate: 1= points and lines, 2 = points, 3 = lines
<code>verbose</code>	Verbose output? (T or F)

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