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dupl.cross	<i>Matrix crossproduct envolving the duplication matrix</i>
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Description

Given the order of two duplication matrices and matrix x , this function performs the operation: $y \leftarrow t(D_n) \%*\% x \%*\% D_k$, where D_n and D_k are duplication matrices of order n and k , respectively.

Usage

```
dupl.cross(n = 1, k = n, x = NULL)
```

Arguments

n	order of the duplication matrix used pre-multiplying x.
k	order of the duplication matrix used post-multiplying x. By default k = n is used.
x	numeric matrix, this argument is required.

Details

This function calls [dupl.prod](#) to performs the matrix multiplications required but without forming any duplication matrices.

See Also

[dupl.prod](#)

Examples

```
D2 <- duplication(n = 2, matrix = TRUE)
D3 <- duplication(n = 3, matrix = TRUE)
x <- matrix(1, nrow = 9, ncol = 4)
y <- t(D3) %*% x %*% D2

z <- dupl.cross(n = 3, k = 2, x) # D2 and D3 are not stored
all(z == y) # matrices y and z are equal!

x <- matrix(1, nrow = 9, ncol = 9)
z <- dupl.cross(n = 3, x = x) # same matrix is used to pre- and post-multiplying x
z # print result
```

dupl.info

Compact information to construct the duplication matrix

Description

This function provides the minimum information required to create the duplication matrix.

Usage

```
dupl.info(n = 1, condensed = TRUE)
```

Arguments

n	order of the duplication matrix.
condensed	logical. Information should be returned in compact form?

Details

This function returns a list containing two vectors that represent an element of the duplication matrix and is accessed by the indexes in vectors `row` and `col`. This information is used by function `dupl.prod` to do some operations involving the duplication matrix without forming it. This information also can be obtained using function `duplication`

Value

A list containing the following elements:

<code>row</code>	vector of indexes, each entry represents the row index of the duplication matrix. Only present if <code>condensed = FALSE</code> .
<code>col</code>	vector of indexes, each entry represents the column index of the duplication matrix.
<code>order</code>	order of the duplication matrix.

See Also

`duplication` `dupl.prod`

Examples

```
z <- dupl.info(n = 3, condensed = FALSE)
z # where are the ones in duplication of order 3?

D3 <- duplication(n = 3, matrix = TRUE)
D3 # only recommended if n is very small
```

dupl.prod

Matrix multiplication involving the duplication matrix

Description

Given the order of a duplication and matrix `x`, performs one of the matrix-matrix operations:

- `y <- D %*% x`, or
- `y <- t(D) %*% x`, or
- `y <- x %*% D`, or
- `y <- x %*% t(D)`,

where `D <- duplication(n, matrix = TRUE)` is the duplication matrix of order n . The main aim of `dupl.prod` is to do this matrix multiplication **without forming** the duplication matrix.

Usage

```
dupl.prod(n = 1, x, transposed = FALSE, side = "left")
```

Arguments

n	order of the duplication matrix.
x	numeric matrix (or vector).
transposed	logical. Duplication matrix should be transposed?
side	a string selecting if duplication matrix is pre-multiplying x, that is side = "left" or post-multiplying x, by using side = "right".

Details

Underlying C code only uses information provided by [dupl.info](#) to performs the matrix multiplication. The duplication matrix is **never** created.

See Also

[duplication](#)

Examples

```
D4 <- duplication(n = 4, matrix = TRUE)
x <- matrix(1, nrow = 16, ncol = 2)
y <- crossprod(D4, x)

z <- dupl.prod(n = 4, x, transposed = TRUE) # D4 is not stored
all(z == y) # matrices y and z are equal!
```

duplication	<i>Duplication matrix</i>
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Description

This function returns the duplication matrix of order n which transforms, for a symmetric matrix x, `vech(x)` into `vec(x)`.

Usage

```
duplication(n = 1, matrix = FALSE, condensed = FALSE)
```

Arguments

n	order of the duplication matrix.
matrix	a logical indicating whether the duplication matrix will be returned.
condensed	logical. Information should be returned in compact form?.

Details

This function is a wrapper function for the function `dupl.info`. This function provides the minimum information required to create the duplication matrix. If option `matrix = FALSE` the duplication matrix is stored in two vectors containing the coordinate list of indexes for rows and columns. Option `condensed = TRUE` only returns vector of indexes for the columns of duplication matrix.

Warning: `matrix = TRUE` is **not** recommended, unless the order n be small. This matrix can require a huge amount of storage.

Value

Returns an n^2 by $n(n+1)/2$ matrix.

References

Magnus, J.R., and Neudecker, H. (1980). The elimination matrix, some lemmas and applications. *SIAM Journal on Algebraic Discrete Methods* **1**, 422-449.

Magnus, J.R., and Neudecker, H. (2007). *Matrix Differential Calculus with Applications in Statistics and Econometrics*, 3rd Edition. Wiley, New York.

See Also

[dupl.info](#)

Examples

```
z <- duplication(n = 100, condensed = TRUE)
object.size(z) # 40.5 Kb of storage

z <- duplication(n = 100, condensed = FALSE)
object.size(z) # 80.6 Kb of storage

D100 <- duplication(n = 100, matrix = TRUE)
object.size(D100) # 202 Mb of storage, do not request this matrix!

D3 <- duplication(3, matrix = TRUE)
a <- matrix(c( 1, 2, 3,
              2, 3, 4,
              3, 4, 5), nrow = 3)
upper <- a[upper.tri(a, diag = TRUE)]
v <- D3 %*% upper
as.vector(v)
```

hadamard

Hadamard product of two matrices

Description

This function returns the Hadamard or element-wise product of two matrices x and y , that have the same dimensions.

Usage

```
hadamard(x, y)
```

Arguments

x a numeric matrix or vector.
 y a numeric matrix or vector.

Value

A matrix with the same dimension of x (and y) which corresponds to the element-by-element product of the two matrices.

References

Styan, G.P.H. (1973). Hadamard products and multivariate statistical analysis, *Linear Algebra and Its Applications* **6**, 217-240.

Examples

```
x <- matrix(rep(1:10, times = 5), ncol = 5)
y <- matrix(rep(1:5, each = 10), ncol = 5)
z <- hadamard(x, y)
z
```

sweep.operator

Gauss-Jordan sweep operator for symmetric matrices

Description

Perform the sweep operation (or reverse sweep) on the k -th element of the diagonal of a symmetric matrix.

Usage

```
sweep.operator(x, k = 1, reverse = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	a symmetric matrix.
k	element of the diagonal which will be swept.
reverse	logical. If reverse = TRUE the reverse sweep is performed.

Details

The symmetric sweep operator is a powerful tool in computational statistics with uses in stepwise regression, conditional multivariate normal distributions, MANOVA, and more.

Value

a square matrix of the same order as x .

References

Goodnight, J.H. (1979). A tutorial on the SWEEP operator. *The American Statistician* **33**, 149-158.

Examples

```
x <- matrix(rnorm(1000 * 100), ncol = 100)
xx <- crossprod(x)
y <- sweep.operator(xx, k = 1)
```

vec	<i>vectorization of a matrix</i>
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Description

This function returns a vector obtained by stacking the columns of x

Usage

```
vec(x)
```

Arguments

x a numeric matrix.

Value

Let x be a n by m matrix, then $\text{vec}(x)$ is a nm -dimensional vector.

Examples

```
x <- matrix(rep(1:10, each = 10), ncol = 10)
x
y <- vec(x)
y
```

vech	<i>vectorization the lower triangular part of a square matrix</i>
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Description

This function returns a vector obtained by stacking the lower triangular part of a square matrix.

Usage

```
vech(x)
```

Arguments

x a square matrix.

Value

Let x be a n by n matrix, then $\text{vech}(x)$ is a $n(n+1)/2$ -dimensional vector.

Examples

```
x <- matrix(rep(1:10, each = 10), ncol = 10)
x
y <- vech(x)
y
```

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