EpiStats

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Package Epistats

Description

The EpiStats package is a set of functions aimed at epidemiologists. They include commands for measures of association and impact for case control studies and cohort studies. They may be particularly useful for outbreak investigations and include univariate and stratified analyses.

The generic function crossTable provides a contingency table with optional parameters percent and statistic

The functions for cohort studies include the CS, CSTable and CSInter commands.

The functions for case control studies include the CC, CCTable and CCInter commands.

All variables used need to be numeric binary variables and coded as 0 and 1 or as factors.

Cohort study functions:

The cohort study functions relate to cohort studies that measure risks, rather than rates in person-time.

The CS function provides a 2 by 2 table and measures the association between the outcome and one exposure. It includes the risk ratio and its 95% confidence intervals, the attributable fraction among the exposed and unexposed, and a chi square test and its p-value.

The CSTable function displays the measures of association between the outcome and a set of exposures in a table (risk ratios, confidence intervals and p-values). This helps the researcher to compare between exposures and provides a nice table for reports.

The **CSInter** function investigates the effect of a third variable on the association between an exposure and the outcome. It presents two by two tables stratified by the levels of a third value. It provides the Woolf test for homogeneity between stratum-specific risk ratios. It provides the crude risk ratio between an exposure and an outcome and the risk ratio adjusted by the third variable. CSInter helps the researcher understand whether a third variable may have an effect modifying or confounding effect on the association between an exposure and the outcome.

Case control study functions:

The **CC** function provides a 2 by 2 table and measures the association between the outcome and one exposure. It includes the odds ratio and its 95% confidence intervals, the attributable fraction among the exposed, and a chi square test and its p-value.

The **CCTable** function displays the measures of association between the outcome and a set of exposures in a table (odds ratios, confidence intervals and p-values). This helps the researcher to compare between exposures and provides a nice table for reports.

The **CCInter** function investigates the effect of a third variable on the association between an exposure and the outcome. It presents two by two tables stratified by the levels of a third value. It provides the Woolf test for homogeneity between stratum-specific odds ratios. It provides the crude odds ratio between an exposure and an outcome and the odds ratio adjusted by the third variable. CCInter helps the researcher understand whether a third variable may have an effect modifying or confounding effect on the association between an exposure and the outcome.

The "Tiramisu" dataset

The dataset used in this vignette is from an outbreak investigation carried out in Germany in 1998 by Anja Hauri, Robert Koch Institute. It is used in case studies by organisations including EPIET, ECDC and EpiConcept.

The CSTable, CSInter, CCTable and CCInter functions are based on commands written in Stata by *Gilles Desve*, who we gratefully acknowledge.

Working with Epistats and "Tiramisu" dataset

Loading and recoding the dataset

```
library(EpiStats)
library(dplyr)
library(knitr)
options(knitr.kable.NA = '')
options(width=200)
data(Tiramisu)
DF <- Tiramisu
DF <- DF %>%
  # filter(age != "NA") %>%
  mutate(agegroup = case_when(age < 30 ~ 0, age >= 30 ~ 1)) %>%
  mutate(tportion = case_when(tportion == 0 ~ 0, tportion == 1 ~ 1, tportion >= 2 ~ 2)) %>%
  mutate(tportion = as.factor(tportion)) %>%
  as.data.frame()
Colnames <- DF %>%
  select(-ill, -age, -dateonset, -uniquekey, -tportion, -mportion) %>%
  colnames()
```

crossTable

Creates a contingency table of variable of interest and exposure. Percentage are optionals by *row* or by *column*. It can provides an optional statistic (*fisher* or *chisquare*).

Syntax

crosTable(data, var1, var2, percent="none", statistic="none")

Examples

Recoding some data to have ordered factors

```
DF$ill <- factor(DF$ill, levels=c(1,0), ordered = TRUE)
DF$sex <- factor(DF$sex, levels = c("males", "females"), ordered = TRUE)</pre>
```

Example 1: crossTable ill - sex

```
ret <- crossTable(DF, var1="ill", var2="tira")</pre>
ret
##
     tira / ill
                 1 0 Total
## 1
                 7 158
                           165
              0
## 2
              1 94 27
                           121
          Total 101 185
## 3
                           286
kable(ret, align="r")
```

tira / ill	1	0	Total
0	7	158	165
1	94	27	121
Total	101	185	286

Example 2: crossTable ill - sex with column percentage and chi2 stat

```
ret <- crossTable(DF, "ill", "sex", "col", "chi2")
kable(ret, align="r", caption = "with columns %")</pre>
```

Table 2: with columns %

sex / ill	1	0	Total
males	50	102	152
%	48.54	54.26	52.23
females	53	86	139
%	51.46	45.74	47.77
Total	103	188	291
%	100.00	100.00	100.00
-	-	-	-
Pearson CHI2	0.8701	\Pr	0.351

Example 3: CrossTable ill - sex with row percentage and Fisher stat

NB: All parameters are unquoted

```
ret <- crossTable(DF, ill, sex, row, fisher)</pre>
ret
##
          sex / ill
                               %
                                   0
                                          % Total
                         1
## 1
                        50 32.89 102 67.11
                                              152 100
              males
## 2
            females
                        53 38.13 86 61.87
                                              139 100
              Total
                       103 35.40 188 64.60
## 3
                                              291 100
## 4
## 5 Fisher's exact 0.391
kable(ret, align="r", caption = "with rows %")
```

Table 3: with rows %

sex / ill	1	%	0	%	Total	
males	50	32.89	102	67.11	152	
females	53	38.13	86	61.87	139	
Total	103	35.40	188	64.60	291	
-	-	-	-	-	-	
Fisher's exact	0.391					

CrossTable beer - sex with column and row percentages and Chi2 stat

NB: All parameters are unquoted

```
ret <- crossTable(DF, beer, sex, both, chi2)</pre>
ret
##
       sex / beer
                               %
                                      1
                                             % Total
                        58 40.85
                                      84 59.15
                                                  142 100.00
## 1
            males
## 2
                    35.15
                                  79.25
                       107 82.95
                                     22 17.05
                                                  129 100.00
## 3
          females
## 4
                %
                    64.85
                                  20.75
## 5
            Total
                       165 60.89
                                    106 39.11
                                                  271 100.00
## 6
                % 100.00
                                 100.00
                                               100.00
## 7
## 8 Pearson CHI2 50.3078
                              Pr
kable(ret, align="r", caption = "% rows and columns")
```

Table 4: % rows and columns

sex / beer	0	%	1	%	Total	
males	58	40.85	84	59.15	142	1
%	35.15		79.25			
females	107	82.95	22	17.05	129	1
%	64.85		20.75			
Total	165	60.89	106	39.11	271	1
%	100.00		100.00		100.00	
-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pearson CHI2	50.3078	Pr	0			

\mathbf{CS}

CS analyses cohort studies with equal follow-up time per subject. The risk (the proportion of individuals who become cases) is calculated overall and among the exposed and unexposed. Note that all variables need to be numeric and binary and coded as "0" and "1".

Point estimates and confidence intervals for the risk ratio and risk difference are calculated, along with attributable or preventive fractions for the exposed and the total population. Additionally you can select if you want to display the Fisher's exact test, by specifying exact = TRUE. If you specify full = TRUE you can easily access useful statistics from the output tables.

Syntax

CS(x, cases, exposure, exact, full=FALSE)

Example 1: CS ill - mousse (unformatted)

```
CS(DF, "ill", "mousse", exact = FALSE)
## $df1
##
             Cases Non Cases Total Risk
## Exposed
                42
                           81
                                123 0.34
## Unexposed
               144
                           22
                                166 0.87
                                289 0.64
## Total
               186
                          103
##
## $df2
##
                    Point estimate 95%CI 11 95%CI ul
                                       -0.62
                                                -0.43
## Risk difference
                             -0.53
## Risk ratio
                              0.39
                                        0.31
                                                 0.51
## Prev. frac. ex.
                              0.61
                                        0.49
                                                 0.69
## Prev. frac. pop
                              0.26
                                          NA
                                                   NA
## chi2(1)
                             85.22
                                          NA
                                                   NA
## Pr>chi2
                             0.000
                                          NA
                                                   NA
```

Example 2: CS ill - beer (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the *kable* function.

result <- CS(DF, "ill", "beer", exact = TRUE, full = TRUE)
kable(result\$df1)</pre>

	Cases	Non Cases	Total	Risk
Exposed	76	30	106	0.72
Unexposed	96	69	165	0.58
Total	172	99	271	0.63

kable(result\$df2, align = result\$df2.align)

	Point estimate	95%CI ll	95%CI ul
Risk difference	0.14	0.02	0.25
Risk ratio	1.23	1.03	1.47
Attr. frac. ex.	0.19	0.03	0.32
Attr. frac. pop	0.08	NA	NA
chi2(1)	5.09	NA	NA
Pr>chi2	0.024	NA	NA
Fisher p.value	0.028	NA	NA

By storing the results in the object "result", you are able to use the result tables in Markdown as shown above. By specifying "full = TRUE" you can also easily use individual elements of the results. For example if you would like to view just the risk ratio, you can view it by typing:

result\$st\$risk_ratio\$point_estimate

[1] 1.232311

CSTable - Summary table for cohort studies

CSTable is used for univariate analysis of cohort studies with several exposures. The results are summarised in one table with one row per exposure making comparisons between exposures easier and providing a useful table for integrating into reports. Note that all variables need to be numeric and binary and coded as "0" and "1".

The results of this function contain: The name of exposure variables, the total number of exposed, the number of exposed cases, the attack rate among the exposed, the total number of unexposed, the number of unexposed cases, the attack rate among the unexposed, risk ratios, 95% confidence intervals, 95% p-values.

You can optionally choose to display the Fisher's exact p-value instead of the Chi squared p-value, with the option exact = TRUE.

You can specify the sort order, with the option sort="rr" to order by risk ratios. The default sort order is by p-values.

The option "full = TRUE" provides you with useful formatting information, which can be handy if you're using "markdown".

Syntax

CSTable(x, cases, exposure=c(), exact=FALSE, sort = "pvalue", full=FALSE)

Example 1: CSTable results ordered by p-value (unformatted)

##	\$df											
##		Tot.Exp.	Exp.Cases	AR%	Tot.Unex.	Unex.Cases	AR%	RR	CI 11	CI ul	p(Chi2)	
##	tira	121	27	22.31	165	158	95.76	0.23	0.17	0.33	0.000	
##	mousse	123	42	34.15	166	144	86.75	0.39	0.31	0.51	0.000	
##	wmousse	72	23	31.94	205	156	76.10	0.42	0.30	0.59	0.000	
##	dmousse	113	37	32.74	174	148	85.06	0.38	0.29	0.51	0.000	
##	redjelly	79	34	43.04	212	154	72.64	0.59	0.45	0.77	0.000	
##	fruitsalad	71	25	35.21	220	163	74.09	0.48	0.34	0.66	0.000	
##	beer	106	76	71.70	165	96	58.18	1.23	1.03	1.47	0.024	
##	tomato	83	48	57.83	208	140	67.31	0.86	0.70	1.06	0.127	
##	pork	120	72	60.00	169	115	68.05	0.88	0.74	1.05	0.158	
##	${\tt horseradish}$	72	42	58.33	217	145	66.82	0.87	0.70	1.08	0.192	
##	sex	139	86	61.87	152	102	67.11	0.92	0.78	1.09	0.351	
##	roastbeef	29	21	72.41	262	167	63.74	1.14	0.89	1.45	0.354	
##	chickenwin	84	51	60.71	207	137	66.18	0.92	0.75	1.12	0.377	
##	mince	87	55	63.22	204	133	65.20	0.97	0.80	1.17	0.747	
##	agegroup	68	43	63.24	215	140	65.12	0.97	0.79	1.19	0.777	
##	salmon	104	67	64.42	183	120	65.57	0.98	0.82	1.17	0.844	

Example 2: CSTable results ordered by risk ratio (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

res = CSTable(DF, "ill", sort = "rr", exposure = Colnames, full = TRUE)

kable(res\$df, digits=res\$digits, align=res\$align)

	Tot.Exp.	Exp.Cases	AR%	Tot.Unex.	Unex.Cases	AR%	RR	CI ll	(
beer	106	76	71.70	165	96	58.18	1.23	1.03	
roastbeef	29	21	72.41	262	167	63.74	1.14	0.89	
salmon	104	67	64.42	183	120	65.57	0.98	0.82	
mince	87	55	63.22	204	133	65.20	0.97	0.80	
agegroup	68	43	63.24	215	140	65.12	0.97	0.79	
sex	139	86	61.87	152	102	67.11	0.92	0.78	
chickenwin	84	51	60.71	207	137	66.18	0.92	0.75	
pork	120	72	60.00	169	115	68.05	0.88	0.74	
horseradish	72	42	58.33	217	145	66.82	0.87	0.70	
tomato	83	48	57.83	208	140	67.31	0.86	0.70	
redjelly	79	34	43.04	212	154	72.64	0.59	0.45	
fruitsalad	71	25	35.21	220	163	74.09	0.48	0.34	
wmousse	72	23	31.94	205	156	76.10	0.42	0.30	
mousse	123	42	34.15	166	144	86.75	0.39	0.31	
dmousse	113	37	32.74	174	148	85.06	0.38	0.29	
tira	121	27	22.31	165	158	95.76	0.23	0.17	

Example 3: CSTable results ordered by p-value from the Fisher's exact test (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

```
res = CSTable(DF, "ill", exact = TRUE, exposure = Colnames, full = TRUE)
kable(res$df, digits=res$digits, align=res$align)
```

	Tot.Exp.	Exp.Cases	AR%	Tot.Unex.	Unex.Cases	AR%	RR	CI ll
tira	121	27	22.31	165	158	95.76	0.23	0.17
wmousse	72	23	31.94	205	156	76.10	0.42	0.30
dmousse	113	37	32.74	174	148	85.06	0.38	0.29
mousse	123	42	34.15	166	144	86.75	0.39	0.31
redjelly	79	34	43.04	212	154	72.64	0.59	0.45
fruitsalad	71	25	35.21	220	163	74.09	0.48	0.34
beer	106	76	71.70	165	96	58.18	1.23	1.03
tomato	83	48	57.83	208	140	67.31	0.86	0.70
pork	120	72	60.00	169	115	68.05	0.88	0.74
horseradish	72	42	58.33	217	145	66.82	0.87	0.70
sex	139	86	61.87	152	102	67.11	0.92	0.78
roastbeef	29	21	72.41	262	167	63.74	1.14	0.89
chickenwin	84	51	60.71	207	137	66.18	0.92	0.75
agegroup	68	43	63.24	215	140	65.12	0.97	0.79
mince	87	55	63.22	204	133	65.20	0.97	0.80
salmon	104	67	64.42	183	120	65.57	0.98	0.82

By storing the results in the object "res", you are able to use the result table in Markdown as shown above. You can also use individual elements of the results. For example if you would like to view just the risk ratio, you can view it by typing (for example):

res\$df\$'Risk Ratio'[2]

NULL

CSInter - Stratified analysis for cohort studies

CSInter is useful to determine the effects of a third variable on the association between an exposure and an outcome. CSInter produces 2 by 2 tables with stratum specific risk ratios, attributable risk among exposed and population attributable risk. Note that the outcome and exposure variable need to be numeric and binary and coded as "0" and 1". The third variable needs to be numeric, but may have more categories, such as "0", "1" and "2".

CSInter displays a summary with the crude RR, the Mantel Haenszel adjusted RR and the result of a "Woolf" test for homogeneity of stratum-specific RR.

The option "full = TRUE" provides you with useful formatting information, which can be handy if you're using "markdown".

Syntax

CSInter(x, cases, exposure, by, full=FALSE)

Example 1: CSInter ill - wmousse by tira (unformatted)

```
CSInter(DF, cases="ill", exposure = "wmousse", by = "tira")
   , , tira = 0
##
##
##
          ill
##
  wmousse
             0
                  1
##
         1
            13
                  4
##
         2 141
                  3
##
##
    , tira = 1
##
##
          ill
## wmousse
             0
                  1
             9
                 43
##
         1
##
            14
         2
                 46
## $df1
##
     CSInter ill - wmousse by(tira) Total Cases Risk %
                                                                    P.est. Stats 95%CI-11 95%CI-ul
## 1
                            tira = 1
                                         112
                                              <NA>
                                                        NA Risk difference -0.06
                                                                                      -0.21
                                                                                                 0.09
## 2
                              Exposed
                                         52
                                                 9
                                                    17.31
                                                                Risk ratio
                                                                                       0.35
                                                                                                 1.57
## 3
                                                14
                                                    23.33 Prev. frac. ex.
                                                                                      -0.57
                                                                                                 0.65
                            Unexposed
                                         60
## 4
                                         NA
                                              <NA>
                                                        NA Prev. frac. pop
                                                                                         NA
                                                                                                   NA
                                         161
                             tira = 0
                                              <NA>
                                                        NA Risk difference -0.21
                                                                                      -0.42
                                                                                                -0.01
## 5
## 6
                              Exposed
                                         17
                                                13
                                                    76.47
                                                                Risk ratio
                                                                             0.78
                                                                                       0.60
                                                                                                 1.02
                                                                                      -0.02
                                                                                                 0.40
## 7
                            Unexposed
                                         144
                                               141
                                                    97.92 Prev. frac. ex.
                                                                             0.22
## 8
                                         NA
                                              <NA>
                                                        NA Prev. frac. pop
                                                                             0.02
                                                                                         NA
                                                                                                   NA
## 9
                                          18
                                              6.2%
                                                        NA
                                                                       <NA>
                                                                               NA
                                                                                         NA
                 Missing / Missing %
                                                                                                   NA
##
## $df2
##
                       Point Estimate Chi2 p.value Stats 95%CI-ll 95%CI-ul
## 1
           Woolf test of homogeneity 0.02
                                               0.899
                                                         NA
                                                                  NA
                                                                            NA
                 Crude RR for wmousse
                                         NA
                                                  NA
                                                      0.42
                                                                0.29
                                                                          0.60
                                                                0.57
                                                                          1.03
## 3 MH RR wmousse adjusted for tira
                                                      0.77
                                         NA
                                                  NA
      Adjusted/crude relative change
                                         NA
                                                  NA 83.27
                                                                  NA
                                                                            NA
```

Example 2: CSInter ill - beer by tira (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

```
res <- CSInter(DF, "ill", "beer", "tira", full = TRUE)</pre>
```

```
## , , tira = 0
##
##
      ill
## beer 0 1
##
     1 60 3
      2 83 4
##
##
## , , tira = 1
##
##
      ill
## beer 0 1
      1 14 27
##
##
      2 12 63
```

Total	Cases	Risk $\%$	P.est.	Stats	95%CI-ll
116		NA	Risk difference	0.18	0.01
41	14	34.15	Risk Ratio	2.13	1.09
75	12	16.00	Attrib.risk.exp	0.53	0.08
		NA	Attrib.risk.pop	0.29	NA
150		NA	Risk difference	-0.00	-0.07
63	60	95.24	Risk ratio	1.00	0.93
87	83	95.40	Prev. frac. ex.	0.00	-0.07
		NA	Prev. frac.	0.00	NA
			pop		
25	8.6%	NA		NA	NA
	116 41 75 150 63 87	116 41 14 75 12 150 63 60 87 83	116 NA 41 14 34.15 75 12 16.00 NA 150 NA 63 60 95.24 87 83 95.40 NA	116 41 41 434.15 Risk Ratio 75 12 16.00 Attrib.risk.exp NA Attrib.risk.pop NA Risk difference NA Risk ratio Prev. frac. ex. NA Prev. frac. pop	116 NA Risk difference 41 41 14 34.15 Risk Ratio 2.13 75 12 16.00 Attrib.risk.exp 0.53 NA Attrib.risk.pop 0.29 NA Risk difference -0.00 63 60 95.24 Risk ratio 1.00 87 83 95.40 Prev. frac. ex. 0.00 NA Prev. frac. pop

Point Estimate	Chi2	p.value	Stats	95%CI-ll	95
Woolf test of homogeneity	4.88	0.027	NA	NA	
Crude RR for beer	NA		1.21	1.02	
MH RR beer	NA		1.12	1.00	
adjusted for tira					
Adjusted/crude	NA		-7.57	NA	
relative change					

Example 3: CSInter ill - beer by tportion (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

```
res <- CSInter(DF, "ill", "beer", "tportion", full = TRUE)</pre>
## , , tportion = 0
##
##
       ill
## beer 0 1
##
      1 60 3
      2 83 4
##
##
## , , tportion = 1
##
##
       ill
## beer 0 1
##
      1 12 10
      2 8 33
##
##
## , , tportion = 2
##
```

kable(res\$df1, align="r")

ill ## beer 0 1 1 2 17

2 4 30

##

##

CSInter ill - beer by(tportion)	Total	Cases	Risk $\%$	P.est.	Stats	95%0
$\frac{1}{1}$	53		NA	Risk difference	-0.01	-(
Exposed	19	2	10.53	Risk ratio	0.89	
Unexposed	34	4	11.76	Prev. frac. ex.	0.11	-;
			NA	Prev. frac.	0.04	
				pop		
tportion = 1	63		NA	Risk difference	0.35	(
Exposed	22	12	54.55	Risk Ratio	2.80	
Unexposed	41	8	19.51	Attrib.risk.exp	0.64	(
			NA	Attrib.risk.pop	0.39	
tportion = 0	150		NA	Risk difference	-0.00	-(
Exposed	63	60	95.24	Risk ratio	1.00	(
Unexposed	87	83	95.40	Prev. frac. ex.	0.00	-(
			NA	Prev. frac.	0.00	
				pop		
Missing /	25	8.6%	NA		NA	
Missing %						

kable(res\$df2, align="r")

Point Estimate	Chi2	p.value	Stats	95%CI-ll	95
Woolf test of homogeneity	7.60	0.022	NA	NA	
Crude RR for beer	NA		1.21	1.02	
MH RR beer adjusted for tportion	NA		1.12	1.00	
Adjusted/crude relative change	NA		-7.45	NA	

By storing the results in the object "res", you are able to use the result table in Markdown as shown above. You can also use individual elements of the results. For example if you would like to view just the Mantel-Haenszel risk ratio for beer adjusted for tportion, you can view it by typing:

res\$df2\$Stats[3]

[1] 1.12

Levels: NA -7.45 1.12 1.21

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CC is used for case control studies to determine the association between an exposure and an outcome. Variables need to be binary and coded as "0" and "1". Point estimates and confidence intervals for the odds ratio are calculated along with attributable or preventive fractions for the exposed and total population. Additionally you can select if you want to display the Fisher's exact test, by specifying exact = TRUE. If you specify full = TRUE you can easily access useful statistics from the output tables.

Syntax

CC(x, cases, exposure, exact, full=FALSE)

Example 1: CC ill - mousse (unformatted)

```
cc(DF, "ill", "mousse", exact = TRUE)
## $df1
##
                     Cases Controls Total
## Exposed
                       42 81 123
## Unexposed
                               22 166
                      144
## Total
                              103
                                     289
                      186
## Proportion exposed 0.23
                              0.79 0.43
##
## $df2
##
                 Point estimate 95%CI-11 95%CI-ul
                  0.08 0.04 0.15
0.92 0.85 0.96
0.72 NA NA
85.22 NA NA
## Odds ratio
## Prev. frac. ex.
## Prev. frac. pop
## chi2(1)
## chi2(1)
## Pr>chi2
                         0.000
                                    NA
                                               NA
## Fisher p.value
                        0.000
                                      NA
                                               NA
```

Example 2: CC ill - beer (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

```
result <- CC(DF, "ill", "beer", exact = TRUE, full = TRUE)
kable(result$df1, align="r")</pre>
```

	Cases	Controls	Total
Exposed	76	30	106
Unexposed	96	69	165
Total	172	99	271
Proportion exposed	0.44	0.30	0.39

kable(result\$df2, align=result\$df2.align)

	Point estimate	95%CI-ll	95%CI-ul
Odds ratio	1.82	1.05	3.20
Attr. frac. ex.	0.45	0.05	0.69
Attr. frac. pop	0.20	NA	NA
chi2(1)	5.09	NA	NA
Pr>chi2	0.024	NA	NA
Fisher p.value	0.028	NA	NA

By storing the results in the object "result", you are able to use the result tables in Markdown as shown above. By specifying "full = TRUE" you can also easily use individual elements of the results. For example if you would like to view just the odds ratio, you can view it by typing:

result\$st\$odds_ratio\$point_estimate

[1] 1.820833 1.047409 3.196975

CCTable - Summary table for case control studies

CCTable is used for univariate analysis of case control studies with several exposures. The results are summarised in one table with one row per exposure making comparisons between exposures easier and providing a useful table for integrating into reports. Note that all variables need to be numeric and binary and coded as "0" and "1".

The results of this function contain: The name of exposure variables, the total number of cases, the number of exposed cases, the percentage of exposed among cases, the number of controls, the number of exposed controls, the percentage of exposed among controls, odds ratios, 95%CI intervals, p-values.

You can optionally choose to display the Fisher's exact p-value instead of the Chi squared p-value, with the option exact = TRUE.

You can specify the sort order, with the option sort="or" to order by odds ratios. The default sort order is by p-values.

The option "full = TRUE" provides you with useful formatting information, which can be handy if you're using "markdown".

Syntax

CCTable(x, cases, exposure=c(), exact=FALSE, sort = "pvalue", full=FALSE)

Example 1: CCTable results ordered by p-value (unformatted)

##	\$df											
##		Tot.Cases	Exposed	%	Tot.Ctrls	Exposed	%	OR	CI 11	CI ul	p(Chi2)	
##	tira	185	27	14.59	101	94	93.07	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.000	
##	mousse	186	42	22.58	103	81	78.64	0.08	0.04	0.15	0.000	
##	wmousse	179	23	12.85	98	49	50.00	0.15	0.08	0.28	0.000	
##	dmousse	185	37	20.00	102	76	74.51	0.09	0.05	0.16	0.000	
##	redjelly	188	34	18.09	103	45	43.69	0.28	0.16	0.51	0.000	
##	fruitsalad	188	25	13.30	103	46	44.66	0.19	0.10	0.35	0.000	
##	beer	172	76	44.19	99	30	30.30	1.82	1.05	3.20	0.024	
##	tomato	188	48	25.53	103	35	33.98	0.67	0.38	1.17	0.127	
##	pork	187	72	38.50	102	48	47.06	0.70	0.42	1.18	0.158	
##	${\tt horseradish}$	187	42	22.46	102	30	29.41	0.70	0.39	1.25	0.192	
##	sex	188	86	45.74	103	53	51.46	0.80	0.48	1.32	0.351	
##	roastbeef	188	21	11.17	103	8	7.77	1.49	0.61	4.05	0.354	
##	chickenwin	188	51	27.13	103	33	32.04	0.79	0.45	1.39	0.377	
##	mince	188	55	29.26	103	32	31.07	0.92	0.53	1.61	0.747	
##	agegroup	183	43	23.50	100	25	25.00	0.92	0.51	1.70	0.777	
##	salmon	187	67	35.83	100	37	37.00	0.95	0.56	1.63	0.844	

Example 2: CCTable results ordered by odds ratio (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

res = CCTable(DF, "ill", sort = "or", exposure = Colnames)
kable(res\$df)

	Tot.Cases	Exposed	%	Tot.Ctrls	Exposed	%	OR	CI ll	CI ul
beer	172	76	44.19	99	30	30.30	1.82	1.05	3.20
roastbeef	188	21	11.17	103	8	7.77	1.49	0.61	4.05
salmon	187	67	35.83	100	37	37.00	0.95	0.56	1.63
mince	188	55	29.26	103	32	31.07	0.92	0.53	1.61
agegroup	183	43	23.50	100	25	25.00	0.92	0.51	1.70
sex	188	86	45.74	103	53	51.46	0.80	0.48	1.32
chickenwin	188	51	27.13	103	33	32.04	0.79	0.45	1.39
horseradish	187	42	22.46	102	30	29.41	0.70	0.39	1.25
pork	187	72	38.50	102	48	47.06	0.70	0.42	1.18
tomato	188	48	25.53	103	35	33.98	0.67	0.38	1.17
redjelly	188	34	18.09	103	45	43.69	0.28	0.16	0.51
fruitsalad	188	25	13.30	103	46	44.66	0.19	0.10	0.35
wmousse	179	23	12.85	98	49	50.00	0.15	0.08	0.28
dmousse	185	37	20.00	102	76	74.51	0.09	0.05	0.16
mousse	186	42	22.58	103	81	78.64	0.08	0.04	0.15
tira	185	27	14.59	101	94	93.07	0.01	0.00	0.03

Example 3: CCTable results ordered by p-value from the Fisher's exact test (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

res = CCTable(DF, "ill", exposure = Colnames, exact=TRUE)
kable(res\$df)

	Tot.Cases	Exposed	%	Tot.Ctrls	Exposed	%	OR	CI ll	CI ul
tira	185	27	14.59	101	94	93.07	0.01	0.00	0.03
wmousse	179	23	12.85	98	49	50.00	0.15	0.08	0.28
dmousse	185	37	20.00	102	76	74.51	0.09	0.05	0.16
mousse	186	42	22.58	103	81	78.64	0.08	0.04	0.15
redjelly	188	34	18.09	103	45	43.69	0.28	0.16	0.51
fruitsalad	188	25	13.30	103	46	44.66	0.19	0.10	0.35
beer	172	76	44.19	99	30	30.30	1.82	1.05	3.20
tomato	188	48	25.53	103	35	33.98	0.67	0.38	1.17
pork	187	72	38.50	102	48	47.06	0.70	0.42	1.18
horseradish	187	42	22.46	102	30	29.41	0.70	0.39	1.25
sex	188	86	45.74	103	53	51.46	0.80	0.48	1.32
roastbeef	188	21	11.17	103	8	7.77	1.49	0.61	4.05
chickenwin	188	51	27.13	103	33	32.04	0.79	0.45	1.39
agegroup	183	43	23.50	100	25	25.00	0.92	0.51	1.70
mince	188	55	29.26	103	32	31.07	0.92	0.53	1.61
salmon	187	67	35.83	100	37	37.00	0.95	0.56	1.63

By storing the results in the object "res", you are able to use the result table in Markdown as shown above. You can also use individual elements of the results. For example if you would like to view just the odds ratio, you can view it by typing (for example):

res\$df\$'Odds Ratio'[1]

NULL

CCInter - Stratified analysis for case control studies

CCInter is useful to determine the effects of a third variable on the association between an exposure and an outcome. CCInter produces 2 by 2 tables with stratum specific odds ratios, attributable risk among exposed and population attributable risk.

Note that the outcome and exposure variable need to be numeric and binary and coded as "0" and 1". The third variable needs to be numeric, but may have more categories, such as "0", "1" and "2".

CCInter displays a summary with the crude OR, the Mantel Haenszel adjusted OR and the result of a Woolf test for homogeneity of stratum-specific OR.

The option "full = TRUE" provides you with useful formatting information, which can be handy if you're using "markdown".

Syntax

CCInter (x, cases, exposure, by, full=FALSE)

Example 1: CCInter ill - wmousse by tira (unformatted)

```
CCInter(DF, cases="ill", exposure = "wmousse", by = "tira")
## $df1
##
      CCInter ill - wmousse by(tira) Cases Controls
                                                                  P.est. Stats 95%CI-11 95%CI-ul
## 1
                              tira = 1
                                         <NA>
                                                   <NA>
                                                             Odds ratio
                                                                          0.69
                                                                                    0.24
                                                                                              1.92
## 2
                               Exposed
                                            9
                                                     43 Prev. frac. ex.
                                                                          0.31
                                                                                   -0.92
                                                                                              0.76
## 3
                             Unexposed
                                           14
                                                     46 Prev. frac. pop
                                                                          0.15
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
## 4
                                 Total
                                           23
                                                     89
                                                                    <NA>
                                                                            NA
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
                             Exposed % 39.1%
                                                 48.3%
                                                                    <NA>
## 5
                                                                            NA
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
                                                                    <NA>
## 6
                                         <NA>
                                                   <NA>
                                                                            NA
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
## 7
                              tira = 0
                                         <NA>
                                                   <NA>
                                                             Odds ratio
                                                                         0.07
                                                                                    0.01
                                                                                              0.47
## 8
                               Exposed
                                           13
                                                      4 Prev. frac. ex.
                                                                          0.93
                                                                                    0.53
                                                                                              0.99
## 9
                             Unexposed
                                          141
                                                      3 Prev. frac. pop
                                                                          0.53
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
## 10
                                 Total
                                          154
                                                      7
                                                                    <NA>
                                                                            NA
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
                             Exposed %
                                        8.4%
                                                 57.1%
                                                                    <NA>
                                                                            NA
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
## 11
## 12
                                         <NA>
                                                   <NA>
                                                                    <NA>
                                                                            NA
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
## 13
                        Number of obs
                                          273
                                                   <NA>
                                                                    <NA>
                                                                            NA
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
## 14
                               Missing
                                           18
                                                   <NA>
                                                                    <NA>
                                                                            NA
                                                                                      NA
                                                                                                NA
##
## $df2
##
                            P.estimate
                                         Stats 95%CI-11 95%CI-ul
## 1
               MH test of Homogeneity
                                          0.01
                                                      NA
                                                               NA
## 2
                 Crude OR for wmousse
                                          0.15
                                                    0.08
                                                             0.28
## 3 MH OR wmousse adjusted for tira
                                                    0.20
                                                             0.99
                                          0.44
      Adjusted/crude relative change 199.81
                                                      NA
                                                               NA
```

Example 2: CCInter ill - beer by tira (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

```
res <- CCInter(DF, cases="ill", exposure = "beer", by = "tira", full = TRUE)
kable(res$df1, align=res$df1.align)</pre>
```

CCInter ill - beer by(tira)	Cases	Controls	P.est.	Stats	95%CI-ll
$\overline{\text{tira} = 1}$			Odds ratio	2.72	1.01
Exposed	14	27	Attrib.risk.exp	0.63	0.01
Unexposed	12	63	Attrib.risk.pop	0.34	NA
Total	26	90		NA	NA
Exposed %	53.8%	30.0%		NA	NA
				NA	NA

CCInter ill - beer by(tira)	Cases	Controls	P.est.	Stats	95%CI-ll
tira = 0			Odds ratio	0.96	0.16
Exposed	60	3	Prev. frac. ex.	0.04	-5.82
Unexposed	83	4	Prev. frac. pop	0.02	NA
Total	143	7		NA	NA
Exposed %	42.0%	42.9%		NA	NA
				NA	NA
Number of obs	266			NA	NA
Missing	25			NA	NA

kable(res\$df2)

P.estimate	Stats	95%CI-ll	95%CI-ul
MH test of Homogeneity	0.22	NA	NA
Crude OR for beer	1.74	1.00	3.07
MH OR beer adjusted for tira	2.07	0.96	4.47
Adjusted/crude relative change	18.80	NA	NA

Example 3: CCInter ill - beer by tportion (formatted)

The following results tables are outputs in "markdown" using the kable function.

```
res <- CCInter(DF, cases="ill", exposure = "beer", by = "tportion", full = TRUE)
kable(res$df1, align=res$df1.align)</pre>
```

CCInter ill - beer by(tportion)	Cases	Controls	P.est.	Stats	95%CI-ll
$\overline{\text{tportion} = 2}$			Odds ratio	0.88	0.07
Exposed	2	17	Prev. frac. ex.	0.12	-5.94
Unexposed	4	30	Prev. frac. pop	0.04	NA
Total	6	47		NA	NA
Exposed %	33.3%	36.2%		NA	NA
				NA	NA
$\frac{1}{\text{tportion}} = 1$			Odds ratio	4.95	1.38
Exposed	12	10	Attrib.risk.exp	0.79	0.27
Unexposed	8	33	Attrib.risk.pop	0.48	NA
Total	20	43		NA	NA
Exposed %	60.0%	23.3%		NA	NA
				NA	NA
tportion = 0			Odds ratio	0.96	0.16
Exposed	60	3	Prev. frac. ex.	0.04	-5.82
Unexposed	83	4	Prev. frac. pop	0.02	NA
Total	143	7		NA	NA
Exposed %	42.0%	42.9%		NA	NA
•				NA	NA
Number of obs	266			NA	NA
Missing	25			NA	NA

kable(res\$df2, align=res\$df2.align)

P.estimate	Stats	95%CI-ll	95%CI-ul
MH test of Homogeneity	0.13	NA	NA
Crude OR for beer	1.74	1.00	3.07
MH OR beer adjusted for tportion	2.14	0.98	4.69
Adjusted/crude relative change	23.04	NA	NA

By storing the results in the object "res", you are able to use the result table in Markdown as shown above. You can also use individual elements of the results. For example if you would like to view just the Mantel-Haenszel odds ratio for beer adjusted for tportion, you can view it by typing:

res\$df2\$Stats[3]

```
## [1] 2.14
## Levels: 0.13 1.74 2.14 23.04
```