

Package ‘mc’

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mc-package	<i>discrete and continuous time markov chain</i>
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Description

In the mc package, we deal with both discrete time markov chain and continuous time markov chain.

Details

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First, we should new a object of the class. e.g. `mymc <- new("mc")`. Then the user can define its transition matrix `m`, giving `m` as parameter to the object, e.g. `mymc@pijdef <- m`. Finally, we can call the function. e.g. `stn(mymc)`.

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Examples

```
#Test case 1:finite state space with trasition matrix
mymc <- new("mc")
m <- matrix(rep(0, 9) , nrow=3)
m[1, 1] <- 0.5
m[1, 2] <- 0.5
m[2, 3] <- 0.5
m[2, 1] <- 0.5
m[3, 1] <- 1
mymc@pijdef <- m
# call the stationary distribution method
stn(mymc)
# call the expected hitting time method
exphit(mymc, 1, 3)
```

`callsleavingqueue-methods`

Methods for Function callsleavingqueue

Description

function to calculate proportion of calls resulting in customer hanging up

Methods

`signature(z = "mc")` `z` parameter means the object of class "mc"

exphit-methods	<i>Methods for Function exphit</i>
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Description

Methods for claculating expected hitting time of transforming from state i to state j

Methods

signature(z = "mc") z parameter means the object of class "mc"
signature(i = "ANY") state i
signature(j = "ANY") state j

finddeclined-methods	<i>Methods for Function finddeclined</i>
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Description

function to find declined calls

Methods

signature(z = "mc") z parameter means the object of class "mc"

findpi-methods	<i>Methods for Function findpi</i>
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Description

Methods for claculating pi

Methods

signature(z = "mc")
signature(k = "ANY")

findpicontin-methods	<i>Methods for Function findpicontin</i>
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Description

function to find pi vector

Methods

signature(z = "mc") z parameter means the object of class "mc"

findq-methods	<i>Methods for Function findq</i>
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Description

Methods for calculating the Q matrix

Methods

signature(z = "mc") z parameter means the object of class "mc"

mc-class	<i>Class "mc"</i>
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Description

The mc class is a markov chain class, considering both discrete time and continuous time.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `new("mc")`. `mymc <- new("mc")`

Slots

`pijdef`: Object of class "matrix"

`qidef`: Object of class "vector"

Methods

callsleavingqueue signature(z = "mc"): ...

exphit signature(z = "mc"): ...

finddeclined signature(z = "mc"): ...

findpi signature(z = "mc"): ...

findpicontin signature(z = "mc"): ...

findq signature(z = "mc"): ...

rowsb signature(z = "mc"): ...

stn signature(z = "mc"): ...

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References

Matloff, Norm. "From Algorithm to Z-Scores: Probabilistic and Statistical Modeling in Computer Science." (2009).

Examples

```
showClass("mc")
```

rowsb-methods

*Methods for Function rowsb***Description**

Methods for calculating the number of rows and columns for the Q matrix based on all combinations of $i+j \leq b$

Methods

signature(z = "mc") z parameter means the object of class "mc"

signature(b = "ANY") maximum calls in the system

stn-methods

*Methods for Function stn***Description**

Methods for calculating the stationary distribution, considering both finite state and infinite state

Methods

signature(z = "mc") x parameter means the object of class "mc"

signature(e = "ANY") e parameter means the increase rate of k

signature(dif = "ANY") dif parameter means difference parameter

signature(sum_pi = "ANY") sum_pi parameter means sum of pi, it should be close to 1

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