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coef.fitctvaridmx Parameter Estimates
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# Description

Parameter Estimates

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fitctvaridmx'
coef(object, iota = FALSE, sigma = FALSE, theta = FALSE, ...)
```

# Arguments

object	Object of class fitctvaridmx.
iota	Logical. If iota = TRUE, include estimates of the iota vector, if available. If iota = FALSE, exclude estimates of the iota vector.
sigma	Logical. If sigma = TRUE, include estimates of the sigma matrix, if available. If sigma = FALSE, exclude estimates of the sigma matrix.
theta	Logical. If theta = TRUE, include estimates of the theta matrix, if available. If theta = FALSE, exclude estimates of the theta matrix.
	additional arguments.

#### Value

Returns a list of vectors of parameter estimates.

# Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

fitctvarmx Parameter Estimates
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# Description

Parameter Estimates

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fitctvarmx'
coef(object, iota = FALSE, sigma = FALSE, theta = FALSE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

object	Object of class fitctvarmx.
iota	Logical. If iota = TRUE, include estimates of the iota vector, if available. If iota = FALSE, exclude estimates of the iota vector.
sigma	Logical. If sigma = TRUE, include estimates of the sigma matrix, if available. If sigma = FALSE, exclude estimates of the sigma matrix.
theta	Logical. If theta = TRUE, include estimates of the theta matrix, if available. If theta = FALSE, exclude estimates of the theta matrix.
	additional arguments.

#### Value

Returns a vector of parameter estimates.

# Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

FitCTVARIDMx	Fit the First Order Continuous-Time Vector Autoregressive Model by
	ID

# Description

Fit the First Order Continuous-Time Vector Autoregressive Model by ID

# Usage

```
FitCTVARIDMx(
  data,
  observed,
  id,
  time,
  iota_fixed = TRUE,
  iota_start = NULL,
  iota_lbound = NULL,
  iota_ubound = NULL,
  phi_start = NULL,
  phi_lbound = NULL,
  phi_ubound = NULL,
  sigma_diag = TRUE,
  sigma_start = NULL,
  sigma_lbound = NULL,
  sigma_ubound = NULL,
  theta_fixed = TRUE,
  theta_start = NULL,
```

```
theta_lbound = NULL,
theta_ubound = NULL,
mu0_fixed = TRUE,
mu0_start = NULL,
mu0_lbound = NULL,
mu0_ubound = NULL,
sigma0_fixed = TRUE,
sigma0_diag = TRUE,
sigma0_start = NULL,
sigma0_lbound = NULL,
sigma0_ubound = NULL,
try = 1000,
ncores = NULL,
...
)
```

theta.

# Arguments

guments	
data	Data frame. A data frame object of data for potentially multiple subjects that contain a column of subject ID numbers (i.e., an ID variable), and at least one column of observed values.
observed	Character vector. A vector of character strings of the names of the observed variables in the data.
id	Character string. A character string of the name of the ID variable in the data.
time	Character string. A character string of the name of the TIME variable in the data.
iota_fixed	Logical. If iota_fixed = TRUE, the dynamic model intercept vector iota is fixed at zero. If iota_fixed = FALSE, the dynamic model intercept vector iota is estimated.
iota_start	Optional starting values for iota. If iota_fixed = TRUE, iota_start will be used as fixed values. If iota_fixed = FALSE, iota_start will be used as starting values.
iota_lbound	Optional lower bound for iota. Ignored if iota_fixed = TRUE.
iota_ubound	Optional upper bound for iota. Ignored if iota_fixed = TRUE.
phi_start	Numeric matrix. Optional starting values for phi.
phi_lbound	Numeric matrix. Optional lower bound for phi.
phi_ubound	Numeric matrix. Optional upper bound for phi.
sigma_diag	Logical. If sigma_diag = TRUE, sigma is a diagonal matrix.
sigma_start	Numeric matrix. Optional starting values for sigma.
sigma_lbound	Numeric matrix. Optional lower bound for sigma.
sigma_ubound	Optional upper bound for sigma.
theta_fixed	Logical. If theta_fixed = TRUE, the measurement error matrix theta is fixed to

zero. If theta\_fixed = FALSE, estimate the diagonal measurement error matrix

theta_start	Optional starting values for theta. Ignored if theta_fixed = TRUE.
theta_lbound	Optional lower bound for theta. Ignored if theta_fixed = TRUE.
theta_ubound	Optional upper bound for theta. Ignored if theta_fixed = TRUE.
mu0_fixed	Logical. If mu0_fixed = TRUE, initial mean vector mu0 is fixed. If mu0_fixed = FALSE, initial mean vector mu0 is estimated.
mu0_start	Optional starting values for mu0. If mu0_fixed = TRUE, mu0_start will be used as fixed values. If mu0_fixed = FALSE, mu0_start will be used as starting values.
mu0_lbound	Optional lower bound for mu0. Ignored if mu0_fixed = TRUE.
mu0_ubound	Optional upper bound for mu0. Ignored if mu0_fixed = TRUE.
sigma0_fixed	Logical. If sigma0_fixed = TRUE, initial mean vector sigma0 is fixed. If sigma0_fixed = FALSE, initial mean vector sigma0 is estimated.
sigma0_diag	Logical. If sigma0_diag = TRUE, sigma0 is a diagonal matrix.
sigma0_start	Optional starting values for sigma0. If sigma0_fixed = TRUE, sigma0_start will be used as fixed values. If sigma0_fixed = FALSE, sigma0_start will be used as starting values.
sigma0_lbound	Optional lower bound for sigma0. Ignored if sigma0_fixed = TRUE.
sigma0_ubound	Optional upper bound for sigma0. Ignored if sigma0_fixed = TRUE.
try	Positive integer. Number of extra optimization tries.
ncores	Positive integer. Number of cores to use.
	Additional optional arguments to pass to mxTryHard.

#### Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

#### References

Hunter, M. D. (2017). State space modeling in an open source, modular, structural equation modeling environment. Structural Equation Modeling: A Multidisciplinary Journal, 25(2), 307-324. doi:10.1080/10705511.2017.1369354

Neale, M. C., Hunter, M. D., Pritikin, J. N., Zahery, M., Brick, T. R., Kirkpatrick, R. M., Estabrook, R., Bates, T. C., Maes, H. H., & Boker, S. M. (2015). OpenMx 2.0: Extended structural equation and statistical modeling. Psychometrika, 81(2), 535-549. doi:10.1007/s1133601494358

#### See Also

Other CTVAR Functions: FitCTVARMx()

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Generate data using the simStateSpace package------
set.seed(42)
phi_mu <- matrix(</pre>
```

```
data = c(
   -0.357, 0.771, -0.450,
   0.0, -0.511, 0.729,
   0, 0, -0.693
 ),
 nrow = 3
)
phi_sigma <- diag(3 * 3)</pre>
phi <- simStateSpace::SimPhiN(</pre>
 n = 5,
 phi = phi_mu,
 vcov_phi_vec_l = t(chol(phi_sigma))
sim <- simStateSpace::SimSSMOUIVary(</pre>
 n = 5,
 time = 100,
 delta_t = 0.10,
 mu0 = list(rep(x = 0, times = 3)),
 sigma0_1 = list(t(chol(diag(3)))),
 mu = list(rep(x = 0, times = 3)),
 phi = phi,
 sigma_1 = list(t(chol(diag(3)))),
 nu = list(rep(x = 0, times = 3)),
 lambda = list(diag(3)),
 theta_l = list(matrix(data = 0, nrow = 3, ncol = 3))
data <- as.data.frame(sim)</pre>
# Fit the model-----
library(fitCTVARMx)
fit <- FitCTVARIDMx(</pre>
 data = data,
 observed = c("y1", "y2", "y3"),
 id = "id"
print(fit)
summary(fit)
coef(fit)
vcov(fit)
## End(Not run)
```

FitCTVARMx

Fit the First-Order Continuous-Time Vector Autoregressive Model

#### **Description**

Fit the First-Order Continuous-Time Vector Autoregressive Model

#### Usage

```
FitCTVARMx(
  data,
  observed,
  id,
  time,
  iota_fixed = TRUE,
  iota_start = NULL,
  iota_lbound = NULL,
  iota_ubound = NULL,
  phi_start = NULL,
  phi_lbound = NULL,
  phi_ubound = NULL,
  sigma_diag = TRUE,
  sigma_start = NULL,
  sigma_lbound = NULL,
  sigma_ubound = NULL,
  theta_fixed = TRUE,
  theta_start = NULL,
  theta_lbound = NULL,
  theta_ubound = NULL,
  mu0_fixed = TRUE,
 mu0_start = NULL,
 mu0_lbound = NULL,
 mu0\_ubound = NULL,
  sigma0_fixed = TRUE,
  sigma0_diag = TRUE,
  sigma0_start = NULL,
  sigma0_lbound = NULL,
  sigma0_ubound = NULL,
  try = 1000,
  ncores = NULL,
)
```

# Arguments

data	Data frame. A data frame object of data for potentially multiple subjects that contain a column of subject ID numbers (i.e., an ID variable), and at least one column of observed values.
observed	Character vector. A vector of character strings of the names of the observed variables in the data.
id	Character string. A character string of the name of the ID variable in the data.
time	Character string. A character string of the name of the TIME variable in the data.
iota_fixed	Logical. If iota_fixed = TRUE, the dynamic model intercept vector iota is fixed at zero. If iota_fixed = FALSE, the dynamic model intercept vector iota

is estimated.

iota\_start Optional starting values for iota. If iota\_fixed = TRUE, iota\_start will be

used as fixed values. If iota\_fixed = FALSE, iota\_start will be used as start-

ing values.

iota\_lbound Optional lower bound for iota. Ignored if iota\_fixed = TRUE.

iota\_ubound Optional upper bound for iota. Ignored if iota\_fixed = TRUE.

phi\_start Numeric matrix. Optional starting values for phi.

phi\_lbound Numeric matrix. Optional lower bound for phi.

phi\_ubound Numeric matrix. Optional upper bound for phi.

sigma\_diag Logical. If sigma\_diag = TRUE, sigma is a diagonal matrix.

sigma\_start Numeric matrix. Optional starting values for sigma.

sigma\_lbound Numeric matrix. Optional lower bound for sigma.

sigma\_ubound Optional upper bound for sigma.

theta\_fixed Logical. If theta\_fixed = TRUE, the measurement error matrix theta is fixed to

zero. If theta\_fixed = FALSE, estimate the diagonal measurement error matrix

theta.

theta\_start Optional starting values for theta. Ignored if theta\_fixed = TRUE.

theta\_lbound Optional lower bound for theta. Ignored if theta\_fixed = TRUE.

theta\_ubound Optional upper bound for theta. Ignored if theta\_fixed = TRUE.

mu0\_fixed Logical. If mu0\_fixed = TRUE, initial mean vector mu0 is fixed. If mu0\_fixed =

FALSE, initial mean vector mu0 is estimated.

mu0\_start Optional starting values for mu0. If mu0\_fixed = TRUE, mu0\_start will be used

as fixed values. If mu0\_fixed = FALSE, mu0\_start will be used as starting val-

ues.

mu0\_lbound Optional lower bound for mu0. Ignored if mu0\_fixed = TRUE.

mu@\_ubound Optional upper bound for mu@. Ignored if mu@\_fixed = TRUE.

sigma0\_fixed Logical. If sigma0\_fixed = TRUE, initial mean vector sigma0 is fixed. If sigma0\_fixed

= FALSE, initial mean vector sigma0 is estimated.

sigma0\_start Optional starting values for sigma0. If sigma0\_fixed = TRUE, sigma0\_start

will be used as fixed values. If sigma0\_fixed = FALSE, sigma0\_start will be

used as starting values.

sigma0\_lbound Optional lower bound for sigma0. Ignored if sigma0\_fixed = TRUE.

sigma0\_ubound Optional upper bound for sigma0. Ignored if sigma0\_fixed = TRUE.

try Positive integer. Number of extra optimization tries.

ncores Positive integer. Number of cores to use.

. . . Additional optional arguments to pass to mxTryHard.

#### Value

Returns an object of class fitctvarmx which is a list with the following elements:

```
call Function call.args List of function arguments.fun Function used ("FitCTVARMx").output A fitted OpenMx model.
```

#### Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

#### References

Hunter, M. D. (2017). State space modeling in an open source, modular, structural equation modeling environment. *Structural Equation Modeling: A Multidisciplinary Journal*, 25(2), 307–324. doi:10.1080/10705511.2017.1369354

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#### See Also

Other CTVAR Functions: FitCTVARIDMx()

#### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Generate data using the simStateSpace package-----
set.seed(42)
sim <- simStateSpace::SimSSMOUFixed(</pre>
 n = 5,
 time = 100,
 delta_t = 0.10,
 mu0 = rep(x = 0, times = 3),
 sigma0_1 = t(chol(diag(3))),
 mu = rep(x = 0, times = 3),
 phi = matrix(
   data = c(
     -0.357, 0.771, -0.450,
     0.0, -0.511, 0.729,
     0, 0, -0.693
   ),
   nrow = 3
 sigma_l = t(chol(diag(3))),
 nu = rep(x = 0, times = 3),
 lambda = diag(3),
 theta_l = matrix(data = 0, nrow = 3, ncol = 3)
)
```

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```
data <- as.data.frame(sim)

# Fit the model------
library(fitCTVARMx)
fit <- FitCTVARMx(
    data = data,
    observed = c("y1", "y2", "y3"),
    id = "id"
)
print(fit)
summary(fit)
coef(fit)
vcov(fit)

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

print.fitctvaridmx

Print Method for Object of Class fitctvaridmx

#### **Description**

Print Method for Object of Class fitctvaridmx

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fitctvaridmx'
print(x, means = TRUE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

x an object of class fitctvaridmx.

means Logical. If means = TRUE, return means. Otherwise, the function returns raw

estimates.

further arguments.

# Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

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print.fitctvarmx

Print Method for Object of Class fitctvarmx

#### **Description**

Print Method for Object of Class fitctvarmx

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fitctvarmx'
print(x, ...)
```

# Arguments

x an object of class fitctvarmx.

... further arguments.

#### Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

summary.fitctvaridmx Summary Method for Object of Class fitctvaridmx

# Description

Summary Method for Object of Class fitctvaridmx

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fitctvaridmx'
summary(object, means = TRUE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

object an object of class fitctvaridmx.

means Logical. If means = TRUE, return means. Otherwise, the function returns raw

estimates.

... further arguments.

#### Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

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summary.fitctvarmx Summary Method for Object of Class fitctvarmx

#### **Description**

Summary Method for Object of Class fitctvarmx

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fitctvarmx'
summary(object, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

object an object of class fitctvarmx.

... further arguments.

#### Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

vcov.fitctvaridmx

Sampling Covariance Matrix of the Parameter Estimates

#### **Description**

Sampling Covariance Matrix of the Parameter Estimates

#### **Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'fitctvaridmx'
vcov(object, iota = FALSE, sigma = FALSE, theta = FALSE, ...)
```

# Arguments

object	Object of class fitctvaridmx.
iota	Logical. If iota = TRUE, include estimates of the iota vector, if available. If iota = FALSE, exclude estimates of the iota vector.
sigma	Logical. If sigma = TRUE, include estimates of the sigma matrix, if available. If sigma = FALSE, exclude estimates of the sigma matrix.
theta	Logical. If theta = TRUE, include estimates of the theta matrix, if available. If theta = FALSE, exclude estimates of the theta matrix.
	additional arguments.

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# Value

Returns a list of sampling variance-covariance matrices.

# Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

# Description

Sampling Covariance Matrix of the Parameter Estimates

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fitctvarmx'
vcov(object, iota = FALSE, sigma = FALSE, theta = FALSE, ...)
```

# Arguments

object	Object of class fitctvarmx.
iota	Logical. If iota = TRUE, include estimates of the iota vector, if available. If iota = FALSE, exclude estimates of the iota vector.
sigma	Logical. If sigma = TRUE, include estimates of the sigma matrix, if available. If sigma = FALSE, exclude estimates of the sigma matrix.
theta	Logical. If theta = TRUE, include estimates of the theta matrix, if available. If theta = FALSE, exclude estimates of the theta matrix.
	additional arguments.

#### Value

Returns a list of sampling variance-covariance matrices.

# Author(s)

Ivan Jacob Agaloos Pesigan

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