Package 'metaVAR'

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Description Estimates the mean vector and covariance matrix of the multivariate meta-analysis of vector autoregressive model coefficients.

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Description

Estimated Parameter Method for an Object of Class metavarmeta

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'metavarmeta'
coef(object, ...)
```

Arguments

object	an object of class metavarmeta.
...	further arguments.

Value

Returns a vector of the mean estimated parameters.

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Meta *Fit Multivariate Meta-Analysis*

Description

This function estimates the mean and covariance matrix of a vector of coefficients using the estimated coefficients and sampling variance-covariance matrix from each individual.

Usage

```
Meta(
  y,
  v,
  mu_start = NULL,
  mu_lbound = NULL,
  mu_ubound = NULL,
  sigma_l_start = NULL,
  sigma_l_lbound = NULL,
  sigma_l_ubound = NULL,
  try = 1000,
  ncores = NULL
)
```

Arguments

y	A list. Each element of the list is a numeric vector of estimated coefficients.
v	A list. Each element of the list is a sampling variance-covariance matrix of y.
mu_start	Numeric vector. Optional vector of starting values for mu.
mu_lbound	Numeric vector. Optional vector of lower bound values for mu.
mu_ubound	Numeric vector. Optional vector of upper bound values for mu.
sigma_l_start	Numeric matrix. Optional matrix of starting values for t(chol(sigma)).
sigma_l_lbound	Numeric matrix. Optional matrix of lower bound values for t(chol(sigma)).
sigma_l_ubound	Numeric matrix. Optional matrix of upper bound values for t(chol(sigma)).
try	Positive integer. Number of extra tries for OpenMx::mxTryHard().
ncores	Positive integer. Number of cores to use.

Details

For $i = \{1, \cdots, n\}$, the objective function used to estimate the mean $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and covariance matrix $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ of the random coefficients $\mathbf{y}_i$ is given by

$$\ell\left(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \mid \mathbf{y}_i, \mathbb{V}\left(\mathbf{y}_i\right)\right) = -\frac{1}{2}\left[q \log\left(2\pi\right) + \log\left(\left|\mathbb{V}\left(\mathbf{y}_i\right) - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}\right|\right) + \left(\mathbf{y}_i - \boldsymbol{\mu}\right)' \left(\mathbb{V}\left(\mathbf{y}_i\right) - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}\right)^{-1} \left(\mathbf{y}_i - \boldsymbol{\mu}\right)\right]$$

where q is the number of unique elements in $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$, and $\mathbb{V}\left(\mathbf{y}_i\right)$ is the sampling variance-covariance matrix of $\mathbf{y}_i$.

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print.metavarmeta *Print Method for Object of Class* metavarmeta

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Description

Print Method for Object of Class metavarmeta

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'metavarmeta'
print(x, alpha = 0.05, digits = 4, ...)
```

Arguments

x	an object of class metavarmeta.
alpha	Numeric vector. Significance level α.
digits	Integer indicating the number of decimal places to display.
...	further arguments.

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`summary.metavarmeta` *Summary Method for Object of Class* `metavarmeta`

Description

Summary Method for Object of Class `metavarmeta`

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'metavarmeta'
summary(object, alpha = 0.05, digits = 4, ...)
```

Arguments

`object`	an object of class `metavarmeta`.
`alpha`	Numeric vector. Significance level α.
`digits`	Integer indicating the number of decimal places to display.
`...`	further arguments.

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`vcov.metavarmeta` *Variance-Covariance Matrix Method for an Object of Class* `metavarmeta`

Description

Variance-Covariance Matrix Method for an Object of Class `metavarmeta`

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'metavarmeta'
vcov(object, ...)
```

Arguments

`object`	an object of class `metavarmeta`.
`...`	further arguments.

Value

Returns the variance-covariance matrix of the estimated parameters.

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