

`rdaTest {sonarX}`

R Documentation

Compute a canonical redundancy analysis

Description

This function computes simple redundancy analysis (RDA) for partial RDA, with permutation tests, following the algorithm described in Numerical Ecology, Chapter 11 (Legendre & Legendre, 1998).

Usage

```
rdaTest(  
  YY.mat, XX.mat, which.cov=NULL, scale.Y=FALSE, testF=NULL,  
  nperm=999, print.res=TRUE, print.cum=FALSE)
```

Arguments

<code>YY.mat</code>	The (nxp) site-by-species data table.
<code>XX.mat</code>	The (nxm) table of explanatory variables. The number of variables (m) is recomputed after eliminating collinear explanatory variables, if any. Covariables, if any, are also found in that table.
<code>which.cov</code>	A vector (1xmax(m-1)) defining the covariables by their column numbers in XX.mat.
<code>scale.Y</code>	A logical value (TRUE or FALSE) defining if YY.mat should be standardized (TRUE), or only centred on the column means (FALSE).
<code>testF</code>	If NULL, the program will ask the user if he/she wishes to test the F statistic. If testF is TRUE or FALSE, no question will be asked; the program will perform the test, or not, in accordance with that indication.
<code>nperm</code>	Number of permutations for the F test. If NULL, a question will be asked by the program.
<code>print.res</code>	Prints most of the rdaTest output on the screen.
<code>print.cum</code>	Prints the fractions of the response variable's (e.g. species) variances explained by canonical axes 1, 2, 3, ... and by the whole canonical analysis.

Value

If `print.res = TRUE`, the function prints the following information to the R window: - The variance inflation factors for the explanatory variables (the covariables are not included in these calculations). - The bimultivariate redundancy statistic (canonical R-square), as well as the adjusted R-square when there are no covariables in the analysis. - Test of significance of the canonical relationship: the F statistic and permutational probability. Note: the degrees of freedom of F are not corrected for collinearity between the explanatory variables and the covariables. This has no influence on the associated permutational probability. - The number of objects, number of response variables, and number of explanatory variables after removing collinear variables; the number of canonical eigenvalues larger than 0. - The total variance in matrix YY.mat, i.e., the $SS/(n-1)$. - The eigenvalues, relative eigenvalues, and the cumulative % the variance of

species data accounted for by the successive canonical eigenvalues. The function also returns an output list containing the following ELEMENTS:

VIF	Variance inflation factors for the explanatory variables X; the value is 0 for entirely collinear variables. The covariables are not included in this calculation.
canEigval	Canonical eigenvalues.
U	(pxk) Canonical eigenvectors normalized to 1 (scaling 1).
USc2	(pxk) Canonical eigenvectors normalized to sqrt(eigenvalue) (scaling 2).
F	(nxk) Matrix of object scores (scaling 1).
Z	(nxk) Matrix of fitted object scores (scaling 1).
FSc2	Matrix of object scores (scaling 2).
ZSc2	Matrix of fitted object scores (scaling 2).
biplotScores1	Biplot scores of explanatory variables (scaling 1).
biplotScores2	Biplot scores of explanatory variables (scaling 2).
FitSpe	Table of cumulative fit per species (in %) as fraction of variance of species.
VarExpl	Vector of total % fit per species after all canonical axes.
ProbFrda	Probability associated with F test of the canonical relationship.
X.mat	Original X matrix (required by the plotting function).
AxisVar	Eigenvalues as in Canoco: fraction of variance of YY.mat explained by each canonical axis.

Note

This is a beta version.

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References

Legendre, P. and L. Legendre. 1998. Numerical Ecology. Second English Edition. Elsevier, Amsterdam.

See Also

[graph.rdaTest](#)

Examples

```
# Example from Legendre & Legendre (1998), p. 590, Table 11.3
data(coral)
Table = as.matrix(coral)
Y=Table[,1:6]
X=Table[,7:10]
```

```
# Numerical Ecology
resultats <- rdaTest(Y,X,nperm=99,testF=TRUE)
graph.rdaTest(resultats,plot.type="F",stars=FALSE,lty.ell=3, centroid=FALSE)

#or
graph.rdaTest(resultats,plot.type="F",lty.ell=3,pos.site=4, mai.perc=0.15)

resultats <- rdaTest(Y,X,testF=TRUE,nperm=9,scale.Y=FALSE,
print.res=FALSE, print.cum=FALSE)
graph.rdaTest(resultats,xax=-1,yax=2, mul.spc=0.90,
mul.env=0.70, mul.text=0.10, scaling=1,
plot.type="F",mai.perc=0.15, stars=FALSE, pos.site=4, centroid=FALSE)
```

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