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### Description

Calculates probability of superiority (A), its standard error, and a confidence interval.

### Usage

```
A(data, design = 1, statistic = 1, weights = FALSE,
  w = 0, w1 = 0, w2 = 0, increase = FALSE, ref = 1, r = 0,
  n.bootstrap = 1999, conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

### Arguments

data	For a between subjects design, a matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2). For a within subjects design, a matrix of scores with each sample in its own column (matrix).
design	Design of experiment (scalar, default = 1 (for between subjects design), user can also call 2 (for within subjects design)).
statistic	Statistic to be calculated (scalar, default = 1 (A), user can also call 2 (A.AAD), 3 (A.AAPD), 4 (A.IK), or 5 (A.Ord)).
weights	Whether to assign weights to cases (default = FALSE); if set to TRUE, data contains case weights in final column.
w	Weights for cases (vector; default = 0).
w1	Weights for cases in group 1 (vector; default = 0).
w2	Weights for cases in group 2 (vector; default = 0).
increase	Set to TRUE if scores are predicted to increase with group codes (default = FALSE).

<code>ref</code>	Reference group (to compare to all others) (scalar, default = 1).
<code>r</code>	Vector of proportions (vector, default = 0, represents equal proportions).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile)).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

Nothing; displays the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
data <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
A(data, 1, 2)
```

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A1

*A1*

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**Description**

Calculates the standard error and constructs a confidence interval for the A statistic using bootstrap methods.

**Usage**

```
A1(y1, y2, weights = FALSE, w1 = 0, w2 = 0, n.bootstrap = 1999,
  conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y1</code>	Scores for group 1 (vector).
<code>y2</code>	Scores for group 2 (vector).
<code>weights</code>	Whether to weight cases (default = FALSE).
<code>w1</code>	Weights for cases in group 1 (optional) (vector, default is 0).
<code>w2</code>	Weights for cases in group 2 (optional) (vector, default is 0).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
#Example used in Ruscio and Mullen (2012)
y1 <- c(6, 7, 8, 7, 9, 6, 5, 4, 7, 8, 7, 6, 9, 5, 4)
y2 <- c(4, 3, 5, 3, 6, 2, 2, 1, 6, 7, 4, 3, 2, 4, 3)
A1(y1, y2)
```

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A2

A2

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**Description**

Calculates the standard error and constructs a confidence interval for the A statistic for two correlated samples using bootstrap methods.

**Usage**

```
A2(y1, y2, weights = FALSE, w = 0, n.bootstrap = 1999,
conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y1</code>	Scores for group 1 (vector).
<code>y2</code>	Scores for group 2 (vector).
<code>weights</code>	Whether to weight cases (default = FALSE).
<code>w</code>	Weights for cases in group 1 (optional) (vector, default is 0).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
y1 <- c(6, 7, 8, 7, 9, 6, 5, 4, 7, 8, 7, 6, 9, 5, 4)
y2 <- c(7, 5, 6, 7, 6, 4, 3, 5, 4, 5, 4, 5, 7, 4, 5)
A2(y1, y2)
```

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AAD1

*AAD1*

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**Description**

Calculates the confidence interval for the A statistic for the average absolute deviation for two or more groups.

**Usage**

```
AAD1(y, r = 0, weights = FALSE, n.bootstrap = 1999, conf.level = .95,
ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>r</code>	Vector of proportions (default = 0, represents equal proportions) (vector).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
AAD1(y)
```

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AAD2

AAD2

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**Description**

Calculates the confidence interval for the A statistic for the average absolute deviation for two or more correlated samples.

**Usage**

```
AAD2(y, r = 0, weights = FALSE, n.bootstrap = 1999,
conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>r</code>	Vector of proportions (default = 0, represents equal proportions) (vector).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(x1, x2, x3)
AAD2(y)
```

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AAPD1

*AAPD1*

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**Description**

Calculates the confidence interval for the A statistic for the average absolute paired deviation for two or more groups.

**Usage**

```
AAPD1(y, weights = FALSE, n.bootstrap = 1999,
conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
AAPD1(y)
```

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AAPD2

*AAPD2*

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**Description**

Calculates the confidence interval for the A statistic for the average absolute paired deviation for two or more correlated samples.

**Usage**

```
AAPD2(y, weights = FALSE, n.bootstrap = 1999,
conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```



**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(x1, x2, x3)
AAPD2(y)
```

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CalcA1

*CalcA1*

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**Description**

Calculates the A statistic for 2 groups.

**Usage**

```
CalcA1(y1, y2, weights = FALSE, w1 = 0, w2 = 0)
```

**Arguments**

y1	Scores for group 1 (vector).
y2	Scores for group 2 (vector).
weights	Whether to weight cases (default = FALSE).
w1	Weights for cases in group 1 (optional) (vector, default is 0).
w2	Weights for cases in group 2 (optional) (vector, default is 0).

**Value**

a	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
#Example used in Ruscio and Mullen (2012)
y1 <- c(6, 7, 8, 7, 9, 6, 5, 4, 7, 8, 7, 6, 9, 5, 4)
y2 <- c(4, 3, 5, 3, 6, 2, 2, 1, 6, 7, 4, 3, 2, 4, 3)
CalcA1(y1, y2)
```

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CalcA2

*CalcA2*

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**Description**

Calculates the A statistic for 2 correlated samples.

**Usage**

```
CalcA2(y1, y2, weights = FALSE, w = 0)
```

**Arguments**

y1	Scores for variable 1 (vector).
y2	Scores for variable 2 (vector).
weights	Whether to weight cases (default = FALSE).
w	Weights (optional) (vector, default is 0).

**Value**

a	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) &amp; Ruscio and Mullen (2012) &amp; Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```

y1 <- c(6, 7, 8, 7, 9, 6, 5, 4, 7, 8, 7, 6, 9, 5, 4)
y2 <- c(7, 5, 6, 7, 6, 4, 3, 5, 4, 5, 4, 5, 7, 4, 5)
CalcA2(y1, y2)

```

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CalcAAD1

*CalcAAD1*


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**Description**

Calculates the A statistic for the average absolute deviation for two or more groups. Note: This function is not meant to be called by the user, but it is called by AAD1.

**Usage**

```
CalcAAD1(y, r = 0, weights = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

y	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
r	Vector of proportions (default = 0, represents equal proportions) (vector).
weights	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).

**Value**

a	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) &amp; Ruscio and Mullen (2012) &amp; Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
CalcAAD1(y)
```

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 CalcAAD2

*CalcAAD2*


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**Description**

Calculates the A statistic for the average absolute deviation for two or more correlated samples.  
 Note: This function is not meant to be called by the user, but it is called by AAD2.

**Usage**

```
CalcAAD2(y, r = 0, weights = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

y	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
r	Vector of proportions (default = 0, represents equal proportions) (vector).
weights	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).

**Value**

a	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(x1, x2, x3)
CalcAAD2(y)
```

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`CalcAAPD1`*CalcAAPD1*

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**Description**

Calculates the A statistic for the average absolute paired deviation for two or more groups. Note: This function is not meant to be called by the user, but it is called by AAPD1.

**Usage**

```
CalcAAPD1(y, weights = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).

**Value**

<code>a</code>	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
AAPD1(y)
```

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`CalcAAPD2`*CalcAAPD2*

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**Description**

Calculates the A statistic for the average absolute paired deviation for two or more correlated samples. Note: This function is not meant to be called by the user, but it is called by AAPD2.

**Usage**

```
CalcAAPD2(y, weights = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).

**Value**

<code>a</code>	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(x1, x2, x3)
AAPD2(y)
```

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`CalcIK1`*CalcIK1*

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**Description**

Calculates the A statistic while singling out one group for two or more groups. Note: This function is not meant to be called by the user, but it is called by IK1.

**Usage**

```
CalcIK1(y, ref = 1, weights = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>ref</code>	Reference group (to compare to all others) (scalar, default = 1).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).

**Value**

<code>a</code>	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
CalcIK1(y)
```

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`CalcIK2`*CalcIK2*

---

**Description**

Calculates the A statistic while singling out one group for two or more correlated samples. Note: This function is not meant to be called by the user, but it is called by IK2.

**Usage**

```
CalcIK2(y, ref = 1, weights = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>ref</code>	Reference group (to compare to all others) (scalar, default = 1).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).

**Value**

<code>a</code>	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(x1, x2, x3)
CalcIK2(y)
```



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`CalcOrd1`*CalcOrd1*

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**Description**

Calculates the ordinal comparison of the A statistic for two or more groups. Note: This function is not meant to be called by the user, but it is called by AOrd1.

**Usage**

```
CalcOrd1(y, weights = FALSE, increase = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>increase</code>	Set to TRUE if scores are predicted to increase with group codes (default = FALSE).

**Value**

<code>a</code>	The A statistic.
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**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
CalcOrd1(y)
```

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CalcOrd2

*CalcOrd2*

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### Description

Calculates the ordinal comparison of the A statistic for two or more correlated samples. Note: This function is not meant to be called by the user, but it is called by AOrd2.

### Usage

```
CalcOrd2(y, weights = FALSE, increase = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

y	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
weights	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
increase	Set to TRUE if scores are predicted to increase with group codes (default = FALSE).

### Value

a	The A statistic.
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### Author(s)

John Ruscio

### References

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

### Examples

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(x1, x2, x3)
CalcOrd2(y)
```

IK1

*IK1***Description**

Calculates the confidence interval for the A statistic while singling out one group for two or more groups.

**Usage**

```
IK1(y, ref = 1, weights = FALSE, n.bootstrap = 1999,
    conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>ref</code>	Reference group (to compare to all others) (scalar, default = 1).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
IK1(y)
```

IK2

IK2

**Description**

Calculates the confidence interval for the A statistic while singling out one group for two or more correlated samples.

**Usage**

```
IK2(y, ref = 1, weights = FALSE, n.bootstrap = 1999,
    conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>ref</code>	Reference group (to compare to all others) (scalar, default = 1).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(x1, x2, x3)
IK2(y)
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 Ord1

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*Ord1*


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**Description**

Calculates the confidence interval for the ordinal comparison of the A statistic for two or more groups.

**Usage**

```
Ord1(y, weights = FALSE, increase = FALSE, n.bootstrap = 1999,
     conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>increase</code>	Set to TRUE if scores are predicted to increase with group codes (default = FALSE).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(c(x1, x2, x3), c(rep(1, 25), rep(2, 25), rep(3, 25)))
Ord1(y)
```

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 Ord2

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*Ord2*


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**Description**

Calculates the confidence interval for the ordinal comparison of the A statistic for two or more correlated samples.

**Usage**

```
Ord2(y, weights = FALSE, increase = FALSE, n.bootstrap = 1999,
     conf.level = .95, ci.method = 1, seed = 1)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	Matrix of cases (rows) by scores (column 1) and group codes (column 2) (matrix).
<code>weights</code>	Weight of each case. Set to TRUE to weight cases; if so, column 3 contains case weights (default = FALSE).
<code>increase</code>	Set to TRUE if scores are predicted to increase with group codes (default = FALSE).
<code>n.bootstrap</code>	Number of bootstrap samples (scalar, default = 1999).
<code>conf.level</code>	Confidence level (scalar, default = .95).
<code>ci.method</code>	Method used to construct confidence interval (scalar, default = 1 (for BCA), user can also call 2 (for percentile).
<code>seed</code>	Random number seed (scalar, default = 1).

**Value**

A vector containing the A statistic, its estimated standard error, and the upper and lower bounds of the confidence interval.

**Author(s)**

John Ruscio

**References**

Ruscio (2008) & Ruscio and Mullen (2012) & Ruscio and Gera (2013)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- rnorm(25)
x2 <- x1 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
x3 <- x2 - rnorm(25, mean = 1)
y <- cbind(x1, x2, x3)
Ord2(y)
```

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