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as_params

Convert TensorFlow tensors to distribution parameters recursively

Description

Convert TensorFlow tensors to distribution parameters recursively

Usage

as_params(x)
### Arguments

- **x**
  - Possibly nested list structure of `tensorflow.tensors`

### Value

A nested list of vectors suitable as distribution parameters

### Examples

```r
if (interactive() && keras::is_keras_available()) {
  tf_params <- list(
    probs = k_matrix(t(c(0.5, 0.3, 0.2))),
    shapes = k_matrix(t(c(1L, 2L, 3L)), dtype = "int32"),
    scale = keras::k_constant(1.0)
  )
  params <- as_params(tf_params)
  dist <- dist_erlangmix(vector("list", 3L))
  dist$sample(10L, with_params = params)
}
```

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### blended_transition

**Transition functions for blended distributions**

### Description

Transition functions for blended distributions

### Usage

```r
blended_transition(x, u, eps, .gradient = FALSE, .extend_na = FALSE)
```

```r
blended_transition_inv(x, u, eps, .component)
```

### Arguments

- **x**
  - Points to evaluate at
- **u**
  - Sorted vector of blending thresholds, or rowwise sorted matrix of blending thresholds
- **eps**
  - Corresponding vector or matrix of blending bandwidths. Must be positive and the same dimensions as u, or scalar. No rowwise blending regions (u - eps, u + eps) may overlap.
- **.gradient**
  - Also evaluate the gradient with respect to x?
- **.extend_na**
  - Extend out-of-range transitions by the last in-range value (i.e. the corresponding u) or by NA?
- **.component**
  - Component index (up to `length(u) + 1`) to invert.
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Value

blended_transition returns a matrix with length(x) rows and length(u) + 1 columns containing the transformed values for each of the blending components. If .gradient is TRUE, an attribute "gradient" is attached with the same dimensions, containing the derivative of the respective transition component with respect to x.

blended_transition_inv returns a vector with length(x) values containing the inverse of the transformed values for the .componentth blending component.

Examples

library(ggplot2)
xx <- seq(from = 0, to = 20, length.out = 101)
blend_mat <- blended_transition(xx, u = 10, eps = 3, .gradient = TRUE)
ggplot(
  data.frame(
    x = rep(xx, 2L),
    fun = rep(c("p", "q"), each = length(xx)),
    y = as.numeric(blend_mat),
    relevant = c(xx <= 13, xx >= 7)
  ),
  aes(x = x, y = y, color = fun, linetype = relevant)
)
%+
geom_line() %+
theme_bw() %+
theme(
  legend.position = "bottom", legend.box = "horizontal"
)
%+
guides(color = guide_legend(direction = "horizontal", title = ""), linetype = guide_none()) %+
scale_linetype_manual(values = c("TRUE" = 1, "FALSE" = 3))

ggplot(
  data.frame(
    x = rep(xx, 2L),
    fun = rep(c("p", "q"), each = length(xx)),
    y = as.numeric(attr(blend_mat, "gradient")),
    relevant = c(xx <= 13, xx >= 7)
  ),
  aes(x = x, y = y, color = fun, linetype = relevant)
)
%+
geom_line() %+
theme_bw() %+
theme(
  legend.position = "bottom", legend.box = "horizontal"
)
%+
guides(color = guide_legend(direction = "horizontal", title = ""), linetype = guide_none()) %+
scale_linetype_manual(values = c("TRUE" = 1, "FALSE" = 3))
callback_adaptive_lr  Keras Callback for adaptive learning rate with weight restoration

Description

Provides a keras callback similar to \texttt{keras::callback\_reduce\_lr\_on\_plateau()} but which also restores the weights to the best seen so far whenever a learning rate reduction occurs, and with slightly more restrictive improvement detection.

Usage

```r
callback_adaptive_lr(
  monitor = "val\_loss",
  factor = 0.1,
  patience = 10L,
  verbose = 0L,
  mode = c("auto", "min", "max"),
  delta\_abs = 1e-04,
  delta\_rel = 0,
  cooldown = 0L,
  min\_lr = 0,
  restore\_weights = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

- \texttt{monitor}\quad quantity to be monitored.
- \texttt{factor}\quad factor by which the learning rate will be reduced. new\_lr = old\_lr \times factor.
- \texttt{patience}\quad number of epochs with no significant improvement after which the learning rate will be reduced.
- \texttt{verbose}\quad integer. Set to 1 to receive update messages.
- \texttt{mode}\quad Optimisation mode. "auto" detects the mode from the name of \texttt{monitor}. "min" monitors for decreasing metrics. "max" monitors for increasing metrics.
- \texttt{delta\_abs}\quad Minimum absolute metric improvement per epoch. The learning rate will be reduced if the average improvement is less than \texttt{delta\_abs} per epoch for \texttt{patience} epochs.
- \texttt{delta\_rel}\quad Minimum relative metric improvement per epoch. The learning rate will be reduced if the average improvement is less than \texttt{|metric| \times delta\_rel} per epoch for \texttt{patience} epochs.
- \texttt{cooldown}\quad number of epochs to wait before resuming normal operation after learning rate has been reduced. The minimum number of epochs between two learning rate reductions is \texttt{patience + cooldown}.
- \texttt{min\_lr}\quad lower bound for the learning rate. If a learning rate reduction would lower the learning rate below \texttt{min\_lr}, it will be clipped at \texttt{min\_lr} instead and no further reductions will be performed.
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    restore_weights
    Bool. If TRUE, the best weights will be restored at each learning rate reduction. This is very useful if the metric oscillates.

Details

Note that while `callback_reduce_lr_on_plateau()` automatically logs the learning rate as a metric 'lr', this is currently impossible from R. Thus, if you want to also log the learning rate, you should add `callback_reduce_lr_on_plateau()` with a high `min_lr` to effectively disable the callback but still monitor the learning rate.

Value

A KerasCallback suitable for passing to `keras::fit()`.

Examples

```r
if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  library(keras)
  l_in <- layer_input(shape = 1L)
  mod <- tf_compile_model(
    inputs = list(l_in),
    intermediate_output = l_in,
    dist = dist,
    optimizer = optimizer_adam(),
    censoring = FALSE,
    truncation = FALSE
  )
  tf_initialise_model(mod, global_fit$params)
  fit_history <- fit(
    mod,
    x = k_constant(group),
    y = as_trunc_obs(x),
    epochs = 20L,
    callbacks = list(
      callback_adaptive_lr("loss", factor = 0.5, patience = 2L, verbose = 1L, min_lr = 1.0e-4),
      callback_reduce_lr_on_plateau("loss", min_lr = 1.0) # to track lr
    )
  )
  plot(fit_history)
  predicted_means <- predict(mod, data = k_constant(c(0, 1)))
}
```
callback_debug_dist_gradients

Callback to monitor likelihood gradient components

Description

Provides a keras callback to monitor the individual components of the censored and truncated likelihood. Useful for debugging TensorFlow implementations of Distributions.

Usage

```r
callback_debug_dist_gradients(
  object,
  data,
  obs,
  keep_grads = FALSE,
  stop_on_na = TRUE,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

- `object`: A `resvar_keras_model` created by `tf_compile_model()`.
- `data`: Input data for the model.
- `obs`: Observations associated to `data`.
- `keep_grads`: Log actual gradients? (memory hungry!)
- `stop_on_na`: Stop if any likelihood component as NaN in its gradients?
- `verbose`: Print a message if training is halted? The Message will contain information about which likelihood components have NaN in their gradients.

Value

A KerasCallback suitable for passing to `keras::fit()`.

Examples

```r
dist <- dist_exponential()
group <- sample(c(0, 1), size = 100, replace = TRUE)
x <- dist$sampie(100, with_params = list(rate = group + 1))
global_fit <- fit(dist, x)

if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  library(keras)
  l_in <- layer_input(shape = 1L)
  mod <- tf_compile_model(
    inputs = list(l_in),
    intermediate_output = l_in,
  )
```
dist = dist,
    optimizer = optimizer_adam(),
    censoring = FALSE,
    truncation = FALSE
)
tf_initialise_model(mod, global_fit$params)
# TODO update when rstudio/keras#1230 is fixed
gradient_tracker <- callback_debug_dist_gradients(mod, k_constant(group), x, keep_grads = TRUE)
fit_history <- fit(
    mod,
    x = k_constant(group),
    y = x,
    epochs = 20L,
    callbacks = list(
        callback_adaptive_lr("loss", factor = 0.5, patience = 2L, verbose = 1L, min_lr = 1.0e-4),
        gradient_tracker,
        callback_reduce_lr_on_plateau("loss", min_lr = 1.0) # to track lr
    )
)
gradient_tracker$gradient_logs[[20]]$dens
plot(fit_history)
predicted_means <- predict(mod, data = k_constant(c(0, 1)))

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**Distribution**

**Base class for Distributions**

**Description**

Represents a modifiable Distribution family

**Active bindings**

- `default_params` Get or set (non-recursive) default parameters of a Distribution
- `param_bounds` Get or set (non-recursive) parameter bounds (box constraints) of a Distribution

**Methods**

**Public methods:**
- `Distribution$new()`
- `Distribution$sample()`
- `Distribution$density()`
- `Distribution$tf_logdensity()`
- `Distribution$probability()`
- `Distribution$tf_logprobability()`
• Distribution$quantile()
• Distribution$hazard()
• Distribution$diff_density()
• Distribution$diff_probability()
• Distribution$is_in_support()
• Distribution$is_discrete_at()
• Distribution$tf_is_discrete_at()
• Distribution$has_capability()
• Distribution$get_type()
• Distribution$get_components()
• Distribution$is_discrete()
• Distribution$is_continuous()
• Distribution$require_capability()
• Distribution$get_dof()
• Distribution$get_placeholder()
• Distribution$get_params()
• Distribution$tf_make_constants()
• Distribution$tf_compile_params()
• Distribution$get_param_bounds()
• Distribution$get_param_constraints()
• Distribution$export_functions()
• Distribution$clone()

**Method** new():

**Usage:**
Distribution$new(type, caps, params, name, default_params)

**Arguments:**

- `type`  Type of distribution. This is a string constant for the default implementation. Distributions with non-constant type must override the get_type() function.
- `caps`  Character vector of capabilities to fuel the default implementations of has_capability() and require_capability(). Distributions with dynamic capabilities must override the has_capability() function.
- `params`  Initial parameter bounds structure, backing the param Bounds active binding (usually a list of intervals).
- `name`  Name of the Distribution class. Should be CamelCase and end with "Distribution".
- `default_params`  Initial fixed parameters backing the default_params active binding (usually a list of numeric / NULLs).

**Details:** Construct a Distribution instance
Used internally by the dist_* functions.

**Method** sample():

**Usage:**
Distribution$sample(n, with params = list())
**Distribution**

**Arguments:**
- `n` number of samples to draw.
- `with_params` Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length `n`. In that case the i-th sample will use the i-th parameters.

**Details:** Sample from a Distribution

**Returns:** A length `n` vector of i.i.d. random samples from the Distribution with the specified parameters.

**Examples:**
```
dist_exponential(rate = 2.0)$sample(10)
```

**Method** `density()`:

**Usage:**
```
Distribution$density(x, log = FALSE, with_params = list())
```

**Arguments:**
- `x` Vector of points to evaluate the density at.
- `log` Flag. If `TRUE`, return the log-density instead.
- `with_params` Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length `length(x)`. In that case, the i-th density point will use the i-th parameters.

**Details:** Density of a Distribution

**Returns:** A numeric vector of (log-)densities

**Examples:**
```
dist_exponential()$density(c(1.0, 2.0), with_params = list(rate = 2.0))
```

**Method** `tf_logdensity()`:

**Usage:**
```
Distribution$tf_logdensity()
```

**Details:** Compile a TensorFlow function for log-density evaluation

**Returns:** A `tf_function` taking arguments `x` and `args` returning the log-density of the Distribution evaluated at `x` with parameters `args`.

**Method** `probability()`:

**Usage:**
```
Distribution$probability(q,
  lower.tail = TRUE,
  log.p = FALSE,
  with_params = list()
)
```

**Arguments:**
- `q` Vector of points to evaluate the probability function at.
- `lower.tail` If `TRUE`, return `P(X <= q)`. Otherwise return `P(X > q)`.
- `log.p` If `TRUE`, probabilities are returned as `log(p)`.
with_params Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length \( \text{length}(q) \). In that case, the \( i \)-th probability point will use the \( i \)-th parameters.

Details: Cumulative probability of a Distribution

Returns: A numeric vector of (log-)probabilities

Examples:

```r
dist_exponential()$probability(
  c(1.0, 2.0),
  with_params = list(rate = 2.0)
)
```

Method tf_logprobability():

Usage:

```r
Distribution$tf_logprobability()
```

Details: Compile a TensorFlow function for log-probability evaluation

Returns: A \text{tf_function} taking arguments \( q_{\text{min}} \), \( q_{\text{max}} \) and \( \text{args} \) returning the log-probability of the Distribution evaluated over the closed interval \([q_{\text{min}}, q_{\text{max}}] \) with parameters \( \text{args} \).

Method quantile():

Usage:

```r
Distribution$quantile(
  p, 
  lower.tail = TRUE, 
  log.p = FALSE, 
  with_params = list()
)
```

Arguments:

- \( p \) Vector of probabilities.
- \( \text{lower.tail} \) If TRUE, return \( P(X \leq q) \). Otherwise return \( P(X > q) \).
- \( \text{log.p} \) If TRUE, probabilities are returned as \( \log(p) \).
- \( \text{with_params} \) Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length \( \text{length}(p) \). In that case, the \( i \)-th quantile will use the \( i \)-th parameters.

Details: Quantile function of a Distribution

Returns: A numeric vector of quantiles

Examples:

```r
dist_exponential()$quantile(c(0.1, 0.5), with_params = list(rate = 2.0))
```

Method hazard():

Usage:

```r
Distribution$hazard(x, log = FALSE, with_params = list())
```

Arguments:

- \( x \) Vector of points.
- \( \text{log} \) Flag. If TRUE, return the log-hazard instead.
with_params: Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length \( \text{length}(x) \). In that case, the \( i \)-th hazard point will use the \( i \)-th parameters.

**Details:** Hazard function of a Distribution  
**Returns:** A numeric vector of (log-)hazards  
**Examples:**  
\[
dist\_exponential(rate = 2.0)\$hazard(c(1.0, 2.0))
\]

**Method** `diff_density()`:

**Usage:**  
\[
\text{Distribution}\$diff\_density(x, \text{log} = \text{FALSE}, \text{with}\_\text{params} = \text{list}())
\]

**Arguments:**  
\[
x\quad\text{Vector of points.}
\]
\[
\text{log}\quad\text{Flag. If TRUE, return the gradient of the log-density instead.}
\]
\[
\text{with}\_\text{params}\quad\text{Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length \( \text{length}(x) \). In that case, the \( i \)-th density point will use the \( i \)-th parameters.}
\]

**Details:** Gradients of the density of a Distribution  
**Returns:** A list structure containing the (log-)density gradients of all free parameters of the Distribution evaluated at \( x \).  
**Examples:**  
\[
dist\_exponential()\$diff\_density(
\quad c(1.0, 2.0),
\quad \text{with}\_\text{params} = \text{list}(\text{rate} = 2.0)
\)
\]

**Method** `diff_probability()`:

**Usage:**  
\[
\text{Distribution}\$diff\_probability(
\quad q,
\quad \text{lower}\_\text{tail} = \text{TRUE},
\quad \text{log}\_\text{p} = \text{FALSE},
\quad \text{with}\_\text{params} = \text{list}()
\)
\]

**Arguments:**  
\[
q\quad\text{Vector of points to evaluate the probability function at.}
\]
\[
\text{lower}\_\text{tail}\quad\text{If TRUE, return } P(X \leq q). \text{ Otherwise return } P(X > q).
\]
\[
\text{log}\_\text{p}\quad\text{If TRUE, probabilities are returned as } \log(p)\text{.}
\]
\[
\text{with}\_\text{params}\quad\text{Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length \( \text{length}(q) \). In that case, the \( i \)-th probability point will use the \( i \)-th parameters.}
\]

**Details:** Gradients of the cumulative probability of a Distribution  
**Returns:** A list structure containing the cumulative (log-)probability gradients of all free parameters of the Distribution evaluated at \( q \).  
**Examples:**
dist_exponential()$diff_probability(
  c(1.0, 2.0),
  with_params = list(rate = 2.0)
)

**Method**: `is_in_support()`:

**Usage**: Distribution$is_in_support(x, with_params = list())

**Arguments**:
- **x**: Vector of points
- **with_params**: Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length length(x). In that case, the i-th point will use the i-th parameters.

**Details**: Determine if a value is in the support of a Distribution

**Returns**: A logical vector with the same length as x indicating whether x is part of the support of the distribution given its parameters.

**Examples**:

```
dist_exponential(rate = 1.0)$is_in_support(c(-1.0, 0.0, 1.0))
```

**Method**: `is_discrete_at()`:

**Usage**: Distribution$is_discrete_at(x, with_params = list())

**Arguments**:
- **x**: Vector of points
- **with_params**: Distribution parameters to use. Each parameter value can also be a numeric vector of length length(x). In that case, the i-th point will use the i-th parameters.

**Details**: Determine if a value has positive probability

**Returns**: A logical vector with the same length as x indicating whether there is a positive probability mass at x given the Distribution parameters.

**Examples**:

```
dist_dirac(point = 0.0)$is_discrete_at(c(0.0, 1.0))
```

**Method**: `tf_is_discrete_at()`:

**Usage**: Distribution$tf_is_discrete_at()

**Details**: Compile a TensorFlow function for discrete support checking

**Returns**: A tf_function taking arguments x and args returning whether the Distribution has a point mass at x given parameters args.

**Method**: `has_capability()`:

**Usage**: Distribution$has_capability(caps)

**Arguments**:
caps  Character vector of capabilities

Details:  Check if a capability is present

Returns:  A logical vector the same length as caps.

Examples:
  dist_exponential()$has_capability("density")

Method get_type():

Usage:
  Distribution$get_type()

Details:  Get the type of a Distribution. Type can be one of discrete, continuous or mixed.

Returns:  A string representing the type of the Distribution.

Examples:
  dist_exponential()$get_type()
  dist_dirac()$get_type()

  dist_mixture(list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential()))$get_type()
  dist_mixture(list(dist_dirac(), dist_binomial()))$get_type()

Method get_components():

Usage:
  Distribution$get_components()

Details:  Get the component Distributions of a transformed Distribution.

Returns:  A possibly empty list of Distributions

Examples:
  dist_trunc(dist_exponential())$get_components()
  dist_dirac()$get_components()
  dist_mixture(list(dist_exponential(), dist_gamma()))$get_components()

Method is_discrete():

Usage:
  Distribution$is_discrete()

Details:  Check if a Distribution is discrete, i.e. it has a density with respect to the counting measure.

Returns:  TRUE if the Distribution is discrete, FALSE otherwise. Note that mixed distributions are not discrete but can have point masses.

Examples:
  dist_exponential()$is_discrete()
  dist_dirac()$is_discrete()

Method is_continuous():

Usage:
  Distribution$is_continuous()
Details: Check if a Distribution is continuous, i.e. it has a density with respect to the Lebesgue measure.

Returns: TRUE if the Distribution is continuous, FALSE otherwise. Note that mixed distributions are not continuous.

Examples:
\[
\text{dist_exponential()$is_continuous()}
\]
\[
\text{dist_dirac()$is_continuous()}
\]

Method \text{require_capability}: 

Usage:
\[
\text{Distribution$require_capability(caps, fun_name = paste0(sys.call(-1)[[1]], "()"))}
\]

Arguments:
caps Character vector of Capabilities to require
fun_name Freindly text to use for generating the error message in case of failure.

Details: Ensure that a Distribution has all required capabilities. Will throw an error if any
capability is missing.

Returns: Invisibly TRUE.

Examples:
\[
\text{dist_exponential()$require_capability("diff_density")}
\]

Method \text{get_dof}: 

Usage:
\[
\text{Distribution$get_dof()}
\]

Details: Get the number of degrees of freedom of a Distribution family. Only parameters
without a fixed default are considered free.

Returns: An integer representing the degrees of freedom suitable e.g. for AIC calculations.

Examples:
\[
\text{dist_exponential()$get_dof()}
\]
\[
\text{dist_exponential(rate = 1.0)$get_dof()}
\]

Method \text{get_placeholders}: 

Usage:
\[
\text{Distribution$get_placeholders()}
\]

Details: Get Placeholders of a Distribution family. Returns a list of free parameters of the
family. Their values will be NULL.
If the Distribution has Distributions as parameters, placeholders will be computed recursively.

Returns: A named list containing any combination of (named or unnamed) lists and NULLs.

Examples:
Method `get_params()`:

**Usage:**
Distribution$\text{get\_params}(\text{with\_params} = \text{list})$

**Arguments:**

- **with\_params** Optional parameter overrides with the same structure as `dist$\text{get\_params()}`.
  
  Given Parameter values are expected to be length 1.

**Details:** Get a full list of parameters, possibly including placeholders.

**Returns:** A list representing the (recursive) parameter structure of the Distribution with values for specified parameters and NULL for free parameters that are missing both in the Distributions parameters and in `with\_params`.

**Examples:**

```r
dist_mixture(list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential()))$\text{get\_params}(\text{with\_params} = \text{list(probs} = \text{list(0.5, 0.5)})
```

Method `tf_make_constants()`:

**Usage:**
Distribution$\text{tf\_make\_constants}(\text{with\_params} = \text{list})$

**Arguments:**

- **with\_params** Optional parameter overrides with the same structure as `dist$\text{tf\_make\_constants()}`.
  
  Given Parameter values are expected to be length 1.

**Details:** Get a list of constant TensorFlow parameters

**Returns:** A list representing the (recursive) constant parameters of the Distribution with values specified by parameters. Each constant is a TensorFlow Tensor of dtype floatx.

Method `tf_compile_params()`:

**Usage:**
Distribution$\text{tf\_compile\_params}(\text{input}, \text{name\_prefix} = \text{""})$

**Arguments:**

- **input** A keras layer to bind all outputs to
- **name\_prefix** Prefix to use for layer names

**Details:** Compile distribution parameters into tensorflow outputs

**Returns:** A list with two elements

- **outputs** a flat list of keras output layers, one for each parameter.
- **output\_inflater** a function taking keras output layers and transforming them into a list structure suitable for passing to the loss function returned by `tf\_compile\_model()`

Method `get_param_bounds()`:

**Usage:**
Distribution$get_param_bounds()

**Details:** Get Interval bounds on all Distribution parameters

**Returns:** A list representing the free (recursive) parameter structure of the Distribution with
Interval objects as values representing the bounds of the respective free parameters.

**Examples:**

```r
dist_mixture(
  list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential()),
  probs = list(0.5, 0.5)
)$get_param_bounds()

dist_mixture(  
  list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential())
)$get_param_bounds()

dist_genpareto()$get_param_bounds()

dist_genpareto1()$get_param_bounds()
```

**Method** get_param_constraints():

**Usage:**

Distribution$get_param_constraints()

**Details:** Get additional (non-linear) equality constraints on Distribution parameters

**Returns:** NULL if the box constraints specified by dist$get_param_bounds() are sufficient, or
a function taking full Distribution parameters and returning either a numeric vector (which must
be 0 for valid parameter combinations) or a list with elements

- constraints: The numeric vector of constraints
- jacobian: The Jacobi matrix of the constraints with respect to the parameters

**Examples:**

```r
dist_mixture(  
  list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential())
)$get_param_constraints()
```

**Method** export_functions():

**Usage:**

Distribution$export_functions(
  name,  
  envir = parent.frame(),  
  with_params = list()
)

**Arguments:**

- name common suffix of the exported functions
- envir Environment to export the functions to
- with_params Optional list of parameters to use as default values for the exported functions
**Details:** Export sampling, density, probability and quantile functions to plain R functions

Creates new functions in envir named \( \{r,d,p,q\} \)\texttt{name} which implement \texttt{dist$sample}, \texttt{dist$density}, \texttt{dist$probability} and \texttt{dist$quantile} as plain functions with default arguments specified by \texttt{with_params} or the fixed parameters.

The resulting functions will have signatures taking all parameters as separate arguments.

**Returns:** Invisibly \texttt{NULL}.

**Examples:**

```r
tmp_env <- new.env(parent = globalenv())
dist_exponential()$export_functions(
  name = "exp",
  envir = tmp_env,
  with_params = list(rate = 2.0)
)
evalq(
  fitdistrplus::fitdist(rexp(100), "exp"),
  envir = tmp_env
)
```

**Method** \texttt{clone():} The objects of this class are cloneable with this method.

**Usage:**

```r
Distribution$clone(deep = FALSE)
```

**Arguments:**

- \texttt{deep} Whether to make a deep clone.

**See Also**

Other Distributions: \texttt{dist_bdepg()}, \texttt{dist_beta()}, \texttt{dist_binomial()}, \texttt{dist_blended()}, \texttt{dist_dirac()}, \texttt{dist_discrete()}, \texttt{dist_empirical()}, \texttt{dist_erlangmix()}, \texttt{dist_exponential()}, \texttt{dist_gamma()}, \texttt{dist_genpareto()}, \texttt{dist_lognormal()}, \texttt{dist_mixture()}, \texttt{dist_negbinomial()}, \texttt{dist_normal()}, \texttt{dist_pareto()}, \texttt{dist_poisson()}, \texttt{dist_translate()}, \texttt{dist_trunc()}, \texttt{dist_uniform()}, \texttt{dist_weibull()}.

**Examples**

```r
# Example for param_bounds:

# Create an Exponential Distribution with rate constrained to (0, 2)
# instead of (0, Inf)
my_exp <- dist_exponential()
my_exp$param_bounds$rate <- interval(c(0, 2))
my_exp$get_param_bounds()

fit_dist(my_exp, rexp(100, rate = 3), start = list(rate = 1))$params$rate
```

```r
# Method 'Distribution$sample'
# -----------------------------------------------
```
dist_exponential(rate = 2.0)$sample(10)

## ------------------------------------------------
## Method `Distribution$density`
## ------------------------------------------------

dist_exponential()$density(c(1.0, 2.0), with_params = list(rate = 2.0))

## ------------------------------------------------
## Method `Distribution$probability`
## ------------------------------------------------

dist_exponential()$probability(
  c(1.0, 2.0),
  with_params = list(rate = 2.0)
)

## ------------------------------------------------
## Method `Distribution$quantile`
## ------------------------------------------------

dist_exponential()$quantile(c(0.1, 0.5), with_params = list(rate = 2.0))

## ------------------------------------------------
## Method `Distribution$hazard`
## ------------------------------------------------

dist_exponential(rate = 2.0)$hazard(c(1.0, 2.0))

## ------------------------------------------------
## Method `Distribution$diff_density`
## ------------------------------------------------

dist_exponential()$diff_density(
  c(1.0, 2.0),
  with_params = list(rate = 2.0)
)

## ------------------------------------------------
## Method `Distribution$diff_probability`
## ------------------------------------------------

dist_exponential()$diff_probability(
  c(1.0, 2.0),
  with_params = list(rate = 2.0)
)

## ------------------------------------------------
## Method `Distribution$is_in_support`
## ------------------------------------------------

dist_exponential(rate = 1.0)$is_in_support(c(-1.0, 0.0, 1.0))
```r
## Method `Distribution$is_discrete_at`
## ---------------------------------

dist_dirac(point = 0.0)$is_discrete_at(c(0.0, 1.0))

## Method `Distribution$has_capability`
## ---------------------------------

dist_exponential()$has_capability("density")

## Method `Distribution$get_type`
## ---------------------------------

dist_exponential()$get_type()
dist_dirac()$get_type()
dist_mixture(list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential()))$get_type()
dist_mixture(list(dist_dirac(), dist_binomial()))$get_type()

## Method `Distribution$get_components`
## ---------------------------------

dist_trunc(dist_exponential())$get_components()
dist_dirac()$get_components()
dist_mixture(list(dist_exponential(), dist_gamma()))$get_components()

## Method `Distribution$is_discrete`
## ---------------------------------

dist_exponential()$is_discrete()
dist_dirac()$is_discrete()

## Method `Distribution$is_continuous`
## ---------------------------------

dist_exponential()$is_continuous()
dist_dirac()$is_continuous()

## Method `Distribution$require_capability`
## ---------------------------------

dist_exponential()$require_capability("diff_density")

## Method `Distribution$get_dof`
## ---------------------------------
```
dist_exponential()$get_dof()

dist_exponential(rate = 1.0)$get_dof()

# Method 'Distribution$get_placeholders'
# ------------------------------------------------
dist_exponential()$get_placeholders()

dist_mixture(list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential()))$get_placeholders()

# Method 'Distribution$get_params'
# ------------------------------------------------
dist_mixture(list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential()))$get_params(
  with_params = list(probs = list(0.5, 0.5))
)

# Method 'Distribution$get_param_bounds'
# ------------------------------------------------
dist_mixture(
  list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential()),
  probs = list(0.5, 0.5)
)$get_param_bounds()

dist_mixture(
  list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential())
)$get_param_bounds()

dist_genpareto()$get_param_bounds()

dist_genpareto1()$get_param_bounds()

# Method 'Distribution$get_param_constraints'
# ------------------------------------------------
dist_mixture(
  list(dist_dirac(), dist_exponential())
)$get_param_constraints()

# Method 'Distribution$export_functions'
# ------------------------------------------------

tmp_env <- new.env(parent = globalenv())
dist_exponential()$export_functions(  name = "exp",  envir = tmp_env,  with_params = list(rate = 2.0))
dist_bdegp

Description

Constructs a BDEGP-Family distribution with fixed number of components and blending interval.

Usage

dist_bdegp(n, m, u, epsilon)

Arguments

n  Number of dirac components, starting with a point mass at 0.

m  Number of erlang components, translated by n - 0.5.

u  Blending cut-off, must be a positive real.

epsilon  Blending radius, must be a positive real less than u. The blending interval will be u - epsilon < x < u + epsilon.

Value

- A MixtureDistribution of
  - n DiracDistributions at 0 .. n - 1 and
  - a BlendedDistribution object with child Distributions
    * a TranslatedDistribution with offset n - 0.5 of an ErlangMixtureDistribution with m shapes
    * and a GeneralizedParetoDistribution with shape parameter restricted to [0, 1] and location parameter fixed at u With break u and bandwidth epsilon.

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(), dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(), dist_gamma(), dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(), dist_normal(), dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()
Examples

dist <- dist_bdegp(n = 1, m = 2, u = 10, epsilon = 3)
params <- list(
  dists = list(
    list(),
    list(
      dists = list(
        list(
          dist = list(
            shapes = list(1L, 2L),
            scale = 1.0,
            probs = list(0.7, 0.3)
          )
        ),
        list(
          sigmu = 1.0,
          xi = 0.1
        ),
        probs = list(0.1, 0.9)
      )
    ),
    probs = list(0.95, 0.05)
  )
)
  x <- dist$sample(100, with_params = params)

plot_distributions(
  theoretical = dist, empirical = dist_empirical(x),
  .x = seq(0, 20, length.out = 101),
  with_params = list(theoretical = params)
)

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**dist_beta**  
_Beta Distribution_

**Description**

See _stats::Beta_

**Usage**

`dist_beta(shape1 = NULL, shape2 = NULL, ncp = NULL)`

**Arguments**

- **shape1**: First scalar shape parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.
- **shape2**: Second scalar shape parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.
- **ncp**: Scalar non-centrality parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.
**dist_binomial**  

**Binomial Distribution**

**Description**

See `stats::Binomial`

**Usage**

```r
dist_binomial(size = NULL, prob = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

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Details

Both parameters can be overridden with `with_params = list(size = ..., prob = ...)`.

Value

A BinomialDistribution object.

See Also

Other Distributions: `Distribution`, `dist_bdegp()`, `dist_beta()`, `dist_blended()`, `dist_dirac()`, `dist_discrete()`, `dist_empirical()`, `dist_erlangmix()`, `dist_exponential()`, `dist_gamma()`, `dist_genpareto()`, `dist_lognormal()`, `dist_mixture()`, `dist_negbinomial()`, `dist_normal()`, `dist_pareto()`, `dist_poisson()`, `dist_translate()`, `dist_trunc()`, `dist_uniform()`, `dist_weibull()`

Examples

d_binom <- dist_binomial(size = 10, prob = 0.5)
x <- d_binom$sample(100)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_binom,
  estimated = d_binom,
  with_params = list(
    estimated = list(
      size = max(x),
      prob = mean(x) / max(x)
    ),
    .x = 0:max(x)
  ),
)

dist_blended

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**dist_blended**

Blended distribution

Description

Blended distribution

Usage

`dist_blended(dists, probs = NULL, breaks = NULL, bandwidths = NULL)`
Arguments

dists A list of k >= 2 component Distributions.
probs k Mixture weight parameters
breaks k - 1 Centers of the blending zones. dists[i] will blend into dists[i + 1] around breaks[i].
bandwidths k - 1 Radii of the blending zones. The i-th blending zone will begin at breaks[i] - bandwidths[i] and end at breaks[i] + bandwidths[i]. A bandwidth of 0 corresponds to a hard cut-off, i.e. a jump discontinuity in the density of the blended Distribution.

Value

A BlendedDistribution object.

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(), dist_gamma(), dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(), dist_normal(), dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()

Examples

```r
bd <- dist_blended(
  list(
    dist_normal(mean = 0.0, sd = 1.0),
    dist_genpareto(u = 3.0, sigmamu = 1.0, x = 3.0)
  ),
  breaks = list(3.0),
  bandwidths = list(0.5),
  probs = list(0.9, 0.1)
)

plot_distributions(
  bd,
  .x = seq(-3, 10, length.out = 100),
  plots = c("d", "p")
)
```

dist_dirac  

**Dirac (degenerate point) Distribution**

Description

A degenerate distribution with all mass at a single point.
Usage

dist_dirac(point = NULL)

Arguments

point The point with probability mass 1.

Details

The parameter can be overridden with with_params = list(point = ...).

Value

A DiracDistribution object.

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(),
dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(), dist_gamma(),
dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(), dist_normal(),
dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()

Examples

d_dirac <- dist_dirac(1.5)
d_dirac$sample(2L)
d_dirac$sample(2L, list(point = 42.0))

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dist_discrete Discrete Distribution

Description

A full-flexibility discrete distribution with values from 1 to size.

Usage

dist_discrete(size = NULL, probs = NULL)

Arguments

size Number of classes parameter (integer). Required if probs is NULL.
probs Vector of probabilities parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

Details

Parameters can be overridden with with_params = list(probs = ...).
**dist_empirical**

**Description**

Creates an empirical distribution object from a sample. Assumes iid. samples. with_params should not be used with this distribution because estimation of the relevant indicators happens during construction.

**Usage**

```r
dist_empirical(sample, positive = FALSE, bw = "nrd0")
```

**Arguments**

- `sample` Sample to build the empirical distribution from
Is the underlying distribution known to be positive? This will affect the density estimation procedure. positive = FALSE uses a kernel density estimate produced by density(), positive = TRUE uses a log-kernel density estimate produced by logKDE::logdensity_fft(). The latter can improve density estimation near zero.

Bandwidth parameter for density estimation. Passed to the density estimation function selected by positive.

Details

- sample() samples iid. from sample. This approach is similar to bootstrapping.
- density() evaluates a kernel density estimate, approximating with zero outside of the known support. This estimate is either obtained using stats::density or logKDE::logdensity_fft, depending on positive.
- probability() evaluates the empirical cumulative density function obtained by stats::ecdf.
- quantile() evaluates the empirical quantiles using stats::quantile
- hazard() estimates the hazard rate using the density estimate and the empirical cumulative density function: \( h(t) = df(t) / (1 - cdf(t)) \).

Value

An EmpiricalDistribution object.

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(), dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(), dist_gamma(), dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(), dist_normal(), dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()

Examples

```r
x <- rexp(20, rate = 1)
dx <- dist_empirical(sample = x, positive = TRUE)

y <- rnorm(20)
dy <- dist_empirical(sample = y)

plot_distributions(
  exponential = dx,
  normal = dy,
  x = seq(-3, 3, length.out = 100)
)```
dist_erlangmix

Erlang Mixture distribution

Description

Erlang Mixture distribution

Usage

dist_erlangmix(shapes, scale = NULL, probs = NULL)

Arguments

- **shapes**: Shape parameters, a `trunc_erlangmix` fit, or `NULL` as a placeholder.
- **scale**: Common scale parameter, or `NULL` as a placeholder.
- **probs**: Mixing probabilities, or `NULL` as a placeholder.

Value

An `ErlangMixtureDistribution` object.

See Also

Other Distributions: `Distribution`, `dist_bdepl`, `dist_beta`, `dist_binomial`, `dist_blended`, `dist_dirac`, `dist_discrete`, `dist_empirical`, `dist_exponential`, `dist_gamma`, `dist_genpareto`, `dist_lognormal`, `dist_mixture`, `dist_negbinomial`, `dist_normal`, `dist_pareto`, `dist_poisson`, `dist_translate`, `dist_trunc`, `dist_uniform`, `dist_weibull`

Examples

```r
params <- list(scale = 1.0, probs = list(0.5, 0.3, 0.2), shapes = list(1L, 2L, 3L))
dist <- dist_erlangmix(vector("list", 3L))
x <- dist$sample(20, with_params = params)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x, positive = TRUE)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = dist,
  with_params = list(
    theoretical = params
  ),
  .x = seq(1e-4, 5, length.out = 100)
)
```
**dist_exponential**  

*Exponential distribution*

**Description**

See `stats::Exponential`.

**Usage**

```r
dist_exponential(rate = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

- `rate`  
  Scalar rate parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

**Details**

The parameter can be overridden with `with_params = list(rate = ...)`.

**Value**

An `ExponentialDistribution` object.

**See Also**

Other Distributions: `Distribution`, `dist_bdegp()`, `dist_beta()`, `dist_binomial()`, `dist_blended()`, `dist_dirac()`, `dist_discrete()`, `dist_empirical()`, `dist_erlangmix()`, `dist_gamma()`, `dist_genpareto()`, `dist_lognormal()`, `dist_mixture()`, `dist_negbinomial()`, `dist_normal()`, `dist_pareto()`, `dist_poisson()`, `dist_translate()`, `dist_trunc()`, `dist_uniform()`, `dist_weibull()`

**Examples**

```r
rate <- 1
d_exp <- dist_exponential()
x <- d_exp$sample(20, with_params = list(rate = rate))
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x, positive = TRUE)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_exp,
  estimated = d_exp,
  with_params = list(
    theoretical = list(rate = rate),
    estimated = list(rate = 1 / mean(x))
  ),
  .x = seq(1e-4, 5, length.out = 100)
)
```
Description

See stats::GammaDist.

Usage

dist_gamma(shape = NULL, rate = NULL)

Arguments

shape Scalar shape parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.
rate Scalar rate parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

Details

Both parameters can be overridden with with_params = list(shape = ..., rate = ...).

Value

A GammaDistribution object.

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(),
dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(),
dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(), dist_normal(),
dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()

Examples

alpha <- 2
beta <- 2

d_gamma <- dist_gamma(shape = alpha, rate = beta)
x <- d_gamma$sample(100)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x, positive = TRUE)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_gamma,
  estimated = d_gamma,
  with_params = list(
    estimated = inflate_params(fitdistrplus::fitdist(x, distr = "gamma")$estimate
  ),
),
dist_genpareto

.\( x = \text{seq}(1e-3, \max(x), \text{length.out} = 100) \)

**dist_genpareto**  
*Generalized Pareto Distribution*

**Description**
See evmix::gpd

**Usage**

dist_genpareto(u = NULL, sigmau = NULL, xi = NULL)
dist_genpareto1(u = NULL, sigmau = NULL, xi = NULL)

**Arguments**
- **u**  
  Scalar location parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.
- **sigmau**  
  Scalar scale parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.
- **xi**  
  Scalar shape parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

**Details**
All parameters can be overridden with with_params = list(u = ..., sigmau = ..., xi = ...).
dist_genpareto1 is equivalent to dist_genpareto but enforces bound constraints on xi to [0, 1].
This ensures unboundedness and finite expected value unless xi == 1.0.

**Value**
A GeneralizedParetoDistribution object.

**See Also**
Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(),
dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(),
dist_gamma(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(), dist_normal(),
dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()
dist_lognormal

Examples

```r
d_genpareto <- dist_genpareto(u = 0, sigmamu = 1, xi = 1)
x <- d_genpareto$sample(100)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x)
d_genpareto$export_functions("gpd") # so fitdistrplus finds it
plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_genpareto,
  estimated = d_genpareto,
  with_params = list(
    estimated = fit(dist_genpareto(), x)$params
  ),
  .x = seq(0, 5, length.out = 100)
)
```

dist_lognormal

Log Normal distribution

Description

See stats::Lognormal.

Usage

```
dist_lognormal(meanlog = NULL, sdlog = NULL)
```

Arguments

- `meanlog`: Scalar mean parameter on the log scale, or `NULL` as a placeholder.
- `sdlog`: Scalar standard deviation parameter on the log scale, or `NULL` as a placeholder.

Details

Both parameters can be overridden with `with_params = list(meanlog = ..., sdlog = ...)`. 

Value

A `LognormalDistribution` object.

See Also

Other Distributions: `Distribution`, `dist_bdegp()`, `dist_beta()`, `dist_binomial()`, `dist_blended()`, `dist_dirac()`, `dist_discrete()`, `dist_empirical()`, `dist_erlangmix()`, `dist_exponential()`, `dist_gamma()`, `dist_genpareto()`, `dist_mixture()`, `dist_negbinomial()`, `dist_normal()`, `dist_pareto()`, `dist_poisson()`, `dist_translate()`, `dist_trunc()`, `dist_uniform()`, `dist_weibull()`
Examples

```r
mu <- 0
sigma <- 1

d_lnorm <- dist_lognormal(meanlog = mu, sdlog = sigma)
x <- d_lnorm$sample(20)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x, positive = TRUE)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_lnorm,
  estimated = d_lnorm,
  with_params = list(
    estimated = inflate_params(
      fitdistrplus::fitdist(x, distr = "lnorm")$estimate
    ),
  ),
  .x = seq(1e-3, 5, length.out = 100)
)
```

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Description

Parameters of mixing components can be overridden with `with_params = list(dists = list(..., ...

```{r}

Usage

dist_mixture(dists = list(), probs = NULL)

Arguments

dists A list of mixing distributions. May contain placeholders and duplicates.

probs A list of mixing probabilities with the same length as `dists`. They are normal-

```{r}

Details

Does not support the `quantile()` capability!
Value

A MixtureDistribution object.

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(), dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(), dist_gamma(), dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_negbinomial(), dist_normal(), dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()

Examples

# A complicated way to define a uniform distribution on \[0, 2\]

```r
dist_mixture(
  dists = list(
    dist_uniform(min = 0, max = 1),
    dist_uniform(min = 1, max = 2)
  ),
  probs = list(0.5, 0.5)
)
```

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dist_negbinomial  Negative binomial Distribution

Description

See stats::NegBinomial

Usage

`dist_negbinomial(size = NULL, mu = NULL)`

Arguments

- **size**: Number of successful trials parameter, or NULL as a placeholder. Non-integer values > 0 are allowed.
- **mu**: Mean parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

Details

Both parameters can be overridden with `with_params = list(size = ..., prob = ...)`. 

Value

A NegativeBinomialDistribution object.
dist_normal

Normal distribution

Description

See stats::Normal.

Usage

dist_normal(mean = NULL, sd = NULL)

Arguments

mean Scalar mean parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

sd Scalar standard deviation parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

Details

Both parameters can be overridden with with_params = list(mean = ..., sd = ...).

Value

A NormalDistribution object.
dist_pareto

See Also

Other Distributions: `Distribution`, `dist_bdegp()`, `dist_beta()`, `dist_binomial()`, `dist_blended()`, `dist_dirac()`, `dist_discrete()`, `dist_empirical()`, `dist_erlangmix()`, `dist_exponential()`, `dist_gamma()`, `dist_genpareto()`, `dist_lognormal()`, `dist_mixture()`, `dist_negbinomial()`, `dist_pareto()`, `dist_poisson()`, `dist_translate()`, `dist_trunc()`, `dist_uniform()`, `dist_weibull()`

Examples

```r
mu <- 0
sigma <- 1
d_norm <- dist_normal(mean = mu, sd = sigma)
x <- d_norm$sample(20)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_norm,
  estimated = d_norm,
  with_params = list(
    estimated = list(mean = mean(x), sd = sd(x))
  ),
  .x = seq(-3, 3, length.out = 100)
)
```

dist_pareto  Pareto Distribution

Description

See Pareto

Usage

```r
dist_pareto(shape = NULL, scale = NULL)
```

Arguments

- `shape`  
  Scalar shape parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

- `scale`  
  Scalar scale parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

Details

Both parameters can be overridden with `with_params = list(shape = ...`, `scale = ...`).

Value

A ParetoDistribution object.
See Also

Other Distributions: `dist_bdegp()`, `dist_beta()`, `dist_binomial()`, `dist_blended()`, `dist_dirac()`, `dist_discrete()`, `dist_empirical()`, `dist_erlangmix()`, `dist_exponential()`, `dist_gamma()`, `dist_genpareto()`, `dist_lognormal()`, `dist_mixture()`, `dist_negbinomial()`, `dist_normal()`, `dist_poisson()`, `dist_translate()`, `dist_trunc()`, `dist_uniform()`, `dist_weibull()`

Examples

d_pareto <- dist_pareto(shape = 3, scale = 1)
x <- d_pareto$sample(100)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_pareto,
  estimated = d_pareto,
  with_params = list(
    estimated = inflate_params(
      fitdistrplus::fitdist(x, distr = "pareto")$estimate
    ),
  ),
  .x = seq(0, 2, length.out = 100)
)

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dist_poisson  Poisson Distribution

Description

See `stats::Poisson`

Usage

dist_poisson(lambda = NULL)

Arguments

lambda  Scalar rate parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

Details

The parameter can be overridden with `with_params = list(lambda = ...)`.  

Value

A `PoissonDistribution` object.
See Also

Other Distributions: `Distribution`, `dist_bdegp()`, `dist_beta()`, `dist_binomial()`, `dist_blended()`, `dist_dirac()`, `dist_discrete()`, `dist_empirical()`, `dist_erlangmix()`, `dist_exponential()`, `dist_gamma()`, `dist_genpareto()`, `dist_lognormal()`, `dist_mixture()`, `dist_negbinomial()`, `dist_normal()`, `dist_pareto()`, `dist_translate()`, `dist_trunc()`, `dist_uniform()`, `dist_weibull()`

Examples

```r
d_pois <- dist_poisson(lambda = 5.0)
x <- d_pois$sample(100)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_pois,
  estimated = d_pois,
  with_params = list(
    estimated = inflate_params(
      fitdistrplus::fitdist(x, distr = "pois")$estimate
    ),
    .x = 0:max(x)
  )
)
```

dist_translate

Translated distribution

Description

Translated distribution

Usage

dist_translate(dist = NULL, offset = NULL, multiplier = 1)

Arguments

- **dist**: An underlying distribution, or NULL as a placeholder.
- **offset**: Offset to be added to each observation, or NULL as a placeholder.
- **multiplier**: Factor to multiply each observation by, or NULL as a placeholder.

Value

A TranslatedDistribution object.
dist_trunc

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(),
dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(),
dist_gamma(), dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(),
dist_normal(), dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()

Examples

d_norm <- dist_normal(mean = 0, sd = 1)
d_tnorm <- dist_translate(dist = d_norm, offset = 1)
plot_distributions(d_norm, d_tnorm, .x = seq(-2, 3, length.out = 100))

---

dist_trunc Truncated distribution

Description

Truncated distribution

Usage

dist_trunc(dist = NULL, min = NULL, max = NULL, offset = 0, max_retry = 100)

Arguments

dist An underlying distribution, or NULL as a placeholder.
min Minimum value to truncate at (exclusive), or NULL as a placeholder.
max Maximum value to truncate at (inclusive), or NULL as a placeholder.
offset Offset to be added to each observation after truncation, or NULL as a placeholder.
Truncation of dist will occur to [min, max]. The offset is then added deterministically.
max_retry Maximum number of resample attempts when trying to sample with rejection.

Value

A TruncatedDistribution object.

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(),
dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(),
dist_gamma(), dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(),
dist_normal(), dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_uniform(), dist_weibull()
Examples

d_norm <- dist_normal(mean = 0, sd = 1)
d_tnorm <- dist_trunc(dist = d_norm, min = -2, max = 2, offset = 1)
plot_distributions(d_norm, d_tnorm, .x = seq(-2, 3, length.out = 100))

---

dist_uniform  Uniform distribution

Description

See stats::Uniform

Usage

dist_uniform(min = NULL, max = NULL)

Arguments

- **min**: Lower limit, or NULL as a placeholder.
- **max**: Upper limit, or NULL as a placeholder.

Details

Both parameters can be overridden with with_params = list(min = ..., max = ...).

Value

A UniformDistribution object.

See Also

Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(),
dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(),
dist_gamma(), dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(),
dist_normal(), dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_weibull()

Examples

d_unif <- dist_uniform(min = 0, max = 1)
x <- d_unif$sample(100)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x)

plot_distributions(
    empirical = d_emp,
    theoretical = d_unif,
    estimated = d_unif,
    with_params = list(
dist_weibull

Weibull Distribution

Description
See stats::Weibull

Usage
dist_weibull(shape = NULL, scale = NULL)

Arguments
shape Scalar shape parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.
scale Scalar scale parameter, or NULL as a placeholder.

Details
Both parameters can be overridden with with_params = list(shape = ..., scale = ...).

Value
A WeibullDistribution object.

See Also
Other Distributions: Distribution, dist_bdegp(), dist_beta(), dist_binomial(), dist_blended(),
dist_dirac(), dist_discrete(), dist_empirical(), dist_erlangmix(), dist_exponential(),
dist_gamma(), dist_genpareto(), dist_lognormal(), dist_mixture(), dist_negbinomial(),
dist_normal(), dist_pareto(), dist_poisson(), dist_translate(), dist_trunc(), dist_uniform()

Examples
d_weibull <- dist_weibull(shape = 3, scale = 1)
x <- d_weibull$sample(100)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x)

plot_distributions(
  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_weibull,
  estimated = d_weibull,

estimated = inflate_params(
  fitdistrplus::fitdist(x, distr = "unif")$estimate
)
),
.x = seq(0, 1, length.out = 100)
with_params = list(
  estimated = inflate_params(
    fitdistrplus::fitdist(x, distr = "weibull")$estimate
  ),
  .x = seq(0, 2, length.out = 100)
)

---

Fit a neural network based distribution model to data

**Description**

This function delegates most work to `keras::fit.keras.engine.training.Model()` and performs additional consistency checks to make sure `tf_compile_model()` was called with the appropriate options to support fitting the observations `y` as well as automatically converting `y` to a `n x 6` matrix needed by the compiled loss function.

**Usage**

```r
## S3 method for class 'reservr_keras_model'
fit(
  object,
  x,
  y,
  batch_size = NULL,
  epochs = 10,
  verbose =getOption("keras.fit_verbose", default = 1),
  callbacks = NULL,
  view_metrics =getOption("keras.view_metrics", default = "auto"),
  validation_split = 0,
  validation_data = NULL,
  shuffle = TRUE,
  class_weight = NULL,
  sample_weight = NULL,
  initial_epoch = 0,
  steps_per_epoch = NULL,
  validation_steps = NULL,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

- `object` A compiled `reservr_keras_model` as obtained by `tf_compile_model()`.
- `x` A list of input tensors (predictors).
y  A trunc_obs tibble of observed outcomes, or something convertible via as_trunc_obs().
batch_size  Integer or NULL. Number of samples per gradient update. If unspecified, batch_size will default to 32.
epochs  Number of epochs to train the model. Note that in conjunction with initial_epoch, epochs is to be understood as "final epoch". The model is not trained for a number of iterations given by epochs, but merely until the epoch of index epochs is reached.
verbose  Verbosity mode (0 = silent, 1 = progress bar, 2 = one line per epoch).
callbacks  List of callbacks to be called during training.
view_metrics  View realtime plot of training metrics (by epoch). The default ("auto") will display the plot when running within RStudio, metrics were specified during model compile(), epochs > 1 and verbose > 0. Use the global keras.view_metrics option to establish a different default.
validation_split  Float between 0 and 1. Fraction of the training data to be used as validation data. The model will set apart this fraction of the training data, will not train on it, and will evaluate the loss and any model metrics on this data at the end of each epoch. The validation data is selected from the last samples in the x and y data provided, before shuffling.
validation_data  Data on which to evaluate the loss and any model metrics at the end of each epoch. The model will not be trained on this data. This could be a list (x_val, y_val) or a list (x_val, y_val, val_sample_weights). validation_data will override validation_split.
shuffle  shuffle: Logical (whether to shuffle the training data before each epoch) or string (for "batch"). "batch" is a special option for dealing with the limitations of HDF5 data; it shuffles in batch-sized chunks. Has no effect when steps_per_epoch is not NULL.
class_weight  Optional named list mapping indices (integers) to a weight (float) value, used for weighting the loss function (during training only). This can be useful to tell the model to "pay more attention" to samples from an under-represented class.
sample_weight  Optional array of the same length as x, containing weights to apply to the model's loss for each sample. In the case of temporal data, you can pass a 2D array with shape (samples, sequence_length), to apply a different weight to every timestep of every sample. In this case you should make sure to specify sample_weight_mode="temporal" in compile().
initial_epoch  Integer, Epoch at which to start training (useful for resuming a previous training run).
steps_per_epoch  Total number of steps (batches of samples) before declaring one epoch finished and starting the next epoch. When training with input tensors such as TensorFlow data tensors, the default NULL is equal to the number of samples in your dataset divided by the batch size, or 1 if that cannot be determined.
validation_steps  Only relevant if steps_per_epoch is specified. Total number of steps (batches of samples) to validate before stopping.
Unused. If old arguments are supplied, an error message will be raised informing how to fix the issue.

Details

Additionally, the default batch_size is \( \min(nrow(y), 10000) \) instead of keras default of 32 because the latter is a very bad choice for fitting most distributions since the involved loss is much less stable than typical losses used in machine learning, leading to divergence for small batch sizes.

Value

A history object that contains all information collected during training. The model object will be updated in-place as a side-effect.

See Also

predict.reservr_keras_model tf_compile_model keras::fit.keras.engine.training.Model

Examples

```r
dist <- dist_exponential()
params <- list(rate = 1.0)
N <- 100L
rand_input <- runif(N)
x <- dist$sample(N, with_params = params)

if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  tf_in <- keras::layer_input(1L)
  mod <- tf_compile_model(
    inputs = list(tf_in),
    intermediate_output = tf_in,
    dist = dist,
    optimizer = keras::optimizer_adam(),
    censoring = FALSE,
    truncation = FALSE
  )

  tf_fit <- fit(
    object = mod,
    x = k_matrix(rand_input),
    y = x,
    epochs = 10L,
    callbacks = list(
      callback_debug_dist_gradients(mod, k_matrix(rand_input), x, keep_grads = TRUE)
    )
  )
}
```
fit_blended

Fit a Blended mixture using an ECME-Algorithm

Description

Fit a Blended mixture using an ECME-Algorithm

Usage

fit_blended(
  dist,  
  obs,   
  start, 
  min_iter = 0L,  
  max_iter = 100L,  
  skip_first_e = FALSE, 
  tolerance = 1e-05, 
  trace = FALSE, 
  ...
)

Arguments

- **dist**: A BlendedDistribution. It is assumed, that breaks and bandwidths are not a placeholder and that weights are to be estimated.
- **obs**: Set of observations as produced by `trunc_obs()` or convertible via `as_trunc_obs()`.
- **start**: Initial values of all placeholder parameters. If missing, starting values are obtained from `fit_dist_start()`.
- **min_iter**: Minimum number of EM-Iterations
- **max_iter**: Maximum number of EM-Iterations (weight updates)
- **skip_first_e**: Skip the first E-Step (update Probability weights)? This can help if the initial values cause a mixture component to vanish in the first E-Step before the starting values can be improved.
- **tolerance**: Numerical tolerance.
- **trace**: Include tracing information in output? If TRUE, additional tracing information will be added to the result list.
- **...**: Passed to `fit_dist_start()` if start is missing.

Value

A list with elements

- **params**: the fitted parameters in the same structure as init.
- **params_hist**: if trace is TRUE the history of parameters (after each e- and m- step)
- **iter**: the number of outer EM-iterations
- **logLik**: the final log-likelihood
See Also

Other distribution fitting functions: `fit_dist()`, `fit_erlang_mixture()`, `fit_mixture()`

Examples

def dist <- dist_blended(
    list(
        dist_exponential(),
        dist_genpareto()
    )
)

params <- list(
    probs = list(0.9, 0.1),
    dists = list(
        list(rate = 2.0),
        list(u = 1.5, xi = 0.2, sigmau = 1.0)
    ),
    breaks = list(1.5),
    bandwidths = list(0.3)
)

x <- dist$sample(100L, with_params = params)

dist$default_params$breaks <- params$breaks
dist$default_params$bandwidths <- params$bandwidths
if (interactive()) {
    fit_blended(dist, x)
}

---

**fit_dist**

*Fit a general distribution to observations*

Description

The default implementation performs maximum likelihood estimation on all placeholder parameters.

Usage

```r
fit_dist(dist, obs, start, ...)
fit_dist_direct(dist, obs, start, ..., .start_with_default = FALSE)
```

## S3 method for class 'Distribution'
fit(object, obs, start, ...)
**Arguments**

- **dist**  
  A Distribution object.

- **obs**  
  Set of observations as produced by `trunc_obs()` or convertible via `as_trunc_obs()`.

- **start**  
  Initial values of all placeholder parameters. If missing, starting values are obtained from `fit_dist_start()`.

- **...**  
  Distribution-specific arguments for the fitting procedure

- **.start_with_default**  
  Before directly optimising the likelihood, use an optimised algorithm for finding better starting values?

- **object**  
  same as parameter dist

**Details**

For Erlang mixture distributions and for Mixture distributions, an EM-Algorithm is instead used to improve stability.

`fit()` and `fit_dist()` will chose an optimisation method optimized for the specific distribution given. `fit_dist_direct()` can be used to force direct maximisation of the likelihood.

**Value**

A list with at least the elements

- **params**  
  the fitted parameters in the same structure as `init`.

- **logLik**  
  the final log-likelihood

Additional information may be provided depending on `dist`.

**See Also**

Other distribution fitting functions: `fit_blended()`, `fit_erlang_mixture()`, `fit_mixture()`

**Examples**

```r
x <- rexp(100)
lambda_hat <- 1 / mean(x)
lambda_hat2 <- fit_dist(dist_exponential(), x)$params$rate
identical(lambda_hat, lambda_hat2)

dist <- dist_mixture(list(dist_normal(), dist_translate(dist_exponential(), offset = 6)))
params <- list(  
  dists = list(mean = 5, sd = 1),  
  list(dist = list(rate = 1)),  
  probs = list(0.95, 0.05)  
)

set.seed(2000)
u <- runif(100, 10, 20)
x <- dist$sample(100, with_params = params)
obs <- trunc_obs(x = x[x <= u], tmin = -Inf, tmax = u[x <= u])

default_fit <- fit_dist(dist, obs)
```
direct_fit <- fit_dist_direct(dist, obs)
# NB: direct optimisation steps with pre-run take a few seconds

direct_fit_init <- fit_dist_direct(dist, obs, start = default_fit$params)
direct_fit_auto_init <- fit_dist_direct(dist, obs, .start_with_default = TRUE)

stopifnot(direct_fit_init$logLik == direct_fit_auto_init$logLik)
c(default_fit$logLik, direct_fit$logLik, direct_fit_init$logLik)

---

fit_dist_start.**MixtureDistribution**

*Find starting values for distribution parameters*

**Description**

Find starting values for distribution parameters

**Usage**

```r
## S3 method for class 'MixtureDistribution'
fit_dist_start(dist, obs, dists_start = NULL, ...)

fit_dist_start(dist, obs, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `dist` A Distribution object.
- `obs` Observations to fit to.
- `dists_start` List of initial parameters for all component distributions. If left empty, initialisation will be automatically performed using `fit_dist_start()` with all observations in the support of each respective component.
- `...` Additional arguments for the initialisation procedure

**Value**

A list of initial parameters suitable for passing to `fit_dist()`.

**Examples**

```r
fit_dist_start(dist_exponential(), rexp(100))
```
**Description**

Fit an Erlang mixture using an ECME-Algorithm

**Usage**

```r
fit_erlang_mixture(
  dist,  
  obs,  
  start,  
  min_iter = 0L,  
  max_iter = 100L,  
  skip_first_e = FALSE,  
  tolerance = 1e-05,  
  trace = FALSE,  
  parallel = FALSE,  
  ...  
)
```

**Arguments**

- **dist**: An `ErlangMixtureDistribution`. It is assumed, that both `probs` and `scale` are to be estimated.
- **obs**: Set of observations as produced by `trunc_obs()` or convertible via `as_trunc_obs()`.
- **start**: Initial values of all placeholder parameters. If missing, starting values are obtained from `fit_dist_start()`.
- **min_iter**: Minimum number of EM-Iterations
- **max_iter**: Maximum number of EM-Iterations (weight updates)
- **skip_first_e**: Skip the first E-Step (update Probability weights)? This can help if the initial values cause a mixture component to vanish in the first E-Step before the starting values can be improved.
- **tolerance**: Numerical tolerance.
- **trace**: Include tracing information in output? If `TRUE`, additional tracing information will be added to the result list.
- **parallel**: Enable experimental parallel evaluation of expected log-likelihood?
- **...**: Passed to `fit_dist_start()` if `start` is missing.
fit_mixture

Value

A list with elements

- params the fitted parameters in the same structure as init.
- params_hist (if trace is TRUE) the history of parameters (after each e- and m- step). Otherwise an empty list.
- iter the number of outer EM-iterations
- logLik the final log-likelihood

See Also

Other distribution fitting functions: fit_blended(), fit_dist(), fit_mixture()

Examples

dist <- dist_erlangmix(list(NULL, NULL, NULL))
params <- list(
    shapes = list(1L, 4L, 12L),
    scale = 2.0,
    probs = list(0.5, 0.3, 0.2)
)
x <- dist$sample(100L, with_params = params)
fit_erlang_mixture(dist, x, init = "kmeans")

fit_mixture

Fit a generic mixture using an ECME-Algorithm

Description

Fit a generic mixture using an ECME-Algorithm

Usage

fit_mixture(
    dist, 
    obs, 
    start, 
    min_iter = 0L, 
    max_iter = 100L, 
    skip_first_e = FALSE, 
    tolerance = 1e-05, 
    trace = FALSE, 
    ...
)
Arguments

dist A MixtureDistribution specifying the structure of the mixture. Free parameters are to be optimised. The dominating measure for likelihoods must be constant, so for example `dist_dirac()` may not have its point parameter free.

obs Set of observations as produced by `trunc_obs()` or convertible via `as_trunc_obs()`.

start Initial values of all placeholder parameters. If missing, starting values are obtained from `fit_dist_start()`.

min_iter Minimum number of EM-Iterations

max_iter Maximum number of EM-Iterations (weight updates)

skip_first_e Skip the first E-Step (update Probability weights)? This can help if the initial values cause a mixture component to vanish in the first E-Step before the starting values can be improved.

tolerance Numerical tolerance.

trace Include tracing information in output? If TRUE, additional tracing information will be added to the result list.

... Passed to `fit_dist_start()` if start is missing.

Value

A list with elements

- params the fitted parameters in the same structure as init.
- params_hist (if trace is TRUE) the history of parameters (after each e- and m- step)
- iter the number of outer EM-iterations
- logLik the final log-likelihood

See Also

Other distribution fitting functions: `fit_blended()`, `fit_dist()`, `fit_erlang_mixture()`

Examples

```r
dist <- dist_mixture(
  list(
    dist_dirac(0.0),
    dist_exponential()
  )
)

params <- list(
  probs = list(0.1, 0.9),
  dists = list(
    list(),
    list(rate = 1.0)
  )
)
```
```r
x <- dist$sample(100L, with_params = params)
fit_mixture(dist, x)
```

---

### flatten_params

**Flatten / Inflate parameter lists / vectors**

#### Description
Flatten / Inflate parameter lists / vectors

#### Usage
- `flatten_params(params)`
- `flatten_params_matrix(params)`
- `flatten_bounds(bounds)`
- `inflate_params(flat_params)`

#### Arguments
- `params` A named list of parameters to be flattened. Should be in a form to be passed as the `with_params` argument to most distribution functions.
- `bounds` List of parameter bounds as returned by `dist$get_param_bounds()`
- `flat_params` A named numeric vector of parameters

#### Value
- `flatten_params` returns a 'flattened' vector of parameters. It is intended as an adapter for multi-dimensional optimisation functions to distribution objects.
- `flatten_params_matrix` returns a 'flattened' matrix of parameters. It is intended as an adapter for multi-dimensional optimisation functions to distribution objects. Each column corresponds to one input element.
- `flatten_bounds` returns a named list of vectors with names `lower` and `upper`. Containing the upper and lower bounds of each parameter.
- `inflate_params` returns an 'inflated' list of parameters. This can be passed as the `with_params` argument to most distribution functions.
Examples

library(ggplot2)

mm <- dist_mixture(list(
  dist_exponential(NULL),
  dist_lognormal(0.5, NULL),
), list(NULL, 1))

ph <- mm$get_placeholders()
ph_flat <- flatten_params(ph)
ph_reinflated <- inflate_params(ph_flat)
ph_flat[] <- c(1, 1, 6)
ph_sample <- inflate_params(ph_flat)

x <- mm$sample(100,
  with_params = ph_sample)

emp_cdf <- ecdf(x)

ggplot(data.frame(t = seq(from = min(x), to = max(x), length.out = 100))) ++%
  geom_point(aes(x = t, y = emp_cdf(t))) ++%
  geom_line(aes(x = t, y = mm$probability(t, with_params = ph_sample)),
             linetype = 2)

---

GenPareto

The Generalized Pareto Distribution (GPD)

Description

These functions provide information about the generalized Pareto distribution with threshold \( u \).

dgpd gives the density, pgpd gives the distribution function, qgpd gives the quantile function and
rgpd generates random deviates.

Usage

rgpd(n = 1L, u = 0, sigmu = 1, xi = 0)
dgpd(x, u = 0, sigmu = 1, xi = 0, log = FALSE)
pgpd(q, u = 0, sigmu = 1, xi = 0, lower.tail = TRUE, log.p = FALSE)
qgpd(p, u = 0, sigmu = 1, xi = 0, lower.tail = TRUE, log.p = FALSE)

Arguments

n integer number of observations.
GenPareto

\[ u \]  threshold parameter (minimum value).
\[ \text{sigma}_{u} \]  scale parameter (must be positive).
\[ \xi \]  shape parameter
\[ x, q \]  vector of quantiles.
\[ \log, \log.p \]  logical; if TRUE, probabilities/densities \( p \) are given as \( \log(p) \).
\[ \text{lower.tail} \]  logical; if TRUE (default), probabilities are \( P(X \leq x) \), otherwise \( P(X > x) \).
\[ p \]  vector of probabilities.

Details

If \( u, \text{sigma}_{u} \) or \( \xi \) are not specified, they assume the default values of 0, 1 and 0 respectively.

The generalized Pareto distribution has density

\[
    f(x) = \frac{1}{\text{sigma}_{u}}(1 + \xi z)^{\left(-1/\xi - 1\right)}
\]

where \( z = (x - u)/\text{sigma}_{u} \) and \( f(x) = \exp(-z) \) if \( \xi \) is 0. The support is \( x \geq u \) for \( \xi \geq 0 \) and \( u \leq x \leq u - \text{sigma}_{u}/\xi \) for \( \xi < 0 \).

The Expected value exists if \( \xi < 1 \) and is equal to

\[
    E(X) = u + \text{sigma}_{u}/(1 - \xi)
\]

k-th moments exist in general for \( k\xi < 1 \).

Value

rgpd generates random deviates.
dgpd gives the density.
pgpd gives the distribution function.
qgpd gives the quantile function.

References


Examples

\[
    x \leftarrow \text{rgpd}(1000, \text{u} = 1, \text{sigma}_{u} = 0.5, \xi = 0.1)
\]
\[
    xx \leftarrow \text{seq(-1, 10, 0.01)}
\]
\[
    \text{hist}(x, \text{breaks} = 100, \text{freq} = \text{FALSE}, \text{xlim} = \text{c(-1, 10)})
\]
\[
    \text{lines(xx, dgpd(xx, \text{u} = 1, \text{sigma}_{u} = 0.5, \xi = 0.1))}
\]
\[
    \text{plot(xx, dgpd(xx, \text{u} = 1, \text{sigma}_{u} = 1, \xi = 0), type = "l")}
\]
\[
    \text{lines(xx, dgpd(xx, \text{u} = 0.5, \text{sigma}_{u} = 1, \xi = -0.3), \text{col} = "blue", \text{lwd} = 2)}
\]
\[
    \text{lines(xx, dgpd(xx, \text{u} = 1.5, \text{sigma}_{u} = 1, \xi = 0.3), \text{col} = "red", \text{lwd} = 2)}
\]
\[
    \text{plot(xx, dgpd(xx, \text{u} = 1, \text{sigma}_{u} = 1, \xi = 0), type = "l")}
\]
lines(xx, dgpd(xx, u = 1, sigmau = 0.5, xi = 0), col = "blue", lwd = 2)
lines(xx, dgpd(xx, u = 1, sigmau = 2, xi = 0), col = "red", lwd = 2)

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### integrate_gk

**Adaptive Gauss-Kronrod Quadrature for multiple limits**

#### Description

Integrates fun over the bounds \([ \text{lower}, \text{upper} \]) vectorized over \text{lower} and \text{upper}. Vectorized list structures of parameters can also be passed.

#### Usage

```r
integrate_gk(
  fun,
  lower,
  upper,
  params = list(),
  .tolerance = .Machine$double.eps^0.25,
  .max_iter = 100L
)
```

#### Arguments

- **fun**: A function to integrate. Must be vectorized and take one or two arguments, the first being points to evaluate at and the second (optionally) being parameters to apply. It must return a numeric vector the same length as its first input. Currently, infinite bounds are not supported.
- **lower, upper**: Integration bounds. Must have the same length.
- **params**: Parameters to pass as a second argument to `fun`. The actual parameters must have the same length as the number of integrals to compute. Can be a possibly nested list structures containing numeric vectors. Alternatively, can be a matrix with the same number of rows as the number of integrals to compute.
- **.tolerance**: Absolute element-wise tolerance.
- **.max_iter**: Maximum number of iterations. The number of integration intervals will be at most `length(lower) * .max_iter`. Therefore the maximum number of function evaluations per integration interval will be `15 * .max_iter`.

#### Details

The integration error is estimated by the Gauss-Kronrod quadrature as the absolute difference between the 7-point quadrature and the 15-point quadrature. Integrals that did not converge will be bisected at the midpoint. The `params` object will be recursively subsetted on all numeric vectors with the same length as the number of observations.
Value

A vector of integrals with the i-th entry containing an approximation of
\( \int_{\text{int}_\text{lower}[i]}^{\text{int}_\text{upper}[i]} \text{fun}(t, \text{pick_params}_\text{at}(\text{params}, i)) \, dt \)

Examples

# Argument recycling and parallel integration of two intervals
integrate_gk(sin, 0, c(pi, 2 * pi))

dist <- dist_exponential()
integrate_gk(
  function(x, p) dist$density(x, with_params = p),
  lower = 0, upper = 1:10,
  params = list(rate = 1 / 1:10)
)
dist$probability(1:10, with_params = list(rate = 1 / 1:10))

interval

Intervals

Description

Intervals

Usage

interval(
  range = c(-Inf, Inf),
  ..., include_lowest = closed, include_highest = closed,
  closed = FALSE, integer = FALSE, read_only = FALSE
)

is.Interval(x)

Arguments

range The interval boundaries as a sorted two-element numeric vector.
... First argument is used as the endpoint if range has length 1. Additional arguments, or any if range has length 2, cause a warning and will be ignored.
include_lowest Is the lower boundary part of the interval?
include_highest Is the upper boundary part of the interval?
interval-operations

closed  Is the interval closed?
integer Is the interval only over the integers?
read_only Make the interval object read-only?
x An object.

Value

interval returns an Interval. is.Interval returns TRUE if x is an Interval, FALSE otherwise.

See Also

interval-operations

Examples

# The real line
interval()

# Closed unit interval
interval(c(0, 1), closed = TRUE)
# Alternative form
interval(0, 1, closed = TRUE)

# Non-negative real line
interval(c(0, Inf), include_lowest = TRUE)

interval-operations  Convex union and intersection of intervals

Description

Convex union and intersection of intervals

Usage

interval_union(..., intervals = list())

interval_intersection(..., intervals = list())

Arguments

... appended to intervals if present.
intervals A list of Intervals.
**Value**

interval_union returns the convex union of all intervals in intervals. This is the smallest interval completely containing all intervals.

interval_intersection returns the set intersection of all intervals in intervals. The empty set is represented by the open interval (0, 0).

**See Also**

interval

**Examples**

```r
interval_union(
    interval(c(0, 1), closed = TRUE),
    interval(c(1, 2))
)

interval_union(
    interval(c(0, 5)),
    interval(c(1, 4), closed = TRUE)
)

# Convex union is not equal to set union:
interval_union(
    interval(c(0, 1)),
    interval(c(2, 3))
)

# The empty union is {}
interval_union()

interval_intersection(
    interval(c(0, 1)),
    interval(c(0.5, 2))
)

interval_intersection(
    interval(c(0, Inf)),
    interval(c(-Inf, 0))
)

interval_intersection(
    interval(c(0, Inf), include_lowest = TRUE),
    interval(c(-Inf, 0), include_highest = TRUE)
)

interval_intersection(
    interval(c(0, 5)),
    interval(c(1, 6), closed = TRUE)
)
```
# The empty intersection is (-Inf, Inf)

```r
interval_intersection()
```

## is.Distribution

**Test if object is a Distribution**

### Description

Test if object is a Distribution

### Usage

```r
is.Distribution(object)
```

### Arguments

- **object**: An R object.

### Value

TRUE if object is a Distribution, FALSE otherwise.

### Examples

```r
is.Distribution(dist_dirac())
```

## k_matrix

**Cast to a TensorFlow matrix**

### Description

Cast to a TensorFlow matrix

### Usage

```r
k_matrix(x, dtype = NULL)
```

### Arguments

- **x**: Numeric object to be converted to a matrix Tensor.
- **dtype**: Type of the elements of the resulting tensor. Defaults to `k_floatx()`.

### Value

A two-dimensional `tf.Tensor` with values from x. The shape will be `(nrow(x), ncol(x))` where x is first converted to an R matrix via `as.matrix()`.
Examples

```r
if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  k_matrix(diag(1:3))
  k_matrix(diag(1:3), dtype = "int32")
  # Vectors are converted to columns:
  k_matrix(1:3)
}
```

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**Pareto**

The Pareto Distribution

Description

These functions provide information about the Pareto distribution. `dpareto` gives the density, `ppareto` gives the distribution function, `qpareto` gives the quantile function and `rpareto` generates random deviates.

Usage

- `rpareto(n = 1L, shape = 0, scale = 1)`
- `dpareto(x, shape = 1, scale = 1, log = FALSE)`
- `ppareto(q, shape = 1, scale = 1, lower.tail = TRUE, log.p = FALSE)`
- `qpareto(p, shape = 1, scale = 1, lower.tail = TRUE, log.p = FALSE)`

Arguments

- `n` integer number of observations.
- `shape` shape parameter (must be positive).
- `scale` scale parameter (must be positive).
- `x, q` vector of quantiles.
- `log, log.p` logical; if TRUE, probabilities/densities `p` are given as `log(p)`.
- `lower.tail` logical; if TRUE (default), probabilities are \( P(X \leq x) \), otherwise \( P(X > x) \).
- `p` vector of probabilities.

Details

If shape or scale are not specified, they assume the default values of 1.

The Pareto distribution with scale \( \theta \) and shape \( \xi \) has density

\[
f(x) = \frac{\xi \theta^\xi}{(x + \theta)^{\xi + 1}}
\]

The support is \( x \geq 0 \).
The Expected value exists if \( \xi > 1 \) and is equal to

\[
E(X) = \theta / (\xi - 1)
\]

\( k \)-th moments exist in general for \( k < \xi \).

Value

\texttt{rpareto} generates random deviates.
\texttt{dpareto} gives the density.
\texttt{ppareto} gives the distribution function.
\texttt{qpareto} gives the quantile function.

References


Examples

```r
x <- rpareto(1000, shape = 10, scale = 5)
xx <- seq(-1, 10, 0.01)
hist(x, breaks = 100, freq = FALSE, xlim = c(-1, 10))
lines(xx, dpareto(xx, shape = 10, scale = 5))

plot(xx, dpareto(xx, shape = 10, scale = 5), type = "l")
lines(xx, dpareto(xx, shape = 3, scale = 5), col = "red", lwd = 2)

plot(xx, dpareto(xx, shape = 10, scale = 10), type = "l")
lines(xx, dpareto(xx, shape = 10, scale = 5), col = "blue", lwd = 2)
lines(xx, dpareto(xx, shape = 10, scale = 20), col = "red", lwd = 2)
```

### Description

Plot several distributions

### Usage

```r
plot_distributions(
  ..., 
  distributions = list(), 
  .x, 
  plots = c("density", "probability", "hazard"), 
  with_params = list(), 
  as_list = FALSE
)
```
predict.reservr_keras_model

Arguments

... distribution objects (must be named)
distributions Named list of distribution objects. This is concatenated with ... .x Numeric vector of points to evaluate at.
plots Plots to be created. May be abbreviated. The plots will be stacked in the order given from top to bottom.
with_params list of distribution parameters to be given to each distribution using with_params. If named, the names are matched to the distribution names. Otherwise, they are allocated positionally, index 1 corresponding to the first element of distributions, then all other elements from distributions followed by the arguments in ... in order.

as_list return a list of ggplots instead of a patchwork?

Value

A stacked patchwork of the requested ggplots

Examples

rate <- 1
x <- rexp(20, rate)
d_emp <- dist_empirical(x, positive = TRUE)
d_exp <- dist_exponential()
plot_distributions(  empirical = d_emp,
  theoretical = d_exp,
  estimated = d_exp,
  with_params = list(  theoretical = list(rate = rate),
    estimated = list(rate = 1/mean(x))
  ),
  .x = seq(1e-4, 5, length.out = 100)
)

predict.reservr_keras_model

Predict individual distribution parameters

Description

Predict individual distribution parameters

Usage

## S3 method for class 'reservr_keras_model'
predict(object, data, as_matrix = FALSE, ...)

---

predict.reservr_keras_model

*Predict individual distribution parameters*
Arguments

object
A compiled and trained reservr_keras_model.
data
Input data compatible with the model.
as_matrix
Return a parameter matrix instead of a list structure?
... ignored

Value

A parameter list suitable for the with_params argument of the distribution family used for the model. Contains one set of parameters per row in data.

Examples

if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  dist <- dist_exponential()
  params <- list(rate = 1.0)
  N <- 100L
  rand_input <- runif(N)
  x <- dist$sample(N, with_params = params)

  tf_in <- keras::layer_input(1L)
  mod <- tf_compile_model(
    inputs = list(tf_in),
    intermediate_output = tf_in,
    dist = dist,
    optimizer = keras::optimizer_adam(),
    censoring = FALSE,
    truncation = FALSE
  )

  tf_fit <- fit(
    object = mod,
    x = k_matrix(rand_input),
    y = x,
    epochs = 10L,
    callbacks = list(
      callback_debug_dist_gradients(mod, k_matrix(rand_input), x)
    )
  )

  tf_preds <- predict(mod, data = k_matrix(rand_input))
}
prob_report

Description

Determines the probability that claims occurring under a Poisson process with arrival intensity \( \text{expo} \) and reporting delay distribution \( \text{dist} \) during the time between \( t_{\text{min}} \) and \( t_{\text{max}} \) are reported between \( \tau_{\text{min}} \) and \( \tau_{\text{max}} \).

Usage

\[
\text{prob_report(}
\text{  \textbf{dist},}
\text{  \textbf{intervals},}
\text{  \textbf{expo} = NULL,}
\text{  \textbf{with_params} = list(),}
\text{  \textbf{.tolerance} = \text{.Machine}\$\text{double.eps}^0.5,}
\text{  \textbf{.max_iter} = 100L,}
\text{  \textbf{.try_compile} = TRUE}
\text{)}
\]

Arguments

- \( \text{dist} \): A reporting delay Distribution, or a compiled interval probability function.
- \( \text{intervals} \): A data frame with columns \( \text{xmin}, \text{xmax}, \text{tmin}, \text{tmax} \). Claims occur within \( [\text{xmin}, \text{xmax}] \) and be reported within \( [\text{tmin}, \text{tmax}] \).
- \( \text{expo} \): Poisson intensity. If given, must be a vectorised function that yields the intensity of the claim arrival process at a specified time. \( \text{expo} = \text{NULL} \) is equivalent to a constant intensity function. \( \text{expo} \) is only relevant up to a multiplicative constant.
- \( \text{with_params} \): Parameters of \( \text{dist} \) to use. Can be a parameter set with different values for each interval. If \( \text{dist} \) is a compiled interval probability function, \( \text{with_params} \) can be a matrix instead.
- \( \text{.tolerance} \): Absolute element-wise tolerance.
- \( \text{.max_iter} \): Maximum number of iterations. The number of integration intervals will be at most \( \text{length(lower)} \cdot \text{.max_iter} \). Therefore the maximum number of function evaluations per integration interval will be \( 15 \cdot \text{.max_iter} \).
- \( \text{.try_compile} \): Try compiling the distributions probability function to speed up integration?

Details

The reporting probability is given by

\[
P(x + d \mid \text{x in [xmin, xmax]}) = \frac{E(P(x + d \mid \text{tmin, tmax}) \mid \text{x}) \mid \text{x in [xmin, xmax])}}{P(x \text{ in [xmin, xmax]}) = \text{int}_{[\text{xmin, xmax}]} \text{expo(x)} \text{ P(x + d \mid [tmin, tmax]) dx}} = \text{int}_{[\text{xmin, xmax}]} \text{expo(x)} \text{ dx} / \text{int}_{[\text{xmin, xmax}]} \text{expo(x)} \text{ dx}
\]

\text{prob_report} \text{ uses } \text{integrate_gk()} \text{ to compute the two integrals.}

Value

A vector of reporting probabilities, with one entry per row of \( \text{intervals} \).
Examples

```r
dist <- dist_exponential()
ints <- data.frame(
  xmin = 0,
  xmax = 1,
  tmin = seq_len(10) - 1.0,
  tmax = seq_len(10)
)
params <- list(rate = rep(c(1, 0.5), each = 5))
prob_report(dist, ints, with_params = params)
```

quantile.Distribution  Quantiles of Distributions

Description

Produces quantiles corresponding to the given probabilities with configurable distribution parameters.

Usage

```r
## S3 method for class 'Distribution'
quantile(x, probs = seq(0, 1, 0.25), with_params = list(), ..., .start = 0)
```

Arguments

- `x` A Distribution.
- `probs` Quantiles to compute.
- `with_params` Optional list of distribution parameters. Note that if `x$has_capability("quantile")` is false, `with_params` is assumed to contain only one set of parameters.
- `...` ignored
- `.start` Starting value if quantiles are computed numerically. Must be within the support of `x`.

Details

If `x$has_capability("quantile")` is true, this returns the same as `x$quantile(probs, with_params = with_params)`. In this case, `with_params` may contain separate sets of parameters for each quantile to be determined.

Otherwise, a numerical estimation of the quantiles is done using the density and probability function. This method assumes `with_params` to contain only one set of parameters. The strategy uses two steps:

1. Find the smallest and largest quantiles in `probs` using a newton method starting from `.start`.
2. Find the remaining quantiles with bisection using `stats::uniroot()`.
Value

The quantiles of x corresponding to probs with parameters with_params.

Examples

```r
# With quantiles available
dist <- dist_normal(sd = 1)
qqs <- quantile(dist, probs = rep(0.5, 3), with_params = list(mean = 1:3))
stopifnot(all.equal(qqs, 1:3))

# Without quantiles available
dist <- dist_erlangmix(shapes = list(1, 2, 3), scale = 1.0)
my_probs <- c(0, 0.01, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1)
qqs <- quantile(  
  dist, probs = my_probs,  
  with_params = list(probs = list(0.5, 0.3, 0.2), .start = 2  
)
all.equal(dist$probability(qqs, with_params = list(probs = list(0.5, 0.3, 0.2))), my_probs)
# Careful: Numerical estimation of extreme quantiles can result in out-of-bounds values.
# The correct 0-quantile would be 0 in this case, but it was estimated < 0.
qqs[1L]
```

softmax

**Soft-Max function**

Description

Softmax for a vector x is defined as

Usage

```r
softmax(x)

dsoftmax(x)
```

Arguments

- `x` A numeric vector or matrix

Details

\[ s_i = \frac{\exp(x_i)}{\sum_k \exp(x_k)} \]

It satisfies \( \sum(s) = 1.0 \) and can be used to smoothly enforce a sum constraint.
Value
softmax returns the softmax of \( x \); rowwise if \( x \) is a matrix.
d\text{softmax} returns the Jacobi-matrix of \text{softmax}(x) at \( x \). \( x \) must be a vector.

Examples
\[
\text{softmax}(c(5, 5))
\]
\[
\text{softmax}(\text{diag}(\text{nrow} = 5, \text{ncol} = 6))
\]

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`tf_compile_model`  
**Compile a Keras model for truncated data under dist**

Description
Compile a Keras model for truncated data under dist

Usage
\[
\text{tf_compile_model}(\text{inputs}, \text{intermediate}_\text{output}, \text{dist}, \text{optimizer}, \text{censoring} = \text{TRUE}, \text{truncation} = \text{TRUE}, \text{metrics} = \text{NULL}, \text{sample}_\text{weight}_\text{mode} = \text{NULL}, \text{weighted}_\text{metrics} = \text{NULL}, \text{target}_\text{tensors} = \text{NULL})
\]

Arguments
- **inputs**: List of keras input layers
- **intermediate_output**: Intermediate model layer to be used as input to distribution parameters
- **dist**: A Distribution to use for compiling the loss and parameter outputs
- **optimizer**: String (name of optimizer) or optimizer instance. For most models, this defaults to "rmsprop"
- **censoring**: A flag, whether the compiled model should support censored observations. Set to FALSE for higher efficiency. `fit(...)` will error if the resulting model is used to fit censored observations.
- **truncation**: A flag, whether the compiled model should support truncated observations. Set to FALSE for higher efficiency. `fit(...)` will warn if the resulting model is used to fit truncated observations.
metrics

List of metrics to be evaluated by the model during training and testing. Each of this can be a string (name of a built-in function), function or a \texttt{keras\$metrics\$Metric} class instance. See \texttt{?tf\$keras\$metrics}. Typically you will use metrics=list('accuracy'). A function is any callable with the signature \texttt{result = fn(y_true, y_pred)}. To specify different metrics for different outputs of a multi-output model, you could also pass a dictionary, such as metrics=list(output\_a = 'accuracy', output\_b = c('accuracy', 'mse')). You can also pass a list to specify a metric or a list of metrics for each output, such as metrics=list(list('accuracy'), list('accuracy', 'mse')) or metrics=list('accuracy', c('accuracy', 'mse')). When you pass the strings 'accuracy' or 'acc', this is converted to one of \texttt{tf.keras.metrics.BinaryAccuracy}, \texttt{tf.keras.metrics.CategoricalAccuracy}, \texttt{tf.keras.metrics.SparseCategoricalAccuracy} based on the loss function used and the model output shape. A similar conversion is done for the strings 'crossentropy' and 'ce'.

sample_weight_mode

If you need to do timestep-wise sample weighting (2D weights), set this to 'temporal'. NULL defaults to sample-wise weights (1D). If the model has multiple outputs, you can use a different \texttt{sample_weight_mode} on each output by passing a list of modes.

weighted_metrics

List of metrics to be evaluated and weighted by \texttt{sample_weight} or \texttt{class\_weight} during training and testing.

target_tensors

By default, Keras will create a placeholder for the model’s target, which will be fed with the target data during training. If instead you would like to use your own target tensor (in turn, Keras will not expect external data for these targets at training time), you can specify them via the \texttt{target\_tensors} argument. It should be a single tensor (for a single-output sequential model).

Value

A \texttt{reservr\_keras\_model} that can be used to train truncated and censored observations from \texttt{dist} based on input data from \texttt{inputs}.

Examples

dist <- dist\_exponential()
pars <- list(rate = 1.0)
N <- 100L
rand\_input <- runif(N)
x <- dist\$sample(N, with\_pars = pars)

if (keras::is\_keras\_available()) {
  tf\_in <- keras::layer\_input(1L)
  mod <- tf\_compile\_model(
    inputs = list(tf\_in),
    intermediate\_output = tf\_in,
    dist = dist,
    optimizer = keras\::optimizer\_adam(),
    censoring = FALSE,
    truncation = FALSE
  )
}
tf_initialise_model

Initialise model weights to a global parameter fit

Description
Initialises a compiled reservr_keras_model weights such that the predictions are equal to, or close to, the distribution parameters given by params.

Usage

tf_initialise_model(
  model,
  params,
  mode = c("scale", "perturb", "zero", "none")
)

Arguments

model A reservr_compiled_model obtained by tf_compile_model().
params A list of distribution parameters compatible with model.
mode An initialisation mode

- scale Initialise the biases according to params and the kernels uniform on [-0.1, 0.1] * bias scale.
- perturb Initialise the biases according to params and leave the kernels as is.
- zero Initialise the biases according to params and set the kernel to zero.
- none Don’t modify the weights.

Value
Invisibly model with changed weights

Examples

dist <- dist_exponential()
group <- sample(c(0, 1), size = 100, replace = TRUE)
x <- dist$sample(100, with_params = list(rate = group + 1))
global_fit <- fit(dist, x)

if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  library(keras)
  l_in <- layer_input(shape = 1L)
  mod <- tf_compile_model(
    inputs = list(l_in),
  )
  tf_initialise_model(
    model = mod,
    params = list(rate),
    mode = "scale"
  )
  global_fit <- fit(dist, x, reinit = TRUE)
}

if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  library(keras)
  l_in <- layer_input(shape = 1L)
  mod <- tf_compile_model(
    inputs = list(l_in),
  )
  tf_initialise_model(
    model = mod,
    params = list(rate),
    mode = "perturb"
  )
  global_fit <- fit(dist, x, reinit = TRUE)
}

if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  library(keras)
  l_in <- layer_input(shape = 1L)
  mod <- tf_compile_model(
    inputs = list(l_in),
  )
  tf_initialise_model(
    model = mod,
    params = list(rate),
    mode = "zero"
  )
  global_fit <- fit(dist, x, reinit = TRUE)
}

if (keras::is_keras_available()) {
  library(keras)
  l_in <- layer_input(shape = 1L)
  mod <- tf_compile_model(
    inputs = list(l_in),
  )
  tf_initialise_model(
    model = mod,
    params = list(rate),
    mode = "none"
  )
  global_fit <- fit(dist, x, reinit = TRUE)
}
```
intermediate_output = l_in,
dist = dist,
optimizer = optimizer_adam(),
censoring = FALSE,
truncation = FALSE
)

fit_history <- fit(
  mod,
  x = group,
  y = x,
  epochs = 200L
)

predicted_means <- predict(mod, data = k_constant(c(0, 1)))
```

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**truncate_claims**  
*Truncate claims data subject to reporting delay*

**Description**

Truncate claims data subject to reporting delay

**Usage**

```r
truncate_claims(data, accident, delay, time, .report_col = "report")
```

**Arguments**

- `data`: Full claims data including IBNR
- `accident`: Accident times. May be an unquoted column name from data.
- `delay`: Reporting delays. May be an unquoted column name from data.
- `time`: Observation time (scalar number or one per claim). Claims with `accident + delay > time` will be truncated. Set `time = Inf` to only compute reporting times and perform no truncation.
- `.report_col`: NULL or a column name to store the reporting time `report = accident + delay`.

**Value**

Truncated data. The reporting time is stored in a column named by `.report_col` unless `.report_col` is NULL. If both `.report_col` is NULL and `time` contains only Inf's, a warning will be issued since data will be returned unchanged and no work will be done.
Examples

```r
claims_full <- data.frame(
  acc = runif(100),
  repdel = rexp(100)
)
tau <- 2.0
truncate_claims(claims_full, acc, repdel, tau)
```

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**trunc_obs**  
*Define a set of truncated observations*

**Description**

If `x` is missing, both `xmin` and `xmax` must be specified.

**Usage**

```r
trunc_obs(x, xmin = x, xmax = x, tmin = -Inf, tmax = Inf, w = 1)

as_trunc_obs(.data)

truncate_obs(.data, tmin_new = -Inf, tmax_new = Inf, .partial = FALSE)

repdel_obs(.data, accident, delay, time, .truncate = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

- `x`  
  Observations
- `xmin, xmax`  
  Censoring bounds. If `xmin != xmax`, `x` must be NA.
- `tmin, tmax`  
  Truncation bounds. May vary per observation.
- `w`  
  Case weights
- `.data`  
  A data frame or numeric vector.
- `tmin_new`  
  New truncation minimum
- `tmax_new`  
  New truncation maximum
- `.partial`  
  Enable partial truncation of censored observations? This could potentially create inconsistent data if the actual observation lies outside of the truncation bounds but the censoring interval overlaps.
- `accident`  
  accident time (unquoted, evaluated in `.data`)
- `delay`  
  reporting delay (unquoted, evaluated in `.data`)
- `time`  
  evaluation time (unquoted, evaluated in `.data`)
- `.truncate`  
  Should claims reported after `time` be silently discarded? If there are claims reported after `time` and `.truncate` is FALSE, an error will be raised.
Details

Uncensored observations must satisfy $t_{\text{min}} \leq x_{\text{min}} = x = x_{\text{max}} \leq t_{\text{max}}$. Censored observations must satisfy $t_{\text{min}} \leq x_{\text{min}} < x_{\text{max}} \leq t_{\text{max}}$ and $x = \text{NA}$.

Value

**trunc_obs**: A `trunc_obs` tibble with columns `x`, `xmin`, `xmax`, `tmin` and `tmax` describing possibly interval-censored observations with truncation

as_trunc_obs returns a `trunc_obs` tibble.

truncate_obs returns a `trunc_obs` tibble with possibly fewer observations than `.data` and updated truncation bounds.

repdel_obs returns a `trunc_obs` tibble corresponding to the reporting delay observations of each claim. If `.truncate` is `FALSE`, the result is guaranteed to have the same number of rows as `.data`.

Examples

```r
N <- 100
x <- rexp(N, 0.5)

# Random, observation dependent truncation intervals
tmin <- runif(N, 0, 1)
tmax <- tmin + runif(N, 1, 2)

oob <- x < tmin | x > tmax
x <- x[!oob]
tmin <- tmin[!oob]
tmax <- tmax[!oob]

# Number of observations after truncation
N <- length(x)

# Randomly interval censor 30% of observations
cens <- rbinom(N, 1, 0.3) == 1L
xmin <- x
xmax <- x
xmin[cens] <- pmax(tmin[cens], floor(x[cens]))
xmax[cens] <- pmin(tmax[cens], ceiling(x[cens]))
x[cens] <- NA

trunc_obs(x, xmin, xmax, tmin, tmax)

as_trunc_obs(c(1, 2, 3))
as_trunc_obs(data.frame(x = 1:3, tmin = 0, tmax = 10))
as_trunc_obs(data.frame(x = c(1, NA), xmin = c(1, 2), xmax = c(1, 3)))
truncate_obs(1:10, tmin_new = 2.0, tmax_new = 8.0)
```
weighted_moments  
Compute weighted moments

Description

Compute weighted moments

Usage

weighted_moments(x, w, n = 2L, center = TRUE)

Arguments

- **x**: Observations
- **w**: Case weights (optional)
- **n**: Number of moments to calculate
- **center**: Calculate centralized moments (default) or noncentralized moments, i.e. E((X - E(X))^k) or E(X^k).

Value

A vector of length n where the kth entry is the kth weighted moment of x with weights w. If center is TRUE the moments are centralized, i.e. E((X - E(X))^k). The first moment is never centralized. The moments are scaled with 1 / sum(w), so they are not de-biased.

For example, the second central weighted moment weighted_moments(x, w)[2L] is equal to \( \text{var}(\text{rep}(x, w)) \times \left( \frac{\text{sum}(w) - 1}{\text{sum}(w)} \right) \) for integer \( w \)

See Also

Other weighted statistics: weighted_quantile(), weighted_tabulate()

Examples

weighted_moments(rexp(100))
weighted_moments(c(1, 2, 3), c(1, 2, 3))
c(mean(rep(1:3, 1:3)), var(rep(1:3, 1:3)) * 5 / 6)
weighted_quantile  Compute weighted quantiles

Description

Compute weighted quantiles

Usage

weighted_quantile(x, w, probs)

weighted_median(x, w)

Arguments

x  Observations
w  Case weights (optional)
probs  Quantiles to calculate

Value

A vector the same length as probs with the corresponding weighted quantiles of x with weight w. For integer weights, this is equivalent to quantile(rep(x, w), probs)

The weighted median of x with weights w. For integer weights, this is equivalent to median(rep(x, w))

See Also

Other weighted statistics: weighted_moments(), weighted_tabulate()

Examples

weighted_median(1:6)
weighted_median(1:3, c(1, 4, 9))
weighted_median(1:3, c(9, 4, 1))

weighted_quantile(1:3, c(1, 4, 9), seq(0.0, 1.0, by = 0.25))
quantile(rep(1:3, c(1, 4, 9)), seq(0.0, 1.0, by = 0.25))
weighted_tabulate  Compute weighted tabulations

Description
Computes the sum of w grouped by bin. If w is missing the result is equivalent to `tabulate(bin, nbins)`.

Usage

```r
weighted_tabulate(bin, w, nbins = max(1L, bin, na.rm = TRUE))
```

Arguments

- **bin**: An integer vector with values from 1L to nbins
- **w**: Weights per entry in bin.
- **nbins**: Number of bins

Value
A vector with length nbins where the ith result is equal to `sum(w[bin == i])` or `sum(bin == i)` if w is missing. For integer weights, this is equivalent to `tabulate(rep(bin, w), nbins)`.

See Also
Other weighted statistics: `weighted_moments()`, `weighted_quantile()`

Examples

```r
weighted_tabulate(c(1, 1, 2))
weighted_tabulate(c(1, 1, 2), nbins = 3L)
weighted_tabulate(c(1, 1, 2), w = c(0.5, 0.5, 1), nbins = 3L)
```
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