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AccrualTime	<i>Accrual Time</i>	
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Description

Class for the definition of accrual time and accrual intensity.

Details

AccrualTime is a class for the definition of accrual time and accrual intensity.

Fields

- endOfAccrualIsUserDefined If TRUE, the end of accrual has to be defined by the user (i.e., the length of accrualTime is equal to the length of accrualIntensity -1). Is a logical vector of length 1.
- followUpTimeMustBeUserDefined Specifies whether follow up time needs to be defined or not. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- maxNumberOfSubjectsIsUserDefined If TRUE, the maximum number of subjects has been specified by the user, if FALSE, it was calculated.
- maxNumberOfSubjectsCanBeCalculatedDirectly If TRUE, the maximum number of subjects can directly be calculated. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- absoluteAccrualIntensityEnabled If TRUE, absolute accrual intensity is enabled. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- accrualTime The assumed accrual time intervals for the study. Is a numeric vector.
- accrualIntensity The absolute accrual intensities. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.
- accrualIntensityRelative The relative accrual intensities.
- maxNumberOfSubjects The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.
- remainingTime In survival designs, the remaining time for observation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- piecewiseAccrualEnabled Indicates whether piecewise accrual is selected. Is a logical vector of length 1.

AnalysisResults	<i>Basic Class for Analysis Results</i>
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Description

A basic class for analysis results.

Details

AnalysisResults is the basic class for

- [AnalysisResultsFisher](#),
- [AnalysisResultsGroupSequential](#),
- [AnalysisResultsInverseNormal](#),
- [AnalysisResultsMultiArmFisher](#),
- [AnalysisResultsMultiArmInverseNormal](#),
- [AnalysisResultsConditionalDunnett](#),
- [AnalysisResultsEnrichmentFisher](#),
- [AnalysisResultsEnrichmentInverseNormal](#).

AnalysisResultsConditionalDunnett	<i>Analysis Results Multi-Arm Conditional Dunnett</i>
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Description

Class for multi-arm analysis results based on a conditional Dunnett test design.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use [getAnalysisResults](#) with suitable arguments to create the multi-arm analysis results of a conditional Dunnett test design.

Fields

`normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`pi1` The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.

`pi2` The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

- `nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- `thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.
- `assumedStDevs` Assumed standard deviations to calculate conditional power in multi-arm trials or enrichment designs. Is a numeric vector.
- `piTreatments` The assumed rates in the treatment groups for multi-arm and enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.
- `intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- `varianceOption` Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple (i.e., >2) treatment arms or population enrichment designs when testing means. Available options for multiple arms: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", "notPooled". Available options for enrichment designs: "pooled", "pooledFromFull", "notPooled".
- `conditionalRejectionProbabilities` The probabilities of rejecting the null hypothesis at each stage, given the stage has been reached. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `repeatedConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds` The lower bound of the confidence intervals that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `repeatedConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds` The upper bound of the confidence interval that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `repeatedPValues` The p-values that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `piControl` The assumed probability in the control arm for simulation and under which the sample size recalculation is performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

AnalysisResultsEnrichment

Basic Class for Analysis Results Enrichment

Description

A basic class for enrichment analysis results.

Details

AnalysisResultsEnrichment is the basic class for

- [AnalysisResultsEnrichmentFisher](#) and
- [AnalysisResultsEnrichmentInverseNormal](#).

 AnalysisResultsEnrichmentFisher

Analysis Results Enrichment Fisher

Description

Class for enrichment analysis results based on a Fisher combination test design.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use [getAnalysisResults](#) with suitable arguments to create the multi-arm analysis results of a Fisher combination test design.

Fields

`normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values.

Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing.

Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`pi1` The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.

`pi2` The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

`assumedStDevs` Assumed standard deviations to calculate conditional power in multi-arm trials or enrichment designs. Is a numeric vector.

`piTreatments` The assumed rates in the treatment groups for multi-arm and enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.

`intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.

`varianceOption` Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple (i.e., >2) treatment arms or population enrichment designs when testing means. Available options for multiple arms: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", "notPooled". Available options for enrichment designs: "pooled", "pooledFromFull", "notPooled".

`conditionalRejectionProbabilities` The probabilities of rejecting the null hypothesis at each stage, given the stage has been reached. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`repeatedConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds` The lower bound of the confidence intervals that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`repeatedConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds` The upper bound of the confidence interval that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

- repeatedPValues The p-values that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- piControls The assumed rates in the control group for enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.
- conditionalPowerSimulated The simulated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes.
- iterations The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- seed The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- stratifiedAnalysis For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. When testing means and rates, a non-stratified analysis can be performed on overall data. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible. Is a logical vector of length 1.

 AnalysisResultsEnrichmentInverseNormal

Analysis Results Enrichment Inverse Normal

Description

Class for enrichment analysis results based on a inverse normal design.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getAnalysisResults` with suitable arguments to create the enrichment analysis results of an inverse normal design.

Fields

- normalApproximation Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- directionUpper Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- thetaH0 The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- pi1 The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.
- pi2 The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- nPlanned The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- allocationRatioPlanned The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- thetaH1 The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.
- assumedStDevs Assumed standard deviations to calculate conditional power in multi-arm trials or enrichment designs. Is a numeric vector.

- `piTreatments` The assumed rates in the treatment groups for multi-arm and enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.
- `intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- `varianceOption` Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple (i.e., >2) treatment arms or population enrichment designs when testing means. Available options for multiple arms: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", "notPooled". Available options for enrichment designs: "pooled", "pooledFromFull", "notPooled".
- `conditionalRejectionProbabilities` The probabilities of rejecting the null hypothesis at each stage, given the stage has been reached. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `repeatedConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds` The lower bound of the confidence intervals that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `repeatedConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds` The upper bound of the confidence interval that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `repeatedPValues` The p-values that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `piControls` The assumed rates in the control group for enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.
- `stratifiedAnalysis` For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. When testing means and rates, a non-stratified analysis can be performed on overall data. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible. Is a logical vector of length 1.

AnalysisResultsFisher *Analysis Results Fisher*

Description

Class for analysis results based on a Fisher combination test design.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getAnalysisResults` with suitable arguments to create the analysis results of a Fisher combination test design.

Fields

- `normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `pi1` The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.

- `pi2` The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- `thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.
- `assumedStDev` The assumed standard deviation(s) for means analysis. Is a numeric vector.
- `equalVariances` Describes if the variances in two treatment groups are assumed to be the same. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `testActions` The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length `kMax`.
- `conditionalRejectionProbabilities` The probabilities of rejecting the null hypothesis at each stage, given the stage has been reached. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `repeatedConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds` The lower bound of the confidence intervals that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `repeatedConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds` The upper bound of the confidence interval that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `repeatedPValues` The p-values that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `finalStage` The stage at which the trial ends, either with acceptance or rejection of the null hypothesis. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `finalPValues` The final p-value that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `finalConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds` The lower bound of the confidence interval that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `finalConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds` The upper bound of the confidence interval that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `medianUnbiasedEstimates` The calculated median unbiased estimates that are based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `conditionalPowerSimulated` The simulated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes.
- `iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- `seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

 AnalysisResultsGroupSequential

Analysis Results Group Sequential

Description

Class for analysis results results based on a group sequential design.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use [getAnalysisResults](#) with suitable arguments to create the analysis results of a group sequential design.

Fields

normalApproximation Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values.

Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

directionUpper Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing.

Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

thetaH0 The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

pi1 The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.

pi2 The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

nPlanned The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing whole numbers.

allocationRatioPlanned The planned allocation ratio ($n1 / n2$) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

thetaH1 The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

assumedStDev The assumed standard deviation(s) for means analysis. Is a numeric vector.

equalVariances Describes if the variances in two treatment groups are assumed to be the same. Is a logical vector of length 1.

testActions The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length kMax.

conditionalRejectionProbabilities The probabilities of rejecting the null hypothesis at each stage, given the stage has been reached. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

conditionalPower The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

repeatedConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds The lower bound of the confidence intervals that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

repeatedConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds The upper bound of the confidence interval that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

repeatedPValues The p-values that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

- `finalStage` The stage at which the trial ends, either with acceptance or rejection of the null hypothesis. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `finalPValues` The final p-value that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `finalConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds` The lower bound of the confidence interval that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `finalConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds` The upper bound of the confidence interval that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `medianUnbiasedEstimates` The calculated median unbiased estimates that are based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `maxInformation` The maximum information. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- `informationEpsilon` The absolute information epsilon, which defines the maximum distance from the observed information to the maximum information that causes the final analysis. Updates at the final analysis if the observed information at the final analysis is smaller ("under-running") than the planned maximum information. Is either a positive integer value specifying the absolute information epsilon or a floating point number >0 and <1 to define a relative information epsilon.

 AnalysisResultsInverseNormal

Analysis Results Inverse Normal

Description

Class for analysis results results based on an inverse normal design.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use [getAnalysisResults](#) with suitable arguments to create the analysis results of a inverse normal design.

Fields

- `normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `pi1` The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.
- `pi2` The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

allocationRatioPlanned The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

thetaH1 The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

assumedStDev The assumed standard deviation(s) for means analysis. Is a numeric vector.

equalVariances Describes if the variances in two treatment groups are assumed to be the same. Is a logical vector of length 1.

testActions The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length kMax.

conditionalRejectionProbabilities The probabilities of rejecting the null hypothesis at each stage, given the stage has been reached. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

conditionalPower The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

repeatedConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds The lower bound of the confidence intervals that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

repeatedConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds The upper bound of the confidence interval that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

repeatedPValues The p-values that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

finalStage The stage at which the trial ends, either with acceptance or rejection of the null hypothesis. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

finalPValues The final p-value that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

finalConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds The lower bound of the confidence interval that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

finalConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds The upper bound of the confidence interval that is based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

medianUnbiasedEstimates The calculated median unbiased estimates that are based on the stage-wise ordering. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

AnalysisResultsMultiArm

Basic Class for Analysis Results Multi-Arm

Description

A basic class for multi-arm analysis results.

Details

AnalysisResultsMultiArm is the basic class for

- [AnalysisResultsMultiArmFisher](#),
- [AnalysisResultsMultiArmInverseNormal](#), and
- [AnalysisResultsConditionalDunnett](#).

 AnalysisResultsMultiArmFisher

Analysis Results Multi-Arm Fisher

Description

Class for multi-arm analysis results based on a Fisher combination test design.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getAnalysisResults` with suitable arguments to create the multi-arm analysis results of a Fisher combination test design.

Fields

`normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`pi1` The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.

`pi2` The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio ($n1 / n2$) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

`assumedStDevs` Assumed standard deviations to calculate conditional power in multi-arm trials or enrichment designs. Is a numeric vector.

`piTreatments` The assumed rates in the treatment groups for multi-arm and enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.

`intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.

`varianceOption` Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple (i.e., >2) treatment arms or population enrichment designs when testing means. Available options for multiple arms: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", "notPooled". Available options for enrichment designs: "pooled", "pooledFromFull", "notPooled".

`conditionalRejectionProbabilities` The probabilities of rejecting the null hypothesis at each stage, given the stage has been reached. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

repeatedConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds The lower bound of the confidence intervals that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

repeatedConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds The upper bound of the confidence interval that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

repeatedPValues The p-values that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

piControl The assumed probability in the control arm for simulation and under which the sample size recalculation is performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

conditionalPowerSimulated The simulated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes.

iterations The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

seed The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

AnalysisResultsMultiArmInverseNormal

Analysis Results Multi-Arm Inverse Normal

Description

Class for multi-arm analysis results based on a inverse normal design.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use [getAnalysisResults](#) with suitable arguments to create the multi-arm analysis results of an inverse normal design.

Fields

normalApproximation Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

directionUpper Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

thetaH0 The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

pi1 The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.

pi2 The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

nPlanned The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing whole numbers.

allocationRatioPlanned The planned allocation ratio ($n1 / n2$) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

thetaH1 The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

- `assumedStDevs` Assumed standard deviations to calculate conditional power in multi-arm trials or enrichment designs. Is a numeric vector.
- `piTreatments` The assumed rates in the treatment groups for multi-arm and enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.
- `intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- `varianceOption` Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple (i.e., >2) treatment arms or population enrichment designs when testing means. Available options for multiple arms: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", "notPooled". Available options for enrichment designs: "pooled", "pooledFromFull", "notPooled".
- `conditionalRejectionProbabilities` The probabilities of rejecting the null hypothesis at each stage, given the stage has been reached. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `repeatedConfidenceIntervalLowerBounds` The lower bound of the confidence intervals that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `repeatedConfidenceIntervalUpperBounds` The upper bound of the confidence interval that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `repeatedPValues` The p-values that are calculated at any stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `piControl` The assumed probability in the control arm for simulation and under which the sample size recalculation is performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

AnalysisResultsMultiHypotheses

Basic Class for Analysis Results Multi-Hypotheses

Description

A basic class for multi-hypotheses analysis results.

Details

AnalysisResultsMultiHypotheses is the basic class for

- [AnalysisResultsMultiArm](#) and
- [AnalysisResultsEnrichment](#).

as.data.frame.AnalysisResults

Coerce AnalysisResults to a Data Frame

Description

Returns the [AnalysisResults](#) object as data frame.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'AnalysisResults'  
as.data.frame(  
  x,  
  row.names = NULL,  
  optional = FALSE,  
  ...,  
  niceColumnNamesEnabled = FALSE  
)
```

Arguments

`x` An [AnalysisResults](#) object created by [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#).

`...` Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

`niceColumnNamesEnabled` Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see [make.names](#)).

Details

Coerces the analysis results to a data frame.

Value

Returns a [data.frame](#).

as.data.frame.ParameterSet

Coerce Parameter Set to a Data Frame

Description

Returns the [ParameterSet](#) as data frame.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
as.data.frame(
  x,
  row.names = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  niceColumnNamesEnabled = FALSE,
  includeAllParameters = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

x A [FieldSet](#) object.

niceColumnNamesEnabled Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see [make.names](#)).

includeAllParameters Logical. If TRUE, all available parameters will be included in the data frame; a meaningful parameter selection otherwise, default is FALSE.

... Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Coerces the parameter set to a data frame.

Value

Returns a [data.frame](#).

```
as.data.frame.PowerAndAverageSampleNumberResult
```

Coerce Power And Average Sample Number Result to a Data Frame

Description

Returns the [PowerAndAverageSampleNumberResult](#) as data frame.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'PowerAndAverageSampleNumberResult'
as.data.frame(
  x,
  row.names = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  niceColumnNamesEnabled = FALSE,
  includeAllParameters = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

x	A <code>PowerAndAverageSampleNumberResult</code> object.
niceColumnNamesEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see <code>make.names</code>).
includeAllParameters	Logical. If TRUE, all available parameters will be included in the data frame; a meaningful parameter selection otherwise, default is FALSE.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Coerces the `PowerAndAverageSampleNumberResult` object to a data frame.

Value

Returns a `data.frame`.

Examples

```
data <- as.data.frame(getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber(getDesignGroupSequential()))
head(data)
dim(data)
```

```
as.data.frame.StageResults
```

Coerce Stage Results to a Data Frame

Description

Returns the `StageResults` as data frame.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'StageResults'
as.data.frame(
  x,
  row.names = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  niceColumnNamesEnabled = FALSE,
  includeAllParameters = FALSE,
  type = 1,
  ...
)
```


Arguments

x	A StageResults object.
niceColumnNamesEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see make.names).
includeAllParameters	Logical. If TRUE, all available parameters will be included in the data frame; a meaningful parameter selection otherwise, default is FALSE.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Coerces the stage results to a data frame.

Value

Returns a [data.frame](#).

as.data.frame.TrialDesign

Coerce TrialDesign to a Data Frame

Description

Returns the TrialDesign as data frame.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesign'
as.data.frame(
  x,
  row.names = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  niceColumnNamesEnabled = FALSE,
  includeAllParameters = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

x	A TrialDesign object.
niceColumnNamesEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see make.names).
includeAllParameters	Logical. If TRUE, all available parameters will be included in the data frame; a meaningful parameter selection otherwise, default is FALSE.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Each element of the [TrialDesign](#) is converted to a column in the data frame.

Value

Returns a [data.frame](#).

Examples

```
as.data.frame(getDesignGroupSequential())
```

```
as.data.frame.TrialDesignCharacteristics
      Coerce TrialDesignCharacteristics to a Data Frame
```

Description

Returns the [TrialDesignCharacteristics](#) as data frame.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignCharacteristics'
as.data.frame(
  x,
  row.names = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  niceColumnNamesEnabled = FALSE,
  includeAllParameters = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A TrialDesignCharacteristics object.
<code>niceColumnNamesEnabled</code>	Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see make.names).
<code>includeAllParameters</code>	Logical. If TRUE, all available parameters will be included in the data frame; a meaningful parameter selection otherwise, default is FALSE.
<code>...</code>	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Each element of the [TrialDesignCharacteristics](#) is converted to a column in the data frame.

Value

Returns a [data.frame](#).

Examples

```
as.data.frame(getDesignCharacteristics(getDesignGroupSequential()))
```

```
as.data.frame.TrialDesignPlan  
      Coerce Trial Design Plan to a Data Frame
```

Description

Returns the [TrialDesignPlan](#) as data frame.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignPlan'  
as.data.frame(  
  x,  
  row.names = NULL,  
  optional = FALSE,  
  niceColumnNamesEnabled = FALSE,  
  includeAllParameters = FALSE,  
  ...  
)
```

Arguments

x	A TrialDesignPlan object.
niceColumnNamesEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see make.names).
includeAllParameters	Logical. If TRUE, all available parameters will be included in the data frame; a meaningful parameter selection otherwise, default is FALSE.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Coerces the design plan to a data frame.

Value

Returns a [data.frame](#).

Examples

```
as.data.frame(getSampleSizeMeans())
```

```
as.data.frame.TrialDesignSet
```

Coerce Trial Design Set to a Data Frame

Description

Returns the TrialDesignSet as data frame.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignSet'
as.data.frame(
  x,
  row.names = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  niceColumnNamesEnabled = FALSE,
  includeAllParameters = FALSE,
  addPowerAndAverageSampleNumber = FALSE,
  theta = seq(-1, 1, 0.02),
  nMax = NA_integer_,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

x	A TrialDesignSet object.
niceColumnNamesEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see make.names).
includeAllParameters	Logical. If TRUE, all available parameters will be included in the data frame; a meaningful parameter selection otherwise, default is FALSE.
addPowerAndAverageSampleNumber	If TRUE, power and average sample size will be added to data frame, default is FALSE.
theta	A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values), default is a sequence from -1 to 1.
nMax	The maximum sample size. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Coerces the design set to a data frame.

Value

Returns a [data.frame](#).

Examples

```
designSet <- getDesignSet(design = getDesignGroupSequential(), alpha = c(0.01, 0.05))
as.data.frame(designSet)
```

as.matrix.FieldSet *Coerce Field Set to a Matrix*

Description

Returns the FrameSet as matrix.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'FieldSet'
as.matrix(x, ..., enforceRowNames = TRUE, niceColumnNamesEnabled = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x A [FieldSet](#) object.

... Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

enforceRowNames If TRUE, row names will be created depending on the object type, default is TRUE.

niceColumnNamesEnabled Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see [make.names](#)).

Details

Coerces the frame set to a matrix.

Value

Returns a [matrix](#).

as251Normal *Algorithm AS 251: Normal Distribution*

Description

Calculates the Multivariate Normal Distribution with Product Correlation Structure published by Charles Dunnett, Algorithm AS 251.1 Appl.Statist. (1989), Vol.38, No.3, [doi:10.2307/2347754](https://doi.org/10.2307/2347754).

Usage

```
as251Normal(
  lower,
  upper,
  sigma,
  ...,
  eps = 1e-06,
  errorControl = c("strict", "halvingIntervals"),
  intervalSimpsonsRule = 0
)
```

Arguments

lower	Lower limits of integration. Array of N dimensions
upper	Upper limits of integration. Array of N dimensions
sigma	Values defining correlation structure. Array of N dimensions
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
eps	desired accuracy. Defaults to 1e-06
errorControl	error control. If set to 1, strict error control based on fourth derivative is used. If set to zero, error control based on halving intervals is used
intervalSimpsonsRule	Interval width for Simpson's rule. Value of zero caused a default .24 to be used

Details

For a multivariate normal vector with correlation structure defined by $\rho(i,j) = \text{bpd}(i) * \text{bpd}(j)$, computes the probability that the vector falls in a rectangle in n-space with error less than eps.

This function calculates the bdp value from sigma, determines the right inf value and calls [mvnprd](#).

as251StudentT

Algorithm AS 251: Student T Distribution

Description

Calculates the Multivariate Normal Distribution with Product Correlation Structure published by Charles Dunnett, Algorithm AS 251.1 Appl.Statist. (1989), Vol.38, No.3, [doi:10.2307/2347754](https://doi.org/10.2307/2347754).

Usage

```
as251StudentT(
  lower,
  upper,
  sigma,
  ...,
  df,
  eps = 1e-06,
  errorControl = c("strict", "halvingIntervals"),
  intervalSimpsonsRule = 0
)
```

Arguments

lower	Lower limits of integration. Array of N dimensions
upper	Upper limits of integration. Array of N dimensions
sigma	Values defining correlation structure. Array of N dimensions
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
df	Degrees of Freedom. Use 0 for infinite D.F.
eps	desired accuracy. Defaults to 1e-06
errorControl	error control. If set to 1, strict error control based on fourth derivative is used. If set to zero, error control based on halving intervals is used
intervalSimpsonsRule	Interval width for Simpson's rule. Value of zero caused a default .24 to be used

Details

For a multivariate normal vector with correlation structure defined by $\rho(i,j) = \text{bpd}(i) * \text{bpd}(j)$, computes the probability that the vector falls in a rectangle in n-space with error less than eps.

This function calculates the bdp value from sigma, determines the right inf value and calls [mvstud](#).

ClosedCombinationTestResults

Analysis Results Closed Combination Test

Description

Class for multi-arm analysis results based on a closed combination test.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use [getAnalysisResults](#) with suitable arguments to create the multi-arm analysis results of a closed combination test design.

Fields

intersectionTest	The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
indices	Indicates which stages are available for analysis.
adjustedStageWisePValues	The multiplicity adjusted p-values from the separate stages. Is a numeric matrix.
overallAdjustedTestStatistics	The overall adjusted test statistics.
separatePValues	The p-values from the separate stages. Is a numeric matrix.
conditionalErrorRate	The calculated conditional error rate.
secondStagePValues	For conditional Dunnett test, the conditional or unconditional p-value calculated for the second stage.
rejected	Indicates whether a hypothesis is rejected or not.
rejectedIntersections	The simulated number of rejected arms in the closed testing procedure.. Is a logical matrix.

 ConditionalPowerResults

Conditional Power Results

Description

Class for conditional power calculations

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getConditionalPower()` with suitable arguments to create the results of a group sequential or a combination test design.

Fields

`nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`simulated` Describes if the power for Fisher's combination test has been simulated. Only applicable when using Fisher designs. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

`assumedStDev` The assumed standard deviation(s) for means analysis. Is a numeric vector.

 ConditionalPowerResultsEnrichmentMeans

Conditional Power Results Enrichment Means

Description

Class for conditional power calculations of enrichment means data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getConditionalPower` with suitable arguments to create the results of a group sequential or a combination test design.

Fields

- `nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- `iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- `seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `simulated` Describes if the power for Fisher's combination test has been simulated. Only applicable when using Fisher designs. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.
- `assumedStDevs` Assumed standard deviations to calculate conditional power in multi-arm trials or enrichment designs. Is a numeric vector.

 ConditionalPowerResultsEnrichmentRates

Conditional Power Results Enrichment Rates

Description

Class for conditional power calculations of enrichment rates data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getConditionalPower` with suitable arguments to create the results of a group sequential or a combination test design.

Fields

- `nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- `iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- `seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `simulated` Describes if the power for Fisher's combination test has been simulated. Only applicable when using Fisher designs. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `piTreatments` The assumed rates in the treatment groups for multi-arm and enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.
- `piControls` The assumed rates in the control group for enrichment designs, i.e., designs with multiple subsets.

ConditionalPowerResultsMeans

Conditional Power Results Means

Description

Class for conditional power calculations of means data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getConditionalPower` with suitable arguments to create the results of a group sequential or a combination test design.

Fields

`nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`simulated` Describes if the power for Fisher's combination test has been simulated. Only applicable when using Fisher designs. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

`assumedStDev` The assumed standard deviation(s) for means analysis. Is a numeric vector.

ConditionalPowerResultsRates

Conditional Power Results Rates

Description

Class for conditional power calculations of rates data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getConditionalPower` with suitable arguments to create the results of a group sequential or a combination test design.

Fields

- `nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- `iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- `seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `simulated` Describes if the power for Fisher's combination test has been simulated. Only applicable when using Fisher designs. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `pi1` The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.
- `pi2` The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

ConditionalPowerResultsSurvival

Conditional Power Results Survival

Description

Class for conditional power calculations of survival data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getConditionalPower` with suitable arguments to create the results of a group sequential or a combination test design.

Fields

- `nPlanned` The sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- `iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- `seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `simulated` Describes if the power for Fisher's combination test has been simulated. Only applicable when using Fisher designs. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- `thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

dataEnrichmentMeans *Enrichment Dataset of Means*

Description

A dataset containing the sample sizes, means, and standard deviations of two groups. Use `getDataset(dataEnrichmentMeans)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataEnrichmentMeans
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

dataEnrichmentMeansStratified
Stratified Enrichment Dataset of Means

Description

A dataset containing the sample sizes, means, and standard deviations of two groups. Use `getDataset(dataEnrichmentMeansStratified)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataEnrichmentMeansStratified
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

dataEnrichmentRates *Enrichment Dataset of Rates*

Description

A dataset containing the sample sizes and events of two groups. Use `getDataset(dataEnrichmentRates)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataEnrichmentRates
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

`dataEnrichmentRatesStratified`*Stratified Enrichment Dataset of Rates*

Description

A dataset containing the sample sizes and events of two groups. Use `getDataset(dataEnrichmentRatesStratified)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage`dataEnrichmentRatesStratified`**Format**

A `data.frame` object.

`dataEnrichmentSurvival`*Enrichment Dataset of Survival Data*

Description

A dataset containing the log-rank statistics, events, and allocation ratios of two groups. Use `getDataset(dataEnrichmentSurvival)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage`dataEnrichmentSurvival`**Format**

A `data.frame` object.

`dataEnrichmentSurvivalStratified`*Stratified Enrichment Dataset of Survival Data*

Description

A dataset containing the log-rank statistics, events, and allocation ratios of two groups. Use `getDataset(dataEnrichmentSurvivalStratified)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage`dataEnrichmentSurvivalStratified`**Format**

A `data.frame` object.

dataMeans	<i>One-Arm Dataset of Means</i>
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Description

A dataset containing the sample sizes, means, and standard deviations of one group. Use `getDataset(dataMeans)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataMeans
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

dataMultiArmMeans	<i>Multi-Arm Dataset of Means</i>
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Description

A dataset containing the sample sizes, means, and standard deviations of four groups. Use `getDataset(dataMultiArmMeans)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataMultiArmMeans
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

dataMultiArmRates	<i>Multi-Arm Dataset of Rates</i>
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Description

A dataset containing the sample sizes and events of three groups. Use `getDataset(dataMultiArmRates)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataMultiArmRates
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

dataMultiArmSurvival	<i>Multi-Arm Dataset of Survival Data</i>
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Description

A dataset containing the log-rank statistics, events, and allocation ratios of three groups. Use `getDataset(dataMultiArmSurvival)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataMultiArmSurvival
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

dataRates	<i>One-Arm Dataset of Rates</i>
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Description

A dataset containing the sample sizes and events of one group. Use `getDataset(dataRates)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataRates
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

Dataset	<i>Dataset</i>
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Description

Basic class for datasets.

Details

Dataset is the basic class for

- `DatasetMeans`,
- `DatasetRates`,
- `DatasetSurvival`, and
- `DatasetEnrichmentSurvival`.

This basic class contains the fields `stages` and `groups` and several commonly used functions.

Fields

stages The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing whole numbers.

groups The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.

DatasetMeans

Dataset of Means

Description

Class for a dataset of means.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; better use [getDataset](#) with suitable arguments to create a dataset of means.

Fields

groups The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.

stages The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing whole numbers.

sampleSizes The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.

means The means. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.

stDevs The standard deviations. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.

overallSampleSizes The overall, i.e., cumulative sample sizes. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.

overallMeans The overall, i.e., cumulative means. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.

overallStDevs The overall, i.e., cumulative standard deviations. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.

DatasetRates

Dataset of Rates

Description

Class for a dataset of rates.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; better use [getDataset](#) with suitable arguments to create a dataset of rates.

Fields

- `groups` The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.
- `stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `sampleSizes` The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.
- `overallSampleSizes` The overall, i.e., cumulative sample sizes. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.
- `events` The number of events in each group at each stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.
- `overallEvents` The overall, i.e., cumulative events. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.

DatasetSurvival	<i>Dataset of Survival Data</i>
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Description

Class for a dataset of survival data.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; better use `getDataset` with suitable arguments to create a dataset of survival data.

Fields

- `groups` The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.
- `stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `events` The number of events in each group at each stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.
- `overallEvents` The overall, i.e., cumulative events. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.
- `allocationRatios` The observed allocation ratios. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.
- `overallAllocationRatios` The cumulative allocation ratios. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.
- `logRanks` The logrank test statistics at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.
- `overallLogRanks` The overall, i.e., cumulative logrank test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.

dataSurvival	<i>One-Arm Dataset of Survival Data</i>
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Description

A dataset containing the log-rank statistics, events, and allocation ratios of one group. Use `getDataset(dataSurvival)` to create a dataset object that can be processed by `getAnalysisResults()`.

Usage

```
dataSurvival
```

Format

A `data.frame` object.

EventProbabilities	<i>Event Probabilities</i>
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Description

Class for the definition of event probabilities.

Details

`EventProbabilities` is a class for the definition of event probabilities.

Fields

`time` The time values. Is a numeric vector.

`accrualTime` The assumed accrual time intervals for the study. Is a numeric vector.

`accrualIntensity` The absolute accrual intensities. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`kappa` The shape of the Weibull distribution if `kappa!=1`. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`piecewiseSurvivalTime` The time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function. Is a numeric vector.

`lambda1` The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`lambda2` The assumed hazard rate in the reference group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`hazardRatio` The hazard ratios under consideration. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`dropoutRate1` The assumed drop-out rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`dropoutRate2` The assumed drop-out rate in the control group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`dropoutTime` The assumed time for drop-out rates in the control and treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

- `maxNumberOfSubjects` The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.
- `overallEventProbabilities` Deprecated field which will be removed in one of the next releases. Use `cumulativeEventProbabilities` instead.
- `cumulativeEventProbabilities` The cumulative event probabilities in survival designs. Is a numeric vector.
- `eventProbabilities1` The event probabilities in treatment group 1. Is a numeric vector.
- `eventProbabilities2` The event probabilities in treatment group 2. Is a numeric vector.

 FieldSet

Field Set

Description

Basic class for field sets.

Details

The field set implements basic functions for a set of fields.

 getAccrualTime

Get Accrual Time

Description

Returns an `AccrualTime` object that contains the accrual time and the accrual intensity.

Usage

```
getAccrualTime(
  accrualTime = NA_real_,
  ...,
  accrualIntensity = NA_real_,
  accrualIntensityType = c("auto", "absolute", "relative"),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_
)
```

Arguments

- `accrualTime` The assumed accrual time intervals for the study, default is `c(0, 12)` (for details see [getAccrualTime\(\)](#)).
- ... Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
- `accrualIntensity` A numeric vector of accrual intensities, default is the relative intensity 0.1 (for details see [getAccrualTime\(\)](#)).

accrualIntensityType

A character value specifying the accrual intensity input type. Must be one of "auto", "absolute", or "relative"; default is "auto", i.e., if all values are < 1 the type is "relative", otherwise it is "absolute".

maxNumberOfSubjects

The maximum number of subjects.

Value

Returns an `AccrualTime` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

Staggered patient entry

`accrualTime` is the time period of subjects' accrual in a study. It can be a value that defines the end of accrual or a vector. In this case, `accrualTime` can be used to define a non-constant accrual over time. For this, `accrualTime` is a vector that defines the accrual intervals. The first element of `accrualTime` must be equal to 0 and, additionally, `accrualIntensity` needs to be specified. `accrualIntensity` itself is a value or a vector (depending on the length of `accrualTime`) that defines the intensity how subjects enter the trial in the intervals defined through `accrualTime`.

`accrualTime` can also be a list that combines the definition of the accrual time and accrual intensity (see below and examples for details).

If the length of `accrualTime` and the length of `accrualIntensity` are the same (i.e., the end of accrual is undefined), `maxNumberOfSubjects > 0` needs to be specified and the end of accrual is calculated. In that case, `accrualIntensity` is the number of subjects per time unit, i.e., the absolute accrual intensity.

If the length of `accrualTime` equals the length of `accrualIntensity - 1` (i.e., the end of accrual is defined), `maxNumberOfSubjects` is calculated if the absolute accrual intensity is given. If all elements in `accrualIntensity` are smaller than 1, `accrualIntensity` defines the *relative* intensity how subjects enter the trial. For example, `accrualIntensity = c(0.1, 0.2)` specifies that in the second accrual interval the intensity is doubled as compared to the first accrual interval. The actual (absolute) accrual intensity is calculated for the calculated or given `maxNumberOfSubjects`. Note that the default is `accrualIntensity = 0.1` meaning that the *absolute* accrual intensity will be calculated.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

[getNumberOfSubjects\(\)](#) for calculating the number of subjects at given time points.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Assume that in a trial the accrual after the first 6 months is doubled
# and the total accrual time is 30 months.
# Further assume that a total of 1000 subjects are entered in the trial.
# The number of subjects to be accrued in the first 6 months and afterwards
# is achieved through
getAccrualTime(
  accrualTime = c(0, 6, 30),
  accrualIntensity = c(0.1, 0.2), maxNumberOfSubjects = 1000
)

# The same result is obtained via the list based definition
getAccrualTime(
  list(
    "0 - <6" = 0.1,
    "6 - <=30" = 0.2
  ),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 1000
)

# Calculate the end of accrual at given absolute intensity:
getAccrualTime(
  accrualTime = c(0, 6),
  accrualIntensity = c(18, 36), maxNumberOfSubjects = 1000
)

# Via the list based definition this is
getAccrualTime(
  list(
    "0 - <6" = 18,
    ">=6" = 36
  ),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 1000
)

# You can use an accrual time object in getSampleSizeSurvival() or
# getPowerSurvival().
# For example, if the maximum number of subjects and the follow up
# time needs to be calculated for a given effect size:
accrualTime <- getAccrualTime(
  accrualTime = c(0, 6, 30),
  accrualIntensity = c(0.1, 0.2)
)
getSampleSizeSurvival(accrualTime = accrualTime, pi1 = 0.4, pi2 = 0.2)

# Or if the power and follow up time needs to be calculated for given
# number of events and subjects:
accrualTime <- getAccrualTime(
  accrualTime = c(0, 6, 30),
  accrualIntensity = c(0.1, 0.2), maxNumberOfSubjects = 110
)
```

```

getPowerSurvival(
  accrualTime = accrualTime, pi1 = 0.4, pi2 = 0.2,
  maxNumberOfEvents = 46
)

# How to show accrual time details

# You can use a sample size or power object as argument for the function
# getAccrualTime():
sampleSize <- getSampleSizeSurvival(
  accrualTime = c(0, 6), accrualIntensity = c(22, 53),
  lambda2 = 0.05, hazardRatio = 0.8, followUpTime = 6
)
sampleSize
accrualTime <- getAccrualTime(sampleSize)
accrualTime

## End(Not run)

```

getAnalysisResults *Get Analysis Results*

Description

Calculates and returns the analysis results for the specified design and data.

Usage

```

getAnalysisResults(
  design,
  dataInput,
  ...,
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  thetaH0 = NA_real_,
  nPlanned = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = 1,
  stage = NA_integer_,
  maxInformation = NULL,
  informationEpsilon = NULL
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design.
dataInput	The summary data used for calculating the test results. This is either an element of DatasetMeans, of DatasetRates, or of DatasetSurvival and should be created with the function getDataset() . For more information see getDataset() .
...	Further arguments to be passed to methods (cf., separate functions in "See Also" below), e.g.,

thetaH1	and stDevH1 (or assumedStDev / assumedStDevs), pi1, pi2, or piTreatments, piControl
	The assumed effect size, standard deviation or rates to calculate the conditional power if nPlanned is specified. For survival designs, thetaH1 refers to the hazard ratio. For one-armed trials with binary outcome, only pi1 can be specified, for two-armed trials with binary outcome, pi1 and pi2 can be specified referring to the assumed treatment and control rate, respectively. In multi-armed or enrichment designs, you can specify a value or a vector with elements referring to the treatment arms or the sub-populations, respectively. For testing rates, the parameters to be specified are piTreatments and piControl (multi-arm designs) and piTreatments and piControls (enrichment designs). If not specified, the conditional power is calculated under the assumption of observed effect sizes, standard deviations, rates, or hazard ratios.
iterations	Iterations for simulating the power for Fisher's combination test. If the power for more than one remaining stages is to be determined for Fisher's combination test, it is estimated via simulation with specified iterations, the default is 1000.
seed	Seed for simulating the conditional power for Fisher's combination test. See above, default is a random seed.
normalApproximation	The type of computation of the p-values. Default is FALSE for testing means (i.e., the t test is used) and TRUE for testing rates and the hazard ratio. For testing rates, if normalApproximation = FALSE is specified, the binomial test (one sample) or the exact test of Fisher (two samples) is used for calculating the p-values. In the survival setting, normalApproximation = FALSE has no effect.
equalVariances	The type of t test. For testing means in two treatment groups, either the t test assuming that the variances are equal or the t test without assuming this, i.e., the test of Welch-Satterthwaite is calculated, default is TRUE.
intersectionTest	Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses when testing multiple hypotheses. Five options are available in multi-arm designs: "Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", and "Hierarchical", default is "Dunnett". Four options are available in population enrichment designs: "SpiessensDebois" (one subset only), "Bonferroni", "Simes", and "Sidak", default is "Simes".
varianceOption	Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple treatment arms (> 2) or population enrichment designs for testing means. For multiple arms, three options are available: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", and "notPooled", default is "overallPooled". For enrichment designs, the options are: "pooled", "pooledFromFull" (one subset only), and "notPooled", default is "pooled".
stratifiedAnalysis	For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. For testing means and rates, also a non-stratified analysis based on overall data can be performed. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible (see Brannath et al., 2009), default is TRUE.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio).

For non-inferiority designs, θ_{H0} is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of

- *means*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified.
- *rates*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified.
- *survival data*: a bound for testing H_0 : hazard ratio = $\theta_{H0} \neq 1$ can be specified.
- *count data*: a bound for testing H_0 : $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \theta_{H0} \neq 1$ can be specified.

For testing a rate in one sample, a value θ_{H0} in $(0, 1)$ has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0 : $\pi = \theta_{H0}$.

nPlanned	The additional (i.e., "new" and not cumulative) sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. The argument must be a vector with length equal to the number of remaining stages and contain the combined sample size from both treatment groups if two groups are considered. For survival outcomes, it should contain the planned number of additional events. For multi-arm designs, it is the per-comparison (combined) sample size. For enrichment designs, it is the (combined) sample size for the considered sub-population.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length k_{Max} , the number of stages. It can be a vector of length k_{Max} , too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally <code>allocationRatioPlanned</code> is treated as a vector of length k_{Max} , not a scalar.
stage	The stage number (optional). Default: total number of existing stages in the data input.
maxInformation	Positive integer value specifying the maximum information.
informationEpsilon	Positive integer value specifying the absolute information epsilon, which defines the maximum distance from the observed information to the maximum information that causes the final analysis. Updates at the final analysis in case the observed information at the final analysis is smaller ("under-running") than the planned maximum information <code>maxInformation</code> , default is 0. Alternatively, a floating-point number > 0 and < 1 can be specified to define a relative information epsilon.

Details

Given a design and a dataset, at given stage the function calculates the test results (effect sizes, stage-wise test statistics and p-values, overall p-values and test statistics, conditional rejection probability (CRP), conditional power, Repeated Confidence Intervals (RCIs), repeated overall p-values, and final stage p-values, median unbiased effect estimates, and final confidence intervals).

For designs with more than two treatments arms (multi-arm designs) or enrichment designs a closed combination test is performed. That is, additionally the statistics to be used in a closed testing procedure are provided.

The conditional power is calculated if the planned sample size for the subsequent stages (`nPlanned`) is specified. The conditional power is calculated either under the assumption of the observed effect or under the assumption of an assumed effect, that has to be specified (see above).

For testing rates in a two-armed trial, `pi1` and `pi2` typically refer to the rates in the treatment and the control group, respectively. This is not mandatory, however, and so `pi1` and `pi2` can be interchanged. In many-to-one multi-armed trials, `piTreatments` and `piControl` refer to the rates in the treatment arms and the one control arm, and so they cannot be interchanged. `piTreatments` and `piControls` in enrichment designs can principally be interchanged, but we use the plural form to indicate that the rates can be differently specified for the sub-populations.

Median unbiased effect estimates and confidence intervals are calculated if a group sequential design or an inverse normal combination test design was chosen, i.e., it is not applicable for Fisher's p-value combination test design. For the inverse normal combination test design with more than two stages, a warning informs that the validity of the confidence interval is theoretically shown only if no sample size change was performed.

A final stage p-value for Fisher's combination test is calculated only if a two-stage design was chosen. For Fisher's combination test, the conditional power for more than one remaining stages is estimated via simulation.

Final stage p-values, median unbiased effect estimates, and final confidence intervals are not calculated for multi-arm and enrichment designs.

Value

Returns an `AnalysisResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

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See Also

[getObservedInformationRates\(\)](#)

Other analysis functions: [getClosedCombinationTestResults\(\)](#), [getClosedConditionalDunnettTestResults\(\)](#), [getConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalRejectionProbabilities\(\)](#), [getFinalConfidenceInterval\(\)](#), [getFinalPValue\(\)](#), [getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals\(\)](#), [getRepeatedPValues\(\)](#), [getStageResults\(\)](#), [getTestActions\(\)](#)

Examples

```

## Not run:
# Example 1 One-Sample t Test
# Perform an analysis within a three-stage group sequential design with
# O'Brien & Fleming boundaries and one-sample data with a continuous outcome
# where H0:  $\mu = 1.2$  is to be tested
dsnGS <- getDesignGroupSequential()
dataMeans <- getDataset(
  n = c(30, 30),
  means = c(1.96, 1.76),
  stDevs = c(1.92, 2.01)
)
getAnalysisResults(design = dsnGS, dataInput = dataMeans, thetaH0 = 1.2)

# You can obtain the results when performing an inverse normal combination test
# with these data by using the commands
dsnIN <- getDesignInverseNormal()
getAnalysisResults(design = dsnIN, dataInput = dataMeans, thetaH0 = 1.2)

# Example 2 Use Function Approach with Time to Event Data
# Perform an analysis within a use function approach according to an
# O'Brien & Fleming type use function and survival data where
# where H0: hazard ratio = 1 is to be tested. The events were observed
# over time and maxInformation = 120, informationEpsilon = 5 specifies
# that 116 > 120 - 5 observed events defines the final analysis.
design <- getDesignGroupSequential(typeOfDesign = "asOF")
dataSurvival <- getDataset(
  cumulativeEvents = c(33, 72, 116),
  cumulativeLogRanks = c(1.33, 1.88, 1.902)
)
getAnalysisResults(design,
  dataInput = dataSurvival,
  maxInformation = 120, informationEpsilon = 5
)

# Example 3 Multi-Arm Design
# In a four-stage combination test design with O'Brien & Fleming boundaries
# at the first stage the second treatment arm was dropped. With the Bonferroni
# intersection test, the results together with the CRP, conditional power
# (assuming a total of 40 subjects for each comparison and effect sizes 0.5
# and 0.8 for treatment arm 1 and 3, respectively, and standard deviation 1.2),
# RCIs and p-values of a closed adaptive test procedure are
# obtained as follows with the given data (treatment arm 4 refers to the
# reference group; displayed with summary and plot commands):
data <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(22, 23),
  n2 = c(21, NA),
  n3 = c(20, 25),
  n4 = c(25, 27),
  means1 = c(1.63, 1.51),
  means2 = c(1.4, NA),
  means3 = c(0.91, 0.95),
  means4 = c(0.83, 0.75),
  stds1 = c(1.2, 1.4),
  stds2 = c(1.3, NA),
  stds3 = c(1.1, 1.14),

```

```

    stds4 = c(1.02, 1.18)
  )
  design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 4)
  x <- getAnalysisResults(design,
    dataInput = data, intersectionTest = "Bonferroni",
    nPlanned = c(40, 40), thetaH1 = c(0.5, NA, 0.8), assumedStDevs = 1.2
  )
  summary(x)
  if (require(ggplot2)) plot(x, thetaRange = c(0, 0.8))
  design <- getDesignConditionalDunnett(secondStageConditioning = FALSE)
  y <- getAnalysisResults(design,
    dataInput = data,
    nPlanned = 40, thetaH1 = c(0.5, NA, 0.8), assumedStDevs = 1.2, stage = 1
  )
  summary(y)
  if (require(ggplot2)) plot(y, thetaRange = c(0, 0.4))

# Example 4 Enrichment Design
# Perform an two-stage enrichment design analysis with O'Brien & Fleming boundaries
# where one sub-population (S1) and a full population (F) are considered as primary
# analysis sets. At interim, S1 is selected for further analysis and the sample
# size is increased accordingly. With the Spiessens & Debois intersection test,
# the results of a closed adaptive test procedure together with the CRP, repeated
# RCIs and p-values are obtained as follows with the given data (displayed with
# summary and plot commands):
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2, typeOfDesign = "OF")
dataS1 <- getDataset(
  means1 = c(13.2, 12.8),
  means2 = c(11.1, 10.8),
  stDev1 = c(3.4, 3.3),
  stDev2 = c(2.9, 3.5),
  n1 = c(21, 42),
  n2 = c(19, 39)
)
dataNotS1 <- getDataset(
  means1 = c(11.8, NA),
  means2 = c(10.5, NA),
  stDev1 = c(3.6, NA),
  stDev2 = c(2.7, NA),
  n1 = c(15, NA),
  n2 = c(13, NA)
)
dataBoth <- getDataset(S1 = dataS1, R = dataNotS1)
x <- getAnalysisResults(design,
  dataInput = dataBoth,
  intersectionTest = "SpiessensDebois",
  varianceOption = "pooledFromFull",
  stratifiedAnalysis = TRUE
)
summary(x)
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(x, type = 2)

## End(Not run)

```

`getClosedCombinationTestResults`*Get Closed Combination Test Results*

Description

Calculates and returns the results from the closed combination test in multi-arm and population enrichment designs.

Usage

```
getClosedCombinationTestResults(stageResults)
```

Arguments

`stageResults` The results at given stage, obtained from [getStageResults\(\)](#).

Value

Returns a `ClosedCombinationTestResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the rpact specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function [methods](#) to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

Other analysis functions: [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#), [getClosedConditionalDunnettTestResults\(\)](#), [getConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalRejectionProbabilities\(\)](#), [getFinalConfidenceInterval\(\)](#), [getFinalPValue\(\)](#), [getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals\(\)](#), [getRepeatedPValues\(\)](#), [getStageResults\(\)](#), [getTestActions\(\)](#)

Examples

```

## Not run:
# In a four-stage combination test design with O'Brien & Fleming boundaries
# at the first stage the second treatment arm was dropped. With the Bonferroni
# intersection test, the results of a closed adaptive test procedure are
# obtained as follows with the given data (treatment arm 4 refers to the
# reference group):
data <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(22, 23),
  n2 = c(21, NA),
  n3 = c(20, 25),
  n4 = c(25, 27),
  means1 = c(1.63, 1.51),
  means2 = c(1.4, NA),
  means3 = c(0.91, 0.95),
  means4 = c(0.83, 0.75),
  stds1 = c(1.2, 1.4),
  stds2 = c(1.3, NA),
  stds3 = c(1.1, 1.14),
  stds4 = c(1.02, 1.18)
)

design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 4)
stageResults <- getStageResults(design,
  dataInput = data,
  intersectionTest = "Bonferroni"
)
getClosedCombinationTestResults(stageResults)

## End(Not run)

```

```

getClosedConditionalDunnettTestResults
  Get Closed Conditional Dunnett Test Results

```

Description

Calculates and returns the results from the closed conditional Dunnett test.

Usage

```

getClosedConditionalDunnettTestResults(
  stageResults,
  ...,
  stage = stageResults$stage
)

```

Arguments

stageResults The results at given stage, obtained from [getStageResults\(\)](#).

... Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

stage The stage number (optional). Default: total number of existing stages in the data input.

Details

For performing the conditional Dunnett test the design must be defined through the function [getDesignConditionalDunnettTestResults\(\)](#). See Koenig et al. (2008) and Wassmer & Brannath (2016), chapter 11 for details of the test procedure.

Value

Returns a [ClosedCombinationTestResults](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the rpart specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function [methods](#) to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

Other analysis functions: [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#), [getClosedCombinationTestResults\(\)](#), [getConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalRejectionProbabilities\(\)](#), [getFinalConfidenceInterval\(\)](#), [getFinalPValue\(\)](#), [getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals\(\)](#), [getRepeatedPValues\(\)](#), [getStageResults\(\)](#), [getTestActions\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
# In a two-stage design a conditional Dunnett test should be performed
# where the unconditional second stage p-values should be used for the
# test decision.
# At the first stage the second treatment arm was dropped. The results of
# a closed conditional Dunnett test are obtained as follows with the given
# data (treatment arm 4 refers to the reference group):
data <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(22, 23),
  n2 = c(21, NA),
  n3 = c(20, 25),
  n4 = c(25, 27),
  means1 = c(1.63, 1.51),
  means2 = c(1.4, NA),
  means3 = c(0.91, 0.95),
  means4 = c(0.83, 0.75),
  stds1 = c(1.2, 1.4),
```

```

stds2 = c(1.3, NA),
stds3 = c(1.1, 1.14),
stds4 = c(1.02, 1.18)
)

# For getting the results of the closed test procedure, use the following commands:
design <- getDesignConditionalDunnett(secondStageConditioning = FALSE)
stageResults <- getStageResults(design, dataInput = data)
getClosedConditionalDunnettTestResults(stageResults)

## End(Not run)

```

getConditionalPower *Get Conditional Power*

Description

Calculates and returns the conditional power.

Usage

```
getConditionalPower(stageResults, ..., nPlanned, allocationRatioPlanned = 1)
```

Arguments

stageResults	The results at given stage, obtained from getStageResults() .
...	Further (optional) arguments to be passed:
	<p>thetaH1 and stDevH1 (or assumedStDev / assumedStDevs), pi1, pi2, or piTreatments, piControl</p> <p>The assumed effect size, standard deviation or rates to calculate the conditional power if nPlanned is specified. For survival designs, thetaH1 refers to the hazard ratio. For one-armed trials with binary outcome, only pi1 can be specified, for two-armed trials with binary outcome, pi1 and pi2 can be specified referring to the assumed treatment and control rate, respectively. In multi-armed or enrichment designs, you can specify a value or a vector with elements referring to the treatment arms or the sub-populations, respectively. For testing rates, the parameters to be specified are piTreatments and piControl (multi-arm designs) and piTreatments and piControls (enrichment designs).</p> <p>If not specified, the conditional power is calculated under the assumption of observed effect sizes, standard deviations, rates, or hazard ratios.</p>
	<p>iterations Iterations for simulating the power for Fisher's combination test. If the power for more than one remaining stages is to be determined for Fisher's combination test, it is estimated via simulation with specified iterations, the default is 1000.</p>
	<p>seed Seed for simulating the conditional power for Fisher's combination test. See above, default is a random seed.</p>
nPlanned	The additional (i.e., "new" and not cumulative) sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. The argument must be a vector with length equal to the number of remaining stages and contain the combined sample size from both treatment groups if two groups are considered. For survival outcomes, it should

contain the planned number of additional events. For multi-arm designs, it is the per-comparison (combined) sample size. For enrichment designs, it is the (combined) sample size for the considered sub-population.

allocationRatioPlanned

The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length `kMax`, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length `kMax`, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally `allocationRatioPlanned` is treated as a vector of length `kMax`, not a scalar.

Details

The conditional power is calculated if the planned sample size for the subsequent stages is specified. For testing rates in a two-armed trial, `pi1` and `pi2` typically refer to the rates in the treatment and the control group, respectively. This is not mandatory, however, and so `pi1` and `pi2` can be interchanged. In many-to-one multi-armed trials, `piTreatments` and `piControl` refer to the rates in the treatment arms and the one control arm, and so they cannot be interchanged. `piTreatments` and `piControls` in enrichment designs can principally be interchanged, but we use the plural form to indicate that the rates can be differently specified for the sub-populations.

For Fisher's combination test, the conditional power for more than one remaining stages is estimated via simulation.

Value

Returns a `ConditionalPowerResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpack` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

`plot.StageResults()` or `plot.AnalysisResults()` for plotting the conditional power.

Other analysis functions: `getAnalysisResults()`, `getClosedCombinationTestResults()`, `getClosedConditionalPower()`, `getConditionalRejectionProbabilities()`, `getFinalConfidenceInterval()`, `getFinalPValue()`, `getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals()`, `getRepeatedPValues()`, `getStageResults()`, `getTestActions()`

Examples

```
## Not run:
data <- getDataset(
  n1      = c(22, 13, 22, 13),
  n2      = c(22, 11, 22, 11),
  means1  = c(1, 1.1, 1, 1),
  means2  = c(1.4, 1.5, 1, 2.5),
  stds1   = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3),
  stds2   = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3)
)
stageResults <- getStageResults(
  getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 4),
  dataInput = data, stage = 2, directionUpper = FALSE
)
getConditionalPower(stageResults, thetaH1 = -0.4,
  nPlanned = c(64, 64), assumedStDev = 1.5,
  allocationRatioPlanned = 3
)
## End(Not run)
```

```
getConditionalRejectionProbabilities
```

Get Conditional Rejection Probabilities

Description

Calculates the conditional rejection probabilities (CRP) for given test results.

Usage

```
getConditionalRejectionProbabilities(stageResults, ...)
```

Arguments

stageResults	The results at given stage, obtained from getStageResults() .
...	Further (optional) arguments to be passed:
iterations	Iterations for simulating the conditional rejection probabilities for Fisher's combination test. For checking purposes, it can be estimated via simulation with specified iterations.
seed	Seed for simulating the conditional rejection probabilities for Fisher's combination test. See above, default is a random seed.

Details

The conditional rejection probability is the probability, under H_0 , to reject H_0 in one of the subsequent (remaining) stages. The probability is calculated using the specified design. For testing rates and the survival design, the normal approximation is used, i.e., it is calculated with the use of the prototype case testing a mean for normally distributed data with known variance.

The conditional rejection probabilities are provided up to the specified stage.

For Fisher's combination test, you can check the validity of the CRP calculation via simulation.

Value

Returns a **numeric** vector of length kMax or in case of multi-arm stage results a **matrix** (each column represents a stage, each row a comparison) containing the conditional rejection probabilities.

See Also

Other analysis functions: [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#), [getClosedCombinationTestResults\(\)](#), [getClosedConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getFinalConfidenceInterval\(\)](#), [getFinalPValue\(\)](#), [getRepeatedConfidenceInterval\(\)](#), [getRepeatedPValues\(\)](#), [getStageResults\(\)](#), [getTestActions\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Calculate CRP for a Fisher's combination test design with
# two remaining stages and check the results by simulation.
design <- getDesignFisher(
  kMax = 4, alpha = 0.01,
  informationRates = c(0.1, 0.3, 0.8, 1)
)
data <- getDataset(n = c(40, 40), events = c(20, 22))
sr <- getStageResults(design, data, thetaH0 = 0.4)
getConditionalRejectionProbabilities(sr)
getConditionalRejectionProbabilities(sr,
  simulateCRP = TRUE,
  seed = 12345, iterations = 10000
)

## End(Not run)
```

getData

Get Simulation Data

Description

Returns the aggregated simulation data.

Usage

```
getData(x)
```

```
getData.SimulationResults(x)
```

Arguments

x A **SimulationResults** object created by [getSimulationMeans\(\)](#), [getSimulationRates\(\)](#), [getSimulationSurvival\(\)](#), [getSimulationMultiArmMeans\(\)](#), [getSimulationMultiArmRates\(\)](#), or [getSimulationMultiArmSurvival\(\)](#).

Details

This function can be used to get the aggregated simulated data from an simulation results object, for example, obtained by `getSimulationSurvival()`. In this case, the data frame contains the following columns:

1. `iterationNumber`: The number of the simulation iteration.
2. `stageNumber`: The stage.
3. `pi1`: The assumed or derived event rate in the treatment group.
4. `pi2`: The assumed or derived event rate in the control group.
5. `hazardRatio`: The hazard ratio under consideration (if available).
6. `analysisTime`: The analysis time.
7. `numberOfSubjects`: The number of subjects under consideration when the (interim) analysis takes place.
8. `eventsPerStage1`: The observed number of events per stage in treatment group 1.
9. `eventsPerStage2`: The observed number of events per stage in treatment group 2.
10. `eventsPerStage`: The observed number of events per stage in both treatment groups.
11. `rejectPerStage`: 1 if null hypothesis can be rejected, 0 otherwise.
12. `eventsNotAchieved`: 1 if number of events could not be reached with observed number of subjects, 0 otherwise.
13. `futilityPerStage`: 1 if study should be stopped for futility, 0 otherwise.
14. `testStatistic`: The test statistic that is used for the test decision, depends on which design was chosen (group sequential, inverse normal, or Fisher combination test)
15. `logRankStatistic`: Z-score statistic which corresponds to a one-sided log-rank test at considered stage.
16. `conditionalPowerAchieved`: The conditional power for the subsequent stage of the trial for selected sample size and effect. The effect is either estimated from the data or can be user defined with `thetaH1` or `pi1H1` and `pi2H1`.
17. `trialStop`: TRUE if study should be stopped for efficacy or futility or final stage, FALSE otherwise.
18. `hazardRatioEstimateLR`: The estimated hazard ratio, derived from the log-rank statistic.

A subset of variables is provided for `getSimulationMeans()`, `getSimulationRates()`, `getSimulationMultiArmMeans()`, `getSimulationMultiArmRates()`, or `getSimulationMultiArmSurvival()`.

Value

Returns a `data.frame`.

Examples

```
results <- getSimulationSurvival(
  pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 12,
  accrualTime = 24, plannedEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)
data <- getData(results)
head(data)
dim(data)
```

getDataset

*Get Dataset***Description**

Creates a dataset object and returns it.

Usage

```
getDataset(..., floatingPointNumbersEnabled = FALSE)
```

```
getDataSet(..., floatingPointNumbersEnabled = FALSE)
```

Arguments

... A data frame or some data vectors defining the dataset.

floatingPointNumbersEnabled

If TRUE, sample sizes and event numbers can be specified as floating-point numbers (this make sense, e.g., for theoretical comparisons);

by default floatingPointNumbersEnabled = FALSE, i.e., samples sizes and event numbers defined as floating-point numbers will be truncated.

Details

The different dataset types `DatasetMeans`, `DatasetRates`, or `DatasetSurvival` can be created as follows:

- An element of [DatasetMeans](#) for one sample is created by `getDataset(sampleSizes =, means =, stDevs =)` where `sampleSizes`, `means`, `stDevs` are vectors with stage-wise sample sizes, means and standard deviations of length given by the number of available stages.
- An element of [DatasetMeans](#) for two samples is created by `getDataset(sampleSizes1 =, sampleSizes2 =, means1 =, means2 =, stDevs1 =, stDevs2 =)` where `sampleSizes1`, `sampleSizes2`, `means1`, `means2`, `stDevs1`, `stDevs2` are vectors with stage-wise sample sizes, means and standard deviations for the two treatment groups of length given by the number of available stages.
- An element of [DatasetRates](#) for one sample is created by `getDataset(sampleSizes =, events =)` where `sampleSizes`, `events` are vectors with stage-wise sample sizes and events of length given by the number of available stages.
- An element of [DatasetRates](#) for two samples is created by `getDataset(sampleSizes1 =, sampleSizes2 =, events1 =, events2 =)` where `sampleSizes1`, `sampleSizes2`, `events1`, `events2` are vectors with stage-wise sample sizes and events for the two treatment groups of length given by the number of available stages.
- An element of [DatasetSurvival](#) is created by `getDataset(events =, logRanks =, allocationRatios =)` where `events`, `logRanks`, and `allocationRatios` are the stage-wise events, (one-sided) logrank statistics, and allocation ratios.
- An element of [DatasetMeans](#), [DatasetRates](#), and [DatasetSurvival](#) for more than one comparison is created by adding subsequent digits to the variable names. The system can analyze these data in a multi-arm many-to-one comparison setting where the group with the highest index represents the control group.

Prefix overall[Capital case of first letter of variable name]... for the variable names enables entering the overall (cumulative) results and calculates stage-wise statistics. Since rpact version 3.2, the prefix cumulative[Capital case of first letter of variable name]... or cum[Capital case of first letter of variable name]... can alternatively be used for this.

n can be used in place of samplesizes.

Note that in survival design usually the overall (cumulative) events and logrank test statistics are provided in the output, so

```
getDataset(cumulativeEvents=, cumulativeLogRanks =, cumulativeAllocationRatios =)
is the usual command for entering survival data. Note also that for cumulativeLogRanks also the z scores from a Cox regression can be used.
```

For multi-arm designs, the index refers to the considered comparison. For example,

```
getDataset(events1=c(13, 33), logRanks1 = c(1.23, 1.55), events2 = c(16, NA), logRanks2
= c(1.55, NA))
```

refers to the case where one active arm (1) is considered at both stages whereas active arm 2 was dropped at interim. Number of events and logrank statistics are entered for the corresponding comparison to control (see Examples).

For enrichment designs, the comparison of two samples is provided for an unstratified (sub-population wise) or stratified data input.

For non-stratified (sub-population wise) data input the data sets are defined for the sub-populations S1, S2, ..., F, where F refers to the full populations. Use of `getDataset(S1 = , S2, ..., F =)` defines the data set to be used in `getAnalysisResults()` (see examples)

For stratified data input the data sets are defined for the strata S1, S12, S2, ..., R, where R refers to the remainder of the strata such that the union of all sets is the full population. Use of `getDataset(S1 = , S12 = , S2, ..., R =)` defines the data set to be used in `getAnalysisResults()` (see examples)

For survival data, for enrichment designs the log-rank statistics can only be entered as stratified log-rank statistics in order to provide strong control of Type I error rate. For stratified data input, the variables to be specified in `getDataset()` are `cumEvents`, `cumExpectedEvents`, `cumVarianceEvents`, and `cumAllocationRatios` or `overallEvents`, `overallExpectedEvents`, `overallVarianceEvents`, and `overallAllocationRatios`. From this, (stratified) log-rank tests and the independent increments are calculated.

Value

Returns a `Dataset` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

Examples

```
# Create a Dataset of Means (one group):
datasetOfMeans <- getDataset(
  n      = c(22, 11, 22, 11),
  means  = c(1, 1.1, 1, 1),
  stDevs = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3)
)
```

```

datasetOfMeans
datasetOfMeans$show(showType = 2)
## Not run:
datasetOfMeans <- getDataset(
  cumulativeSampleSizes = c(22, 33, 55, 66),
  cumulativeMeans = c(1.000, 1.033, 1.020, 1.017),
  cumulativeStDevs = c(1.00, 1.38, 1.64, 1.58)
)
datasetOfMeans
datasetOfMeans$show(showType = 2)
as.data.frame(datasetOfMeans)

# Create a Dataset of Means (two groups):
datasetOfMeans <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(22, 11, 22, 11),
  n2 = c(22, 13, 22, 13),
  means1 = c(1, 1.1, 1, 1),
  means2 = c(1.4, 1.5, 3, 2.5),
  stDevs1 = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3),
  stDevs2 = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3)
)
datasetOfMeans

datasetOfMeans <- getDataset(
  cumulativeSampleSizes1 = c(22, 33, 55, 66),
  cumulativeSampleSizes2 = c(22, 35, 57, 70),
  cumulativeMeans1 = c(1, 1.033, 1.020, 1.017),
  cumulativeMeans2 = c(1.4, 1.437, 2.040, 2.126),
  cumulativeStDevs1 = c(1, 1.38, 1.64, 1.58),
  cumulativeStDevs2 = c(1, 1.43, 1.82, 1.74)
)
datasetOfMeans

df <- data.frame(
  stages = 1:4,
  n1 = c(22, 11, 22, 11),
  n2 = c(22, 13, 22, 13),
  means1 = c(1, 1.1, 1, 1),
  means2 = c(1.4, 1.5, 3, 2.5),
  stDevs1 = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3),
  stDevs2 = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3)
)
datasetOfMeans <- getDataset(df)
datasetOfMeans

# Create a Dataset of Means (three groups) where the comparison of
# treatment arm 1 to control is dropped at the second interim stage:
datasetOfMeans <- getDataset(
  cumN1 = c(22, 33, NA),
  cumN2 = c(20, 34, 56),
  cumN3 = c(22, 31, 52),
  cumMeans1 = c(1.64, 1.54, NA),
  cumMeans2 = c(1.7, 1.5, 1.77),
  cumMeans3 = c(2.5, 2.06, 2.99),
  cumStDevs1 = c(1.5, 1.9, NA),
  cumStDevs2 = c(1.3, 1.3, 1.1),
  cumStDevs3 = c(1, 1.3, 1.8))

```

```

datasetOfMeans

# Create a Dataset of Rates (one group):
datasetOfRates <- getDataset(
  n = c(8, 10, 9, 11),
  events = c(4, 5, 5, 6)
)
datasetOfRates

# Create a Dataset of Rates (two groups):
datasetOfRates <- getDataset(
  n2 = c(8, 10, 9, 11),
  n1 = c(11, 13, 12, 13),
  events2 = c(3, 5, 5, 6),
  events1 = c(10, 10, 12, 12)
)
datasetOfRates

# Create a Dataset of Rates (three groups) where the comparison of
# treatment arm 2 to control is dropped at the first interim stage:
datasetOfRates <- getDataset(
  cumN1 = c(22, 33, 44),
  cumN2 = c(20, NA, NA),
  cumN3 = c(20, 34, 44),
  cumEvents1 = c(11, 14, 22),
  cumEvents2 = c(17, NA, NA),
  cumEvents3 = c(17, 19, 33))
datasetOfRates

# Create a Survival Dataset
datasetSurvival <- getDataset(
  cumEvents = c(8, 15, 19, 31),
  cumAllocationRatios = c(1, 1, 1, 2),
  cumLogRanks = c(1.52, 1.98, 1.99, 2.11)
)
datasetSurvival

# Create a Survival Dataset with four comparisons where treatment
# arm 2 was dropped at the first interim stage, and treatment arm 4
# at the second.
datasetSurvival <- getDataset(
  cumEvents1 = c(18, 45, 56),
  cumEvents2 = c(22, NA, NA),
  cumEvents3 = c(12, 41, 56),
  cumEvents4 = c(27, 56, NA),
  cumLogRanks1 = c(1.52, 1.98, 1.99),
  cumLogRanks2 = c(3.43, NA, NA),
  cumLogRanks3 = c(1.45, 1.67, 1.87),
  cumLogRanks4 = c(1.12, 1.33, NA)
)
datasetSurvival

# Enrichment: Stratified and unstratified data input
# The following data are from one study. Only the first
# (stratified) data input enables a stratified analysis.

# Stratified data input

```

```

S1 <- getDataset(
  sampleSize1 = c(18, 17),
  sampleSize2 = c(12, 33),
  mean1       = c(125.6, 111.1),
  mean2       = c(107.7, 77.7),
  stDev1      = c(120.1, 145.6),
  stDev2      = c(128.5, 133.3))
S2 <- getDataset(
  sampleSize1 = c(11, NA),
  sampleSize2 = c(14, NA),
  mean1       = c(100.1, NA),
  mean2       = c( 68.3, NA),
  stDev1      = c(116.8, NA),
  stDev2      = c(124.0, NA))
S12 <- getDataset(
  sampleSize1 = c(21, 17),
  sampleSize2 = c(21, 12),
  mean1       = c(135.9, 117.7),
  mean2       = c(84.9, 107.7),
  stDev1      = c(185.0, 92.3),
  stDev2      = c(139.5, 107.7))
R <- getDataset(
  sampleSize1 = c(19, NA),
  sampleSize2 = c(33, NA),
  mean1       = c(142.4, NA),
  mean2       = c(77.1, NA),
  stDev1      = c(120.6, NA),
  stDev2      = c(163.5, NA))
dataEnrichment <- getDataset(S1 = S1, S2 = S2, S12 = S12, R = R)
dataEnrichment

# Unstratified data input
S1N <- getDataset(
  sampleSize1 = c(39, 34),
  sampleSize2 = c(33, 45),
  stDev1      = c(156.503, 120.084),
  stDev2      = c(134.025, 126.502),
  mean1       = c(131.146, 114.4),
  mean2       = c(93.191, 85.7))
S2N <- getDataset(
  sampleSize1 = c(32, NA),
  sampleSize2 = c(35, NA),
  stDev1      = c(163.645, NA),
  stDev2      = c(131.888, NA),
  mean1       = c(123.594, NA),
  mean2       = c(78.26, NA))
F <- getDataset(
  sampleSize1 = c(69, NA),
  sampleSize2 = c(80, NA),
  stDev1      = c(165.468, NA),
  stDev2      = c(143.979, NA),
  mean1       = c(129.296, NA),
  mean2       = c(82.187, NA))
dataEnrichmentN <- getDataset(S1 = S1N, S2 = S2N, F = F)
dataEnrichmentN

## End(Not run)

```

getDesignCharacteristics
Get Design Characteristics

Description

Calculates the characteristics of a design and returns it.

Usage

```
getDesignCharacteristics(design = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

design	The trial design.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Calculates the inflation factor (IF), the expected reduction in sample size under H1, under H0, and under a value in between H0 and H1. Furthermore, absolute information values are calculated under the prototype case testing H0: $\mu = 0$ against H1: $\mu = 1$.

Value

Returns a [TrialDesignCharacteristics](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [data.frame](#),
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [matrix](#).

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See Also

Other design functions: [getDesignConditionalDunnett\(\)](#), [getDesignFisher\(\)](#), [getDesignGroupSequential\(\)](#), [getDesignInverseNormal\(\)](#), [getGroupSequentialProbabilities\(\)](#), [getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# Calculate design characteristics for a three-stage O'Brien & Fleming
# design at power 90% and compare it with Pocock's design.
getDesignCharacteristics(getDesignGroupSequential(beta = 0.1))
getDesignCharacteristics(getDesignGroupSequential(beta = 0.1, typeOfDesign = "P"))
```

```
getDesignConditionalDunnett
  Get Design Conditional Dunnett Test
```

Description

Defines the design to perform an analysis with the conditional Dunnett test.

Usage

```
getDesignConditionalDunnett(
  alpha = 0.025,
  informationAtInterim = 0.5,
  secondStageConditioning = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

alpha The significance level alpha, default is 0.025. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

informationAtInterim The information to be expected at interim, default is informationAtInterim = 0.5.

secondStageConditioning The way the second stage p-values are calculated within the closed system of hypotheses. If secondStageConditioning = FALSE is specified, the unconditional adjusted p-values are used, otherwise conditional adjusted p-values are calculated, default is secondStageConditioning = TRUE (for details, see Koenig et al., 2008).

Details

For performing the conditional Dunnett test the design must be defined through this function. You can define the information fraction and the way of how to compute the second stage p-values only in the design definition, and not in the analysis call.

See [getClosedConditionalDunnettTestResults\(\)](#) for an example and Koenig et al. (2008) and Wassmer & Brannath (2016), chapter 11 for details of the test procedure.

Value

Returns a [TrialDesign](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,

- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

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See Also

Other design functions: `getDesignCharacteristics()`, `getDesignFisher()`, `getDesignGroupSequential()`, `getDesignInverseNormal()`, `getGroupSequentialProbabilities()`, `getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber()`

getDesignFisher	<i>Get Design Fisher</i>
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Description

Performs Fisher's combination test and returns critical values for this design.

Usage

```
getDesignFisher(
  ...,
  kMax = NA_integer_,
  alpha = NA_real_,
  method = c("equalAlpha", "fullAlpha", "noInteraction", "userDefinedAlpha"),
  userAlphaSpending = NA_real_,
  alpha0Vec = NA_real_,
  informationRates = NA_real_,
  sided = 1,
  bindingFutility = NA,
  tolerance = 1e-14,
  iterations = 0,
  seed = NA_real_
)
```

Arguments

...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
kMax	The maximum number of stages K. Must be a positive integer of length 1 (default value is 3). The maximum selectable kMax is 20 for group sequential or inverse normal and 6 for Fisher combination test designs.

alpha	The significance level alpha, default is 0.025. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
method	"equalAlpha", "fullAlpha", "noInteraction", or "userDefinedAlpha", default is "equalAlpha" (for details, see Wassmer, 1999).
userAlphaSpending	The user defined alpha spending. Numeric vector of length kMax containing the cumulative alpha-spending (Type I error rate) up to each interim stage: $0 \leq \alpha_1 \leq \dots \leq \alpha_K \leq \alpha$.
alpha0Vec	Stopping for futility bounds for stage-wise p-values.
informationRates	The information rates t_1, \dots, t_{kMax} (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax) / kMax$. For the weighted inverse normal design, the weights are derived through $w_1 = \sqrt{t_1}$, and $w_k = \sqrt{t_k - t_{(k-1)}}$. For the weighted Fisher's combination test, the weights (scales) are $w_k = \sqrt{(t_k - t_{(k-1)}) / t_1}$ (see the documentation).
sided	Is the alternative one-sided (1) or two-sided (2), default is 1. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
bindingFutility	If <code>bindingFutility = TRUE</code> is specified the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds (default is TRUE).
tolerance	The numerical tolerance, default is $1e-14$.
iterations	The number of simulation iterations, e.g., <code>getDesignFisher(iterations = 100000)</code> checks the validity of the critical values for the design. The default value of <code>iterations</code> is 0, i.e., no simulation will be executed.
seed	Seed for simulating the power for Fisher's combination test. See above, default is a random seed.

Details

`getDesignFisher()` calculates the critical values and stage levels for Fisher's combination test as described in Bauer (1989), Bauer and Koehne (1994), Bauer and Roehmel (1995), and Wassmer (1999) for equally and unequally sized stages.

Value

Returns a `TrialDesign` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

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See Also

[getDesignSet\(\)](#) for creating a set of designs to compare.

Other design functions: [getDesignCharacteristics\(\)](#), [getDesignConditionalDunnett\(\)](#), [getDesignGroupSequential\(\)](#), [getDesignInverseNormal\(\)](#), [getGroupSequentialProbabilities\(\)](#), [getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# Calculate critical values for a two-stage Fisher's combination test
# with full level alpha = 0.05 at the final stage and stopping for
# futility bound alpha0 = 0.50, as described in Bauer and Koehne (1994).
getDesignFisher(kMax = 2, method = "fullAlpha", alpha = 0.05, alpha0Vec = 0.50)
```

```
getDesignGroupSequential
```

Get Design Group Sequential

Description

Provides adjusted boundaries and defines a group sequential design.

Usage

```
getDesignGroupSequential(
  ...,
  kMax = NA_integer_,
  alpha = NA_real_,
  beta = NA_real_,
  sided = 1L,
  informationRates = NA_real_,
  futilityBounds = NA_real_,
  typeOfDesign = c("OF", "P", "WT", "PT", "HP", "WTOptimum", "asP", "asOF", "asKD",
    "asHSD", "asUser", "noEarlyEfficacy"),
  deltaWT = NA_real_,
  deltaPT1 = NA_real_,
  deltaPT0 = NA_real_,
  optimizationCriterion = c("ASNH1", "ASNIFH1", "ASNsum"),
  gammaA = NA_real_,
  typeBetaSpending = c("none", "bsP", "bsOF", "bsKD", "bsHSD", "bsUser"),
  userAlphaSpending = NA_real_,
  userBetaSpending = NA_real_,
  gammaB = NA_real_,
  bindingFutility = NA,
  betaAdjustment = NA,
  constantBoundsHP = 3,
  twoSidedPower = NA,
  delayedInformation = NA_real_,
  tolerance = 1e-08
)
```

Arguments

...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
kMax	The maximum number of stages K. Must be a positive integer of length 1 (default value is 3). The maximum selectable kMax is 20 for group sequential or inverse normal and 6 for Fisher combination test designs.
alpha	The significance level alpha, default is 0.025. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
beta	Type II error rate, necessary for providing sample size calculations (e.g., <code>getSampleSizeMeans()</code>), beta spending function designs, or optimum designs, default is 0.20. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
sided	Is the alternative one-sided (1) or two-sided (2), default is 1. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
informationRates	The information rates t_1, \dots, t_{kMax} (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax) / kMax$. For the weighted inverse normal design, the weights are derived through $w_1 = \sqrt{t_1}$, and $w_k = \sqrt{t_k - t_{(k-1)}}$. For the weighted Fisher's combination test, the weights (scales) are $w_k = \sqrt{(t_k - t_{(k-1)}) / t_1}$ (see the documentation).
futilityBounds	The futility bounds, defined on the test statistic z scale (numeric vector of length $kMax - 1$).
typeOfDesign	The type of design. Type of design is one of the following: O'Brien & Fleming ("OF"), Pocock ("P"), Wang & Tsiatis Delta class ("WT"), Pampallona & Tsiatis ("PT"), Haybittle & Peto ("HP"), Optimum design within Wang & Tsiatis class ("WToptimum"), O'Brien & Fleming type alpha spending ("asOF"), Pocock type alpha spending ("asP"), Kim & DeMets alpha spending ("asKD"), Hwang, Shi & DeCani alpha spending ("asHSD"), user defined alpha spending ("asUser"), no early efficacy stop ("noEarlyEfficacy"), default is "OF".
deltaWT	Delta for Wang & Tsiatis Delta class.
deltaPT1	Delta1 for Pampallona & Tsiatis class rejecting H0 boundaries.
deltaPT0	Delta0 for Pampallona & Tsiatis class rejecting H1 boundaries.
optimizationCriterion	Optimization criterion for optimum design within Wang & Tsiatis class ("ASNH1", "ASNIFH1", "ASNsum"), default is "ASNH1", see details.
gammaA	Parameter for alpha spending function.
typeBetaSpending	Type of beta spending. Type of beta spending is one of the following: O'Brien & Fleming type beta spending, Pocock type beta spending, Kim & DeMets beta spending, Hwang, Shi & DeCani beta spending, user defined beta spending ("bsOF", "bsP", "bsKD", "bsHSD", "bsUser", default is "none").
userAlphaSpending	The user defined alpha spending. Numeric vector of length kMax containing the cumulative alpha-spending (Type I error rate) up to each interim stage: $0 \leq \alpha_1 \leq \dots \leq \alpha_K \leq \alpha$.
userBetaSpending	The user defined beta spending. Vector of length kMax containing the cumulative beta-spending up to each interim stage.
gammaB	Parameter for beta spending function.

bindingFutility	Logical. If <code>bindingFutility = TRUE</code> is specified the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds and the futility threshold is binding in the sense that the study must be stopped if the futility condition was reached (default is FALSE).
betaAdjustment	For two-sided beta spending designs, if <code>betaAdjustment = TRUE</code> a linear adjustment of the beta spending values is performed if an overlapping of decision regions for futility stopping at earlier stages occurs, otherwise no adjustment is performed (default is TRUE).
constantBoundsHP	The constant bounds up to stage <code>kMax - 1</code> for the Haybittle & Peto design (default is 3).
twoSidedPower	For two-sided testing, if <code>twoSidedPower = TRUE</code> is specified the sample size calculation is performed by considering both tails of the distribution. Default is FALSE, i.e., it is assumed that one tail probability is equal to 0 or the power should be directed to one part.
delayedInformation	Delay of information for delayed response designs. Can be a numeric value or a numeric vector of length <code>kMax - 1</code>
tolerance	The numerical tolerance, default is <code>1e-08</code> .

Details

Depending on `typeOfDesign` some parameters are specified, others not. For example, only if `typeOfDesign "asHSD"` is selected, `gammaA` needs to be specified.

If an alpha spending approach was specified ("`asOF`", "`asP`", "`asKD`", "`asHSD`", or "`asUser`") additionally a beta spending function can be specified to produce futility bounds.

For optimum designs, "`ASNH1`" minimizes the expected sample size under H_1 , "`ASNIFH1`" minimizes the sum of the maximum sample and the expected sample size under H_1 , and "`ASNsum`" minimizes the sum of the maximum sample size, the expected sample size under a value midway H_0 and H_1 , and the expected sample size under H_1 .

Value

Returns a `TrialDesign` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

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See Also

[getDesignSet\(\)](#) for creating a set of designs to compare different designs.

Other design functions: [getDesignCharacteristics\(\)](#), [getDesignConditionalDunnett\(\)](#), [getDesignFisher\(\)](#), [getDesignInverseNormal\(\)](#), [getGroupSequentialProbabilities\(\)](#), [getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# Calculate two-sided critical values for a four-stage
# Wang & Tsiatis design with Delta = 0.25 at level alpha = 0.05
getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 4, alpha = 0.05, sided = 2,
  typeOfDesign = "WT", deltaWT = 0.25)

## Not run:
# Calculate one-sided critical values and binding futility bounds for a three-stage
# design with alpha- and beta-spending functions according to Kim & DeMets with gamma = 2.5
# (planned informationRates as specified, default alpha = 0.025 and beta = 0.2)
getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 3, informationRates = c(0.3, 0.75, 1),
  typeOfDesign = "asKD", gammaA = 2.5, typeBetaSpending = "bsKD",
  gammaB = 2.5, bindingFutility = TRUE)

## End(Not run)

# Calculate the Pocock type alpha spending critical values if the first
# interim analysis was performed after 40% of the maximum information was observed
# and the second after 70% of the maximum information was observed (default alpha = 0.025)
getDesignGroupSequential(informationRates = c(0.4, 0.7), typeOfDesign = "asP")
```

```
getDesignInverseNormal
```

Get Design Inverse Normal

Description

Provides adjusted boundaries and defines a group sequential design for its use in the inverse normal combination test.

Usage

```
getDesignInverseNormal(
  ...,
  kMax = NA_integer_,
  alpha = NA_real_,
  beta = NA_real_,
  sided = 1L,
  informationRates = NA_real_,
  futilityBounds = NA_real_,
  typeOfDesign = c("OF", "P", "WT", "PT", "HP", "WTOptimum", "asP", "asOF", "asKD",
    "asHSD", "asUser", "noEarlyEfficacy"),
  deltaWT = NA_real_,
  deltaPT1 = NA_real_,
  deltaPT0 = NA_real_,
```



```

optimizationCriterion = c("ASNH1", "ASNIFH1", "ASNsum"),
gammaA = NA_real_,
typeBetaSpending = c("none", "bsP", "bsOF", "bsKD", "bsHSD", "bsUser"),
userAlphaSpending = NA_real_,
userBetaSpending = NA_real_,
gammaB = NA_real_,
bindingFutility = NA,
betaAdjustment = NA,
constantBoundsHP = 3,
twoSidedPower = NA,
tolerance = 1e-08
)

```

Arguments

...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
kMax	The maximum number of stages K. Must be a positive integer of length 1 (default value is 3). The maximum selectable kMax is 20 for group sequential or inverse normal and 6 for Fisher combination test designs.
alpha	The significance level alpha, default is 0.025. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
beta	Type II error rate, necessary for providing sample size calculations (e.g., getSampleSizeMeans()), beta spending function designs, or optimum designs, default is 0.20. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
sided	Is the alternative one-sided (1) or two-sided (2), default is 1. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
informationRates	The information rates t_1, \dots, t_{kMax} (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax) / kMax$. For the weighted inverse normal design, the weights are derived through $w_1 = \sqrt{t_1}$, and $w_k = \sqrt{t_k - t_{(k-1)}}$. For the weighted Fisher's combination test, the weights (scales) are $w_k = \sqrt{(t_k - t_{(k-1)}) / t_1}$ (see the documentation).
futilityBounds	The futility bounds, defined on the test statistic z scale (numeric vector of length kMax - 1).
typeOfDesign	The type of design. Type of design is one of the following: O'Brien & Fleming ("OF"), Pocock ("P"), Wang & Tsiatis Delta class ("WT"), Pampallona & Tsiatis ("PT"), Haybittle & Peto ("HP"), Optimum design within Wang & Tsiatis class ("WToptimum"), O'Brien & Fleming type alpha spending ("asOF"), Pocock type alpha spending ("asP"), Kim & DeMets alpha spending ("askD"), Hwang, Shi & DeCani alpha spending ("ashSD"), user defined alpha spending ("asUser"), no early efficacy stop ("noEarlyEfficacy"), default is "OF".
deltaWT	Delta for Wang & Tsiatis Delta class.
deltaPT1	Delta1 for Pampallona & Tsiatis class rejecting H0 boundaries.
deltaPT0	Delta0 for Pampallona & Tsiatis class rejecting H1 boundaries.
optimizationCriterion	Optimization criterion for optimum design within Wang & Tsiatis class ("ASNH1", "ASNIFH1", "ASNsum"), default is "ASNH1", see details.
gammaA	Parameter for alpha spending function.

typeBetaSpending	Type of beta spending. Type of beta spending is one of the following: O'Brien & Fleming type beta spending, Pocock type beta spending, Kim & DeMets beta spending, Hwang, Shi & DeCani beta spending, user defined beta spending ("bsOF", "bsP", "bsKD", "bsHSD", "bsUser", default is "none").
userAlphaSpending	The user defined alpha spending. Numeric vector of length kMax containing the cumulative alpha-spending (Type I error rate) up to each interim stage: $0 \leq \alpha_1 \leq \dots \leq \alpha_K \leq \alpha$.
userBetaSpending	The user defined beta spending. Vector of length kMax containing the cumulative beta-spending up to each interim stage.
gammaB	Parameter for beta spending function.
bindingFutility	Logical. If bindingFutility = TRUE is specified the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds and the futility threshold is binding in the sense that the study must be stopped if the futility condition was reached (default is FALSE).
betaAdjustment	For two-sided beta spending designs, if betaAdjustment = TRUE a linear adjustment of the beta spending values is performed if an overlapping of decision regions for futility stopping at earlier stages occurs, otherwise no adjustment is performed (default is TRUE).
constantBoundsHP	The constant bounds up to stage kMax - 1 for the Haybittle & Peto design (default is 3).
twoSidedPower	For two-sided testing, if twoSidedPower = TRUE is specified the sample size calculation is performed by considering both tails of the distribution. Default is FALSE, i.e., it is assumed that one tail probability is equal to 0 or the power should be directed to one part.
tolerance	The numerical tolerance, default is $1e-08$.

Details

Depending on typeOfDesign some parameters are specified, others not. For example, only if typeOfDesign "asHSD" is selected, gammaA needs to be specified.

If an alpha spending approach was specified ("asOF", "asP", "asKD", "asHSD", or "asUser") additionally a beta spending function can be specified to produce futility bounds.

For optimum designs, "ASNH1" minimizes the expected sample size under H1, "ASNIFH1" minimizes the sum of the maximum sample and the expected sample size under H1, and "ASNSum" minimizes the sum of the maximum sample size, the expected sample size under a value midway H0 and H1, and the expected sample size under H1.

Value

Returns a [TrialDesign](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,

- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

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See Also

`getDesignSet()` for creating a set of designs to compare different designs.

Other design functions: `getDesignCharacteristics()`, `getDesignConditionalDunnett()`, `getDesignFisher()`, `getDesignGroupSequential()`, `getGroupSequentialProbabilities()`, `getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber()`

Examples

```
# Calculate two-sided critical values for a four-stage
# Wang & Tsiatis design with Delta = 0.25 at level alpha = 0.05
getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 4, alpha = 0.05, sided = 2,
  typeOfDesign = "WT", deltaWT = 0.25)

# Defines a two-stage design at one-sided alpha = 0.025 with provision of early stopping
# if the one-sided p-value exceeds 0.5 at interim and no early stopping for efficacy.
# The futility bound is non-binding.
getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2, typeOfDesign = "noEarlyEfficacy", futilityBounds = 0)

## Not run:
# Calculate one-sided critical values and binding futility bounds for a three-stage
# design with alpha- and beta-spending functions according to Kim & DeMets with gamma = 2.5
# (planned informationRates as specified, default alpha = 0.025 and beta = 0.2)
getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 3, informationRates = c(0.3, 0.75, 1),
  typeOfDesign = "asKD", gammaA = 2.5, typeBetaSpending = "bsKD",
  gammaB = 2.5, bindingFutility = TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

getDesignSet

Get Design Set

Description

Creates a trial design set object and returns it.

Usage

```
getDesignSet(...)
```

Arguments

- ... designs or design and one or more design parameters, e.g., `deltaWT = c(0.1, 0.3, 0.4)`.
- `design` The master design (optional, you need to specify an additional parameter that shall be varied).
 - `designs` The designs to compare (optional, you need to specify the variable `variedParameters`).

Details

Specify a master design and one or more design parameters or a list of designs.

Value

Returns a `TrialDesignSet` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names` to obtain the field names,
- `length` to obtain the number of design,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

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Examples

```
# Example 1
design <- getDesignGroupSequential(
  alpha = 0.05, kMax = 6,
  sided = 2, typeOfDesign = "WT", deltaWT = 0.1
)
designSet <- getDesignSet()
designSet$add(design = design, deltaWT = c(0.3, 0.4))
## Not run:
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(designSet, type = 1)

## End(Not run)

# Example 2 (shorter script)
design <- getDesignGroupSequential(
  alpha = 0.05, kMax = 6,
  sided = 2, typeOfDesign = "WT", deltaWT = 0.1
)
```

```

designSet <- getDesignSet(design = design, deltaWT = c(0.3, 0.4))
## Not run:
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(designSet, type = 1)

## End(Not run)

# Example 3 (use of designs instead of design)
d1 <- getDesignGroupSequential(
  alpha = 0.05, kMax = 2,
  sided = 1, beta = 0.2, typeOfDesign = "asHSD",
  gammaA = 0.5, typeBetaSpending = "bsHSD", gammaB = 0.5
)
d2 <- getDesignGroupSequential(
  alpha = 0.05, kMax = 4,
  sided = 1, beta = 0.2, typeOfDesign = "asP",
  typeBetaSpending = "bsP"
)
designSet <- getDesignSet(
  designs = c(d1, d2),
  variedParameters = c("typeOfDesign", "kMax")
)
## Not run:
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(designSet, type = 8, nMax = 20)

## End(Not run)

```

getEventProbabilities *Get Event Probabilities*

Description

Returns the event probabilities for specified parameters at given time vector.

Usage

```

getEventProbabilities(
  time,
  ...,
  accrualTime = c(0, 12),
  accrualIntensity = 0.1,
  accrualIntensityType = c("auto", "absolute", "relative"),
  kappa = 1,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = NA_real_,
  lambda2 = NA_real_,
  lambda1 = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = 1,
  hazardRatio = NA_real_,
  dropoutRate1 = 0,
  dropoutRate2 = 0,
  dropoutTime = 12,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_
)

```

Arguments

time	A numeric vector with time values.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
accrualTime	The assumed accrual time intervals for the study, default is $c(0, 12)$ (for details see getAccrualTime()).
accrualIntensity	A numeric vector of accrual intensities, default is the relative intensity 0.1 (for details see getAccrualTime()).
accrualIntensityType	A character value specifying the accrual intensity input type. Must be one of "auto", "absolute", or "relative"; default is "auto", i.e., if all values are < 1 the type is "relative", otherwise it is "absolute".
kappa	A numeric value > 0 . A $\text{kappa} \neq 1$ will be used for the specification of the shape of the Weibull distribution. Default is 1, i.e., the exponential survival distribution is used instead of the Weibull distribution. Note that the Weibull distribution cannot be used for the piecewise definition of the survival time distribution, i.e., only <code>piecewiseLambda</code> (as a single value) and <code>kappa</code> can be specified. This function is equivalent to <code>pweibull(t, shape = kappa, scale = 1 / lambda)</code> of the stats package, i.e., the scale parameter is $1 / \text{'hazard rate'}$. For example, <code>getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(time = 130, piecewiseLambda = 0.01, kappa = 4.2)</code> and <code>pweibull(q = 130, shape = 4.2, scale = 1 / 0.01)</code> provide the sample result.
piecewiseSurvivalTime	A vector that specifies the time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function (for details see getPiecewiseSurvivalTime()).
lambda2	The assumed hazard rate in the reference group, there is no default. <code>lambda2</code> can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
lambda1	The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group, there is no default. <code>lambda1</code> can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. If <code>allocationRatioPlanned = 0</code> is entered, the optimal allocation ratio yielding the smallest overall sample size is determined.
hazardRatio	The vector of hazard ratios under consideration. If the event or hazard rates in both treatment groups are defined, the hazard ratio needs not to be specified as it is calculated, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
dropoutRate1	The assumed drop-out rate in the treatment group, default is 0.
dropoutRate2	The assumed drop-out rate in the control group, default is 0.
dropoutTime	The assumed time for drop-out rates in the control and the treatment group, default is 12.
maxNumberOfSubjects	If <code>maxNumberOfSubjects > 0</code> is specified, the end of accrual at specified <code>accrualIntensity</code> for the specified number of subjects is determined or <code>accrualIntensity</code> is calculated at fixed end of accrual.

Details

The function computes the overall event probabilities in a two treatment groups design. For details of the parameters see [getSampleSizeSurvival\(\)](#).

Value

Returns a [EventProbabilities](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [data.frame](#),
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [matrix](#).

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Examples

```
# Calculate event probabilities for staggered subjects' entry, piecewisely defined
# survival time and hazards, and plot it.
timeVector <- seq(0, 100, 1)
y <- getEventProbabilities(timeVector, accrualTime = c(0, 20, 60),
  accrualIntensity = c(5, 20),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 20, 80),
  lambda2 = c(0.02, 0.06, 0.1),
  hazardRatio = 2
)
## Not run:
plot(timeVector, y$cumulativeEventProbabilities, type = 'l')

## End(Not run)
```

```
getFinalConfidenceInterval
```

Get Final Confidence Interval

Description

Returns the final confidence interval for the parameter of interest. It is based on the prototype case, i.e., the test for testing a mean for normally distributed variables.

Usage

```
getFinalConfidenceInterval(
  design,
  dataInput,
  ...,
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  thetaH0 = NA_real_,
  tolerance = 1e-06,
  stage = NA_integer_
)
```

Arguments

design	The trial design.
dataInput	The summary data used for calculating the test results. This is either an element of DatasetMeans, of DatasetRates, or of DatasetSurvival and should be created with the function <code>getDataset()</code> . For more information see <code>getDataset()</code> .
...	Further (optional) arguments to be passed:
	<p><code>normalApproximation</code> The type of computation of the p-values. Default is FALSE for testing means (i.e., the t test is used) and TRUE for testing rates and the hazard ratio. For testing rates, if <code>normalApproximation = FALSE</code> is specified, the binomial test (one sample) or the exact test of Fisher (two samples) is used for calculating the p-values. In the survival setting, <code>normalApproximation = FALSE</code> has no effect.</p> <p><code>equalVariances</code> The type of t test. For testing means in two treatment groups, either the t test assuming that the variances are equal or the t test without assuming this, i.e., the test of Welch-Satterthwaite is calculated, default is TRUE.</p>
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
thetaH0	<p>The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio).</p> <p>For non-inferiority designs, <code>thetaH0</code> is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: hazard ratio = $\text{thetaH0} \neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \text{thetaH0} \neq 1$ can be specified. <p>For testing a rate in one sample, a value <code>thetaH0</code> in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0: $\pi = \text{thetaH0}$.</p>
tolerance	The numerical tolerance, default is 1e-06. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

stage The stage number (optional). Default: total number of existing stages in the data input.

Details

Depending on design and dataInput the final confidence interval and median unbiased estimate that is based on the stage-wise ordering of the sample space will be calculated and returned. Additionally, a non-standardized ("general") version is provided, the estimated standard deviation must be used to obtain the confidence interval for the parameter of interest.

For the inverse normal combination test design with more than two stages, a warning informs that the validity of the confidence interval is theoretically shown only if no sample size change was performed.

Value

Returns a `list` containing

- finalStage,
- medianUnbiased,
- finalConfidenceInterval,
- medianUnbiasedGeneral, and
- finalConfidenceIntervalGeneral.

See Also

Other analysis functions: [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#), [getClosedCombinationTestResults\(\)](#), [getClosedConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalRejectionProbabilities\(\)](#), [getFinalPValue\(\)](#), [getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals\(\)](#), [getRepeatedPValues\(\)](#), [getStageResults\(\)](#), [getTestActions\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2)
data <- getDataset(
  n = c(20, 30),
  means = c(50, 51),
  stDevs = c(130, 140)
)
getFinalConfidenceInterval(design, dataInput = data)

## End(Not run)
```

getFinalPValue

Get Final P Value

Description

Returns the final p-value for given stage results.

Usage

```
getFinalPValue(stageResults, ...)
```

Arguments

stageResults The results at given stage, obtained from [getStageResults\(\)](#).
 ... Only available for backward compatibility.

Details

The calculation of the final p-value is based on the stage-wise ordering of the sample space. This enables the calculation for both the non-adaptive and the adaptive case. For Fisher's combination test, it is available for kMax = 2 only.

Value

Returns a [list](#) containing

- finalStage,
- pFinal.

See Also

Other analysis functions: [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#), [getClosedCombinationTestResults\(\)](#), [getClosedConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalRejectionProbabilities\(\)](#), [getFinalConfidenceInterval\(\)](#), [getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals\(\)](#), [getRepeatedPValues\(\)](#), [getStageResults\(\)](#), [getTestActions\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2)
data <- getDataset(
  n      = c( 20,  30),
  means  = c( 50,  51),
  stDevs = c(130, 140)
)
getFinalPValue(getStageResults(design, dataInput = data))

## End(Not run)
```

```
getGroupSequentialProbabilities
      Get Group Sequential Probabilities
```

Description

Calculates probabilities in the group sequential setting.

Usage

```
getGroupSequentialProbabilities(decisionMatrix, informationRates)
```

Arguments

`decisionMatrix` A matrix with either 2 or 4 rows and $kMax = \text{length}(\text{informationRates})$ columns, see details.

`informationRates`

The information rates t_1, \dots, t_{kMax} (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax) / kMax$. For the weighted inverse normal design, the weights are derived through $w_1 = \sqrt{t_1}$, and $w_k = \sqrt{t_k - t_{(k-1)}}$. For the weighted Fisher's combination test, the weights (scales) are $w_k = \sqrt{(t_k - t_{(k-1)}) / t_1}$ (see the documentation).

Details

Given a sequence of information rates (fixing the correlation structure), and `decisionMatrix` with either 2 or 4 rows and $kMax = \text{length}(\text{informationRates})$ columns, this function calculates a probability matrix containing, for two rows, the probabilities:

$P(Z_1 < -l_1), P(l_1 < Z_1 < u_1, Z_2 < l_1), \dots, P(l_{kMax-1} < Z_{kMax-1} < u_{kMax-1}, Z_{kMax} < l_{kMax})$

$P(Z_1 < u_1), P(l_1 < Z_1 < u_1, Z_2 < u_1), \dots, P(l_{kMax-1} < Z_{kMax-1} < u_{kMax-1}, Z_{kMax} < u_{kMax})$

$P(Z_1 < \text{Inf}), P(l_1 < Z_1 < u_1, Z_2 < \text{Inf}), \dots, P(l_{kMax-1} < Z_{kMax-1} < u_{kMax-1}, Z_{kMax} < \text{Inf})$

with continuation matrix

l_1, \dots, l_{kMax}

u_1, \dots, u_{kMax}

For 4 rows, the continuation region contains of two regions and the probability matrix is obtained analogously (cf., Wassmer and Brannath, 2016).

Value

Returns a numeric matrix containing the probabilities described in the details section.

See Also

Other design functions: [getDesignCharacteristics\(\)](#), [getDesignConditionalDunnett\(\)](#), [getDesignFisher\(\)](#), [getDesignGroupSequential\(\)](#), [getDesignInverseNormal\(\)](#), [getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# Calculate Type I error rates in the two-sided group sequential setting when
# performing kMax interim stages with constant critical boundaries at level alpha:
alpha <- 0.05
kMax <- 10
decisionMatrix <- matrix(c(
  rep(-qnorm(1 - alpha / 2), kMax),
  rep(qnorm(1 - alpha / 2), kMax)
), nrow = 2, byrow = TRUE)
informationRates <- (1:kMax) / kMax
probs <- getGroupSequentialProbabilities(decisionMatrix, informationRates)
cumsum(probs[3, ] - probs[2, ] + probs[1, ])

# Do the same for a one-sided design without futility boundaries:
decisionMatrix <- matrix(c(
  rep(-Inf, kMax),
  rep(qnorm(1 - alpha), kMax)

```

```

), nrow = 2, byrow = TRUE)
informationRates <- (1:kMax) / kMax
probs <- getGroupSequentialProbabilities(decisionMatrix, informationRates)
cumsum(probs[3, ] - probs[2, ])

# Check that two-sided Pampallona and Tsiatis boundaries with binding
# futility bounds obtain Type I error probabilities equal to alpha:
x <- getDesignGroupSequential(
  alpha = 0.05, beta = 0.1, kMax = 3, typeOfDesign = "PT",
  deltaPT0 = 0, deltaPT1 = 0.4, sided = 2, bindingFutility = TRUE
)
dm <- matrix(c(
  -x$criticalValues, -x$futilityBounds, 0,
  x$futilityBounds, 0, x$criticalValues
), nrow = 4, byrow = TRUE)
dm[is.na(dm)] <- 0
probs <- getGroupSequentialProbabilities(
  decisionMatrix = dm, informationRates = (1:3) / 3
)
sum(probs[5, ] - probs[4, ] + probs[1, ])

# Check the Type I error rate decrease when using non-binding futility bounds:
x <- getDesignGroupSequential(
  alpha = 0.05, beta = 0.1, kMax = 3, typeOfDesign = "PT",
  deltaPT0 = 0, deltaPT1 = 0.4, sided = 2, bindingFutility = FALSE
)
dm <- matrix(c(
  -x$criticalValues, -x$futilityBounds, 0,
  x$futilityBounds, 0, x$criticalValues
), nrow = 4, byrow = TRUE)
dm[is.na(dm)] <- 0
probs <- getGroupSequentialProbabilities(
  decisionMatrix = dm, informationRates = (1:3) / 3
)
sum(probs[5, ] - probs[4, ] + probs[1, ])

```

getLambdaStepFunction *Get Lambda Step Function*

Description

Calculates the lambda step values for a given time vector.

Usage

```
getLambdaStepFunction(timeValues, ..., piecewiseSurvivalTime, piecewiseLambda)
```

Arguments

timeValues	A numeric vector that specifies the time values for which the lambda step values shall be calculated.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

piecewiseSurvivalTime

A numeric vector that specifies the time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function (see details).

piecewiseLambda

A numeric vector that specifies the assumed hazard rate in the treatment group.

Details

The first element of the vector `piecewiseSurvivalTime` must be equal to 0. This function is used for plotting of sample size survival results (cf., [plot](#), `type = 13` and `type = 14`).

Value

A numeric vector containing the lambda step values that corresponds to the specified time values.

getLogLevel

Get Log Level

Description

Returns the current rpact log level.

Usage

```
getLogLevel()
```

Details

This function gets the log level of the rpact internal log message system.

Value

Returns a [character](#) of length 1 specifying the current log level.

See Also

- [setLogLevel\(\)](#) for setting the log level,
- [resetLogLevel\(\)](#) for resetting the log level to default.

Examples

```
# show current log level
getLogLevel()
```

getLongFormat	<i>Get Long Format</i>
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Description

Returns the specified dataset as a `data.frame` in so-called long format.

Usage

```
getLongFormat(dataInput)
```

Details

In the long format (narrow, stacked), the data are presented with one column containing all the values and another column listing the context of the value, i.e., the data for the different groups are in one column and the dataset contains an additional "group" column.

Value

A `data.frame` will be returned.

See Also

[getWideFormat\(\)](#) for returning the dataset as a `data.frame` in wide format.

getNumberOfSubjects	<i>Get Number Of Subjects</i>
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Description

Returns the number of recruited subjects at given time vector.

Usage

```
getNumberOfSubjects(  
  time,  
  ...,  
  accrualTime = c(0, 12),  
  accrualIntensity = 0.1,  
  accrualIntensityType = c("auto", "absolute", "relative"),  
  maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_  
)
```

Arguments

time	A numeric vector with time values.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
accrualTime	The assumed accrual time intervals for the study, default is <code>c(0, 12)</code> (for details see getAccrualTime()).
accrualIntensity	A numeric vector of accrual intensities, default is the relative intensity 0.1 (for details see getAccrualTime()).
accrualIntensityType	A character value specifying the accrual intensity input type. Must be one of "auto", "absolute", or "relative"; default is "auto", i.e., if all values are < 1 the type is "relative", otherwise it is "absolute".
maxNumberOfSubjects	If <code>maxNumberOfSubjects > 0</code> is specified, the end of accrual at specified <code>accrualIntensity</code> for the specified number of subjects is determined or <code>accrualIntensity</code> is calculated at fixed end of accrual.

Details

Calculate number of subjects over time range at given accrual time vector and accrual intensity. Intensity can either be defined in absolute or relative terms (for the latter, `maxNumberOfSubjects` needs to be defined)
The function is used by [getSampleSizeSurvival\(\)](#).

Value

Returns a `NumberOfSubjects` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

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See Also

[AccrualTime](#) for defining the accrual time.

Examples

```
getNumberOfSubjects(time = seq(10, 70, 10), accrualTime = c(0, 20, 60),
  accrualIntensity = c(5, 20))
```

```
getNumberOfSubjects(time = seq(10, 70, 10), accrualTime = c(0, 20, 60),
  accrualIntensity = c(0.1, 0.4), maxNumberOfSubjects = 900)
```

```
getObservedInformationRates
```

Get Observed Information Rates

Description

Recalculates the observed information rates from the specified dataset.

Usage

```
getObservedInformationRates(
  dataInput,
  ...,
  maxInformation = NULL,
  informationEpsilon = NULL,
  stage = NA_integer_
)
```

Arguments

<code>dataInput</code>	The dataset for which the information rates shall be recalculated.
<code>...</code>	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
<code>maxInformation</code>	Positive integer value specifying the maximum information.
<code>informationEpsilon</code>	Positive integer value specifying the absolute information epsilon, which defines the maximum distance from the observed information to the maximum information that causes the final analysis. Updates at the final analysis in case the observed information at the final analysis is smaller ("under-running") than the planned maximum information <code>maxInformation</code> , default is 0. Alternatively, a floating-point number > 0 and < 1 can be specified to define a relative information epsilon.
<code>stage</code>	The stage number (optional). Default: total number of existing stages in the data input.

Details

For means and rates the maximum information is the maximum number of subjects or the relative proportion if `informationEpsilon < 1`; for survival data it is the maximum number of events or the relative proportion if `informationEpsilon < 1`.

Value

Returns a list that summarizes the observed information rates.

See Also

- [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#) for using `getObservedInformationRates()` implicit,
- www.rpact.org/vignettes/planning/rpact_boundary_update_example

Examples

```
# Absolute information epsilon:
# decision rule 45 >= 46 - 1, i.e., under-running
data <- getDataset(
  overallN = c(22, 45),
  overallEvents = c(11, 28)
)
getObservedInformationRates(data,
  maxInformation = 46, informationEpsilon = 1
)

# Relative information epsilon:
# last information rate = 45/46 = 0.9783,
# is > 1 - 0.03 = 0.97, i.e., under-running
data <- getDataset(
  overallN = c(22, 45),
  overallEvents = c(11, 28)
)
getObservedInformationRates(data,
  maxInformation = 46, informationEpsilon = 0.03
)
```

`getOutputFormat`*Get Output Format*

Description

With this function the format of the standard outputs of all rpact objects can be shown and written to a file.

Usage

```
getOutputFormat(
  parameterName = NA_character_,
  ...,
  file = NA_character_,
  default = FALSE,
  fields = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

parameterName	The name of the parameter whose output format shall be returned. Leave the default NA_character_ if the output format of all parameters shall be returned.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
file	An optional file name where to write the output formats (see Details for more information).
default	If TRUE the default output format of the specified parameter(s) will be returned, default is FALSE.
fields	If TRUE the names of all affected object fields will be displayed, default is TRUE.

Details

Output formats can be written to a text file by specifying a file. See [setOutputFormat\(\)](#) to learn how to read a formerly saved file.

Note that the parameterName must not match exactly, e.g., for p-values the following parameter names will be recognized amongst others:

1. p value
2. p.values
3. p-value
4. pValue
5. rpact.output.format.p.value

Value

A named list of output formats.

See Also

Other output formats: [setOutputFormat\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# show output format of p values
getOutputFormat("p.value")
## Not run:
# set new p value output format
setOutputFormat("p.value", digits = 5, nsmall = 5)

# show sample sizes as smallest integers not less than the not rounded values
setOutputFormat("sample size", digits = 0, nsmall = 0, roundFunction = "ceiling")
getSampleSizeMeans()

# show sample sizes as smallest integers not greater than the not rounded values
setOutputFormat("sample size", digits = 0, nsmall = 0, roundFunction = "floor")
getSampleSizeMeans()

# set new sample size output format without round function
setOutputFormat("sample size", digits = 2, nsmall = 2)
getSampleSizeMeans()
```

```
# reset sample size output format to default
setOutputFormat("sample size")
getSampleSizeMeans()
getOutputFormat("sample size")

## End(Not run)
```

getParameterCaption *Get Parameter Caption*

Description

Returns the parameter caption for a given object and parameter name.

Usage

```
getParameterCaption(obj, parameterName)
```

Details

This function identifies and returns the caption that will be used in print outputs of an rpact result object.

Value

Returns a [character](#) of specifying the corresponding caption of a given parameter name. Returns NULL if the specified parameterName does not exist.

See Also

[getParameterName\(\)](#) for getting the parameter name for a given caption.

Examples

```
getParameterCaption(getDesignInverseNormal(), "kMax")
```

getParameterName *Get Parameter Name*

Description

Returns the parameter name for a given object and parameter caption.

Usage

```
getParameterName(obj, parameterCaption)
```

Details

This function identifies and returns the parameter name for a given caption that will be used in print outputs of an rpact result object.

Value

Returns a [character](#) of specifying the corresponding name of a given parameter caption. Returns NULL if the specified parameterCaption does not exist.

See Also

[getParameterCaption\(\)](#) for getting the parameter caption for a given name.

Examples

```
getParameterName(getDesignInverseNormal(), "Maximum number of stages")
```

getPerformanceScore *Get Performance Score*

Description

Calculates the conditional performance score, its sub-scores and components according to (Herrmann et al. (2020), [doi:10.1002/sim.8534](#)) and (Bokelmann et al. (2024), [doi:10.1186/s12874024-021504](#)) for a given simulation result from a two-stage design with continuous or binary endpoint. Larger (sub-)score and component values refer to a better performance.

Usage

```
getPerformanceScore(simulationResult)
```

Arguments

simulationResult
A simulation result.

Details

The conditional performance score consists of two sub-scores, one for the sample size (subscoreSampleSize) and one for the conditional power (subscoreConditionalPower). Each of those are composed of a location (locationSampleSize, locationConditionalPower) and variation component (variationSampleSize, variationConditionalPower). The term conditional refers to an evaluation perspective where the interim results suggest a trial continuation with a second stage. The score can take values between 0 and 1. More details on the performance score can be found in Herrmann et al. (2020), [doi:10.1002/sim.8534](#) and Bokelmann et al. (2024) [doi:10.1186/s12874024021504](#).

Author(s)

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Examples

```

## Not run:
# Example from Table 3 in "A new conditional performance score for
# the evaluation of adaptive group sequential designs with sample size
# recalculation from Herrmann et al 2023", p. 2097 for
# Observed Conditional Power approach and Delta = 0.5

# Create two-stage Pocock design with binding futility boundary at 0
design <- getDesignGroupSequential(
  kMax = 2, typeOfDesign = "P",
  futilityBounds = 0, bindingFutility = TRUE)

# Initialize sample sizes and effect;
# Sample sizes are referring to overall stage-wise sample sizes
n1 <- 100
n2 <- 100
nMax <- n1 + n2
alternative <- 0.5

# Perform Simulation; nMax * 1.5 defines the maximum
# sample size for the additional stage
simulationResult <- getSimulationMeans(
  design = design,
  normalApproximation = TRUE,
  thetaH0 = 0,
  alternative = alternative,
  plannedSubjects = c(n1, nMax),
  minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = c(NA_real_, 1),
  maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = c(NA_real_, nMax * 1.5),
  conditionalPower = 0.8,
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 1e05,
  seed = 140
)

# Calculate performance score
getPerformanceScore(simulationResult)

## End(Not run)

```

```
getPiecewiseSurvivalTime
```

Get Piecewise Survival Time

Description

Returns a `PiecewiseSurvivalTime` object that contains the all relevant parameters of an exponential survival time cumulative distribution function. Use `names` to obtain the field names.

Usage

```
getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = NA_real_,
```

```

...,
lambda1 = NA_real_,
lambda2 = NA_real_,
hazardRatio = NA_real_,
pi1 = NA_real_,
pi2 = NA_real_,
median1 = NA_real_,
median2 = NA_real_,
eventTime = 12,
kappa = 1,
delayedResponseAllowed = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

piecewiseSurvivalTime	A vector that specifies the time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function (see details).
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
lambda1	The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group, there is no default. lambda1 can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
lambda2	The assumed hazard rate in the reference group, there is no default. lambda2 can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
hazardRatio	The vector of hazard ratios under consideration. If the event or hazard rates in both treatment groups are defined, the hazard ratio needs not to be specified as it is calculated, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
pi1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed event rate in the treatment group, default is $\text{seq}(0.2, 0.5, 0.1)$ (power calculations and simulations) or $\text{seq}(0.4, 0.6, 0.1)$ (sample size calculations).
pi2	A numeric value that represents the assumed event rate in the control group, default is 0.2.
median1	The assumed median survival time in the treatment group, there is no default.
median2	The assumed median survival time in the reference group, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
eventTime	The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated, default is 12.
kappa	A numeric value > 0 . A $\text{kappa} \neq 1$ will be used for the specification of the shape of the Weibull distribution. Default is 1, i.e., the exponential survival distribution is used instead of the Weibull distribution. Note that the Weibull distribution cannot be used for the piecewise definition of the survival time distribution, i.e., only piecewiseLambda (as a single value) and kappa can be specified. This function is equivalent to $\text{pweibull}(t, \text{shape} = \text{kappa}, \text{scale} = 1 / \text{lambda})$ of the stats package, i.e., the scale parameter is $1 / \text{'hazard rate'}$. For example, $\text{getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution}(\text{time} = 130, \text{piecewiseLambda} = 0.01, \text{kappa} = 4.2)$ and $\text{pweibull}(q = 130, \text{shape} = 4.2, \text{scale} = 1 / 0.01)$ provide the sample result.
delayedResponseAllowed	If TRUE, delayed response is allowed; otherwise it will be validated that the response is not delayed, default is FALSE.

Value

Returns a `PiecewiseSurvivalTime` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

Piecewise survival time

The first element of the vector `piecewiseSurvivalTime` must be equal to 0. `piecewiseSurvivalTime` can also be a list that combines the definition of the time intervals and hazard rates in the reference group. The definition of the survival time in the treatment group is obtained by the specification of the hazard ratio (see examples for details).

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

Examples

```
getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(lambda2 = 0.5, hazardRatio = 0.8)

getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(lambda2 = 0.5, lambda1 = 0.4)

getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(pi2 = 0.5, hazardRatio = 0.8)

getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(pi2 = 0.5, pi1 = 0.4)

getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(pi1 = 0.3)

getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(hazardRatio = c(0.6, 0.8), lambda2 = 0.4)

getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 6, 9),
  lambda2 = c(0.025, 0.04, 0.015), hazardRatio = 0.8)

getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 6, 9),
  lambda2 = c(0.025, 0.04, 0.015),
  lambda1 = c(0.025, 0.04, 0.015) * 0.8)

pwst <- getPiecewiseSurvivalTime(list(
  "0 - <6" = 0.025,
  "6 - <9" = 0.04,
  "9 - <15" = 0.015,
  "15 - <21" = 0.01,
  ">=21" = 0.007), hazardRatio = 0.75)
pwst
```

```
## Not run:  
# The object created by getPiecewiseSurvivalTime() can be used directly in  
# getSampleSizeSurvival():  
getSampleSizeSurvival(piecewiseSurvivalTime = pwst)  
  
# The object created by getPiecewiseSurvivalTime() can be used directly in  
# getPowerSurvival():  
getPowerSurvival(piecewiseSurvivalTime = pwst,  
  maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 100)  
  
## End(Not run)
```

getPlotSettings

Get Plot Settings

Description

Returns a plot settings object.

Usage

```
getPlotSettings(  
  lineSize = 0.8,  
  pointSize = 3,  
  pointColor = NA_character_,  
  mainTitleFontSize = 14,  
  axesTextFontSize = 10,  
  legendFontSize = 11,  
  scalingFactor = 1  
)
```

Arguments

lineSize	The line size, default is 0.8.
pointSize	The point size, default is 3.
pointColor	The point color (character), default is NA_character_.
mainTitleFontSize	The main title font size, default is 14.
axesTextFontSize	The axes text font size, default is 10.
legendFontSize	The legend font size, default is 11.
scalingFactor	The scaling factor, default is 1.

Details

Returns an object of class PlotSettings that collects typical plot settings.

`getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber`*Get Power And Average Sample Number*

Description

Returns the power and average sample number of the specified design.

Usage

```
getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber(design, theta = seq(-1, 1, 0.02), nMax = 100)
```

Arguments

<code>design</code>	The trial design.
<code>theta</code>	A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values), default is a sequence from -1 to 1.
<code>nMax</code>	The maximum sample size. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

Details

This function returns the power and average sample number (ASN) of the specified design for the prototype case which is testing $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ in a one-sample design. `theta` represents the standardized effect $(\mu - \mu_0) / \sigma$ and power and ASN is calculated for maximum sample size `nMax`. For other designs than the one-sample test of a mean the standardized effect needs to be adjusted accordingly.

Value

Returns a [PowerAndAverageSampleNumberResult](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [data.frame](#),
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [matrix](#).

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function [methods](#) to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

Other design functions: [getDesignCharacteristics\(\)](#), [getDesignConditionalDunnett\(\)](#), [getDesignFisher\(\)](#), [getDesignGroupSequential\(\)](#), [getDesignInverseNormal\(\)](#), [getGroupSequentialProbabilities\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# Calculate power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample
# size for the default design with specified theta and nMax
getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber(
  getDesignGroupSequential(),
  theta = seq(-1, 1, 0.5), nMax = 100)
```

getPowerCounts

Get Power Counts

Description

Returns the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size for testing mean rates for negative binomial distributed event numbers in two samples at given sample sizes.

Usage

```
getPowerCounts(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  directionUpper = NA,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_,
  lambda1 = NA_real_,
  lambda2 = NA_real_,
  lambda = NA_real_,
  theta = NA_real_,
  thetaH0 = 1,
  overdispersion = 0,
  fixedExposureTime = NA_real_,
  accrualTime = NA_real_,
  accrualIntensity = NA_real_,
  followUpTime = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_
)
```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate α , Type II error rate β , <code>twoSidedPower</code> , and <code>sided</code> can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
maxNumberOfSubjects	<code>maxNumberOfSubjects > 0</code> needs to be specified for power calculations or calculation of necessary follow-up (count data). For two treatment arms, it is the maximum number of subjects for both treatment arms.

lambda1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the active treatment group, there is no default.
lambda2	A numeric value that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the control group, there is no default.
lambda	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the pooled treatment groups, there is no default.
theta	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed mean ratios λ_1/λ_2 of a homogeneous Poisson process, there is no default.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is θ for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio).

For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of

- *means*: a value $\neq \theta$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified.
- *rates*: a value $\neq \theta$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified.
- *survival data*: a bound for testing H_0 : hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified.
- *count data*: a bound for testing H_0 : $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \text{thetaH0} \neq 1$ can be specified.

For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0 : $\pi_1 = \text{thetaH0}$.

overdispersion	A numeric value that represents the assumed overdispersion of the negative binomial distribution, default is θ .
fixedExposureTime	If specified, the fixed time of exposure per subject for count data, there is no default.
accrualTime	If specified, the assumed accrual time interval(s) for the study, there is no default.
accrualIntensity	If specified, the assumed accrual intensities for the study, there is no default.
followUpTime	If specified, the assumed (additional) follow-up time for the study, there is no default. The total study duration is $\text{accrualTime} + \text{followUpTime}$.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length kMax, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally allocationRatioPlanned is treated as a vector of length kMax, not a scalar.

Details

At given design the function calculates the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size for testing the ratio of two mean rates of negative binomial distributed event numbers in two

samples at given maximum sample size and effect. The power calculation is performed either for a fixed exposure time or a variable exposure time with fixed follow-up where the information over the stages is calculated according to the specified information rate in the design. Additionally, an allocation ratio = n_1 / n_2 can be specified where n_1 and n_2 are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups. A null hypothesis value θ_{H0} can also be specified.

Value

Returns a `TrialDesignPlan` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpart` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

Other power functions: `getPowerMeans()`, `getPowerRates()`, `getPowerSurvival()`

Examples

```
# Fixed sample size trial where a therapy is assumed to decrease the
# exacerbation rate from 1.4 to 1.05 (25% decrease) within an
# observation period of 1 year, i.e., each subject has a equal
# follow-up of 1 year.
# Calculate power at significance level 0.025 at given sample size = 180
# for a range of lambda1 values if the overdispersion is assumed to be
# equal to 0.5, is obtained by
getPowerCounts(alpha = 0.025, lambda1 = seq(1, 1.4, 0.05), lambda2 = 1.4,
  numberOfSubjects = 180, overdispersion = 0.5, fixedExposureTime = 1)
## Not run:
# Group sequential alpha and beta spending function design with O'Brien and
# Fleming type boundaries: Power and test characteristics for N = 286,
# under the assumption of a fixed exposure time, and for a range of
# lambda1 values:
getPowerCounts(design = getDesignGroupSequential(
  kMax = 3, alpha = 0.025, beta = 0.2,
  typeOfDesign = "asOF", typeBetaSpending = "bsOF"),
  lambda1 = seq(0.17, 0.23, 0.01), lambda2 = 0.3,
  directionUpper = FALSE, overdispersion = 1, numberOfSubjects = 286,
  fixedExposureTime = 12, accrualTime = 6)

# Group sequential design alpha spending function design with O'Brien and
```

```
# Fleming type boundaries: Power and test characteristics for N = 1976,
# under variable exposure time with uniform recruitment over 1.25 months,
# study time (accrual + followup) = 4 (lambda1, lambda2, and overdispersion
# as specified, no futility stopping):
getPowerCounts(design = getDesignGroupSequential(
  kMax = 3, alpha = 0.025, beta = 0.2, typeOfDesign = "asOF"),
  lambda1 = seq(0.08, 0.09, 0.0025), lambda2 = 0.125,
  overdispersion = 5, directionUpper = FALSE, maxNumberOfSubjects = 1976,
  followUpTime = 2.75, accrualTime = 1.25)

## End(Not run)
```

getPowerMeans

Get Power Means

Description

Returns the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size for testing means in one or two samples at given maximum sample size.

Usage

```
getPowerMeans(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  groups = 2L,
  normalApproximation = FALSE,
  meanRatio = FALSE,
  thetaH0 = ifelse(meanRatio, 1, 0),
  alternative = seq(0, 1, 0.2),
  stDev = 1,
  directionUpper = NA,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_
)
```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
groups	The number of treatment groups (1 or 2), default is 2.
normalApproximation	The type of computation of the p-values. If TRUE, the variance is assumed to be known, default is FALSE, i.e., the calculations are performed with the t distribution.
meanRatio	If TRUE, the sample size for one-sided testing of $H_0: \mu_1 / \mu_2 = \theta_{H0}$ is calculated, default is FALSE.

thetaH0	<p>The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio).</p> <p>For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \text{thetaH0} \neq 1$ can be specified. <p>For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0: $\pi = \text{thetaH0}$.</p>
alternative	The alternative hypothesis value for testing means. This can be a vector of assumed alternatives, default is seq(0, 1, 0.2) (power calculations) or seq(0.2, 1, 0.2) (sample size calculations).
stDev	The standard deviation under which the sample size or power calculation is performed, default is 1. If meanRatio = TRUE is specified, stDev defines the coefficient of variation σ / μ . Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
maxNumberOfSubjects	maxNumberOfSubjects > 0 needs to be specified for power calculations or calculation of necessary follow-up (count data). For two treatment arms, it is the maximum number of subjects for both treatment arms.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length kMax, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally allocationRatioPlanned is treated as a vector of length kMax, not a scalar.

Details

At given design the function calculates the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size for testing means at given sample size. In a two treatment groups design, additionally, an allocation ratio = n_1 / n_2 can be specified where n_1 and n_2 are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups. A null hypothesis value thetaH0 $\neq 0$ for testing the difference of two means or thetaH0 $\neq 1$ for testing the ratio of two means can be specified. For the specified sample size, critical bounds and stopping for futility bounds are provided at the effect scale (mean, mean difference, or mean ratio, respectively)

Value

Returns a [TrialDesignPlan](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [data.frame](#),
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [matrix](#).

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function [methods](#) to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

Other power functions: [getPowerCounts\(\)](#), [getPowerRates\(\)](#), [getPowerSurvival\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# Calculate the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size
# for testing H0: mu1 - mu2 = 0 in a two-armed design against a range of
# alternatives H1: mu1 - mu2 = delta, delta = (0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5),
# standard deviation sigma = 8, maximum sample size N = 80 (both treatment
# arms), and an allocation ratio n1/n2 = 2. The design is a three stage
# O'Brien & Fleming design with non-binding futility bounds (-0.5, 0.5)
# for the two interims. The computation takes into account that the t test
# is used (normalApproximation = FALSE).
getPowerMeans(getDesignGroupSequential(alpha = 0.025,
  sided = 1, futilityBounds = c(-0.5, 0.5)),
  groups = 2, alternative = c(0:5), stDev = 8,
  normalApproximation = FALSE, maxNumberOfSubjects = 80,
  allocationRatioPlanned = 2)
```

getPowerRates

Get Power Rates

Description

Returns the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size for testing rates in one or two samples at given maximum sample size.

Usage

```

getPowerRates(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  groups = 2L,
  riskRatio = FALSE,
  thetaH0 = ifelse(riskRatio, 1, 0),
  pi1 = seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1),
  pi2 = 0.2,
  directionUpper = NA,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
groups	The number of treatment groups (1 or 2), default is 2.
riskRatio	If TRUE, the power for one-sided testing of H0: $\pi_1 / \pi_2 = \theta_{H0}$ is calculated, default is FALSE.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio). For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H0: hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H0: $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \theta_{H0} \neq 1$ can be specified. For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H0: $\pi = \theta_{H0}$.
pi1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed probability in the active treatment group if two treatment groups are considered, or the alternative probability for a one treatment group design, default is seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1) (power calculations and simulations) or seq(0.4, 0.6, 0.1) (sample size calculations).
pi2	A numeric value that represents the assumed probability in the reference group if two treatment groups are considered, default is 0.2.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.

maxNumberOfSubjects

`maxNumberOfSubjects > 0` needs to be specified for power calculations or calculation of necessary follow-up (count data). For two treatment arms, it is the maximum number of subjects for both treatment arms.

allocationRatioPlanned

The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length `kMax`, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length `kMax`, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally `allocationRatioPlanned` is treated as a vector of length `kMax`, not a scalar.

Details

At given design the function calculates the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size for testing rates at given maximum sample size. The sample sizes over the stages are calculated according to the specified information rate in the design. In a two treatment groups design, additionally, an allocation ratio = $n1 / n2$ can be specified where $n1$ and $n2$ are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups. If a null hypothesis value $\theta_{H0} \neq 0$ for testing the difference of two rates or $\theta_{H0} \neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio is specified, the formulas according to Farrington & Manning (Statistics in Medicine, 1990) are used (only one-sided testing). Critical bounds and stopping for futility bounds are provided at the effect scale (rate, rate difference, or rate ratio, respectively). For the two-sample case, the calculation here is performed at fixed π_2 as given as argument in the function. Note that the power calculation for rates is always based on the normal approximation.

Value

Returns a `TrialDesignPlan` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

Other power functions: `getPowerCounts()`, `getPowerMeans()`, `getPowerSurvival()`

Examples

```

# Calculate the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size in a
# two-armed design at given maximum sample size N = 200 in a three-stage
# O'Brien & Fleming design with information rate vector (0.2,0.5,1),
# non-binding futility boundaries (0,0), i.e., the study stops for futility
# if the p-value exceeds 0.5 at interm, and allocation ratio = 2 for a range
# of pi1 values when testing H0: pi1 - pi2 = -0.1:
getPowerRates(getDesignGroupSequential(informationRates = c(0.2, 0.5, 1),
  futilityBounds = c(0, 0)), groups = 2, thetaH0 = -0.1,
  pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), directionUpper = FALSE,
  pi2 = 0.7, allocationRatioPlanned = 2, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)
## Not run:
# Calculate the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size in a single
# arm design at given maximum sample size N = 60 in a three-stage two-sided
# O'Brien & Fleming design with information rate vector (0.2, 0.5,1)
# for a range of pi1 values when testing H0: pi = 0.3:
getPowerRates(getDesignGroupSequential(informationRates = c(0.2, 0.5,1),
  sided = 2), groups = 1, thetaH0 = 0.3, pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.5, 0.05),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 60)

## End(Not run)

```

getPowerSurvival

Get Power Survival

Description

Returns the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size for testing the hazard ratio in a two treatment groups survival design.

Usage

```

getPowerSurvival(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  typeOfComputation = c("Schoenfeld", "Freedman", "HsiehFreedman"),
  thetaH0 = 1,
  directionUpper = NA,
  pi1 = NA_real_,
  pi2 = NA_real_,
  lambda1 = NA_real_,
  lambda2 = NA_real_,
  median1 = NA_real_,
  median2 = NA_real_,
  kappa = 1,
  hazardRatio = NA_real_,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = 1,
  eventTime = 12,
  accrualTime = c(0, 12),
  accrualIntensity = 0.1,

```

```

accrualIntensityType = c("auto", "absolute", "relative"),
maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfEvents = NA_real_,
dropoutRate1 = 0,
dropoutRate2 = 0,
dropoutTime = 12
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
typeOfComputation	Three options are available: "Schoenfeld", "Freedman", "HsiehFreedman", the default is "Schoenfeld". For details, see Hsieh (Statistics in Medicine, 1992). For non-inferiority testing (i.e., thetaH0 != 1), only Schoenfeld's formula can be used.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio). For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value != 0 (or a value != 1 for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value != 0 (or a value != 1 for testing the risk ratio pi1 / pi2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H0: hazard ratio = thetaH0 != 1 can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H0: lambda1 / lambda2 = thetaH0 != 1 can be specified. For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H0: pi = thetaH0.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
pi1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed event rate in the treatment group, default is seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1) (power calculations and simulations) or seq(0.4, 0.6, 0.1) (sample size calculations).
pi2	A numeric value that represents the assumed event rate in the control group, default is 0.2.
lambda1	The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group, there is no default. lambda1 can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
lambda2	The assumed hazard rate in the reference group, there is no default. lambda2 can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

median1	The assumed median survival time in the treatment group, there is no default.
median2	The assumed median survival time in the reference group, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
kappa	A numeric value > 0 . A $\text{kappa} \neq 1$ will be used for the specification of the shape of the Weibull distribution. Default is 1, i.e., the exponential survival distribution is used instead of the Weibull distribution. Note that the Weibull distribution cannot be used for the piecewise definition of the survival time distribution, i.e., only <code>piecewiseLambda</code> (as a single value) and <code>kappa</code> can be specified. This function is equivalent to <code>pweibull(t, shape = kappa, scale = 1 / lambda)</code> of the stats package, i.e., the scale parameter is $1 / \text{'hazard rate'}$. For example, <code>getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(time = 130, piecewiseLambda = 0.01, kappa = 4.2)</code> and <code>pweibull(q = 130, shape = 4.2, scale = 1 / 0.01)</code> provide the sample result.
hazardRatio	The vector of hazard ratios under consideration. If the event or hazard rates in both treatment groups are defined, the hazard ratio needs not to be specified as it is calculated, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
piecewiseSurvivalTime	A vector that specifies the time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function (for details see <code>getPiecewiseSurvivalTime()</code>).
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , the number of stages. It can be a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally <code>allocationRatioPlanned</code> is treated as a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , not a scalar.
eventTime	The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated, default is 12.
accrualTime	The assumed accrual time intervals for the study, default is <code>c(0, 12)</code> (for details see <code>getAccrualTime()</code>).
accrualIntensity	A numeric vector of accrual intensities, default is the relative intensity 0.1 (for details see <code>getAccrualTime()</code>).
accrualIntensityType	A character value specifying the accrual intensity input type. Must be one of "auto", "absolute", or "relative"; default is "auto", i.e., if all values are < 1 the type is "relative", otherwise it is "absolute".
maxNumberOfSubjects	<code>maxNumberOfSubjects > 0</code> needs to be specified. If accrual time and accrual intensity are specified, this will be calculated. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
maxNumberOfEvents	<code>maxNumberOfEvents > 0</code> is the maximum number of events, it determines the power of the test and needs to be specified.
dropoutRate1	The assumed drop-out rate in the treatment group, default is 0.
dropoutRate2	The assumed drop-out rate in the control group, default is 0.
dropoutTime	The assumed time for drop-out rates in the control and the treatment group, default is 12.

Details

At given design the function calculates the power, stopping probabilities, and expected sample size at given number of events and number of subjects. It also calculates the time when the required events are expected under the given assumptions (exponentially, piecewise exponentially, or Weibull distributed survival times and constant or non-constant piecewise accrual). Additionally, an allocation ratio = $n1 / n2$ can be specified where $n1$ and $n2$ are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups.

The formula of Kim & Tsiatis (Biometrics, 1990) is used to calculate the expected number of events under the alternative (see also Lakatos & Lan, Statistics in Medicine, 1992). These formulas are generalized to piecewise survival times and non-constant piecewise accrual over time.

Value

Returns a `TrialDesignPlan` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

Piecewise survival time

The first element of the vector `piecewiseSurvivalTime` must be equal to 0. `piecewiseSurvivalTime` can also be a list that combines the definition of the time intervals and hazard rates in the reference group. The definition of the survival time in the treatment group is obtained by the specification of the hazard ratio (see examples for details).

Staggered patient entry

`accrualTime` is the time period of subjects' accrual in a study. It can be a value that defines the end of accrual or a vector. In this case, `accrualTime` can be used to define a non-constant accrual over time. For this, `accrualTime` is a vector that defines the accrual intervals. The first element of `accrualTime` must be equal to 0 and, additionally, `accrualIntensity` needs to be specified. `accrualIntensity` itself is a value or a vector (depending on the length of `accrualTime`) that defines the intensity how subjects enter the trial in the intervals defined through `accrualTime`.

`accrualTime` can also be a list that combines the definition of the accrual time and accrual intensity (see below and examples for details).

If the length of `accrualTime` and the length of `accrualIntensity` are the same (i.e., the end of accrual is undefined), `maxNumberOfSubjects > 0` needs to be specified and the end of accrual is calculated. In that case, `accrualIntensity` is the number of subjects per time unit, i.e., the absolute accrual intensity.

If the length of `accrualTime` equals the length of `accrualIntensity - 1` (i.e., the end of accrual is defined), `maxNumberOfSubjects` is calculated if the absolute accrual intensity is given. If all elements in `accrualIntensity` are smaller than 1, `accrualIntensity` defines the *relative* intensity how subjects enter the trial. For example, `accrualIntensity = c(0.1, 0.2)` specifies that in the second accrual interval the intensity is doubled as compared to the first accrual interval. The

actual (absolute) accrual intensity is calculated for the calculated or given `maxNumberOfSubjects`. Note that the default is `accrualIntensity = 0.1` meaning that the *absolute* accrual intensity will be calculated.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpack` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

Other power functions: `getPowerCounts()`, `getPowerMeans()`, `getPowerRates()`

Examples

```
# Fixed sample size with minimum required definitions, pi1 = c(0.4,0.5,0.5) and
# pi2 = 0.2 at event time 12, accrual time 12 and follow-up time 6 as default
getPowerSurvival(maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)
## Not run:
# Four stage O'Brien & Fleming group sequential design with minimum required
# definitions, pi1 = c(0.4,0.5,0.5) and pi2 = 0.2 at event time 12,
# accrual time 12 and follow-up time 6 as default
getPowerSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 4),
  maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# For fixed sample design, determine necessary accrual time if 200 subjects and
# 30 subjects per time unit can be recruited
getPowerSurvival(maxNumberOfEvents = 40, accrualTime = c(0),
  accrualIntensity = 30, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Determine necessary accrual time if 200 subjects and if the first 6 time units
# 20 subjects per time unit can be recruited, then 30 subjects per time unit
getPowerSurvival(maxNumberOfEvents = 40, accrualTime = c(0, 6),
  accrualIntensity = c(20, 30), maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Determine maximum number of Subjects if the first 6 time units 20 subjects per
# time unit can be recruited, and after 10 time units 30 subjects per time unit
getPowerSurvival(maxNumberOfEvents = 40, accrualTime = c(0, 6, 10),
  accrualIntensity = c(20, 30))

# Specify accrual time as a list
at <- list(
  "0 - <6" = 20,
  "6 - Inf" = 30)
getPowerSurvival(maxNumberOfEvents = 40, accrualTime = at, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Specify accrual time as a list, if maximum number of subjects need to be calculated
at <- list(
  "0 - <6" = 20,
  "6 - <=10" = 30)
getPowerSurvival(maxNumberOfEvents = 40, accrualTime = at)

# Specify effect size for a two-stage group design with O'Brien & Fleming boundaries
```

```

# Effect size is based on event rates at specified event time, directionUpper = FALSE
# needs to be specified because it should be shown that hazard ratio < 1
getPowerSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2), pi1 = 0.2, pi2 = 0.3,
  eventTime = 24, maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  directionUpper = FALSE)

# Effect size is based on event rate at specified event time for the reference group
# and hazard ratio, directionUpper = FALSE needs to be specified
# because it should be shown that hazard ratio < 1
getPowerSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2), hazardRatio = 0.5,
  pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 24, maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  directionUpper = FALSE)

# Effect size is based on hazard rate for the reference group and hazard ratio,
# directionUpper = FALSE needs to be specified because it should be shown that
# hazard ratio < 1
getPowerSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2), hazardRatio = 0.5,
  lambda2 = 0.02, maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  directionUpper = FALSE)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time and hazard ratios
getPowerSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 5, 10), lambda2 = c(0.01,0.02,0.04),
  hazardRatio = c(1.5, 1.8, 2), maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time as list and hazard ratios
pws <- list(
  "0 - <5" = 0.01,
  "5 - <10" = 0.02,
  ">=10" = 0.04)
getPowerSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = pws, hazardRatio = c(1.5, 1.8, 2),
  maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time for both treatment arms
getPowerSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 5, 10), lambda2 = c(0.01, 0.02, 0.04),
  lambda1 = c(0.015,0.03,0.06), maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time as a list
pws <- list(
  "0 - <5" = 0.01,
  "5 - <10" = 0.02,
  ">=10" = 0.04)
getPowerSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = pws, hazardRatio = c(1.5, 1.8, 2),
  maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Specify effect size based on median survival times
getPowerSurvival(median1 = 5, median2 = 3,
  maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, directionUpper = FALSE)

# Specify effect size based on median survival times of
# Weibull distribution with kappa = 2
getPowerSurvival(median1 = 5, median2 = 3, kappa = 2,
  maxNumberOfEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, directionUpper = FALSE)

```

```
## End(Not run)
```

```
getRawData
```

```
Get Simulation Raw Data for Survival
```

Description

Returns the raw survival data which was generated for simulation.

Usage

```
getRawData(x, aggregate = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	A SimulationResults object created by getSimulationSurvival() .
aggregate	Logical. If TRUE the raw data will be aggregated similar to the result of getData() , default is FALSE.

Details

This function works only if [getSimulationSurvival\(\)](#) was called with a `maxNumberOfRawDatasetsPerStage > 0` (default is 0).

This function can be used to get the simulated raw data from a simulation results object obtained by [getSimulationSurvival\(\)](#). Note that [getSimulationSurvival\(\)](#) must called before with `maxNumberOfRawDatasetsPerStage > 0`. The data frame contains the following columns:

1. `iterationNumber`: The number of the simulation iteration.
2. `stopStage`: The stage of stopping.
3. `subjectId`: The subject id (increasing number 1, 2, 3, ...)
4. `accrualTime`: The accrual time, i.e., the time when the subject entered the trial.
5. `treatmentGroup`: The treatment group number (1 or 2).
6. `survivalTime`: The survival time of the subject.
7. `dropoutTime`: The dropout time of the subject (may be NA).
8. `lastObservationTime`: The specific observation time.
9. `timeUnderObservation`: The time under observation is defined as follows:

```
if (event == TRUE) {
  timeUnderObservation <- survivalTime
} else if (dropoutEvent == TRUE) {
  timeUnderObservation <- dropoutTime
} else {
  timeUnderObservation <- lastObservationTime - accrualTime
}
```

10. `event`: TRUE if an event occurred; FALSE otherwise.
11. `dropoutEvent`: TRUE if an dropout event occurred; FALSE otherwise.

Value

Returns a `data.frame`.

Examples

```
## Not run:
results <- getSimulationSurvival(
  pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 12,
  accrualTime = 24, plannedEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50, maxNumberOfRawDatasetsPerStage = 5
)
rawData <- getRawData(results)
head(rawData)
dim(rawData)

## End(Not run)
```

getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals

Get Repeated Confidence Intervals

Description

Calculates and returns the lower and upper limit of the repeated confidence intervals of the trial.

Usage

```
getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals(
  design,
  dataInput,
  ...,
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  tolerance = 1e-06,
  stage = NA_integer_
)
```

Arguments

design	The trial design.
dataInput	The summary data used for calculating the test results. This is either an element of <code>DatasetMeans</code> , of <code>DatasetRates</code> , or of <code>DatasetSurvival</code> and should be created with the function <code>getDataset()</code> . For more information see <code>getDataset()</code> .
...	Further arguments to be passed to methods (cf., separate functions in "See Also" below), e.g.,
	<code>normalApproximation</code> The type of computation of the p-values. Default is <code>FALSE</code> for testing means (i.e., the t test is used) and <code>TRUE</code> for testing rates and the hazard ratio. For testing rates, if <code>normalApproximation = FALSE</code> is specified, the binomial test (one sample) or the exact test of Fisher (two samples) is used for calculating the p-values. In the survival setting, <code>normalApproximation = FALSE</code> has no effect.

<code>equalVariances</code>	The type of t test. For testing means in two treatment groups, either the t test assuming that the variances are equal or the t test without assuming this, i.e., the test of Welch-Satterthwaite is calculated, default is TRUE.
<code>intersectionTest</code>	Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses when testing multiple hypotheses. Five options are available in multi-arm designs: "Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", and "Hierarchical", default is "Dunnett". Four options are available in population enrichment designs: "SpiessensDebois" (one subset only), "Bonferroni", "Simes", and "Sidak", default is "Simes".
<code>varianceOption</code>	Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple treatment arms (> 2) or population enrichment designs for testing means. For multiple arms, three options are available: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", and "notPooled", default is "overallPooled". For enrichment designs, the options are: "pooled", "pooledFromFull" (one subset only), and "notPooled", default is "pooled".
<code>stratifiedAnalysis</code>	For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. For testing means and rates, also a non-stratified analysis based on overall data can be performed. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible (see Brannath et al., 2009), default is TRUE.
<code>directionUpper</code>	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
<code>tolerance</code>	The numerical tolerance, default is 1e-06. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
<code>stage</code>	The stage number (optional). Default: total number of existing stages in the data input.

Details

The repeated confidence interval at a given stage of the trial contains the parameter values that are not rejected using the specified sequential design. It can be calculated at each stage of the trial and can thus be used as a monitoring tool.

The repeated confidence intervals are provided up to the specified stage.

Value

Returns a `matrix` with 2 rows and `kMax` columns containing the lower RCI limits in the first row and the upper RCI limits in the second row, where each column represents a stage.

See Also

Other analysis functions: `getAnalysisResults()`, `getClosedCombinationTestResults()`, `getClosedConditionalPower()`, `getConditionalRejectionProbabilities()`, `getFinalConfidenceInterval()`, `getFinalPValue()`, `getRepeatedPValues()`, `getStageResults()`, `getTestActions()`

Examples

```
## Not run:
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2)
data <- getDataset(
  n      = c( 20,  30),
```

```

    means = c( 50,  51),
    stDevs = c(130, 140)
  )
  getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals(design, dataInput = data)

## End(Not run)

```

getRepeatedPValues *Get Repeated P Values*

Description

Calculates the repeated p-values for a given test results.

Usage

```
getRepeatedPValues(stageResults, ..., tolerance = 1e-06)
```

Arguments

stageResults	The results at given stage, obtained from getStageResults() .
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
tolerance	The numerical tolerance, default is 1e-06. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

Details

The repeated p-value at a given stage of the trial is defined as the smallest significance level under which at given test design the test results obtain rejection of the null hypothesis. It can be calculated at each stage of the trial and can thus be used as a monitoring tool.

The repeated p-values are provided up to the specified stage.

In multi-arm trials, the repeated p-values are defined separately for each treatment comparison within the closed testing procedure.

Value

Returns a [numeric](#) vector of length kMax or in case of multi-arm stage results a [matrix](#) (each column represents a stage, each row a comparison) containing the repeated p values.

See Also

Other analysis functions: [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#), [getClosedCombinationTestResults\(\)](#), [getClosedConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalRejectionProbabilities\(\)](#), [getFinalConfidenceInterval\(\)](#), [getFinalPValue\(\)](#), [getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals\(\)](#), [getStageResults\(\)](#), [getTestActions\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2)
data <- getDataset(
  n      = c( 20,  30),
  means  = c( 50,  51),
  stDevs = c(130, 140)
)
getRepeatedPValues(getStageResults(design, dataInput = data))

## End(Not run)
```

getSampleSizeCounts *Get Sample Size Counts*

Description

Returns the sample size for testing the ratio of mean rates of negative binomial distributed event numbers in two samples at given effect.

Usage

```
getSampleSizeCounts(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  lambda1 = NA_real_,
  lambda2 = NA_real_,
  lambda  = NA_real_,
  theta   = NA_real_,
  thetaH0 = 1,
  overdispersion = 0,
  fixedExposureTime = NA_real_,
  accrualTime = NA_real_,
  accrualIntensity = NA_real_,
  followUpTime = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_integer_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_
)
```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
lambda1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the active treatment group, there is no default.
lambda2	A numeric value that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the control group, there is no default.

lambda	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the pooled treatment groups, there is no default.
theta	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed mean ratios λ_1/λ_2 of a homogeneous Poisson process, there is no default.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio). For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H0: hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H0: $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \text{thetaH0} \neq 1$ can be specified. For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H0: $\pi = \text{thetaH0}$.
overdispersion	A numeric value that represents the assumed overdispersion of the negative binomial distribution, default is 0.
fixedExposureTime	If specified, the fixed time of exposure per subject for count data, there is no default.
accrualTime	If specified, the assumed accrual time interval(s) for the study, there is no default.
accrualIntensity	If specified, the assumed accrual intensities for the study, there is no default.
followUpTime	If specified, the assumed (additional) follow-up time for the study, there is no default. The total study duration is accrualTime + followUpTime.
maxNumberOfSubjects	$\text{maxNumberOfSubjects} > 0$ needs to be specified for power calculations or calculation of necessary follow-up (count data). For two treatment arms, it is the maximum number of subjects for both treatment arms.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. If allocationRatioPlanned = 0 is entered, the optimal allocation ratio yielding the smallest overall sample size is determined.

Details

At given design the function calculates the information, and stage-wise and maximum sample size for testing mean rates of negative binomial distributed event numbers in two samples at given effect. The sample size calculation is performed either for a fixed exposure time or a variable exposure time with fixed follow-up. For the variable exposure time case, at given maximum sample size the necessary follow-up time is calculated. The planned calendar time of interim stages is calculated if an accrual time is defined. Additionally, an allocation ratio = n_1 / n_2 can be specified where n_1 and n_2 are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups. A null hypothesis value thetaH0 can also be specified.

Value

Returns a `TrialDesignPlan` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
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See Also

Other sample size functions: `getSampleSizeMeans()`, `getSampleSizeRates()`, `getSampleSizeSurvival()`

Examples

```
# Fixed sample size trial where a therapy is assumed to decrease the
# exacerbation rate from 1.4 to 1.05 (25% decrease) within an observation
# period of 1 year, i.e., each subject has an equal follow-up of 1 year.
# The sample size that yields 90% power at significance level 0.025 for
# detecting such a difference, if the overdispersion is assumed to be
# equal to 0.5, is obtained by
getSampleSizeCounts(alpha = 0.025, beta = 0.1, lambda2 = 1.4,
  theta = 0.75, overdispersion = 0.5, fixedExposureTime = 1)
## Not run:
# Noninferiority test with blinded sample size reassessment to reproduce
# Table 2 from Friede and Schmidli (2010):
getSampleSizeCounts(alpha = 0.025, beta = 0.2, lambda = 1, theta = 1,
  thetaH0 = 1.15, overdispersion = 0.4, fixedExposureTime = 1)

# Group sequential alpha and beta spending function design with O'Brien and
# Fleming type boundaries: Estimate observation time under uniform
# recruitment of patients over 6 months and a fixed exposure time of 12
# months (lambda1, lambda2, and overdispersion as specified):
getSampleSizeCounts(design = getDesignGroupSequential(
  kMax = 3, alpha = 0.025, beta = 0.2,
  typeOfDesign = "asOF", typeBetaSpending = "bsOF"),
  lambda1 = 0.2, lambda2 = 0.3, overdispersion = 1,
  fixedExposureTime = 12, accrualTime = 6)

# Group sequential alpha spending function design with O'Brien and Fleming
# type boundaries: Sample size for variable exposure time with uniform
# recruitment over 1.25 months and study time (accrual + followup) = 4
# (lambda1, lambda2, and overdispersion as specified, no futility stopping):
getSampleSizeCounts(design = getDesignGroupSequential(
```

```

      kMax = 3, alpha = 0.025, beta = 0.2, typeOfDesign = "asOF"),
      lambda1 = 0.0875, lambda2 = 0.125, overdispersion = 5,
      followUpTime = 2.75, accrualTime = 1.25)

## End(Not run)

```

getSampleSizeMeans *Get Sample Size Means*

Description

Returns the sample size for testing means in one or two samples.

Usage

```

getSampleSizeMeans(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  groups = 2L,
  normalApproximation = FALSE,
  meanRatio = FALSE,
  thetaH0 = ifelse(meanRatio, 1, 0),
  alternative = seq(0.2, 1, 0.2),
  stDev = 1,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
groups	The number of treatment groups (1 or 2), default is 2.
normalApproximation	The type of computation of the p-values. If TRUE, the variance is assumed to be known, default is FALSE, i.e., the calculations are performed with the t distribution.
meanRatio	If TRUE, the sample size for one-sided testing of $H_0: \mu_1 / \mu_2 = \theta_{H0}$ is calculated, default is FALSE.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio).

For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of

- *means*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified.

- *rates*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified.
- *survival data*: a bound for testing H_0 : hazard ratio = $\theta_{H_0} \neq 1$ can be specified.
- *count data*: a bound for testing H_0 : $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \theta_{H_0} \neq 1$ can be specified.

For testing a rate in one sample, a value θ_{H_0} in $(0, 1)$ has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0 : $\pi = \theta_{H_0}$.

alternative	The alternative hypothesis value for testing means. This can be a vector of assumed alternatives, default is <code>seq(0, 1, 0.2)</code> (power calculations) or <code>seq(0.2, 1, 0.2)</code> (sample size calculations).
stDev	The standard deviation under which the sample size or power calculation is performed, default is 1. If <code>meanRatio = TRUE</code> is specified, <code>stDev</code> defines the coefficient of variation σ / μ . Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. If <code>allocationRatioPlanned = 0</code> is entered, the optimal allocation ratio yielding the smallest overall sample size is determined.

Details

At given design the function calculates the stage-wise and maximum sample size for testing means. In a two treatment groups design, additionally, an allocation ratio = n_1 / n_2 can be specified where n_1 and n_2 are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups. A null hypothesis value $\theta_{H_0} \neq 0$ for testing the difference of two means or $\theta_{H_0} \neq 1$ for testing the ratio of two means can be specified. Critical bounds and stopping for futility bounds are provided at the effect scale (mean, mean difference, or mean ratio, respectively) for each sample size calculation separately.

Value

Returns a `TrialDesignPlan` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
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See Also

Other sample size functions: `getSampleSizeCounts()`, `getSampleSizeRates()`, `getSampleSizeSurvival()`

Examples

```

# Calculate sample sizes in a fixed sample size parallel group design
# with allocation ratio \code{n1 / n2 = 2} for a range of
# alternative values 1, ..., 5 with assumed standard deviation = 3.5;
# two-sided alpha = 0.05, power 1 - beta = 90%:
getSampleSizeMeans(alpha = 0.05, beta = 0.1, sided = 2, groups = 2,
  alternative = seq(1, 5, 1), stDev = 3.5, allocationRatioPlanned = 2)
## Not run:
# Calculate sample sizes in a three-stage Pocock paired comparison design testing
# H0: mu = 2 for a range of alternative values 3,4,5 with assumed standard
# deviation = 3.5; one-sided alpha = 0.05, power 1 - beta = 90%:
getSampleSizeMeans(getDesignGroupSequential(typeOfDesign = "P", alpha = 0.05,
  sided = 1, beta = 0.1), groups = 1, thetaH0 = 2,
  alternative = seq(3, 5, 1), stDev = 3.5)

## End(Not run)

```

getSampleSizeRates *Get Sample Size Rates*

Description

Returns the sample size for testing rates in one or two samples.

Usage

```

getSampleSizeRates(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  groups = 2L,
  normalApproximation = TRUE,
  riskRatio = FALSE,
  thetaH0 = ifelse(riskRatio, 1, 0),
  pi1 = c(0.4, 0.5, 0.6),
  pi2 = 0.2,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
groups	The number of treatment groups (1 or 2), default is 2.
normalApproximation	If FALSE, the sample size for the case of one treatment group is calculated exactly using the binomial distribution, default is TRUE.

riskRatio	If TRUE, the sample size for one-sided testing of $H_0: \pi_1 / \pi_2 = \theta_{H0}$ is calculated, default is FALSE.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio). For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \theta_{H0} \neq 1$ can be specified. For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis $H_0: \pi_i = \theta_{H0}$.
pi1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed probability in the active treatment group if two treatment groups are considered, or the alternative probability for a one treatment group design, default is seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1) (power calculations and simulations) or seq(0.4, 0.6, 0.1) (sample size calculations).
pi2	A numeric value that represents the assumed probability in the reference group if two treatment groups are considered, default is 0.2.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. If allocationRatioPlanned = 0 is entered, the optimal allocation ratio yielding the smallest overall sample size is determined.

Details

At given design the function calculates the stage-wise and maximum sample size for testing rates. In a two treatment groups design, additionally, an allocation ratio = n_1 / n_2 can be specified where n_1 and n_2 are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups. If a null hypothesis value thetaH0 $\neq 0$ for testing the difference of two rates or thetaH0 $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio is specified, the sample size formula according to Farrington & Manning (Statistics in Medicine, 1990) is used. Critical bounds and stopping for futility bounds are provided at the effect scale (rate, rate difference, or rate ratio, respectively) for each sample size calculation separately. For the two-sample case, the calculation here is performed at fixed pi2 as given as argument in the function.

Value

Returns a [TrialDesignPlan](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,

- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
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See Also

Other sample size functions: `getSampleSizeCounts()`, `getSampleSizeMeans()`, `getSampleSizeSurvival()`

Examples

```
# Calculate the stage-wise sample sizes, maximum sample sizes, and the optimum
# allocation ratios for a range of pi1 values when testing
# H0: pi1 - pi2 = -0.1 within a two-stage O'Brien & Fleming design;
# alpha = 0.05 one-sided, power 1 - beta = 90%:
getSampleSizeRates(getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2, alpha = 0.05,
  beta = 0.1), groups = 2, thetaH0 = -0.1, pi1 = seq(0.4, 0.55, 0.025),
  pi2 = 0.4, allocationRatioPlanned = 0)
## Not run:
# Calculate the stage-wise sample sizes, maximum sample sizes, and the optimum
# allocation ratios for a range of pi1 values when testing
# H0: pi1 / pi2 = 0.80 within a three-stage O'Brien & Fleming design;
# alpha = 0.025 one-sided, power 1 - beta = 90%:
getSampleSizeRates(getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 3, alpha = 0.025,
  beta = 0.1), groups = 2, riskRatio = TRUE, thetaH0 = 0.80,
  pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.5, 0.025), pi2 = 0.3, allocationRatioPlanned = 0)

## End(Not run)
```

`getSampleSizeSurvival` *Get Sample Size Survival*

Description

Returns the sample size for testing the hazard ratio in a two treatment groups survival design.

Usage

```
getSampleSizeSurvival(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  typeOfComputation = c("Schoenfeld", "Freedman", "HsiehFreedman"),
  thetaH0 = 1,
  pi1 = NA_real_,
  pi2 = NA_real_,
  lambda1 = NA_real_,
```

```

lambda2 = NA_real_,
median1 = NA_real_,
median2 = NA_real_,
kappa = 1,
hazardRatio = NA_real_,
piecewiseSurvivalTime = NA_real_,
allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
eventTime = 12,
accrualTime = c(0, 12),
accrualIntensity = 0.1,
accrualIntensityType = c("auto", "absolute", "relative"),
followUpTime = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_,
dropoutRate1 = 0,
dropoutRate2 = 0,
dropoutTime = 12
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate α , Type II error rate β , <code>twoSidedPower</code> , and <code>sided</code> can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
typeOfComputation	Three options are available: "Schoenfeld", "Freedman", "HsiehFreedman", the default is "Schoenfeld". For details, see Hsieh (Statistics in Medicine, 1992). For non-inferiority testing (i.e., $\theta_{H0} \neq 1$), only Schoenfeld's formula can be used.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio). For non-inferiority designs, θ_{H0} is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: hazard ratio = $\theta_{H0} \neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \theta_{H0} \neq 1$ can be specified. For testing a rate in one sample, a value θ_{H0} in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0 : $\pi = \theta_{H0}$.
pi1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed event rate in the treatment group, default is <code>seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1)</code> (power calculations and simulations) or <code>seq(0.4, 0.6, 0.1)</code> (sample size calculations).
pi2	A numeric value that represents the assumed event rate in the control group, default is 0.2.

lambda1	The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group, there is no default. lambda1 can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
lambda2	The assumed hazard rate in the reference group, there is no default. lambda2 can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
median1	The assumed median survival time in the treatment group, there is no default.
median2	The assumed median survival time in the reference group, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
kappa	A numeric value > 0. A kappa != 1 will be used for the specification of the shape of the Weibull distribution. Default is 1, i.e., the exponential survival distribution is used instead of the Weibull distribution. Note that the Weibull distribution cannot be used for the piecewise definition of the survival time distribution, i.e., only piecewiseLambda (as a single value) and kappa can be specified. This function is equivalent to pweibull(t, shape = kappa, scale = 1 / lambda) of the stats package, i.e., the scale parameter is 1 / 'hazard rate'. For example, getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(time = 130, piecewiseLambda = 0.01, kappa = 4.2) and pweibull(q = 130, shape = 4.2, scale = 1 / 0.01) provide the sample result.
hazardRatio	The vector of hazard ratios under consideration. If the event or hazard rates in both treatment groups are defined, the hazard ratio needs not to be specified as it is calculated, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
piecewiseSurvivalTime	A vector that specifies the time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function (for details see getPiecewiseSurvivalTime()).
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n1 / n2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. If allocationRatioPlanned = 0 is entered, the optimal allocation ratio yielding the smallest overall sample size is determined.
eventTime	The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated, default is 12.
accrualTime	The assumed accrual time intervals for the study, default is c(0, 12) (for details see getAccrualTime()).
accrualIntensity	A numeric vector of accrual intensities, default is the relative intensity 0.1 (for details see getAccrualTime()).
accrualIntensityType	A character value specifying the accrual intensity input type. Must be one of "auto", "absolute", or "relative"; default is "auto", i.e., if all values are < 1 the type is "relative", otherwise it is "absolute".
followUpTime	The assumed (additional) follow-up time for the study, default is 6. The total study duration is accrualTime + followUpTime.
maxNumberOfSubjects	If maxNumberOfSubjects > 0 is specified, the follow-up time for the required number of events is determined.
dropoutRate1	The assumed drop-out rate in the treatment group, default is 0.
dropoutRate2	The assumed drop-out rate in the control group, default is 0.
dropoutTime	The assumed time for drop-out rates in the control and the treatment group, default is 12.

Details

At given design the function calculates the number of events and an estimate for the necessary number of subjects for testing the hazard ratio in a survival design. It also calculates the time when the required events are expected under the given assumptions (exponentially, piecewise exponentially, or Weibull distributed survival times and constant or non-constant piecewise accrual). Additionally, an allocation ratio = n_1 / n_2 can be specified where n_1 and n_2 are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups.

Optional argument `accountForObservationTimes`: if `accountForObservationTimes = TRUE`, the number of subjects is calculated assuming specific accrual and follow-up time, default is `TRUE`.

The formula of Kim & Tsiatis (Biometrics, 1990) is used to calculate the expected number of events under the alternative (see also Lakatos & Lan, Statistics in Medicine, 1992). These formulas are generalized to piecewise survival times and non-constant piecewise accrual over time.

Optional argument `accountForObservationTimes`: if `accountForObservationTimes = FALSE`, only the event rates are used for the calculation of the maximum number of subjects.

Value

Returns a `TrialDesignPlan` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
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- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

Piecewise survival time

The first element of the vector `piecewiseSurvivalTime` must be equal to \emptyset . `piecewiseSurvivalTime` can also be a list that combines the definition of the time intervals and hazard rates in the reference group. The definition of the survival time in the treatment group is obtained by the specification of the hazard ratio (see examples for details).

Staggered patient entry

`accrualTime` is the time period of subjects' accrual in a study. It can be a value that defines the end of accrual or a vector. In this case, `accrualTime` can be used to define a non-constant accrual over time. For this, `accrualTime` is a vector that defines the accrual intervals. The first element of `accrualTime` must be equal to \emptyset and, additionally, `accrualIntensity` needs to be specified. `accrualIntensity` itself is a value or a vector (depending on the length of `accrualTime`) that defines the intensity how subjects enter the trial in the intervals defined through `accrualTime`.

`accrualTime` can also be a list that combines the definition of the accrual time and accrual intensity (see below and examples for details).

If the length of `accrualTime` and the length of `accrualIntensity` are the same (i.e., the end of accrual is undefined), `maxNumberOfSubjects > 0` needs to be specified and the end of accrual is calculated. In that case, `accrualIntensity` is the number of subjects per time unit, i.e., the absolute accrual intensity.

If the length of `accrualTime` equals the length of `accrualIntensity` - 1 (i.e., the end of accrual is defined), `maxNumberOfSubjects` is calculated if the absolute accrual intensity is given. If all elements in `accrualIntensity` are smaller than 1, `accrualIntensity` defines the *relative* intensity how subjects enter the trial. For example, `accrualIntensity = c(0.1, 0.2)` specifies that in the second accrual interval the intensity is doubled as compared to the first accrual interval. The actual (absolute) accrual intensity is calculated for the calculated or given `maxNumberOfSubjects`. Note that the default is `accrualIntensity = 0.1` meaning that the *absolute* accrual intensity will be calculated.

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See Also

Other sample size functions: `getSampleSizeCounts()`, `getSampleSizeMeans()`, `getSampleSizeRates()`

Examples

```
# Fixed sample size trial with median survival 20 vs. 30 months in treatment and
# reference group, respectively, alpha = 0.05 (two-sided), and power 1 - beta = 90%.
# 20 subjects will be recruited per month up to 400 subjects, i.e., accrual time
# is 20 months.
getSampleSizeSurvival(alpha = 0.05, sided = 2, beta = 0.1, lambda1 = log(2) / 20,
  lambda2 = log(2) / 30, accrualTime = c(0,20), accrualIntensity = 20)
## Not run:
# Fixed sample size with minimum required definitions, pi1 = c(0.4,0.5,0.6) and
# pi2 = 0.2 at event time 12, accrual time 12 and follow-up time 6 as default,
# only alpha = 0.01 is specified
getSampleSizeSurvival(alpha = 0.01)

# Four stage O'Brien & Fleming group sequential design with minimum required
# definitions, pi1 = c(0.4,0.5,0.6) and pi2 = 0.2 at event time 12,
# accrual time 12 and follow-up time 6 as default
getSampleSizeSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 4))

# For fixed sample design, determine necessary accrual time if 200 subjects and
# 30 subjects per time unit can be recruited
getSampleSizeSurvival(accrualTime = c(0), accrualIntensity = c(30),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Determine necessary accrual time if 200 subjects and if the first 6 time units
# 20 subjects per time unit can be recruited, then 30 subjects per time unit
getSampleSizeSurvival(accrualTime = c(0, 6), accrualIntensity = c(20, 30),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Determine maximum number of Subjects if the first 6 time units 20 subjects
# per time unit can be recruited, and after 10 time units 30 subjects per time unit
getSampleSizeSurvival(accrualTime = c(0, 6, 10), accrualIntensity = c(20, 30))

# Specify accrual time as a list
at <- list(
```

```

    "0 - <6" = 20,
    "6 - Inf" = 30)
getSampleSizeSurvival(accrualTime = at, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200)

# Specify accrual time as a list, if maximum number of subjects need to be calculated
at <- list(
  "0 - <6" = 20,
  "6 - <=10" = 30)
getSampleSizeSurvival(accrualTime = at)

# Specify effect size for a two-stage group design with O'Brien & Fleming boundaries
# Effect size is based on event rates at specified event time
# needs to be specified because it should be shown that hazard ratio < 1
getSampleSizeSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  pi1 = 0.2, pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 24)

# Effect size is based on event rate at specified event
# time for the reference group and hazard ratio
getSampleSizeSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  hazardRatio = 0.5, pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 24)

# Effect size is based on hazard rate for the reference group and hazard ratio
getSampleSizeSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  hazardRatio = 0.5, lambda2 = 0.02)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time and hazard ratios
getSampleSizeSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 5, 10), lambda2 = c(0.01, 0.02, 0.04),
  hazardRatio = c(1.5, 1.8, 2))

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time as a list and hazard ratios
pws <- list(
  "0 - <5" = 0.01,
  "5 - <10" = 0.02,
  ">=10" = 0.04)
getSampleSizeSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = pws, hazardRatio = c(1.5, 1.8, 2))

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time for both treatment arms
getSampleSizeSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 5, 10), lambda2 = c(0.01, 0.02, 0.04),
  lambda1 = c(0.015, 0.03, 0.06))

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time as a list
pws <- list(
  "0 - <5" = 0.01,
  "5 - <10" = 0.02,
  ">=10" = 0.04)
getSampleSizeSurvival(design = getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = pws, hazardRatio = c(1.5, 1.8, 2))

# Specify effect size based on median survival times
getSampleSizeSurvival(median1 = 5, median2 = 3)

# Specify effect size based on median survival times of Weibull distribution with
# kappa = 2
getSampleSizeSurvival(median1 = 5, median2 = 3, kappa = 2)

```



```

# Identify minimal and maximal required subjects to
# reach the required events in spite of dropouts
getSampleSizeSurvival(accrualTime = c(0, 18), accrualIntensity = c(20, 30),
  lambda2 = 0.4, lambda1 = 0.3, followUpTime = Inf, dropoutRate1 = 0.001,
  dropoutRate2 = 0.005)
getSampleSizeSurvival(accrualTime = c(0, 18), accrualIntensity = c(20, 30),
  lambda2 = 0.4, lambda1 = 0.3, followUpTime = 0, dropoutRate1 = 0.001,
  dropoutRate2 = 0.005)

## End(Not run)

```

getSimulationCounts *Get Simulation Counts*

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing means rates for negative binomial distributed event numbers in the two treatment groups testing situation.

Usage

```

getSimulationCounts(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  plannedCalendarTime,
  plannedMaxSubjects = NA_real_,
  lambda1 = NA_real_,
  lambda2 = NA_real_,
  lambda = NA_real_,
  theta = NA_real_,
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  thetaH0 = 1,
  overdispersion = 0,
  fixedExposureTime = NA_real_,
  accrualTime = NA_real_,
  accrualIntensity = NA_real_,
  followUpTime = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
  seed = NA_real_,
  calcSubjectsFunction = NULL,
  showStatistics = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
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...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
plannedCalendarTime	For simulating count data, the time points where an analysis is planned to be performed. Should be a vector of length kMax
lambda1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the active treatment group, there is no default.
lambda2	A numeric value that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the control group, there is no default.
lambda	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the pooled treatment groups, there is no default.
theta	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed mean ratios lambda1/lambda2 of a homogeneous Poisson process, there is no default.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio). For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H0: hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H0: lambda1 / lambda2 = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified. For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H0: $\pi = \text{thetaH0}$.
overdispersion	A numeric value that represents the assumed overdispersion of the negative binomial distribution, default is 0.
fixedExposureTime	If specified, the fixed time of exposure per subject for count data, there is no default.
accrualTime	If specified, the assumed accrual time interval(s) for the study, there is no default.
accrualIntensity	If specified, the assumed accrual intensities for the study, there is no default.
followUpTime	If specified, the assumed (additional) follow-up time for the study, there is no default. The total study duration is accrualTime + followUpTime.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n1 / n2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length

kMax, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally allocationRatioPlanned is treated as a vector of length kMax, not a scalar.

maxNumberOfIterations

The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

seed

The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.

calcSubjectsFunction

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, sample size recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (see details and examples).

showStatistics

Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size at given number of subjects and parameter configuration. Additionally, an allocation ratio = $n1/n2$ and a null hypothesis value θ_{H0} can be specified.

Value

Returns a [SimulationResults](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [data.frame](#),
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [matrix](#).

Simulation Data

The summary statistics "Simulated data" contains the following parameters: median [range](#); mean +/-sd

`$show(showStatistics = FALSE)` or `$setShowStatistics(FALSE)` can be used to disable the output of the aggregated simulated data.

[getData\(\)](#) can be used to get the aggregated simulated data from the object as [data.frame](#). The data frame contains the following columns:

1. iterationNumber: The number of the simulation iteration.
2. stageNumber: The stage.
3. lambda1: The assumed or derived event rate in the treatment group (if available).
4. lambda2: The assumed or derived event rate in the control group (if available).

5. `numberOfSubjects`: The number of subjects under consideration when the (interim) analysis takes place.
6. `rejectPerStage`: 1 if null hypothesis can be rejected, 0 otherwise.
7. `futilityPerStage`: 1 if study should be stopped for futility, 0 otherwise.
8. `testStatistic`: The test statistic that is used for the test decision, depends on which design was chosen (group sequential, inverse normal, or Fisher combination test)
9. `testStatisticsPerStage`: The test statistic for each stage if only data from the considered stage is taken into account.
10. `overallLambda1`: The cumulative rate in treatment group 1.
11. `overallLambda2`: The cumulative rate in treatment group 2.
12. `stagewiseLambda1`: The stage-wise rate in treatment group 1.
13. `stagewiseLambda2`: The stage-wise rate in treatment group 2.
14. `sampleSizesPerStage1`: The stage-wise sample size in treatment group 1.
15. `sampleSizesPerStage2`: The stage-wise sample size in treatment group 2.
16. `trialStop`: TRUE if study should be stopped for efficacy or futility or final stage, FALSE otherwise.
17. `conditionalPowerAchieved`: The conditional power for the subsequent stage of the trial for selected sample size and effect. The effect is either estimated from the data or can be user defined with `lambda1H1` and `lambda2H1`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpart` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

`getSimulationEnrichmentMeans`

Get Simulation Enrichment Means

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping and selection probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size or testing means in an enrichment design testing situation.

Usage

```
getSimulationEnrichmentMeans(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  effectList = NULL,
  intersectionTest = c("Simes", "SpiessensDebois", "Bonferroni", "Sidak"),
  stratifiedAnalysis = TRUE,
  adaptations = NA,
  typeOfSelection = c("best", "rBest", "epsilon", "all", "userDefined"),
  effectMeasure = c("effectEstimate", "testStatistic"),
```

```

successCriterion = c("all", "atLeastOne"),
epsilonValue = NA_real_,
rValue = NA_real_,
threshold = -Inf,
plannedSubjects = NA_integer_,
allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
conditionalPower = NA_real_,
thetaH1 = NA_real_,
stDevH1 = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
seed = NA_real_,
calcSubjectsFunction = NULL,
selectPopulationsFunction = NULL,
showStatistics = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
effectList	List of subsets, prevalences, and effect sizes with columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider (see examples).
intersectionTest	Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses. Four options are available in enrichment designs: "SpiessensDebois", "Bonferroni", "Simes", and "Sidak", default is "Simes".
stratifiedAnalysis	Logical. For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. For testing rates, also a non-stratified analysis based on overall data can be performed. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible (see Brannath et al., 2009), default is TRUE.
adaptations	A logical vector of length kMax - 1 indicating whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k, default is rep(TRUE, kMax - 1).
typeOfSelection	The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Five options are available: "best", "rbest", "epsilon", "all", and "userDefined", default is "best". For "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms/populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified, for "epsilon" (select treatment arm/population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. If "userDefined" is selected, "selectArmsFunction" or "selectPopulationsFunction" has to be specified.
effectMeasure	Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate (difference for means and rates or ratio for survival) ("effectEstimate"), default is "effectEstimate".

successCriterion

Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. Two options are available: "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion is fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim, default is "all".

epsilonValue

For typeOfSelection = "epsilon" (select treatment arm / population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. Must be a numeric of length 1.

rValue

For typeOfSelection = "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms / populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified.

threshold

Selection criterion: treatment arm / population is selected only if effectMeasure exceeds threshold, default is -Inf. threshold can also be a vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition over the treatment arms.

plannedSubjects

plannedSubjects is a numeric vector of length kMax (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedSubjects refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm.

allocationRatioPlanned

The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length kMax, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally allocationRatioPlanned is treated as a vector of length kMax, not a scalar.

minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage with length kMax determines the minimum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage refers to the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm.

maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage with length kMax determines the maximum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage refers to the maximum number of subjects per selected active arm.

conditionalPower

If conditionalPower together with minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (or minNumberOfEventsPerStage and maxNumberOfEventsPerStage for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify thetaH1 and stDevH1 (for simulating means), pi1H1 and pi2H1 (for simulating rates), or

	thetaH1 (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.
thetaH1	If specified, the value of the alternative under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed. Must be a numeric of length 1.
stDevH1	If specified, the value of the standard deviation under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed, default is the value of stDev. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
maxNumberOfIterations	The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
seed	The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.
calcSubjectsFunction	Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, sample size recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (see details and examples).
selectPopulationsFunction	Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of how populations are selected. This function is allowed to depend on effectVector with length populations stage, "conditionalPower", "conditionalCriticalValue", "plannedSubjects/plannedEvents", "allocationRatioPlanned", "selectedPopulations", "thetaH1" (for means and survival), "stDevH1" (for means), "overallEffects", and for rates additionally: "piTreatmentsH1", "piControlH1", "overallRates", and "overallRatesControl".
showStatistics	Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, selection probabilities, and expected sample size at given number of subjects, parameter configuration, and population selection rule in the enrichment situation. An allocation ratio can be specified referring to the ratio of number of subjects in the active treatment groups as compared to the control group.

The definition of thetaH1 and/or stDevH1 makes only sense if kMax > 1 and if conditionalPower, minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage, and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (or calcSubjectsFunction) are defined.

calcSubjectsFunction

This function returns the number of subjects at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on the variables stage, selectedPopulations, plannedSubjects, allocationRatioPlanned, minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage, maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage, conditionalPower, conditionalCriticalValue, overallEffects, and stDevH1. The function has to contain the three-dots argument '...' (see examples).

Value

Returns a [SimulationResults](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,

- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpack` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Assess a population selection strategy with one subset population.
# If the subset is better than the full population, then the subset
# is selected for the second stage, otherwise the full. Print and plot
# design characteristics.

# Define design
designIN <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2)

# Define subgroups and their prevalences
subGroups <- c("S", "R") # fixed names!
prevalences <- c(0.2, 0.8)

# Define effect matrix and variability
effectR <- 0.2
m <- c()
for (effectS in seq(0, 0.5, 0.25)) {
  m <- c(m, effectS, effectR)
}
effects <- matrix(m, byrow = TRUE, ncol = 2)
stDev <- c(0.4, 0.8)

# Define effect list
effectList <- list(subGroups=subGroups, prevalences=prevalences, stDevs = stDev, effects = effects)

# Perform simulation
simResultsPE <- getSimulationEnrichmentMeans(design = designIN,
  effectList = effectList, plannedSubjects = c(50, 100),
  maxNumberOfIterations = 100)
print(simResultsPE)

# Assess the design characteristics of a user defined selection
# strategy in a three-stage design with no interim efficacy stop
# using the inverse normal method for combining the stages.
# Only the second interim is used for a selecting of a study
# population. There is a small probability for stopping the trial
# at the first interim.

# Define design
designIN2 <- getDesignInverseNormal(typeOfDesign = "noEarlyEfficacy", kMax = 3)
```



```

# Define selection function
mySelection <- function(effectVector, stage) {
  selectedPopulations <- rep(TRUE, 3)
  if (stage == 2) {
    selectedPopulations <- (effectVector >= c(1, 2, 3))
  }
  return(selectedPopulations)
}

# Define subgroups and their prevalences
subGroups <- c("S1", "S12", "S2", "R") # fixed names!
prevalences <- c(0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.1)

effectR <- 1.5
effectS12 = 5
m <- c()
for (effectS1 in seq(0, 5, 1)) {
  for (effectS2 in seq(0, 5, 1)) {
    m <- c(m, effectS1, effectS12, effectS2, effectR)
  }
}
effects <- matrix(m, byrow = TRUE, ncol = 4)
stDev <- 10

# Define effect list
effectList <- list(subGroups=subGroups, prevalences=prevalences, stDevs = stDev, effects = effects)

# Perform simulation
simResultsPE <- getSimulationEnrichmentMeans(
  design = designIN2,
  effectList = effectList,
  typeOfSelection = "userDefined",
  selectPopulationsFunction = mySelection,
  intersectionTest = "Simes",
  plannedSubjects = c(50, 100, 150),
  maxNumberOfIterations = 100)
print(simResultsPE)
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(simResultsPE, type = 3)

## End(Not run)

```

```
getSimulationEnrichmentRates
```

Get Simulation Enrichment Rates

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping and selection probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing rates in an enrichment design testing situation.

Usage

```
getSimulationEnrichmentRates(
```

```

design = NULL,
...,
effectList = NULL,
intersectionTest = c("Simes", "SpiessensDebois", "Bonferroni", "Sidak"),
stratifiedAnalysis = TRUE,
directionUpper = TRUE,
adaptations = NA,
typeOfSelection = c("best", "rBest", "epsilon", "all", "userDefined"),
effectMeasure = c("effectEstimate", "testStatistic"),
successCriterion = c("all", "atLeastOne"),
epsilonValue = NA_real_,
rValue = NA_real_,
threshold = -Inf,
plannedSubjects = NA_real_,
allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
conditionalPower = NA_real_,
piTreatmentH1 = NA_real_,
piControlH1 = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
seed = NA_real_,
calcSubjectsFunction = NULL,
selectPopulationsFunction = NULL,
showStatistics = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate α , Type II error rate β , <code>twoSidedPower</code> , and <code>sided</code> can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
effectList	List of subsets, prevalences, and effect sizes with columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider (see examples).
intersectionTest	Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses. Four options are available in enrichment designs: "SpiessensDebois", "Bonferroni", "Simes", and "Sidak", default is "Simes".
stratifiedAnalysis	Logical. For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. For testing rates, also a non-stratified analysis based on overall data can be performed. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible (see Brannath et al., 2009), default is TRUE.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
adaptations	A logical vector of length <code>kMax - 1</code> indicating whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim <code>k</code> , default is <code>rep(TRUE, kMax - 1)</code> .

typeOfSelection	<p>The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Five options are available: "best", "rbest", "epsilon", "all", and "userDefined", default is "best".</p> <p>For "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms/populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified, for "epsilon" (select treatment arm/population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. If "userDefined" is selected, "selectArmsFunction" or "selectPopulationsFunction" has to be specified.</p>
effectMeasure	<p>Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate (difference for means and rates or ratio for survival) ("effectEstimate"), default is "effectEstimate".</p>
successCriterion	<p>Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. Two options are available: "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion is fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim, default is "all".</p>
epsilonValue	<p>For typeOfSelection = "epsilon" (select treatment arm / population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. Must be a numeric of length 1.</p>
rValue	<p>For typeOfSelection = "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms / populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified.</p>
threshold	<p>Selection criterion: treatment arm / population is selected only if effectMeasure exceeds threshold, default is -Inf. threshold can also be a vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition over the treatment arms.</p>
plannedSubjects	<p>plannedSubjects is a numeric vector of length kMax (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedSubjects refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm.</p>
allocationRatioPlanned	<p>The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length kMax, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally allocationRatioPlanned is treated as a vector of length kMax, not a scalar.</p>
minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage	<p>When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage with length kMax determines the minimum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage refers to the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm.</p>
maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage	<p>When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage with length kMax determines the maximum</p>

number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` refers to the maximum number of subjects per selected active arm.

`conditionalPower`

If `conditionalPower` together with `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `minNumberOfEventsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify `thetaH1` and `stDevH1` (for simulating means), `pi1H1` and `pi2H1` (for simulating rates), or `thetaH1` (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.

`piTreatmentH1` If specified, the assumed probabilities in the active arm under which the sample size recalculation was performed and the conditional power was calculated.

`piControlH1` If specified, the assumed probabilities in the control arm under which the sample size recalculation was performed and the conditional power was calculated.

`maxNumberOfIterations`

The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

`seed`

The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.

`calcSubjectsFunction`

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, sample size recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (see details and examples).

`selectPopulationsFunction`

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of how populations are selected. This function is allowed to depend on `effectVector` with length `populations` stage, `"conditionalPower"`, `"conditionalCriticalValue"`, `"plannedSubjects/plannedEvents"`, `"allocationRatioPlanned"`, `"selectedPopulations"`, `"thetaH1"` (for means and survival), `"stDevH1"` (for means), `"overallEffects"`, and for rates additionally: `"piTreatmentsH1"`, `"piControlH1"`, `"overallRates"`, and `"overallRatesControl"`.

`showStatistics` Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, selection probabilities, and expected sample size at given number of subjects, parameter configuration, and treatment arm selection rule in the enrichment situation. An allocation ratio can be specified referring to the ratio of number of subjects in the active treatment groups as compared to the control group.

The definition of `piTreatmentH1` and/or `piControlH1` makes only sense if `kMax > 1` and if `conditionalPower`, `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `calcSubjectsFunction`) are defined.

`calcSubjectsFunction`

This function returns the number of subjects at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on the variables `stage`, `selectedPopulations`,

directionUpper, plannedSubjects, allocationRatioPlanned, minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage, maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage, conditionalPower, conditionalCriticalValue, overallRatesTreatment, overallRatesControl, piTreatmentH1, and piControlH1. The function has to contain the three-dots argument '...' (see examples).

Value

Returns a `SimulationResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the rpact specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Assess a population selection strategy with two subset populations and
# a binary endpoint using a stratified analysis. No early efficacy stop,
# weighted inverse normal method with weight sqrt(0.4).
pi2 <- c(0.3, 0.4, 0.3, 0.55)
pi1Seq <- seq(0.0, 0.2, 0.2)
pi1 <- matrix(rep(pi1Seq, length(pi2)), ncol = length(pi1Seq), byrow = TRUE) + pi2
effectList <- list(
  subGroups = c("S1", "S2", "S12", "R"),
  prevalences = c(0.1, 0.4, 0.2, 0.3),
  piControl = pi2,
  piTreatments = expand.grid(pi1[1, ], pi1[2, ], pi1[3, ], pi1[4, ])
)
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(informationRates = c(0.4, 1),
  typeOfDesign = "noEarlyEfficacy")
simResultsPE <- getSimulationEnrichmentRates(design,
  plannedSubjects = c(150, 300),
  allocationRatioPlanned = 1.5, directionUpper = TRUE,
  effectList = effectList, stratifiedAnalysis = TRUE,
  intersectionTest = "Sidak",
  typeOfSelection = "epsilon", epsilonValue = 0.025,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 100)
print(simResultsPE)

## End(Not run)
```

```
getSimulationEnrichmentSurvival
```

Get Simulation Enrichment Survival

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping and selection probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing hazard ratios in an enrichment design testing situation. In contrast to `getSimulationSurvival()` (where survival times are simulated), normally distributed logrank test statistics are simulated.

Usage

```
getSimulationEnrichmentSurvival(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  effectList = NULL,
  intersectionTest = c("Simes", "SpiessensDebois", "Bonferroni", "Sidak"),
  stratifiedAnalysis = TRUE,
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  adaptations = NA,
  typeOfSelection = c("best", "rBest", "epsilon", "all", "userDefined"),
  effectMeasure = c("effectEstimate", "testStatistic"),
  successCriterion = c("all", "atLeastOne"),
  epsilonValue = NA_real_,
  rValue = NA_real_,
  threshold = -Inf,
  plannedEvents = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = NA_real_,
  conditionalPower = NA_real_,
  thetaH1 = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
  seed = NA_real_,
  calcEventsFunction = NULL,
  selectPopulationsFunction = NULL,
  showStatistics = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

<code>design</code>	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate α , Type II error rate β , <code>twoSidedPower</code> , and <code>sided</code> can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
<code>...</code>	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
<code>effectList</code>	List of subsets, prevalences, and effect sizes with columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider (see examples).

intersectionTest	Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses. Four options are available in enrichment designs: "SpiessensDebois", "Bonferroni", "Simes", and "Sidak", default is "Simes".
stratifiedAnalysis	Logical. For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. For testing rates, also a non-stratified analysis based on overall data can be performed. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible (see Brannath et al., 2009), default is TRUE.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
adaptations	A logical vector of length $k_{\text{Max}} - 1$ indicating whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k , default is $\text{rep}(\text{TRUE}, k_{\text{Max}} - 1)$.
typeOfSelection	The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Five options are available: "best", "rbest", "epsilon", "all", and "userDefined", default is "best". For "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms/populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified, for "epsilon" (select treatment arm/population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. If "userDefined" is selected, "selectArmsFunction" or "selectPopulationsFunction" has to be specified.
effectMeasure	Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate (difference for means and rates or ratio for survival) ("effectEstimate"), default is "effectEstimate".
successCriterion	Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. Two options are available: "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion is fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim, default is "all".
epsilonValue	For typeOfSelection = "epsilon" (select treatment arm / population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. Must be a numeric of length 1.
rValue	For typeOfSelection = "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms / populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified.
threshold	Selection criterion: treatment arm / population is selected only if effectMeasure exceeds threshold, default is $-\text{Inf}$. threshold can also be a vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition over the treatment arms.
plannedEvents	plannedEvents is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) events in survival designs when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of events for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedEvents refers to the overall number of events for the selected arms plus control.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length k_{Max} , the number of stages. It can be a vector of length

- `kMax`, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally `allocationRatioPlanned` is treated as a vector of length `kMax`, not a scalar.
- `minNumberOfEventsPerStage`
When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `minNumberOfEventsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the minimum number of events per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account.
- `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage`
When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the maximum number of events per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account.
- `conditionalPower`
If `conditionalPower` together with `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `minNumberOfEventsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify `thetaH1` and `stDevH1` (for simulating means), `pi1H1` and `pi2H1` (for simulating rates), or `thetaH1` (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.
- `thetaH1`
If specified, the value of the alternative under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed. Must be a numeric of length 1.
- `maxNumberOfIterations`
The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
- `seed`
The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.
- `calcEventsFunction`
Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, event number recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified `minNumberOfEventsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` (see details and examples).
- `selectPopulationsFunction`
Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of how populations are selected. This function is allowed to depend on `effectVector` with length `populations` stage, `"conditionalPower"`, `"conditionalCriticalValue"`, `"plannedSubjects/plannedEvents"`, `"allocationRatioPlanned"`, `"selectedPopulations"`, `"thetaH1"` (for means and survival), `"stDevH1"` (for means), `"overallEffects"`, and for rates additionally: `"piTreatmentsH1"`, `"piControlH1"`, `"overallRates"`, and `"overallRatesControl"`.
- `showStatistics` Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, selection probabilities, and expected event number at given number of events, parameter configuration, and population

selection rule in the enrichment situation. An allocation ratio can be specified referring to the ratio of number of subjects in the active treatment group as compared to the control group.

The definition of `thetaH1` makes only sense if `kMax > 1` and if `conditionalPower`, `minNumberOfEventsPerStage`, and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` (or `calcEventsFunction`) are defined.

`calcEventsFunction`

This function returns the number of events at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on the variables `stage`, `selectedPopulations`, `plannedEvents`, `directionUpper`, `allocationRatioPlanned`, `minNumberOfEventsPerStage`, `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage`, `conditionalPower`, `conditionalCriticalValue`, and `overallEffects`. The function has to contain the three-dots argument `'...'` (see examples).

Value

Returns a `SimulationResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpart` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Assess a population selection strategy with one subset population and
# a survival endpoint. The considered situations are defined through the
# event rates yielding a range of hazard ratios in the subsets. Design
# with O'Brien and Fleming alpha spending and a reassessment of event
# number in the first interim based on conditional power and assumed
# hazard ratio using weighted inverse normal combination test.

subGroups <- c("S", "R")
prevalences <- c(0.40, 0.60)

p2 <- c(0.3, 0.4)
range1 <- p2[1] + seq(0, 0.3, 0.05)

p1 <- c()
for (x1 in range1) {
  p1 <- c(p1, x1, p2[2] + 0.1)
}
hazardRatios <- log(matrix(1 - p1, byrow = TRUE, ncol = 2)) /
  matrix(log(1 - p2), byrow = TRUE, ncol = 2,
```

```

nrow = length(range1))

effectList <- list(subGroups=subGroups, prevalences=prevalences,
  hazardRatios = hazardRatios)

design <- getDesignInverseNormal(informationRates = c(0.3, 0.7, 1),
  typeOfDesign = "asOF")

simResultsPE <- getSimulationEnrichmentSurvival(design,
  plannedEvents = c(40, 90, 120),
  effectList = effectList,
  typeOfSelection = "rbest", rValue = 2,
  conditionalPower = 0.8, minNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA, 50, 30),
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA, 150, 30), thetaH1 = 4 / 3,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 100)
print(simResultsPE)

## End(Not run)

```

getSimulationMeans *Get Simulation Means*

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing means in a one or two treatment groups testing situation.

Usage

```

getSimulationMeans(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  groups = 2L,
  normalApproximation = TRUE,
  meanRatio = FALSE,
  thetaH0 = ifelse(meanRatio, 1, 0),
  alternative = seq(0, 1, 0.2),
  stDev = 1,
  plannedSubjects = NA_real_,
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
  minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
  conditionalPower = NA_real_,
  thetaH1 = NA_real_,
  stDevH1 = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
  seed = NA_real_,
  calcSubjectsFunction = NULL,
  showStatistics = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
groups	The number of treatment groups (1 or 2), default is 2.
normalApproximation	The type of computation of the p-values. Default is TRUE, i.e., normally distributed test statistics are generated. If FALSE, the t test is used for calculating the p-values, i.e., t distributed test statistics are generated.
meanRatio	If TRUE, the design characteristics for one-sided testing of $H_0: \mu_1 / \mu_2 = \theta_{H_0}$ are simulated, default is FALSE.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio). For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \theta_{H_0} \neq 1$ can be specified. For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis $H_0: \pi = \theta_{H_0}$.
alternative	The alternative hypothesis value for testing means under which the data is simulated. This can be a vector of assumed alternatives, default is seq(0, 1, 0.2).
stDev	The standard deviation under which the data is simulated, default is 1. If meanRatio = TRUE is specified, stDev defines the coefficient of variation σ / μ_2 . Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
plannedSubjects	plannedSubjects is a numeric vector of length kMax (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedSubjects refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm.
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length

`kMax`, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally `allocationRatioPlanned` is treated as a vector of length `kMax`, not a scalar.

`minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the minimum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` refers to the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm.

`maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the maximum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` refers to the maximum number of subjects per selected active arm.

`conditionalPower`

If `conditionalPower` together with `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `minNumberOfEventsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify `thetaH1` and `stDevH1` (for simulating means), `pi1H1` and `pi2H1` (for simulating rates), or `thetaH1` (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.

`thetaH1`

If specified, the value of the alternative under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed. Must be a numeric of length 1.

`stDevH1`

If specified, the value of the standard deviation under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed, default is the value of `stDev`. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

`maxNumberOfIterations`

The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

`seed`

The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.

`calcSubjectsFunction`

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, sample size recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (see details and examples).

`showStatistics`

Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size at given number of subjects and parameter configuration. Additionally, an

allocation ratio = $n1/n2$ can be specified where $n1$ and $n2$ are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups.

The definition of θ_{H1} makes only sense if $k_{Max} > 1$ and if `conditionalPower`, `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `calcSubjectsFunction`) are defined.

`calcSubjectsFunction`

This function returns the number of subjects at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on variables `stage`, `meanRatio`, `thetaH0`, `groups`, `plannedSubjects`, `sampleSizesPerStage`, `directionUpper`, `allocationRatioPlanned`, `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, `conditionalPower`, `conditionalCriticalValue`, `thetaH1`, and `stDevH1`. The function has to contain the three-dots argument `'...'` (see examples).

Value

Returns a `SimulationResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

Simulation Data

The summary statistics "Simulated data" contains the following parameters: median `range`; mean `+/-sd`

`$show(showStatistics = FALSE)` or `$setShowStatistics(FALSE)` can be used to disable the output of the aggregated simulated data.

Example 1:

```
simulationResults <- getSimulationMeans(plannedSubjects = 40)
simulationResults$show(showStatistics = FALSE)
```

Example 2:

```
simulationResults <- getSimulationMeans(plannedSubjects = 40)
simulationResults$setShowStatistics(FALSE)
simulationResults
```

`getData()` can be used to get the aggregated simulated data from the object as `data.frame`. The data frame contains the following columns:

1. `iterationNumber`: The number of the simulation iteration.
2. `stageNumber`: The stage.
3. `alternative`: The alternative hypothesis value.
4. `numberOfSubjects`: The number of subjects under consideration when the (interim) analysis takes place.
5. `rejectPerStage`: 1 if null hypothesis can be rejected, 0 otherwise.

6. `futilityPerStage`: 1 if study should be stopped for futility, 0 otherwise.
7. `testStatistic`: The test statistic that is used for the test decision, depends on which design was chosen (group sequential, inverse normal, or Fisher's combination test).
8. `testStatisticsPerStage`: The test statistic for each stage if only data from the considered stage is taken into account.
9. `effectEstimate`: Overall simulated standardized effect estimate.
10. `trialStop`: TRUE if study should be stopped for efficacy or futility or final stage, FALSE otherwise.
11. `conditionalPowerAchieved`: The conditional power for the subsequent stage of the trial for selected sample size and effect. The effect is either estimated from the data or can be user defined with `thetaH1`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

Examples

```
# Fixed sample size design with two groups, total sample size 40,
# alternative = c(0, 0.2, 0.4, 0.8, 1), and standard deviation = 1 (the default)
getSimulationMeans(plannedSubjects = 40, maxNumberOfIterations = 10)
## Not run:
# Increase number of simulation iterations and compare results
# with power calculator using normal approximation
getSimulationMeans(
  alternative = 0:4, stDev = 5,
  plannedSubjects = 40, maxNumberOfIterations = 1000
)
getPowerMeans(
  alternative = 0:4, stDev = 5,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 40, normalApproximation = TRUE
)

# Do the same for a three-stage O'Brien&Fleming inverse
# normal group sequential design with non-binding futility stops
designIN <- getDesignInverseNormal(typeOfDesign = "OF", futilityBounds = c(0, 0))
x <- getSimulationMeans(designIN,
  alternative = c(0:4), stDev = 5,
  plannedSubjects = c(20, 40, 60), maxNumberOfIterations = 1000
)
getPowerMeans(designIN,
  alternative = 0:4, stDev = 5,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 60, normalApproximation = TRUE
)

# Assess power and average sample size if a sample size increase is foreseen
# at conditional power 80% for each subsequent stage based on observed overall
# effect and specified minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and
# maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage
getSimulationMeans(designIN,
```

```

    alternative = 0:4, stDev = 5,
    plannedSubjects = c(20, 40, 60),
    minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = c(NA, 20, 20),
    maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = c(NA, 80, 80),
    conditionalPower = 0.8,
    maxNumberOfIterations = 50
  )

  # Do the same under the assumption that a sample size increase only takes
  # place at the first interim. The sample size for the third stage is set equal
  # to the second stage sample size.
  mySampleSizeCalculationFunction <- function(..., stage,
    minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage,
    maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage,
    sampleSizesPerStage,
    conditionalPower,
    conditionalCriticalValue,
    allocationRatioPlanned,
    thetaH1,
    stDevH1) {
    if (stage <= 2) {
      # Note that allocationRatioPlanned is as a vector of length kMax
      stageSubjects <- (1 + allocationRatioPlanned[stage])^2 /
        allocationRatioPlanned[stage] *
        (max(0, conditionalCriticalValue + stats::qnorm(conditionalPower)))^2 /
        (max(1e-12, thetaH1 / stDevH1))^2
      stageSubjects <- min(max(
        minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage[stage],
        stageSubjects
      ), maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage[stage])
    } else {
      stageSubjects <- sampleSizesPerStage[stage - 1]
    }
    return(stageSubjects)
  }
  getSimulationMeans(designIN,
    alternative = 0:4, stDev = 5,
    plannedSubjects = c(20, 40, 60),
    minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = c(NA, 20, 20),
    maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = c(NA, 80, 80),
    conditionalPower = 0.8,
    calcSubjectsFunction = mySampleSizeCalculationFunction,
    maxNumberOfIterations = 50
  )

  ## End(Not run)

```

```
getSimulationMultiArmMeans
```

Get Simulation Multi-Arm Means

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping and selection probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing means in a multi-arm treatment groups testing situation.

Usage

```

getSimulationMultiArmMeans(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  activeArms = 3L,
  effectMatrix = NULL,
  typeOfShape = c("linear", "sigmoidEmax", "userDefined"),
  muMaxVector = seq(0, 1, 0.2),
  gED50 = NA_real_,
  slope = 1,
  intersectionTest = c("Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", "Hierarchical"),
  stDev = 1,
  adaptations = NA,
  typeOfSelection = c("best", "rBest", "epsilon", "all", "userDefined"),
  effectMeasure = c("effectEstimate", "testStatistic"),
  successCriterion = c("all", "atLeastOne"),
  epsilonValue = NA_real_,
  rValue = NA_real_,
  threshold = -Inf,
  plannedSubjects = NA_integer_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
  minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
  conditionalPower = NA_real_,
  thetaH1 = NA_real_,
  stDevH1 = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
  seed = NA_real_,
  calcSubjectsFunction = NULL,
  selectArmsFunction = NULL,
  showStatistics = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
activeArms	The number of active treatment arms to be compared with control, default is 3.
effectMatrix	Matrix of effect sizes with activeArms columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider.
typeOfShape	The shape of the dose-response relationship over the treatment groups. This can be either "linear", "sigmoidEmax", or "userDefined", default is "linear". For "linear", "muMaxVector" specifies the range of effect sizes for the treatment group with highest response. If "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "gED50" and "slope" has to be entered to specify the ED50 and the slope of the sigmoid Emax model. For "sigmoidEmax", "muMaxVector" specifies the range of effect sizes for the treatment group with response according to infinite dose. If "userDefined" is selected, "effectMatrix" has to be entered.

muMaxVector	Range of effect sizes for the treatment group with highest response for "linear" and "sigmoidEmax" model, default is seq(0, 1, 0.2).
gED50	If typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "gED50" has to be entered to specify the ED50 of the sigmoid Emax model.
slope	If typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "slope" can be entered to specify the slope of the sigmoid Emax model, default is 1.
intersectionTest	Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses. Five options are available in multi-arm designs: "Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", and "Hierarchical", default is "Dunnett".
stDev	The standard deviation under which the data is simulated, default is 1. If meanRatio = TRUE is specified, stDev defines the coefficient of variation sigma / mu2. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
adaptations	A logical vector of length kMax - 1 indicating whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k, default is rep(TRUE, kMax - 1).
typeOfSelection	The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Five options are available: "best", "rbest", "epsilon", "all", and "userDefined", default is "best". For "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms/populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified, for "epsilon" (select treatment arm/population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. If "userDefined" is selected, "selectArmsFunction" or "selectPopulationsFunction" has to be specified.
effectMeasure	Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate (difference for means and rates or ratio for survival) ("effectEstimate"), default is "effectEstimate".
successCriterion	Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. Two options are available: "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion is fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim, default is "all".
epsilonValue	For typeOfSelection = "epsilon" (select treatment arm / population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. Must be a numeric of length 1.
rValue	For typeOfSelection = "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms / populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified.
threshold	Selection criterion: treatment arm / population is selected only if effectMeasure exceeds threshold, default is -Inf. threshold can also be a vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition over the treatment arms.
plannedSubjects	plannedSubjects is a numeric vector of length kMax (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedSubjects refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n1 / n2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to

the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length `kMax`, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length `kMax`, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally `allocationRatioPlanned` is treated as a vector of length `kMax`, not a scalar.

`minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the minimum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` refers to the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm.

`maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the maximum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` refers to the maximum number of subjects per selected active arm.

`conditionalPower`

If `conditionalPower` together with `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `minNumberOfEventsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify `thetaH1` and `stDevH1` (for simulating means), `pi1H1` and `pi2H1` (for simulating rates), or `thetaH1` (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.

`thetaH1`

If specified, the value of the alternative under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed. Must be a numeric of length 1.

`stDevH1`

If specified, the value of the standard deviation under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed, default is the value of `stDev`. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

`maxNumberOfIterations`

The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

`seed`

The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.

`calcSubjectsFunction`

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, sample size recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (see details and examples).

`selectArmsFunction`

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of how treatment arms are selected. This function is allowed to depend on `effectVector` with length `activeArms`, `stage`, `"conditionalPower"`, `"conditionalCriticalValue"`, `"plannedSubjects/plannedEvents"`, `"allocationRatioPlanned"`, `"selectedArms"`, `"thetaH1"` (for means and survival), `"stDevH1"` (for means), `"overallEffects"`,

and for rates additionally: "piTreatmentsH1", "piControlH1", "overallRates", and "overallRatesControl".

`showStatistics` Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, selection probabilities, and expected sample size at given number of subjects, parameter configuration, and treatment arm selection rule in the multi-arm situation. An allocation ratio can be specified referring to the ratio of number of subjects in the active treatment groups as compared to the control group.

The definition of `thetaH1` and/or `stDevH1` makes only sense if `kMax > 1` and if `conditionalPower`, `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `calcSubjectsFunction`) are defined.

`calcSubjectsFunction`

This function returns the number of subjects at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on the variables `stage`, `selectedArms`, `plannedSubjects`, `allocationRatioPlanned`, `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, `conditionalPower`, `conditionalCriticalValue`, `overallEffects`, and `stDevH1`. The function has to contain the three-dots argument `'...'` (see examples).

Value

Returns a `SimulationResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Assess a treatment-arm selection strategy with three active arms,
# if the better of the arms is selected for the second stage, and
# compare it with the no-selection case.
# Assume a linear dose-response relationship
maxNumberOfIterations <- 100
designIN <- getDesignInverseNormal(typeOfDesign = "OF", kMax = 2)
sim <- getSimulationMultiArmMeans(design = designIN,
  activeArms = 3, typeOfShape = "linear",
```

```

muMaxVector = seq(0,0.8,0.2),
intersectionTest = "Simes",
typeOfSelection = "best",
plannedSubjects = c(30,60),
maxNumberOfIterations = maxNumberOfIterations)

sim0 <- getSimulationMultiArmMeans(design = designIN,
  activeArms = 3, typeOfShape = "linear",
  muMaxVector = seq(0,0.8,0.2),
  intersectionTest = "Simes",
  typeOfSelection = "all",
  plannedSubjects = c(30,60),
  maxNumberOfIterations = maxNumberOfIterations)

sim$rejectAtLeastOne
sim$expectedNumberOfSubjects

sim0$rejectAtLeastOne
sim0$expectedNumberOfSubjects

# Compare the power of the conditional Dunnett test with the power of the
# combination test using Dunnett's intersection tests if no treatment arm
# selection takes place. Assume a linear dose-response relationship.
maxNumberOfIterations <- 100
designIN <- getDesignInverseNormal(typeOfDesign = "asUser",
  userAlphaSpending = c(0, 0.025))
designCD <- getDesignConditionalDunnett(secondStageConditioning = TRUE)

index <- 1
for (design in c(designIN, designCD)) {
  results <- getSimulationMultiArmMeans(design, activeArms = 3,
    muMaxVector = seq(0, 1, 0.2), typeOfShape = "linear",
    plannedSubjects = cumsum(rep(20, 2)),
    intersectionTest = "Dunnett",
    typeOfSelection = "all", maxNumberOfIterations = maxNumberOfIterations)
  if (index == 1) {
    drift <- results$effectMatrix[nrow(results$effectMatrix), ]
    plot(drift, results$rejectAtLeastOne, type = "l", lty = 1,
      lwd = 3, col = "black", ylab = "Power")
  } else {
    lines(drift, results$rejectAtLeastOne, type = "l",
      lty = index, lwd = 3, col = "red")
  }
  index <- index + 1
}
legend("topleft", legend=c("Combination Dunnett", "Conditional Dunnett"),
  col=c("black", "red"), lty = (1:2), cex = 0.8)

# Assess the design characteristics of a user defined selection
# strategy in a two-stage design using the inverse normal method
# with constant bounds. Stopping for futility due to
# de-selection of all treatment arms.
designIN <- getDesignInverseNormal(typeOfDesign = "P", kMax = 2)

mySelection <- function(effectVector) {
  selectedArms <- (effectVector >= c(0, 0.1, 0.3))
  return(selectedArms)
}

```

```

}

results <- getSimulationMultiArmMeans(designIN, activeArms = 3,
  muMaxVector = seq(0, 1, 0.2),
  typeOfShape = "linear",
  plannedSubjects = c(30,60),
  intersectionTest = "Dunnett",
  typeOfSelection = "userDefined",
  selectArmsFunction = mySelection,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 100)

options(rpact.summary.output.size = "medium")
summary(results)
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(results, type = c(5,3,9), grid = 4)

## End(Not run)

```

```
getSimulationMultiArmRates
```

Get Simulation Multi-Arm Rates

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping and selection probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing rates in a multi-arm treatment groups testing situation.

Usage

```

getSimulationMultiArmRates(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  activeArms = 3L,
  effectMatrix = NULL,
  typeOfShape = c("linear", "sigmoidEmax", "userDefined"),
  piMaxVector = seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1),
  piControl = 0.2,
  gED50 = NA_real_,
  slope = 1,
  intersectionTest = c("Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", "Hierarchical"),
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  adaptations = NA,
  typeOfSelection = c("best", "rBest", "epsilon", "all", "userDefined"),
  effectMeasure = c("effectEstimate", "testStatistic"),
  successCriterion = c("all", "atLeastOne"),
  epsilonValue = NA_real_,
  rValue = NA_real_,
  threshold = -Inf,
  plannedSubjects = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
  minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,

```

```

conditionalPower = NA_real_,
piTreatmentsH1 = NA_real_,
piControlH1 = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
seed = NA_real_,
calcSubjectsFunction = NULL,
selectArmsFunction = NULL,
showStatistics = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
activeArms	The number of active treatment arms to be compared with control, default is 3.
effectMatrix	Matrix of effect sizes with activeArms columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider.
typeOfShape	The shape of the dose-response relationship over the treatment groups. This can be either "linear", "sigmoidEmax", or "userDefined", default is "linear". For "linear", "muMaxVector" specifies the range of effect sizes for the treatment group with highest response. If "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "gED50" and "slope" has to be entered to specify the ED50 and the slope of the sigmoid Emax model. For "sigmoidEmax", "muMaxVector" specifies the range of effect sizes for the treatment group with response according to infinite dose. If "userDefined" is selected, "effectMatrix" has to be entered.
piMaxVector	Range of assumed probabilities for the treatment group with highest response for "linear" and "sigmoidEmax" model, default is seq(0, 1, 0.2).
piControl	If specified, the assumed probability in the control arm for simulation and under which the sample size recalculation is performed.
gED50	If typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "gED50" has to be entered to specify the ED50 of the sigmoid Emax model.
slope	If typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "slope" can be entered to specify the slope of the sigmoid Emax model, default is 1.
intersectionTest	Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses. Five options are available in multi-arm designs: "Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", and "Hierarchical", default is "Dunnett".
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
adaptations	A logical vector of length kMax - 1 indicating whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k, default is rep(TRUE, kMax - 1).
typeOfSelection	The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Five options are available: "best", "rbest", "epsilon", "all", and "userDefined", default is "best".

	For "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms/populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified, for "epsilon" (select treatment arm/population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. If "userDefined" is selected, "selectArmsFunction" or "selectPopulationsFunction" has to be specified.
effectMeasure	Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate (difference for means and rates or ratio for survival) ("effectEstimate"), default is "effectEstimate".
successCriterion	Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. Two options are available: "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion is fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim, default is "all".
epsilonValue	For typeOfSelection = "epsilon" (select treatment arm / population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. Must be a numeric of length 1.
rValue	For typeOfSelection = "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms / populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified.
threshold	Selection criterion: treatment arm / population is selected only if effectMeasure exceeds threshold, default is -Inf. threshold can also be a vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition over the treatment arms.
plannedSubjects	plannedSubjects is a numeric vector of length kMax (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedSubjects refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length kMax, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally allocationRatioPlanned is treated as a vector of length kMax, not a scalar.
minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage	When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage with length kMax determines the minimum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage refers to the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm.
maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage	When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage with length kMax determines the maximum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage refers to the maximum number of subjects per selected active arm.

- conditionalPower** If conditionalPower together with minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (or minNumberOfEventsPerStage and maxNumberOfEventsPerStage for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify thetaH1 and stDevH1 (for simulating means), pi1H1 and pi2H1 (for simulating rates), or theH1 (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.
- piTreatmentsH1** If specified, the assumed probability in the active treatment arm(s) under which the sample size recalculation is performed.
- piControlH1** If specified, the assumed probability in the reference group (if different from piControl) for which the conditional power was calculated.
- maxNumberOfIterations** The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
- seed** The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.
- calcSubjectsFunction** Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, sample size recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (see details and examples).
- selectArmsFunction** Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of how treatment arms are selected. This function is allowed to depend on effectVector with length activeArms, stage, "conditionalPower", "conditionalCriticalValue", "plannedSubjects/plannedEvents", "allocationRatioPlanned", "selectedArms", "thetaH1" (for means and survival), "stDevH1" (for means), "overallEffects", and for rates additionally: "piTreatmentsH1", "piControlH1", "overallRates", and "overallRatesControl".
- showStatistics** Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, selection probabilities, and expected sample size at given number of subjects, parameter configuration, and treatment arm selection rule in the multi-arm situation. An allocation ratio can be specified referring to the ratio of number of subjects in the active treatment groups as compared to the control group.

The definition of piTreatmentsH1 and/or piControlH1 makes only sense if kMax > 1 and if conditionalPower, minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage, and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (or calcSubjectsFunction) are defined.

calcSubjectsFunction

This function returns the number of subjects at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on the variables stage, selectedArms, directionUpper, plannedSubjects, allocationRatioPlanned, minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage, maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage, conditionalPower, conditionalCriticalValue, overallRates, overallRatesControl, piTreatmentsH1, and piControlH1. The function has to contain the three-dots argument '...' (see examples).

Value

Returns a `SimulationResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the rpart specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Simulate the power of the combination test with two interim stages and
# O'Brien & Fleming boundaries using Dunnett's intersection tests if the
# best treatment arm is selected at first interim. Selection only take
# place if a non-negative treatment effect is observed (threshold = 0);
# 20 subjects per stage and treatment arm, simulation is performed for
# four parameter configurations.
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(typeOfDesign = "OF")
effectMatrix <- matrix(c(0.2,0.2,0.2,
  0.4,0.4,0.4,
  0.4,0.5,0.5,
  0.4,0.5,0.6),
  byrow = TRUE, nrow = 4, ncol = 3)
x <- getSimulationMultiArmRates(design = design, typeOfShape = "userDefined",
  effectMatrix = effectMatrix , piControl = 0.2,
  typeOfSelection = "best", threshold = 0, intersectionTest = "Dunnett",
  plannedSubjects = c(20, 40, 60),
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50)
summary(x)

## End(Not run)
```

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping and selection probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing hazard ratios in a multi-arm treatment groups testing situation. In contrast to `getSimulationSurvival()` (where survival times are simulated), normally distributed logrank test statistics are simulated.

Usage

```
getSimulationMultiArmSurvival(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  activeArms = 3L,
  effectMatrix = NULL,
  typeOfShape = c("linear", "sigmoidEmax", "userDefined"),
  omegaMaxVector = seq(1, 2.6, 0.4),
  gED50 = NA_real_,
  slope = 1,
  intersectionTest = c("Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", "Hierarchical"),
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  adaptations = NA,
  typeOfSelection = c("best", "rBest", "epsilon", "all", "userDefined"),
  effectMeasure = c("effectEstimate", "testStatistic"),
  successCriterion = c("all", "atLeastOne"),
  correlationComputation = c("alternative", "null"),
  epsilonValue = NA_real_,
  rValue = NA_real_,
  threshold = -Inf,
  plannedEvents = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = NA_real_,
  conditionalPower = NA_real_,
  thetaH1 = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
  seed = NA_real_,
  calcEventsFunction = NULL,
  selectArmsFunction = NULL,
  showStatistics = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

<code>design</code>	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate α , Type II error rate β , <code>twoSidedPower</code> , and <code>sided</code> can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
<code>...</code>	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
<code>activeArms</code>	The number of active treatment arms to be compared with control, default is 3.
<code>effectMatrix</code>	Matrix of effect sizes with <code>activeArms</code> columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider.

typeOfShape	The shape of the dose-response relationship over the treatment groups. This can be either "linear", "sigmoidEmax", or "userDefined", default is "linear". For "linear", "muMaxVector" specifies the range of effect sizes for the treatment group with highest response. If "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "gED50" and "slope" has to be entered to specify the ED50 and the slope of the sigmoid Emax model. For "sigmoidEmax", "muMaxVector" specifies the range of effect sizes for the treatment group with response according to infinite dose. If "userDefined" is selected, "effectMatrix" has to be entered.
omegaMaxVector	Range of hazard ratios with highest response for "linear" and "sigmoidEmax" model, default is seq(1, 2.6, 0.4).
gED50	If typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "gED50" has to be entered to specify the ED50 of the sigmoid Emax model.
slope	If typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "slope" can be entered to specify the slope of the sigmoid Emax model, default is 1.
intersectionTest	Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses. Five options are available in multi-arm designs: "Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", and "Hierarchical", default is "Dunnett".
directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
adaptations	A logical vector of length kMax - 1 indicating whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k, default is rep(TRUE, kMax - 1).
typeOfSelection	The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Five options are available: "best", "rbest", "epsilon", "all", and "userDefined", default is "best". For "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms/populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified, for "epsilon" (select treatment arm/population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. If "userDefined" is selected, "selectArmsFunction" or "selectPopulationsFunction" has to be specified.
effectMeasure	Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate (difference for means and rates or ratio for survival) ("effectEstimate"), default is "effectEstimate".
successCriterion	Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. Two options are available: "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion is fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim, default is "all".
correlationComputation	If correlationComputation = "alternative", for simulating log-rank statistics in the many-to-one design, a correlation matrix according to Deng et al. (Biometrics, 2019) accounting for the respective alternative is used; if correlationComputation = "null", a constant correlation matrix valid under the null, i.e., not accounting for the alternative is used, default is "alternative".
epsilonValue	For typeOfSelection = "epsilon" (select treatment arm / population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. Must be a numeric of length 1.

rValue	For typeOfSelection = "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms / populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified.
threshold	Selection criterion: treatment arm / population is selected only if effectMeasure exceeds threshold, default is -Inf. threshold can also be a vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition over the treatment arms.
plannedEvents	plannedEvents is a numeric vector of length kMax (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) events in survival designs when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of events for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedEvents refers to the overall number of events for the selected arms plus control.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length kMax, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally allocationRatioPlanned is treated as a vector of length kMax, not a scalar.
minNumberOfEventsPerStage	When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector minNumberOfEventsPerStage with length kMax determines the minimum number of events per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account.
maxNumberOfEventsPerStage	When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector maxNumberOfEventsPerStage with length kMax determines the maximum number of events per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account.
conditionalPower	If conditionalPower together with minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (or minNumberOfEventsPerStage and maxNumberOfEventsPerStage for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify thetaH1 and stDevH1 (for simulating means), pi1H1 and pi2H1 (for simulating rates), or thetaH1 (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.
thetaH1	If specified, the value of the alternative under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed. Must be a numeric of length 1.
maxNumberOfIterations	The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
seed	The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.
calcEventsFunction	Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, event number recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified minNumberOfEventsPerStage and maxNumberOfEventsPerStage (see details and examples).

selectArmsFunction

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of how treatment arms are selected. This function is allowed to depend on effectVector with length activeArms, stage, "conditionalPower", "conditionalCriticalValue", "plannedSubjects/plannedEvents", "allocationRatioPlanned", "selectedArms", "thetaH1" (for means and survival), "stDevH1" (for means), "overallEffects", and for rates additionally: "piTreatmentsH1", "piControlH1", "overallRates", and "overallRatesControl".

showStatistics Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, selection probabilities, and expected sample size at given number of subjects, parameter configuration, and treatment arm selection rule in the multi-arm situation. An allocation ratio can be specified referring to the ratio of number of subjects in the active treatment groups as compared to the control group.

The definition of thetaH1 makes only sense if $k_{\text{Max}} > 1$ and if conditionalPower, minNumberOfEventsPerStage, and maxNumberOfEventsPerStage (or calcEventsFunction) are defined.

calcEventsFunction

This function returns the number of events at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on the variables stage, selectedArms, plannedEvents, directionUpper, allocationRatioPlanned, minNumberOfEventsPerStage, maxNumberOfEventsPerStage, conditionalPower, conditionalCriticalValue, and overallEffects. The function has to contain the three-dots argument '...' (see examples).

Value

Returns a [SimulationResults](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [data.frame](#),
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [matrix](#).

How to get help for generic functions

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Examples

```
## Not run:
# Assess different selection rules for a two-stage survival design with
# O'Brien & Fleming alpha spending boundaries and (non-binding) stopping
# for futility if the test statistic is negative.
```

```

# Number of events at the second stage is adjusted based on conditional
# power 80% and specified minimum and maximum number of Events.
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(typeOfDesign = "asOF", futilityBounds = 0)

y1 <- getSimulationMultiArmSurvival(design = design, activeArms = 4,
  intersectionTest = "Simes", typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax",
  omegaMaxVector = seq(1, 2, 0.5), gED50 = 2, slope = 4,
  typeOfSelection = "best", conditionalPower = 0.8,
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA_real_, 30),
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA_real_, 90),
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50,
  plannedEvents = c(75, 120))

y2 <- getSimulationMultiArmSurvival(design = design, activeArms = 4,
  intersectionTest = "Simes", typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax",
  omegaMaxVector = seq(1,2,0.5), gED50 = 2, slope = 4,
  typeOfSelection = "epsilon", epsilonValue = 0.2,
  effectMeasure = "effectEstimate",
  conditionalPower = 0.8, minNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA_real_, 30),
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA_real_, 90),
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50,
  plannedEvents = c(75, 120))

y1$effectMatrix

y1$rejectAtLeastOne
y2$rejectAtLeastOne

y1$selectedArms
y2$selectedArms

## End(Not run)

```

getSimulationRates *Get Simulation Rates*

Description

Returns the simulated power, stopping probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing rates in a one or two treatment groups testing situation.

Usage

```

getSimulationRates(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  groups = 2L,
  normalApproximation = TRUE,
  riskRatio = FALSE,
  thetaH0 = ifelse(riskRatio, 1, 0),
  pi1 = seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1),
  pi2 = NA_real_,
  plannedSubjects = NA_real_,

```

```

directionUpper = TRUE,
allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = NA_real_,
conditionalPower = NA_real_,
pi1H1 = NA_real_,
pi2H1 = NA_real_,
maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
seed = NA_real_,
calcSubjectsFunction = NULL,
showStatistics = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
groups	The number of treatment groups (1 or 2), default is 2.
normalApproximation	The type of computation of the p-values. Default is FALSE for testing means (i.e., the t test is used) and TRUE for testing rates and the hazard ratio. For testing rates, if normalApproximation = FALSE is specified, the binomial test (one sample) or the exact test of Fisher (two samples) is used for calculating the p-values. In the survival setting normalApproximation = FALSE has no effect.
riskRatio	If TRUE, the design characteristics for one-sided testing of $H_0: \pi_1 / \pi_2 = \text{thetaH0}$ are simulated, default is FALSE.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio). For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>means</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified. • <i>rates</i>: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified. • <i>survival data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified. • <i>count data</i>: a bound for testing H_0: $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \text{thetaH0} \neq 1$ can be specified. For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis $H_0: \pi = \text{thetaH0}$.
pi1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed probability in the active treatment group if two treatment groups are considered, or the alternative probability for a one treatment group design, default is seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1) (power calculations and simulations) or seq(0.4, 0.6, 0.1) (sample size calculations).

- `pi2` A numeric value that represents the assumed probability in the reference group if two treatment groups are considered, default is 0.2.
- `plannedSubjects` `plannedSubjects` is a numeric vector of length `kMax` (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, `plannedSubjects` refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm.
- `directionUpper` Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
- `allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length `kMax`, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length `kMax`, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally `allocationRatioPlanned` is treated as a vector of length `kMax`, not a scalar.
- `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the minimum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` refers to the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm.
- `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the maximum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` refers to the maximum number of subjects per selected active arm.
- `conditionalPower` If `conditionalPower` together with `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `minNumberOfEventsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify `thetaH1` and `stDevH1` (for simulating means), `pi1H1` and `pi2H1` (for simulating rates), or `thetaH1` (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.
- `pi1H1` If specified, the assumed probability in the active treatment group if two treatment groups are considered, or the assumed probability for a one treatment group design, for which the conditional power was calculated.
- `pi2H1` If specified, the assumed probability in the reference group if two treatment groups are considered, for which the conditional power was calculated.
- `maxNumberOfIterations` The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

- `seed` The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.
- `calcSubjectsFunction` Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, sample size recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (see details and examples).
- `showStatistics` Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size at given number of subjects and parameter configuration. Additionally, an allocation ratio = $n1/n2$ can be specified where $n1$ and $n2$ are the number of subjects in the two treatment groups.

The definition of `pi1H1` and/or `pi2H1` makes only sense if `kMax > 1` and if `conditionalPower`, `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` (or `calcSubjectsFunction`) are defined.

`calcSubjectsFunction`

This function returns the number of subjects at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on variables `stage`, `riskRatio`, `thetaH0`, `groups`, `plannedSubjects`, `sampleSizesPerStage`, `directionUpper`, `allocationRatioPlanned`, `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`, `conditionalPower`, `conditionalCriticalValue`, `overallRate`, `farringtonManningValue1`, and `farringtonManningValue2`. The function has to contain the three-dots argument `'...'` (see examples).

Value

Returns a `SimulationResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

Simulation Data

The summary statistics "Simulated data" contains the following parameters: median `range`; mean `+/-sd`

`$show(showStatistics = FALSE)` or `$setShowStatistics(FALSE)` can be used to disable the output of the aggregated simulated data.

Example 1:

```
simulationResults <- getSimulationRates(plannedSubjects = 40)
simulationResults$show(showStatistics = FALSE)
```

Example 2:

```
simulationResults <- getSimulationRates(plannedSubjects = 40)
simulationResults$setShowStatistics(FALSE)
simulationResults
```

`getData()` can be used to get the aggregated simulated data from the object as `data.frame`. The data frame contains the following columns:

1. `iterationNumber`: The number of the simulation iteration.
2. `stageNumber`: The stage.
3. `pi1`: The assumed or derived event rate in the treatment group (if available).
4. `pi2`: The assumed or derived event rate in the control group (if available).
5. `numberOfSubjects`: The number of subjects under consideration when the (interim) analysis takes place.
6. `rejectPerStage`: 1 if null hypothesis can be rejected, 0 otherwise.
7. `futilityPerStage`: 1 if study should be stopped for futility, 0 otherwise.
8. `testStatistic`: The test statistic that is used for the test decision, depends on which design was chosen (group sequential, inverse normal, or Fisher combination test)
9. `testStatisticsPerStage`: The test statistic for each stage if only data from the considered stage is taken into account.
10. `overallRate1`: The cumulative rate in treatment group 1.
11. `overallRate2`: The cumulative rate in treatment group 2.
12. `stagewiseRates1`: The stage-wise rate in treatment group 1.
13. `stagewiseRates2`: The stage-wise rate in treatment group 2.
14. `sampleSizesPerStage1`: The stage-wise sample size in treatment group 1.
15. `sampleSizesPerStage2`: The stage-wise sample size in treatment group 2.
16. `trialStop`: TRUE if study should be stopped for efficacy or futility or final stage, FALSE otherwise.
17. `conditionalPowerAchieved`: The conditional power for the subsequent stage of the trial for selected sample size and effect. The effect is either estimated from the data or can be user defined with `pi1H1` and `pi2H1`.

How to get help for generic functions

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Examples

```
# Fixed sample size design (two groups) with total sample
# size 120, pi1 = (0.3,0.4,0.5,0.6) and pi2 = 0.3
getSimulationRates(pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3,
  plannedSubjects = 120, maxNumberOfIterations = 10)
## Not run:
# Increase number of simulation iterations and compare results with power calculator
getSimulationRates(pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3,
```

```

    plannedSubjects = 120, maxNumberOfIterations = 50)
getPowerRates(pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3, maxNumberOfSubjects = 120)

# Do the same for a two-stage Pocock inverse normal group sequential
# design with non-binding futility stops
designIN <- getDesignInverseNormal(typeOfDesign = "P", futilityBounds = c(0))
getSimulationRates(designIN, pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3,
  plannedSubjects = c(40, 80), maxNumberOfIterations = 50)
getPowerRates(designIN, pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3, maxNumberOfSubjects = 80)

# Assess power and average sample size if a sample size reassessment is
# foreseen at conditional power 80% for the subsequent stage (decrease and increase)
# based on observed overall (cumulative) rates and specified minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage
# and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage

# Do the same under the assumption that a sample size increase only takes place
# if the rate difference exceeds the value 0.1 at interim. For this, the sample
# size recalculation method needs to be redefined:
mySampleSizeCalculationFunction <- function(..., stage,
  plannedSubjects,
  minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage,
  maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage,
  conditionalPower,
  conditionalCriticalValue,
  overallRate) {
  if (overallRate[1] - overallRate[2] < 0.1) {
    return(plannedSubjects[stage] - plannedSubjects[stage - 1])
  } else {
    rateUnderH0 <- (overallRate[1] + overallRate[2]) / 2
    stageSubjects <- 2 * (max(0, conditionalCriticalValue *
      sqrt(2 * rateUnderH0 * (1 - rateUnderH0)) +
      stats::qnorm(conditionalPower) * sqrt(overallRate[1] *
        (1 - overallRate[1]) + overallRate[2] * (1 - overallRate[2]))))^2 /
      (max(1e-12, (overallRate[1] - overallRate[2]))))^2
    stageSubjects <- ceiling(min(max(
      minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage[stage],
      stageSubjects), maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage[stage]))
    return(stageSubjects)
  }
}
getSimulationRates(designIN, pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3,
  plannedSubjects = c(40, 80), minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = c(40, 20),
  maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage = c(40, 160), conditionalPower = 0.8,
  calcSubjectsFunction = mySampleSizeCalculationFunction, maxNumberOfIterations = 50)

## End(Not run)

```

getSimulationSurvival *Get Simulation Survival*

Description

Returns the analysis times, power, stopping probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size for testing the hazard ratio in a two treatment groups survival design.

Usage

```

getSimulationSurvival(
  design = NULL,
  ...,
  thetaH0 = 1,
  directionUpper = TRUE,
  pi1 = NA_real_,
  pi2 = NA_real_,
  lambda1 = NA_real_,
  lambda2 = NA_real_,
  median1 = NA_real_,
  median2 = NA_real_,
  hazardRatio = NA_real_,
  kappa = 1,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = NA_real_,
  allocation1 = 1,
  allocation2 = 1,
  eventTime = 12,
  accrualTime = c(0, 12),
  accrualIntensity = 0.1,
  accrualIntensityType = c("auto", "absolute", "relative"),
  dropoutRate1 = 0,
  dropoutRate2 = 0,
  dropoutTime = 12,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = NA_real_,
  plannedEvents = NA_real_,
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = NA_real_,
  conditionalPower = NA_real_,
  thetaH1 = NA_real_,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 1000L,
  maxNumberOfRawDatasetsPerStage = 0,
  longTimeSimulationAllowed = FALSE,
  seed = NA_real_,
  calcEventsFunction = NULL,
  showStatistics = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

design	The trial design. If no trial design is specified, a fixed sample size design is used. In this case, Type I error rate alpha, Type II error rate beta, twoSidedPower, and sided can be directly entered as argument where necessary.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio).

For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of

- *means*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified.
- *rates*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified.
- *survival data*: a bound for testing H_0 : hazard ratio = $\theta_{H_0} \neq 1$ can be specified.
- *count data*: a bound for testing H_0 : $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \theta_{H_0} \neq 1$ can be specified.

For testing a rate in one sample, a value θ_{H_0} in $(0, 1)$ has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0 : $\pi = \theta_{H_0}$.

directionUpper	Logical. Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
pi1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed event rate in the treatment group, default is <code>seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1)</code> (power calculations and simulations) or <code>seq(0.4, 0.6, 0.1)</code> (sample size calculations).
pi2	A numeric value that represents the assumed event rate in the control group, default is 0.2.
lambda1	The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group, there is no default. <code>lambda1</code> can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
lambda2	The assumed hazard rate in the reference group, there is no default. <code>lambda2</code> can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
median1	The assumed median survival time in the treatment group, there is no default.
median2	The assumed median survival time in the reference group, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
hazardRatio	The vector of hazard ratios under consideration. If the event or hazard rates in both treatment groups are defined, the hazard ratio needs not to be specified as it is calculated, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
kappa	A numeric value > 0 . A $\kappa \neq 1$ will be used for the specification of the shape of the Weibull distribution. Default is 1, i.e., the exponential survival distribution is used instead of the Weibull distribution. Note that the Weibull distribution cannot be used for the piecewise definition of the survival time distribution, i.e., only <code>piecewiseLambda</code> (as a single value) and <code>kappa</code> can be specified. This function is equivalent to <code>pweibull(t, shape = kappa, scale = 1 / lambda)</code> of the stats package, i.e., the scale parameter is <code>1 / 'hazard rate'</code> . For example, <code>getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(time = 130, piecewiseLambda = 0.01, kappa = 4.2)</code> and <code>pweibull(q = 130, shape = 4.2, scale = 1 / 0.01)</code> provide the sample result.
piecewiseSurvivalTime	A vector that specifies the time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function (for details see <code>getPiecewiseSurvivalTime()</code>).
allocation1	The number how many subjects are assigned to treatment 1 in a subsequent order, default is 1
allocation2	The number how many subjects are assigned to treatment 2 in a subsequent order, default is 1

<code>eventTime</code>	The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated, default is 12.
<code>accrualTime</code>	The assumed accrual time intervals for the study, default is $c(0, 12)$ (for details see getAccrualTime()).
<code>accrualIntensity</code>	A numeric vector of accrual intensities, default is the relative intensity 0.1 (for details see getAccrualTime()).
<code>accrualIntensityType</code>	A character value specifying the accrual intensity input type. Must be one of "auto", "absolute", or "relative"; default is "auto", i.e., if all values are < 1 the type is "relative", otherwise it is "absolute".
<code>dropoutRate1</code>	The assumed drop-out rate in the treatment group, default is 0.
<code>dropoutRate2</code>	The assumed drop-out rate in the control group, default is 0.
<code>dropoutTime</code>	The assumed time for drop-out rates in the control and the treatment group, default is 12.
<code>maxNumberOfSubjects</code>	<code>maxNumberOfSubjects > 0</code> needs to be specified. If accrual time and accrual intensity are specified, this will be calculated. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
<code>plannedEvents</code>	<code>plannedEvents</code> is a numeric vector of length <code>kMax</code> (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) events in survival designs when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of events for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, <code>plannedEvents</code> refers to the overall number of events for the selected arms plus control.
<code>minNumberOfEventsPerStage</code>	When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector <code>minNumberOfEventsPerStage</code> with length <code>kMax</code> determines the minimum number of events per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account.
<code>maxNumberOfEventsPerStage</code>	When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector <code>maxNumberOfEventsPerStage</code> with length <code>kMax</code> determines the maximum number of events per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account.
<code>conditionalPower</code>	If <code>conditionalPower</code> together with <code>minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage</code> and <code>maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage</code> (or <code>minNumberOfEventsPerStage</code> and <code>maxNumberOfEventsPerStage</code> for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify <code>thetaH1</code> and <code>stDevH1</code> (for simulating means), <code>pi1H1</code> and <code>pi2H1</code> (for simulating rates), or <code>thetaH1</code> (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.
<code>thetaH1</code>	If specified, the value of the alternative under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed. Must be a numeric of length 1.
<code>maxNumberOfIterations</code>	The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

maxNumberOfRawDatasetsPerStage	The number of raw datasets per stage that shall be extracted and saved as <code>data.frame</code> , default is 0. <code>getRawData()</code> can be used to get the extracted raw data from the object.
longTimeSimulationAllowed	Logical that indicates whether long time simulations that consumes more than 30 seconds are allowed or not, default is FALSE.
seed	The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.
calcEventsFunction	Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, event number recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified <code>minNumberOfEventsPerStage</code> and <code>maxNumberOfEventsPerStage</code> (see details and examples).
showStatistics	Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

Details

At given design the function simulates the power, stopping probabilities, conditional power, and expected sample size at given number of events, number of subjects, and parameter configuration. It also simulates the time when the required events are expected under the given assumptions (exponentially, piecewise exponentially, or Weibull distributed survival times and constant or non-constant piecewise accrual). Additionally, integers `allocation1` and `allocation2` can be specified that determine the number allocated to treatment group 1 and treatment group 2, respectively. More precisely, unequal randomization ratios must be specified via the two integer arguments `allocation1` and `allocation2` which describe how many subjects are consecutively enrolled in each group, respectively, before a subject is assigned to the other group. For example, the arguments `allocation1 = 2`, `allocation2 = 1`, `maxNumberOfSubjects = 300` specify 2:1 randomization with 200 subjects randomized to intervention and 100 to control. (Caveat: Do not use `allocation1 = 200`, `allocation2 = 100`, `maxNumberOfSubjects = 300` as this would imply that the 200 intervention subjects are enrolled prior to enrollment of any control subjects.)

conditionalPower

The definition of `thetaH1` makes only sense if `kMax > 1` and if `conditionalPower`, `minNumberOfEventsPerStage`, and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage` are defined.

Note that `numberOfSubjects`, `numberOfSubjects1`, and `numberOfSubjects2` in the output are the expected number of subjects.

calcEventsFunction

This function returns the number of events at given conditional power and conditional critical value for specified testing situation. The function might depend on variables `stage`, `conditionalPower`, `thetaH0`, `plannedEvents`, `singleEventsPerStage`, `minNumberOfEventsPerStage`, `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage`, `allocationRatioPlanned`, `conditionalCriticalValue`. The function has to contain the three-dots argument `'...'` (see examples).

Value

Returns a `SimulationResults` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,

- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

Piecewise survival time

The first element of the vector `piecewiseSurvivalTime` must be equal to 0. `piecewiseSurvivalTime` can also be a list that combines the definition of the time intervals and hazard rates in the reference group. The definition of the survival time in the treatment group is obtained by the specification of the hazard ratio (see examples for details).

Staggered patient entry

`accrualTime` is the time period of subjects' accrual in a study. It can be a value that defines the end of accrual or a vector. In this case, `accrualTime` can be used to define a non-constant accrual over time. For this, `accrualTime` is a vector that defines the accrual intervals. The first element of `accrualTime` must be equal to 0 and, additionally, `accrualIntensity` needs to be specified. `accrualIntensity` itself is a value or a vector (depending on the length of `accrualTime`) that defines the intensity how subjects enter the trial in the intervals defined through `accrualTime`.

`accrualTime` can also be a list that combines the definition of the accrual time and accrual intensity (see below and examples for details).

If the length of `accrualTime` and the length of `accrualIntensity` are the same (i.e., the end of accrual is undefined), `maxNumberOfSubjects > 0` needs to be specified and the end of accrual is calculated. In that case, `accrualIntensity` is the number of subjects per time unit, i.e., the absolute accrual intensity.

If the length of `accrualTime` equals the length of `accrualIntensity` - 1 (i.e., the end of accrual is defined), `maxNumberOfSubjects` is calculated if the absolute accrual intensity is given. If all elements in `accrualIntensity` are smaller than 1, `accrualIntensity` defines the *relative* intensity how subjects enter the trial. For example, `accrualIntensity = c(0.1, 0.2)` specifies that in the second accrual interval the intensity is doubled as compared to the first accrual interval. The actual (absolute) accrual intensity is calculated for the calculated or given `maxNumberOfSubjects`. Note that the default is `accrualIntensity = 0.1` meaning that the *absolute* accrual intensity will be calculated.

Simulation Data

The summary statistics "Simulated data" contains the following parameters: median `range`; mean +/-sd

`$show(showStatistics = FALSE)` or `$setShowStatistics(FALSE)` can be used to disable the output of the aggregated simulated data.

Example 1:

```
simulationResults <- getSimulationSurvival(maxNumberOfSubjects = 100, plannedEvents = 30)
simulationResults$show(showStatistics = FALSE)
```

Example 2:

```
simulationResults <- getSimulationSurvival(maxNumberOfSubjects = 100, plannedEvents = 30)
simulationResults$setShowStatistics(FALSE)
```


simulationResults

[getData\(\)](#) can be used to get the aggregated simulated data from the object as `data.frame`. The data frame contains the following columns:

1. `iterationNumber`: The number of the simulation iteration.
2. `stageNumber`: The stage.
3. `pi1`: The assumed or derived event rate in the treatment group.
4. `pi2`: The assumed or derived event rate in the control group.
5. `hazardRatio`: The hazard ratio under consideration (if available).
6. `analysisTime`: The analysis time.
7. `numberOfSubjects`: The number of subjects under consideration when the (interim) analysis takes place.
8. `eventsPerStage1`: The observed number of events per stage in treatment group 1.
9. `eventsPerStage2`: The observed number of events per stage in treatment group 2.
10. `singleEventsPerStage`: The observed number of events per stage in both treatment groups.
11. `rejectPerStage`: 1 if null hypothesis can be rejected, 0 otherwise.
12. `futilityPerStage`: 1 if study should be stopped for futility, 0 otherwise.
13. `eventsNotAchieved`: 1 if number of events could not be reached with observed number of subjects, 0 otherwise.
14. `testStatistic`: The test statistic that is used for the test decision, depends on which design was chosen (group sequential, inverse normal, or Fisher combination test)
15. `logRankStatistic`: Z-score statistic which corresponds to a one-sided log-rank test at considered stage.
16. `hazardRatioEstimateLR`: The estimated hazard ratio, derived from the log-rank statistic.
17. `trialStop`: TRUE if study should be stopped for efficacy or futility or final stage, FALSE otherwise.
18. `conditionalPowerAchieved`: The conditional power for the subsequent stage of the trial for selected sample size and effect. The effect is either estimated from the data or can be user defined with `thetaH1`.

Raw Data

[getRawData\(\)](#) can be used to get the simulated raw data from the object as `data.frame`. Note that [getSimulationSurvival\(\)](#) must called before with `maxNumberOfRawDatasetsPerStage > 0`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpart` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function [methods](#) to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

Examples

```

# Fixed sample size with minimum required definitions, pi1 = (0.3,0.4,0.5,0.6) and
# pi2 = 0.3 at event time 12, and accrual time 24
getSimulationSurvival(
  pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 12,
  accrualTime = 24, plannedEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 10
)
## Not run:
# Increase number of simulation iterations
getSimulationSurvival(
  pi1 = seq(0.3, 0.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 12,
  accrualTime = 24, plannedEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Determine necessary accrual time with default settings if 200 subjects and
# 30 subjects per time unit can be recruited
getSimulationSurvival(
  plannedEvents = 40, accrualTime = 0,
  accrualIntensity = 30, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Determine necessary accrual time with default settings if 200 subjects and
# if the first 6 time units 20 subjects per time unit can be recruited,
# then 30 subjects per time unit
getSimulationSurvival(
  plannedEvents = 40, accrualTime = c(0, 6),
  accrualIntensity = c(20, 30), maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Determine maximum number of Subjects with default settings if the first
# 6 time units 20 subjects per time unit can be recruited, and after
# 10 time units 30 subjects per time unit
getSimulationSurvival(
  plannedEvents = 40, accrualTime = c(0, 6, 10),
  accrualIntensity = c(20, 30), maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Specify accrual time as a list
at <- list(
  "0 - <6" = 20,
  "6 - Inf" = 30
)
getSimulationSurvival(
  plannedEvents = 40, accrualTime = at,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Specify accrual time as a list, if maximum number of subjects need to be calculated
at <- list(
  "0 - <6" = 20,
  "6 - <=10" = 30
)
getSimulationSurvival(plannedEvents = 40, accrualTime = at, maxNumberOfIterations = 50)

```

```

# Specify effect size for a two-stage group sequential design with
# O'Brien & Fleming boundaries. Effect size is based on event rates
# at specified event time, directionUpper = FALSE needs to be specified
# because it should be shown that hazard ratio < 1
designGS <- getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2)
getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS,
  pi1 = 0.2, pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 24, plannedEvents = c(20, 40),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, directionUpper = FALSE, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# As above, but with a three-stage O'Brien and Fleming design with
# specified information rates, note that planned events consists of integer values
designGS2 <- getDesignGroupSequential(informationRates = c(0.4, 0.7, 1))
getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS2,
  pi1 = 0.2, pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 24,
  plannedEvents = round(designGS2$informationRates * 40),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, directionUpper = FALSE,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Effect size is based on event rate at specified event time for the reference
# group and hazard ratio, directionUpper = FALSE needs to be specified because
# it should be shown that hazard ratio < 1
getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS, hazardRatio = 0.5,
  pi2 = 0.3, eventTime = 24, plannedEvents = c(20, 40), maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  directionUpper = FALSE, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Effect size is based on hazard rate for the reference group and
# hazard ratio, directionUpper = FALSE needs to be specified because
# it should be shown that hazard ratio < 1
getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS,
  hazardRatio = 0.5, lambda2 = 0.02, plannedEvents = c(20, 40),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, directionUpper = FALSE,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time and hazard ratios,
# note that in getSimulationSurvival only on hazard ratio is used
# in the case that the survival time is piecewise exponential
getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 5, 10), lambda2 = c(0.01, 0.02, 0.04),
  hazardRatio = 1.5, plannedEvents = c(20, 40), maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

pws <- list(
  "0 - <5" = 0.01,
  "5 - <10" = 0.02,
  ">=10" = 0.04
)

```

```

getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = pws, hazardRatio = c(1.5),
  plannedEvents = c(20, 40), maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time for both treatment arms
getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 5, 10), lambda2 = c(0.01, 0.02, 0.04),
  lambda1 = c(0.015, 0.03, 0.06), plannedEvents = c(20, 40),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time as a list,
# note that in getSimulationSurvival only on hazard ratio
# (not a vector) can be used
pws <- list(
  "0 - <5" = 0.01,
  "5 - <10" = 0.02,
  ">=10" = 0.04
)
getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = pws, hazardRatio = 1.5,
  plannedEvents = c(20, 40), maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Specification of piecewise exponential survival time and delayed effect
# (response after 5 time units)
getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = c(0, 5, 10), lambda2 = c(0.01, 0.02, 0.04),
  lambda1 = c(0.01, 0.02, 0.06), plannedEvents = c(20, 40),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Specify effect size based on median survival times
getSimulationSurvival(
  median1 = 5, median2 = 3, plannedEvents = 40,
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 200, directionUpper = FALSE,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Specify effect size based on median survival
# times of Weibull distribution with kappa = 2
getSimulationSurvival(
  median1 = 5, median2 = 3, kappa = 2,
  plannedEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  directionUpper = FALSE, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

# Perform recalculation of number of events based on conditional power for a
# three-stage design with inverse normal combination test, where the conditional power
# is calculated under the specified effect size thetaH1 = 1.3 and up to a four-fold

```

```

# increase in originally planned sample size (number of events) is allowed.
# Note that the first value in minNumberOfEventsPerStage and
# maxNumberOfEventsPerStage is arbitrary, i.e., it has no effect.
designIN <- getDesignInverseNormal(informationRates = c(0.4, 0.7, 1))

resultsWithSSR1 <- getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designIN,
  hazardRatio = seq(1, 1.6, 0.1),
  pi2 = 0.3, conditionalPower = 0.8, thetaH1 = 1.3,
  plannedEvents = c(58, 102, 146),
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA, 44, 44),
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = 4 * c(NA, 44, 44),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 800, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)
resultsWithSSR1

# If thetaH1 is unspecified, the observed hazard ratio estimate
# (calculated from the log-rank statistic) is used for performing the
# recalculation of the number of events
resultsWithSSR2 <- getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designIN,
  hazardRatio = seq(1, 1.6, 0.1),
  pi2 = 0.3, conditionalPower = 0.8, plannedEvents = c(58, 102, 146),
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA, 44, 44),
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = 4 * c(NA, 44, 44),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 800, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)
resultsWithSSR2

# Compare it with design without event size recalculation
resultsWithoutSSR <- getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designIN,
  hazardRatio = seq(1, 1.6, 0.1), pi2 = 0.3,
  plannedEvents = c(58, 102, 145), maxNumberOfSubjects = 800,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)
resultsWithoutSSR$overallReject
resultsWithSSR1$overallReject
resultsWithSSR2$overallReject

# Confirm that event size recalculation increases the Type I error rate,
# i.e., you have to use the combination test
resultsWithSSRGS <- getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designGS2,
  hazardRatio = seq(1),
  pi2 = 0.3, conditionalPower = 0.8, plannedEvents = c(58, 102, 145),
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA, 44, 44),
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = 4 * c(NA, 44, 44),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 800, maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)
resultsWithSSRGS$overallReject

# Set seed to get reproducible results
identical(
  getSimulationSurvival(
    plannedEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
    seed = 99

```

```

) $analysisTime,
getSimulationSurvival(
  plannedEvents = 40, maxNumberOfSubjects = 200,
  seed = 99
) $analysisTime
)

# Perform recalculation of number of events based on conditional power as above.
# The number of events is recalculated only in the first interim, the recalculated number
# is also used for the final stage. Here, we use the user defined calcEventsFunction as
# follows (note that the last stage value in minNumberOfEventsPerStage and maxNumberOfEventsPerStage
# has no effect):
myCalcEventsFunction <- function(...,
  stage, conditionalPower, estimatedTheta,
  plannedEvents, eventsOverStages,
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage, maxNumberOfEventsPerStage,
  conditionalCriticalValue) {
  theta <- max(1 + 1e-12, estimatedTheta)
  if (stage == 2) {
    requiredStageEvents <-
      max(0, conditionalCriticalValue + qnorm(conditionalPower))^2 * 4 / log(theta)^2
    requiredOverallStageEvents <- min(
      max(minNumberOfEventsPerStage[stage], requiredStageEvents),
      maxNumberOfEventsPerStage[stage]
    ) + eventsOverStages[stage - 1]
  } else {
    requiredOverallStageEvents <- 2 * eventsOverStages[stage - 1] - eventsOverStages[1]
  }
  return(requiredOverallStageEvents)
}

resultsWithSSR <- getSimulationSurvival(
  design = designIN,
  hazardRatio = seq(1, 2.6, 0.5),
  pi2 = 0.3,
  conditionalPower = 0.8,
  plannedEvents = c(58, 102, 146),
  minNumberOfEventsPerStage = c(NA, 44, 4),
  maxNumberOfEventsPerStage = 4 * c(NA, 44, 4),
  maxNumberOfSubjects = 800,
  calcEventsFunction = myCalcEventsFunction,
  seed = 1234,
  maxNumberOfIterations = 50
)

## End(Not run)

```

getStageResults

Get Stage Results

Description

Returns summary statistics and p-values for a given data set and a given design.

Usage

```
getStageResults(design, dataInput, ..., stage = NA_integer_)
```

Arguments

- design** The trial design.
- dataInput** The summary data used for calculating the test results. This is either an element of `DatasetMeans`, of `DatasetRates`, or of `DatasetSurvival` and should be created with the function `getDataset()`. For more information see `getDataset()`.
- ...** Further (optional) arguments to be passed:
- thetaH0** The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio).
- For non-inferiority designs, `thetaH0` is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of
- *means*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified.
 - *rates*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified.
 - *survival data*: a bound for testing H_0 : hazard ratio = `thetaH0` $\neq 1$ can be specified.
- For testing a rate in one sample, a value `thetaH0` in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0 : $\pi_1 = \text{thetaH0}$.
- normalApproximation** The type of computation of the p-values. Default is FALSE for testing means (i.e., the t test is used) and TRUE for testing rates and the hazard ratio. For testing rates, if `normalApproximation = FALSE` is specified, the binomial test (one sample) or the exact test of Fisher (two samples) is used for calculating the p-values. In the survival setting, `normalApproximation = FALSE` has no effect.
- equalVariances** The type of t test. For testing means in two treatment groups, either the t test assuming that the variances are equal or the t test without assuming this, i.e., the test of Welch-Satterthwaite is calculated, default is TRUE.
- directionUpper** The direction of one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values.
- intersectionTest** Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses when testing multiple hypotheses. Five options are available in multi-arm designs: "Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", and "Hierarchical", default is "Dunnett". Four options are available in population enrichment designs: "SpiessensDebois" (one subset only), "Bonferroni", "Simes", and "Sidak", default is "Simes".
- varianceOption** Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple treatment arms (> 2) or population enrichment designs for testing means. For multiple arms, three options are available: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", and "notPooled", default is "overallPooled". For enrichment designs, the options are: "pooled", "pooledFromFull" (one subset only), and "notPooled", default is "pooled".
- stratifiedAnalysis** For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. For testing means and rates, also a non-stratified analysis

based on overall data can be performed. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible (see Brannath et al., 2009), default is TRUE.

`stage` The stage number (optional). Default: total number of existing stages in the data input.

Details

Calculates and returns the stage results of the specified design and data input at the specified stage.

Value

Returns a `StageResults` object.

- `names` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object,
- `summary()` to display a summary of the object,
- `plot()` to plot the object,
- `as.data.frame()` to coerce the object to a `data.frame`,
- `as.matrix()` to coerce the object to a `matrix`.

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpart` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

See Also

Other analysis functions: `getAnalysisResults()`, `getClosedCombinationTestResults()`, `getClosedConditionalPower()`, `getConditionalPower()`, `getConditionalRejectionProbabilities()`, `getFinalConfidenceInterval()`, `getFinalPValue()`, `getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals()`, `getRepeatedPValues()`, `getTestActions()`

Examples

```
design <- getDesignInverseNormal()
dataRates <- getDataset(
  n1      = c(10, 10),
  n2      = c(20, 20),
  events1 = c( 8, 10),
  events2 = c(10, 16))
getStageResults(design, dataRates)
```

getTestActions	<i>Get Test Actions</i>
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Description

Returns test actions.

Usage

```
getTestActions(stageResults, ...)
```

Arguments

`stageResults` The results at given stage, obtained from [getStageResults\(\)](#).
`...` Only available for backward compatibility.

Details

Returns the test actions of the specified design and stage results at the specified stage.

Value

Returns a [character](#) vector of length `kMax` Returns a [numeric](#) vector of length `kMax` containing the test actions of each stage.

See Also

Other analysis functions: [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#), [getClosedCombinationTestResults\(\)](#), [getClosedConditionalPower\(\)](#), [getConditionalRejectionProbabilities\(\)](#), [getFinalConfidenceInterval\(\)](#), [getFinalPValue\(\)](#), [getRepeatedConfidenceIntervals\(\)](#), [getRepeatedPValues\(\)](#), [getStageResults\(\)](#)

Examples

```
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2)
data <- getDataset(
  n      = c( 20,  30),
  means  = c( 50,  51),
  stDevs = c(130, 140)
)
getTestActions(getStageResults(design, dataInput = data))
```

getWideFormat	<i>Get Wide Format</i>
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Description

Returns the specified dataset as a `data.frame` in so-called wide format.

Usage

```
getWideFormat(dataInput)
```

Details

In the wide format (unstacked), the data are presented with each different data variable in a separate column, i.e., the different groups are in separate columns.

Value

A `data.frame` will be returned.

See Also

[getLongFormat\(\)](#) for returning the dataset as a `data.frame` in long format.

kableParameterSet	<i>Create output in Markdown</i>
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Description

The `kable()` function returns the output of the specified object formatted in Markdown.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
kable(x, ...)

kable(x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A <code>ParameterSet</code> . If <code>x</code> does not inherit from class <code>ParameterSet</code> , <code>knitr::kable(x)</code> will be returned.
<code>...</code>	Other arguments (see kable).

Details

Generic function to represent a parameter set in Markdown. Use `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "NUMBER")` (where `NUMBER` is an integer value ≥ -1) to specify the heading level. The default is `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "0")`, i.e., the top headings start with `##` in Markdown. `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "-1")` means that all headings will be written bold but are not explicit defined as header.

 knit_print.ParameterSet

Print Parameter Set in Markdown Code Chunks

Description

The function `knit_print.ParameterSet` is the default printing function for `rpact` result objects in `knitr`. The chunk option `render` uses this function by default. To fall back to the normal printing behavior set the chunk option `render = normal_print`. For more information see [knit_print](#).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
knit_print(x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A <code>ParameterSet</code> .
<code>...</code>	Other arguments (see knit_print).

Details

Generic function to print a parameter set in Markdown. Use `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "NUMBER")` (where `NUMBER` is an integer value ≥ -1) to specify the heading level. The default is `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "0")`, i.e., the top headings start with `##` in Markdown. `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "-1")` means that all headings will be written bold but are not explicit defined as header.

 knit_print.SummaryFactory

Print Summary Factory in Markdown Code Chunks

Description

The function `knit_print.SummaryFactory` is the default printing function for `rpact` summary objects in `knitr`. The chunk option `render` uses this function by default. To fall back to the normal printing behavior set the chunk option `render = normal_print`. For more information see [knit_print](#).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'SummaryFactory'
knit_print(x, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A <code>SummaryFactory</code> .
<code>...</code>	Other arguments (see knit_print).

Details

Generic function to print a summary object in Markdown. Use `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "NUMBER")` (where NUMBER is an integer value ≥ -1) to specify the heading level. The default is `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "0")`, i.e., the top headings start with ## in Markdown. `options("rpact.print.heading.base.number" = "-1")` means that all headings will be written bold but are not explicit defined as header.

`length.TrialDesignSet` *Length of Trial Design Set*

Description

Returns the number of designs in a `TrialDesignSet`.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignSet'
length(x)
```

Arguments

`x` A `TrialDesignSet` object.

Details

Is helpful for iteration over all designs in a design set.

Value

Returns a non-negative `integer` of length 1 representing the number of design in the `TrialDesignSet`.

Examples

```
designSet <- getDesignSet(design = getDesignGroupSequential(), alpha = c(0.01, 0.05))
length(designSet)
```

mvnprd

Original Algorithm AS 251: Normal Distribution

Description

Calculates the Multivariate Normal Distribution with Product Correlation Structure published by Charles Dunnett, Algorithm AS 251.1 Appl.Statist. (1989), Vol.38, No.3, [doi:10.2307/2347754](https://doi.org/10.2307/2347754).

Usage

```
mvnprd(..., A, B, BPD, EPS = 1e-06, INF, IERC = 1, HINC = 0)
```

Arguments

...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
A	Upper limits of integration. Array of N dimensions
B	Lower limits of integration. Array of N dimensions
BPD	Values defining correlation structure. Array of N dimensions
EPS	desired accuracy. Defaults to 1e-06
INF	Determines where integration is done to infinity. Array of N dimensions. Valid values for INF(I): 0 = c(B(I), Inf), 1 = c(-Inf, A(I)), 2 = c(B(I), A(I))
IERC	error control. If set to 1, strict error control based on fourth derivative is used. If set to zero, error control based on halving intervals is used
HINC	Interval width for Simpson's rule. Value of zero caused a default .24 to be used

Details

This is a wrapper function for the original Fortran 77 code. For a multivariate normal vector with correlation structure defined by $RHO(I,J) = BPD(I) * BPD(J)$, computes the probability that the vector falls in a rectangle in n-space with error less than eps.

mvstud

*Original Algorithm AS 251: Student T Distribution***Description**

Calculates the Multivariate Normal Distribution with Product Correlation Structure published by Charles Dunnett, Algorithm AS 251.1 Appl.Statist. (1989), Vol.38, No.3, [doi:10.2307/2347754](https://doi.org/10.2307/2347754).

Usage

```
mvstud(..., NDF, A, B, BPD, D, EPS = 1e-06, INF, IERC = 1, HINC = 0)
```

Arguments

...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
NDF	Degrees of Freedom. Use 0 for infinite D.F.
A	Upper limits of integration. Array of N dimensions
B	Lower limits of integration. Array of N dimensions
BPD	Values defining correlation structure. Array of N dimensions
D	Non-Centrality Vector
EPS	desired accuracy. Defaults to 1e-06
INF	Determines where integration is done to infinity. Array of N dimensions. Valid values for INF(I): 0 = c(B(I), Inf), 1 = c(-Inf, A(I)), 2 = c(B(I), A(I))
IERC	error control. If set to 1, strict error control based on fourth derivative is used. If set to zero, error control based on halving intervals is used
HINC	Interval width for Simpson's rule. Value of zero caused a default .24 to be used

Details

This is a wrapper function for the original Fortran 77 code. For a multivariate normal vector with correlation structure defined by $RHO(I,J) = BPD(I) * BPD(J)$, computes the probability that the vector falls in a rectangle in n-space with error less than eps.

Examples

```
N <- 3
RHO <- 0.5
B <- rep(-5.0, length = N)
A <- rep(5.0, length = N)
INF <- rep(2, length = N)
BPD <- rep(sqrt(RHO), length = N)
D <- rep(0.0, length = N)
result <- mvstud(NDF = 0, A = A, B = B, BPD = BPD, INF = INF, D = D)
result
```

names.AnalysisResults *Names of a Analysis Results Object*

Description

Function to get the names of an [AnalysisResults](#) object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'AnalysisResults'
names(x)
```

Arguments

x An [AnalysisResults](#) object created by [getAnalysisResults\(\)](#).

Details

Returns the names of an analysis results that can be accessed by the user.

Value

Returns a [character](#) vector containing the names of the [AnalysisResults](#) object.

names.FieldSet	<i>Names of a Field Set Object</i>
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Description

Function to get the names of a [FieldSet](#) object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'FieldSet'  
names(x)
```

Arguments

x A [FieldSet](#) object.

Details

Returns the names of a field set that can be accessed by the user.

Value

Returns a [character](#) vector containing the names of the [AnalysisResults](#) object.

names.SimulationResults	<i>Names of a Simulation Results Object</i>
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Description

Function to get the names of a [SimulationResults](#) object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'SimulationResults'  
names(x)
```

Arguments

x A [SimulationResults](#) object created by `getSimulationResults[MultiArm/Enrichment][Means`

Details

Returns the names of a simulation results that can be accessed by the user.

Value

Returns a [character](#) vector containing the names of the [AnalysisResults](#) object.

names.StageResults *Names of a Stage Results Object*

Description

Function to get the names of a [StageResults](#) object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'StageResults'
names(x)
```

Arguments

x A [StageResults](#) object.

Details

Returns the names of stage results that can be accessed by the user.

Value

Returns a [character](#) vector containing the names of the [AnalysisResults](#) object.

names.TrialDesignSet *Names of a Trial Design Set Object*

Description

Function to get the names of a [TrialDesignSet](#) object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignSet'
names(x)
```

Arguments

x A [TrialDesignSet](#) object.

Details

Returns the names of a design set that can be accessed by the user.

Value

Returns a [character](#) vector containing the names of the [AnalysisResults](#) object.

Examples

```
designSet <- getDesignSet(design = getDesignGroupSequential(), alpha = c(0.01, 0.05))
names(designSet)
```

NumberOfSubjects	<i>Number Of Subjects</i>
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Description

Class for the definition of number of subjects results.

Details

NumberOfSubjects is a class for the definition of number of subjects results.

Fields

`time` The time values. Is a numeric vector.

`accrualTime` The assumed accrual time intervals for the study. Is a numeric vector.

`accrualIntensity` The absolute accrual intensities. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`maxNumberOfSubjects` The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.

`numberOfSubjects` In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration when the interim analysis takes place.

ParameterSet	<i>Parameter Set</i>
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Description

Basic class for parameter sets.

Details

The parameter set implements basic functions for a set of parameters.

<code>param_accrualIntensity</code>	<i>Parameter Description: Accrual Intensity</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Accrual Intensity

Arguments

`accrualIntensity`

A numeric vector of accrual intensities, default is the relative intensity 0.1 (for details see [getAccrualTime\(\)](#)).

param_accrualIntensityType

Parameter Description: Accrual Intensity Type

Description

Parameter Description: Accrual Intensity Type

Arguments

accrualIntensityType

A character value specifying the accrual intensity input type. Must be one of "auto", "absolute", or "relative"; default is "auto", i.e., if all values are < 1 the type is "relative", otherwise it is "absolute".

param_accrualIntensity_counts

Parameter Description: accrualIntensity for Counts

Description

Parameter Description: accrualIntensity for Counts

Arguments

accrualIntensity

If specified, the assumed accrual intensities for the study, there is no default.

param_accrualTime

Parameter Description: Accrual Time

Description

Parameter Description: Accrual Time

Arguments

accrualTime

The assumed accrual time intervals for the study, default is `c(0, 12)` (for details see [getAccrualTime\(\)](#)).

 param_accrualTime_counts

Parameter Description: accrualTime for Counts

Description

Parameter Description: accrualTime for Counts

Arguments

accrualTime	If specified, the assumed accrual time interval(s) for the study, there is no default.
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 param_activeArms

Parameter Description: Active Arms

Description

Parameter Description: Active Arms

Arguments

activeArms	The number of active treatment arms to be compared with control, default is 3.
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 param_adaptations

Parameter Description: Adaptations

Description

Parameter Description: Adaptations

Arguments

adaptations	A logical vector of length $k_{\text{Max}} - 1$ indicating whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k , default is $\text{rep}(\text{TRUE}, k_{\text{Max}} - 1)$.
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param_allocationRatioPlanned

Parameter Description: Allocation Ratio Planned

Description

Parameter Description: Allocation Ratio Planned

Arguments

allocationRatioPlanned

The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length kMax, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length kMax, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally allocationRatioPlanned is treated as a vector of length kMax, not a scalar.

param_allocationRatioPlanned_sampleSize

Parameter Description: Allocation Ratio Planned With Optimum Option

Description

Parameter Description: Allocation Ratio Planned With Optimum Option

Arguments

allocationRatioPlanned

The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. If allocationRatioPlanned = 0 is entered, the optimal allocation ratio yielding the smallest overall sample size is determined.

param_alpha

Parameter Description: Alpha

Description

Parameter Description: Alpha

Arguments

alpha

The significance level alpha, default is 0.025. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

param_alternative *Parameter Description: Alternative*

Description

Parameter Description: Alternative

Arguments

alternative The alternative hypothesis value for testing means. This can be a vector of assumed alternatives, default is `seq(0, 1, 0.2)` (power calculations) or `seq(0.2, 1, 0.2)` (sample size calculations).

param_alternative_simulation

Parameter Description: Alternative for Simulation

Description

Parameter Description: Alternative for Simulation

Arguments

alternative The alternative hypothesis value for testing means under which the data is simulated. This can be a vector of assumed alternatives, default is `seq(0, 1, 0.2)`.

param_beta

Parameter Description: Beta

Description

Parameter Description: Beta

Arguments

beta Type II error rate, necessary for providing sample size calculations (e.g., [getSampleSizeMeans\(\)](#)), beta spending function designs, or optimum designs, default is `0.20`. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

param_bindingFutility *Parameter Description: Binding Futility*

Description

Parameter Description: Binding Futility

Arguments

bindingFutility

Logical. If bindingFutility = TRUE is specified the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds and the futility threshold is binding in the sense that the study must be stopped if the futility condition was reached (default is FALSE).

param_calcEventsFunction

Parameter Description: Calculate Events Function

Description

Parameter Description: Calculate Events Function

Arguments

calcEventsFunction

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, event number recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified minNumberOfEventsPerStage and maxNumberOfEventsPerStage (see details and examples).

param_calcSubjectsFunction

Parameter Description: Calculate Subjects Function

Description

Parameter Description: Calculate Subjects Function

Arguments

calcSubjectsFunction

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of performing the sample size recalculation. By default, sample size recalculation is performed with conditional power and specified minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (see details and examples).

 param_conditionalPower

Parameter Description: Conditional Power

Description

Parameter Description: Conditional Power

Arguments

conditionalPower

The conditional power for the subsequent stage under which the sample size recalculation is performed. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

param_conditionalPowerSimulation

Parameter Description: Conditional Power

Description

Parameter Description: Conditional Power

Arguments

conditionalPower

If conditionalPower together with minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage and maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage (or minNumberOfEventsPerStage and maxNumberOfEventsPerStage for survival designs) is specified, a sample size recalculation based on the specified conditional power is performed. It is defined as the power for the subsequent stage given the current data. By default, the conditional power will be calculated under the observed effect size. Optionally, you can also specify thetaH1 and stDevH1 (for simulating means), pi1H1 and pi2H1 (for simulating rates), or thetaH1 (for simulating hazard ratios) as parameters under which it is calculated and the sample size recalculation is performed.

param_dataInput

Parameter Description: Data Input

Description

Parameter Description: Data Input

Arguments

dataInput

The summary data used for calculating the test results. This is either an element of DatasetMeans, of DatasetRates, or of DatasetSurvival and should be created with the function [getDataset\(\)](#). For more information see [getDataset\(\)](#).

param_dropoutRate1 *Parameter Description: Dropout Rate (1)*

Description

Parameter Description: Dropout Rate (1)

Arguments

dropoutRate1 The assumed drop-out rate in the treatment group, default is 0.

param_dropoutRate2 *Parameter Description: Dropout Rate (2)*

Description

Parameter Description: Dropout Rate (2)

Arguments

dropoutRate2 The assumed drop-out rate in the control group, default is 0.

param_dropoutTime *Parameter Description: Dropout Time*

Description

Parameter Description: Dropout Time

Arguments

dropoutTime The assumed time for drop-out rates in the control and the treatment group, default is 12.

param_effectList *Parameter Description: Effect List*

Description

Parameter Description: Effect List

Arguments

effectList List of subsets, prevalences, and effect sizes with columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider (see examples).

param_effectMatrix *Parameter Description: Effect Matrix*

Description

Parameter Description: Effect Matrix

Arguments

effectMatrix Matrix of effect sizes with activeArms columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider.

param_effectMeasure *Parameter Description: Effect Measure*

Description

Parameter Description: Effect Measure

Arguments

effectMeasure Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate (difference for means and rates or ratio for survival) ("effectEstimate"), default is "effectEstimate".

param_epsilonValue *Parameter Description: Epsilon Value*

Description

Parameter Description: Epsilon Value

Arguments

epsilonValue For typeOfSelection = "epsilon" (select treatment arm / population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. Must be a numeric of length 1.

param_eventTime *Parameter Description: Event Time*

Description

Parameter Description: Event Time

Arguments

eventTime The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated, default is 12.

param_fixedExposureTime_counts

Parameter Description: fixedExposureTime for Counts

Description

Parameter Description: fixedExposureTime for Counts

Arguments

fixedExposureTime

If specified, the fixed time of exposure per subject for count data, there is no default.

param_followUpTime_counts

Parameter Description: followUpTime for Counts

Description

Parameter Description: followUpTime for Counts

Arguments

followUpTime

If specified, the assumed (additional) follow-up time for the study, there is no default. The total study duration is accrualTime + followUpTime.

param_gED50

Parameter Description: G ED50

Description

Parameter Description: G ED50

Arguments

gED50

If typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "gED50" has to be entered to specify the ED50 of the sigmoid Emax model.

param_grid	<i>Parameter Description: Grid (Output Specification Of Multiple Plots)</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Grid (Output Specification Of Multiple Plots)

Arguments

grid	An integer value specifying the output of multiple plots. By default (1) a list of ggplot objects will be returned. If a grid value > 1 was specified, a grid plot will be returned if the number of plots is <= specified grid value; a list of ggplot objects will be returned otherwise. If grid = 0 is specified, all plots will be created using <code>print</code> command and a list of ggplot objects will be returned invisible. Note that one of the following packages must be installed to create a grid plot: 'ggpubr', 'gridExtra', or 'cowplot'.
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param_groups	<i>Parameter Description: Number Of Treatment Groups</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Number Of Treatment Groups

Arguments

groups	The number of treatment groups (1 or 2), default is 2.
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param_hazardRatio	<i>Parameter Description: Hazard Ratio</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Hazard Ratio

Arguments

hazardRatio	The vector of hazard ratios under consideration. If the event or hazard rates in both treatment groups are defined, the hazard ratio needs not to be specified as it is calculated, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
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 param_includeAllParameters

Parameter Description: Include All Parameters

Description

Parameter Description: Include All Parameters

Arguments

includeAllParameters

Logical. If TRUE, all available parameters will be included in the data frame; a meaningful parameter selection otherwise, default is FALSE.

param_informationEpsilon

Parameter Description: Information Epsilon

Description

Parameter Description: Information Epsilon

Arguments

informationEpsilon

Positive integer value specifying the absolute information epsilon, which defines the maximum distance from the observed information to the maximum information that causes the final analysis. Updates at the final analysis in case the observed information at the final analysis is smaller ("under-running") than the planned maximum information `maxInformation`, default is 0. Alternatively, a floating-point number > 0 and < 1 can be specified to define a relative information epsilon.

param_informationRates

Parameter Description: Information Rates

Description

Parameter Description: Information Rates

Arguments

informationRates

The information rates t_1, \dots, t_{kMax} (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax) / kMax$. For the weighted inverse normal design, the weights are derived through $w_1 = \sqrt{t_1}$, and $w_k = \sqrt{t_k - t_{(k-1)}}$. For the weighted Fisher's combination test, the weights (scales) are $w_k = \sqrt{(t_k - t_{(k-1)}) / t_1}$ (see the documentation).

param_intersectionTest_Enrichment

Parameter Description: Intersection Test

Description

Parameter Description: Intersection Test

Arguments

intersectionTest

Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses. Four options are available in enrichment designs: "SpiessensDebois", "Bonferroni", "Simes", and "Sidak", default is "Simes".

param_intersectionTest_MultiArm

Parameter Description: Intersection Test

Description

Parameter Description: Intersection Test

Arguments

intersectionTest

Defines the multiple test for the intersection hypotheses in the closed system of hypotheses. Five options are available in multi-arm designs: "Dunnett", "Bonferroni", "Simes", "Sidak", and "Hierarchical", default is "Dunnett".

param_kappa

Parameter Description: Kappa

Description

Parameter Description: Kappa

Arguments

kappa

A numeric value > 0 . A $\text{kappa} \neq 1$ will be used for the specification of the shape of the Weibull distribution. Default is 1, i.e., the exponential survival distribution is used instead of the Weibull distribution. Note that the Weibull distribution cannot be used for the piecewise definition of the survival time distribution, i.e., only `piecewiseLambda` (as a single value) and `kappa` can be specified. This function is equivalent to `pweibull(t, shape = kappa, scale = 1 / lambda)` of the stats package, i.e., the scale parameter is $1 / \text{'hazard rate'}$. For example, `getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(time = 130, piecewiseLambda = 0.01, kappa = 4.2)` and `pweibull(q = 130, shape = 4.2, scale = 1 / 0.01)` provide the sample result.

param_kMax	<i>Parameter Description: Maximum Number of Stages</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Maximum Number of Stages

Arguments

kMax	The maximum number of stages K. Must be a positive integer of length 1 (default value is 3). The maximum selectable kMax is 20 for group sequential or inverse normal and 6 for Fisher combination test designs.
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param_lambda1	<i>Parameter Description: Lambda (1)</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Lambda (1)

Arguments

lambda1	The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group, there is no default. lambda1 can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
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param_lambda1_counts	<i>Parameter Description: lambda (1) for Counts</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: lambda (1) for Counts

Arguments

lambda1	A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the active treatment group, there is no default.
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param_lambda2	<i>Parameter Description: Lambda (2)</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Lambda (2)

Arguments

lambda2	The assumed hazard rate in the reference group, there is no default. lambda2 can also be used to define piecewise exponentially distributed survival times (see details). Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
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param_lambda2_counts *Parameter Description: lambda (2) for Counts*

Description

Parameter Description: lambda (2) for Counts

Arguments

lambda2 A numeric value that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the control group, there is no default.

param_lambda_counts *Parameter Description: lambda for Counts*

Description

Parameter Description: lambda for Counts

Arguments

lambda A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the pooled treatment groups, there is no default.

param_legendPosition *Parameter Description: Legend Position On Plots*

Description

Parameter Description: Legend Position On Plots

Arguments

legendPosition The position of the legend. By default (NA_integer_) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually:

- -1: no legend will be shown
- NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position
- 0: legend position outside plot
- 1: legend position left top
- 2: legend position left center
- 3: legend position left bottom
- 4: legend position right top
- 5: legend position right center
- 6: legend position right bottom

param_maxInformation *Parameter Description: Maximum Information*

Description

Parameter Description: Maximum Information

Arguments

maxInformation Positive integer value specifying the maximum information.

param_maxNumberOfEventsPerStage

Parameter Description: Max Number Of Events Per Stage

Description

Parameter Description: Max Number Of Events Per Stage

Arguments

maxNumberOfEventsPerStage

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector maxNumberOfEventsPerStage with length kMax determines the maximum number of events per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account.

param_maxNumberOfIterations

Parameter Description: Maximum Number Of Iterations

Description

Parameter Description: Maximum Number Of Iterations

Arguments

maxNumberOfIterations

The number of simulation iterations, default is 1000. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

param_maxNumberOfSubjects

Parameter Description: Maximum Number Of Subjects

Description

Parameter Description: Maximum Number Of Subjects

Arguments

maxNumberOfSubjects

maxNumberOfSubjects > 0 needs to be specified for power calculations or calculation of necessary follow-up (count data). For two treatment arms, it is the maximum number of subjects for both treatment arms.

param_maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage

Parameter Description: Maximum Number Of Subjects Per Stage

Description

Parameter Description: Maximum Number Of Subjects Per Stage

Arguments

maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage with length kMax determines the maximum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage refers to the maximum number of subjects per selected active arm.

param_maxNumberOfSubjects_survival

Parameter Description: Maximum Number Of Subjects For Survival Endpoint

Description

Parameter Description: Maximum Number Of Subjects For Survival Endpoint

Arguments

maxNumberOfSubjects

maxNumberOfSubjects > 0 needs to be specified. If accrual time and accrual intensity are specified, this will be calculated. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

param_median1	<i>Parameter Description: Median (1)</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Median (1)

Arguments

median1	The assumed median survival time in the treatment group, there is no default.
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param_median2	<i>Parameter Description: Median (2)</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Median (2)

Arguments

median2	The assumed median survival time in the reference group, there is no default. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.
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param_minNumberOfEventsPerStage	<i>Parameter Description: Min Number Of Events Per Stage</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Min Number Of Events Per Stage

Arguments

minNumberOfEventsPerStage	When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector minNumberOfEventsPerStage with length kMax determines the minimum number of events per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account.
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param_minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage

Parameter Description: Minimum Number Of Subjects Per Stage

Description

Parameter Description: Minimum Number Of Subjects Per Stage

Arguments

minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage

When performing a data driven sample size recalculation, the numeric vector `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` with length `kMax` determines the minimum number of subjects per stage (i.e., not cumulated), the first element is not taken into account. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` refers to the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm.

param_niceColumnNamesEnabled

Parameter Description: Nice Column Names Enabled

Description

Parameter Description: Nice Column Names Enabled

Arguments

niceColumnNamesEnabled

Logical. If TRUE, nice looking column names will be used; syntactic names (variable names) otherwise (see [make.names](#)).

param_nMax

Parameter Description: N_max

Description

Parameter Description: N_max

Arguments

nMax

The maximum sample size. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

 param_normalApproximation

Parameter Description: Normal Approximation

Description

Parameter Description: Normal Approximation

Arguments

normalApproximation

The type of computation of the p-values. Default is FALSE for testing means (i.e., the t test is used) and TRUE for testing rates and the hazard ratio. For testing rates, if normalApproximation = FALSE is specified, the binomial test (one sample) or the exact test of Fisher (two samples) is used for calculating the p-values. In the survival setting normalApproximation = FALSE has no effect.

 param_nPlanned

Parameter Description: N Planned

Description

Parameter Description: N Planned

Arguments

nPlanned

The additional (i.e., "new" and not cumulative) sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. The argument must be a vector with length equal to the number of remaining stages and contain the combined sample size from both treatment groups if two groups are considered. For survival outcomes, it should contain the planned number of additional events. For multi-arm designs, it is the per-comparison (combined) sample size. For enrichment designs, it is the (combined) sample size for the considered sub-population.

 param_overdispersion_counts

Parameter Description: overdispersion for Counts

Description

Parameter Description: overdispersion for Counts

Arguments

overdispersion A numeric value that represents the assumed overdispersion of the negative binomial distribution, default is 0.

param_palette *Parameter Description: Palette*

Description

Parameter Description: Palette

Arguments

palette The palette, default is "Set1".

param_pi1_rates *Parameter Description: Pi (1) for Rates*

Description

Parameter Description: Pi (1) for Rates

Arguments

pi1 A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed probability in the active treatment group if two treatment groups are considered, or the alternative probability for a one treatment group design, default is seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1) (power calculations and simulations) or seq(0.4, 0.6, 0.1) (sample size calculations).

param_pi1_survival *Parameter Description: Pi (1) for Survival Data*

Description

Parameter Description: Pi (1) for Survival Data

Arguments

pi1 A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed event rate in the treatment group, default is seq(0.2, 0.5, 0.1) (power calculations and simulations) or seq(0.4, 0.6, 0.1) (sample size calculations).

param_pi2_rates *Parameter Description: Pi (2) for Rates*

Description

Parameter Description: Pi (2) for Rates

Arguments

pi2 A numeric value that represents the assumed probability in the reference group if two treatment groups are considered, default is 0.2.

param_pi2_survival *Parameter Description: Pi (2) for Survival Data*

Description

Parameter Description: Pi (2) for Survival Data

Arguments

pi2 A numeric value that represents the assumed event rate in the control group, default is 0.2.

param_piecewiseSurvivalTime
Parameter Description: Piecewise Survival Time

Description

Parameter Description: Piecewise Survival Time

Arguments

piecewiseSurvivalTime
A vector that specifies the time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function (for details see [getPiecewiseSurvivalTime\(\)](#)).

param_plannedCalendarTime
Parameter Description: Planned Calendar Time

Description

Parameter Description: Planned Calendar Time

Arguments

plannedCalendarTime
For simulating count data, the time points where an analysis is planned to be performed. Should be a vector of length kMax

param_plannedEvents *Parameter Description: Planned Events*

Description

Parameter Description: Planned Events

Arguments

plannedEvents plannedEvents is a numeric vector of length kMax (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) events in survival designs when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of events for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedEvents refers to the overall number of events for the selected arms plus control.

param_plannedSubjects *Parameter Description: Planned Subjects*

Description

Parameter Description: Planned Subjects

Arguments

plannedSubjects plannedSubjects is a numeric vector of length kMax (the number of stages of the design) that determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, it is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, plannedSubjects refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm.

param_plotPointsEnabled
 Parameter Description: Plot Points Enabled

Description

Parameter Description: Plot Points Enabled

Arguments

plotPointsEnabled
 Logical. If TRUE, additional points will be plotted.

param_plotSettings *Parameter Description: Plot Settings*

Description

Parameter Description: Plot Settings

Arguments

plotSettings An object of class PlotSettings created by [getPlotSettings\(\)](#).

param_populations *Parameter Description: Populations*

Description

Parameter Description: Populations

Arguments

populations The number of populations in a two-sample comparison, default is 3.

param_rValue *Parameter Description: R Value*

Description

Parameter Description: R Value

Arguments

rValue For typeOfSelection = "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms / populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified.

param_seed *Parameter Description: Seed*

Description

Parameter Description: Seed

Arguments

seed The seed to reproduce the simulation, default is a random seed.

param_selectArmsFunction

Parameter Description: Select Arms Function

Description

Parameter Description: Select Arms Function

Arguments

selectArmsFunction

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of how treatment arms are selected. This function is allowed to depend on effectVector with length activeArms, stage, "conditionalPower", "conditionalCriticalValue", "plannedSubjects/plannedEvents", "allocationRatioPlanned", "selectedArms", "thetaH1" (for means and survival), "stDevH1" (for means), "overallEffects", and for rates additionally: "piTreatmentsH1", "piControlH1", "overallRates", and "overallRatesControl".

param_selectPopulationsFunction

Parameter Description: Select Populations Function

Description

Parameter Description: Select Populations Function

Arguments

selectPopulationsFunction

Optionally, a function can be entered that defines the way of how populations are selected. This function is allowed to depend on effectVector with length populations stage, "conditionalPower", "conditionalCriticalValue", "plannedSubjects/plannedEvents", "allocationRatioPlanned", "selectedPopulations", "thetaH1" (for means and survival), "stDevH1" (for means), "overallEffects", and for rates additionally: "piTreatmentsH1", "piControlH1", "overallRates", and "overallRatesControl".

param_showSource

Parameter Description: Show Source

Description

Parameter Description: Show Source

Arguments

showSource Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively showSource can be defined as one of the following character values:

- "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands
- "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions
- "test": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs)
- "validate": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs)

Note: no plot object will be returned if showSource is a character.

param_showStatistics *Parameter Description: Show Statistics*

Description

Parameter Description: Show Statistics

Arguments

showStatistics Logical. If TRUE, summary statistics of the simulated data are displayed for the print command, otherwise the output is suppressed, default is FALSE.

param_sided *Parameter Description: Sided*

Description

Parameter Description: Sided

Arguments

sided Is the alternative one-sided (1) or two-sided (2), default is 1. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

param_slope *Parameter Description: Slope*

Description

Parameter Description: Slope

Arguments

slope If typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "slope" can be entered to specify the slope of the sigmoid Emax model, default is 1.

param_stage *Parameter Description: Stage*

Description

Parameter Description: Stage

Arguments

stage The stage number (optional). Default: total number of existing stages in the data input.

param_stageResults *Parameter Description: Stage Results*

Description

Parameter Description: Stage Results

Arguments

stageResults The results at given stage, obtained from [getStageResults\(\)](#).

param_stDev *Parameter Description: Standard Deviation*

Description

Parameter Description: Standard Deviation

Arguments

stDev The standard deviation under which the sample size or power calculation is performed, default is 1. If meanRatio = TRUE is specified, stDev defines the coefficient of variation σ / μ . Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

param_stDevH1 *Parameter Description: Standard Deviation Under Alternative*

Description

Parameter Description: Standard Deviation Under Alternative

Arguments

stDevH1 If specified, the value of the standard deviation under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed, default is the value of stDev. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

param_stDevSimulation *Parameter Description: Standard Deviation for Simulation*

Description

Parameter Description: Standard Deviation for Simulation

Arguments

stDev The standard deviation under which the data is simulated, default is 1. If meanRatio = TRUE is specified, stDev defines the coefficient of variation σ / μ_2 . Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

param_stratifiedAnalysis

Parameter Description: Stratified Analysis

Description

Parameter Description: Stratified Analysis

Arguments

stratifiedAnalysis Logical. For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. For testing rates, also a non-stratified analysis based on overall data can be performed. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible (see Brannath et al., 2009), default is TRUE.

param_successCriterion

Parameter Description: Success Criterion

Description

Parameter Description: Success Criterion

Arguments

successCriterion Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. Two options are available: "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion is fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim, default is "all".

param_theta	<i>Parameter Description: Theta</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Theta

Arguments

theta	A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values), default is a sequence from -1 to 1.
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param_thetaH0	<i>Parameter Description: Theta H0</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Theta H0

Arguments

thetaH0	The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case (testing means and rates, respectively), it is 1 for the survival case (testing the hazard ratio).
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For non-inferiority designs, thetaH0 is the non-inferiority bound. That is, in case of (one-sided) testing of

- *means*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the mean ratio) can be specified.
- *rates*: a value $\neq 0$ (or a value $\neq 1$ for testing the risk ratio π_1 / π_2) can be specified.
- *survival data*: a bound for testing H_0 : hazard ratio = thetaH0 $\neq 1$ can be specified.
- *count data*: a bound for testing H_0 : $\lambda_1 / \lambda_2 = \text{thetaH0} \neq 1$ can be specified.

For testing a rate in one sample, a value thetaH0 in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis H_0 : $\pi = \text{thetaH0}$.

param_thetaH1	<i>Parameter Description: Effect Under Alternative</i>
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Description

Parameter Description: Effect Under Alternative

Arguments

thetaH1	If specified, the value of the alternative under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation calculation is performed. Must be a numeric of length 1.
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param_theta_counts *Parameter Description: theta for Counts*

Description

Parameter Description: theta for Counts

Arguments

theta A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed mean ratios λ_1/λ_2 of a homogeneous Poisson process, there is no default.

param_three_dots *Parameter Description: "..."*

Description

Parameter Description: "..."

Arguments

... Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

param_three_dots_plot *Parameter Description: "... (optional plot arguments)*

Description

Parameter Description: "... (optional plot arguments)

Arguments

... Optional plot arguments. At the moment xlim and ylim are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.

param_threshold *Parameter Description: Threshold*

Description

Parameter Description: Threshold

Arguments

threshold Selection criterion: treatment arm / population is selected only if effectMeasure exceeds threshold, default is $-\text{Inf}$. threshold can also be a vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition over the treatment arms.

param_tolerance *Parameter Description: Tolerance*

Description

Parameter Description: Tolerance

Arguments

tolerance The numerical tolerance, default is 1e-06. Must be a positive numeric of length 1.

param_typeOfComputation

Parameter Description: Type Of Computation

Description

Parameter Description: Type Of Computation

Arguments

typeOfComputation
 Three options are available: "Schoenfeld", "Freedman", "HsiehFreedman", the default is "Schoenfeld". For details, see Hsieh (Statistics in Medicine, 1992). For non-inferiority testing (i.e., $\theta_0 \neq 1$), only Schoenfeld's formula can be used.

param_typeOfDesign *Parameter Description: Type of Design*

Description

Parameter Description: Type of Design

Arguments

typeOfDesign The type of design. Type of design is one of the following: O'Brien & Fleming ("OF"), Pocock ("P"), Wang & Tsiatis Delta class ("WT"), Pampallona & Tsiatis ("PT"), Haybittle & Peto ("HP"), Optimum design within Wang & Tsiatis class ("WToptimum"), O'Brien & Fleming type alpha spending ("asOF"), Pocock type alpha spending ("asP"), Kim & DeMets alpha spending ("asKD"), Hwang, Shi & DeCani alpha spending ("asHSD"), user defined alpha spending ("asUser"), no early efficacy stop ("noEarlyEfficacy"), default is "OF".

param_typeOfSelection *Parameter Description: Type of Selection*

Description

Parameter Description: Type of Selection

Arguments

typeOfSelection

The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Five options are available: "best", "rbest", "epsilon", "all", and "userDefined", default is "best".

For "rbest" (select the rValue best treatment arms/populations), the parameter rValue has to be specified, for "epsilon" (select treatment arm/population not worse than epsilon compared to the best), the parameter epsilonValue has to be specified. If "userDefined" is selected, "selectArmsFunction" or "selectPopulationsFunction" has to be specified.

param_typeOfShape *Parameter Description: Type Of Shape*

Description

Parameter Description: Type Of Shape

Arguments

typeOfShape

The shape of the dose-response relationship over the treatment groups. This can be either "linear", "sigmoidEmax", or "userDefined", default is "linear". For "linear", "muMaxVector" specifies the range of effect sizes for the treatment group with highest response. If "sigmoidEmax" is selected, "gED50" and "slope" has to be entered to specify the ED50 and the slope of the sigmoid Emax model. For "sigmoidEmax", "muMaxVector" specifies the range of effect sizes for the treatment group with response according to infinite dose. If "userDefined" is selected, "effectMatrix" has to be entered.

param_userAlphaSpending *Parameter Description: User Alpha Spending*

Description

Parameter Description: User Alpha Spending

Arguments

userAlphaSpending

The user defined alpha spending. Numeric vector of length kMax containing the cumulative alpha-spending (Type I error rate) up to each interim stage: $0 \leq \alpha_1 \leq \dots \leq \alpha_K \leq \alpha$.

param_varianceOption *Parameter Description: Variance Option*

Description

Parameter Description: Variance Option

Arguments

varianceOption Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple treatment arms (> 2) or population enrichment designs for testing means. For multiple arms, three options are available: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", and "notPooled", default is "overallPooled". For enrichment designs, the options are: "pooled", "pooledFromFull" (one subset only), and "notPooled", default is "pooled".

PerformanceScore *Performance Score*

Description

Contains the conditional performance score, its sub-scores and components according to Herrmann et al. (2020) for a given simulation result.

Details

Use [getPerformanceScore](#) to calculate the performance score.

PiecewiseSurvivalTime *Piecewise Exponential Survival Time*

Description

Class for the definition of piecewise survival times.

Details

PiecewiseSurvivalTime is a class for the definition of piecewise survival times.

Fields

- piecewiseSurvivalTime The time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function. Is a numeric vector.
- lambda1 The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.
- lambda2 The assumed hazard rate in the reference group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- hazardRatio The hazard ratios under consideration. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.
- pi1 The assumed event rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.
- pi2 The assumed event rate in the control group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- median1 The assumed median survival time in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector.
- median2 The assumed median survival time in the reference group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- eventTime The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- kappa The shape of the Weibull distribution if kappa!=1. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- piecewiseSurvivalEnabled Indicates whether specification of piecewise definition of survival time is selected. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- delayedResponseAllowed If TRUE, delayed response is allowed, if FALSE the response is not delayed.
- delayedResponseEnabled If TRUE, delayed response is enabled, if FALSE delayed response is not enabled.

plot.AnalysisResults *Analysis Results Plotting*

Description

Plots the conditional power together with the likelihood function.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'AnalysisResults'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  type = 1L,
  nPlanned = NA_real_,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
  main = NA_character_,
  xlab = NA_character_,
  ylab = NA_character_,
  legendTitle = NA_character_,
  palette = "Set1",
  legendPosition = NA_integer_,
  showSource = FALSE,
  grid = 1,
  plotSettings = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	The analysis results at given stage, obtained from <code>getAnalysisResults()</code> .
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments . Furthermore the following arguments can be defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <code>thetaRange</code>: A range of assumed effect sizes if testing means or a survival design was specified. Additionally, if testing means was selected, <code>assumedStDev</code> (assumed standard deviation) can be specified (default is 1). • <code>piTreatmentRange</code>: A range of assumed rates <code>pi1</code> to calculate the conditional power. Additionally, if a two-sample comparison was selected, <code>pi2</code> can be specified (default is the value from <code>getAnalysisResults()</code>). • <code>directionUpper</code>: Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. • <code>thetaH0</code>: The null hypothesis value, default is \emptyset for the normal and the binary case, it is 1 for the survival case. For testing a rate in one sample, a value <code>thetaH0</code> in (0, 1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis $H_0: \pi = \text{thetaH0}$.
type	The plot type (default = 1). Note that at the moment only one type (the conditional power plot) is available.
nPlanned	The additional (i.e., "new" and not cumulative) sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. The argument must be a vector with length equal to the number of remaining stages and contain the combined sample size from both treatment groups if two groups are considered. For survival outcomes, it should contain the planned number of additional events. For multi-arm designs, it is the per-comparison (combined) sample size. For enrichment designs, it is the (combined) sample size for the considered sub-population.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , the number of stages. It can be a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally <code>allocationRatioPlanned</code> is treated as a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , not a scalar.
main	The main title, default is "Dataset".
xlab	The x-axis label, default is "Stage".
ylab	The y-axis label.
legendTitle	The legend title, default is "".
palette	The palette, default is "Set1".
legendPosition	The position of the legend. By default (NA_integer_) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • \emptyset: legend position outside plot

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center • 3: legend position left bottom • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom
showSource	<p>Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively showSource can be defined as one of the following character values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with <code>eval(parse())</code> and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with <code>eval(parse())</code> and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if showSource is a character.</p>
grid	<p>An integer value specifying the output of multiple plots. By default (1) a list of ggplot objects will be returned. If a grid value > 1 was specified, a grid plot will be returned if the number of plots is <= specified grid value; a list of ggplot objects will be returned otherwise. If grid = 0 is specified, all plots will be created using <code>print</code> command and a list of ggplot objects will be returned invisible. Note that one of the following packages must be installed to create a grid plot: 'ggpubr', 'gridExtra', or 'cowplot'.</p>
plotSettings	<p>An object of class PlotSettings created by <code>getPlotSettings()</code>.</p>

Details

The conditional power is calculated only if effect size and sample size is specified.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

Examples

```
## Not run:
design <- getDesignGroupSequential(kMax = 2)

dataExample <- getDataset(
  n = c(20, 30),
  means = c(50, 51),
  stDevs = c(130, 140)
)

result <- getAnalysisResults(design = design,
  dataInput = dataExample, thetaH0 = 20,
  nPlanned = c(30), thetaH1 = 1.5, stage = 1)

if (require(ggplot2)) plot(result, thetaRange = c(0, 100))

## End(Not run)
```

plot.Dataset

*Dataset Plotting***Description**

Plots a dataset.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'Dataset'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  main = "Dataset",
  xlab = "Stage",
  ylab = NA_character_,
  legendTitle = "Group",
  palette = "Set1",
  showSource = FALSE,
  plotSettings = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	The Dataset object to plot.
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment <code>xlim</code> and <code>ylim</code> are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
main	The main title, default is "Dataset".
xlab	The x-axis label, default is "Stage".
ylab	The y-axis label.
legendTitle	The legend title, default is "Group".
palette	The palette, default is "Set1".
showSource	Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively <code>showSource</code> can be defined as one of the following character values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions "test": all plot commands will be validated with <code>eval(parse())</code> and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) "validate": all plot commands will be validated with <code>eval(parse())</code> and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) Note: no plot object will be returned if <code>showSource</code> is a character.
plotSettings	An object of class <code>PlotSettings</code> created by getPlotSettings() .

Details

Generic function to plot all kinds of datasets.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

Examples

```
# Plot a dataset of means
dataExample <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(22, 11, 22, 11),
  n2 = c(22, 13, 22, 13),
  means1 = c(1, 1.1, 1, 1),
  means2 = c(1.4, 1.5, 3, 2.5),
  stDevs1 = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3),
  stDevs2 = c(1, 2, 2, 1.3)
)
## Not run:
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(dataExample, main = "Comparison of Means")

## End(Not run)

# Plot a dataset of rates
dataExample <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(8, 10, 9, 11),
  n2 = c(11, 13, 12, 13),
  events1 = c(3, 5, 5, 6),
  events2 = c(8, 10, 12, 12)
)
## Not run:
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(dataExample, main = "Comparison of Rates")

## End(Not run)
```

plot.EventProbabilities

Event Probabilities Plotting

Description

Plots an object that inherits from class [EventProbabilities](#).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'EventProbabilities'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  allocationRatioPlanned = x$allocationRatioPlanned,
  main = NA_character_,
```

```

xlab = NA_character_,
ylab = NA_character_,
type = 1L,
legendTitle = NA_character_,
palette = "Set1",
plotPointsEnabled = NA,
legendPosition = NA_integer_,
showSource = FALSE,
plotSettings = NULL
)

```

Arguments

- | | |
|------------------------|--|
| x | The object that inherits from EventProbabilities . |
| y | An optional object that inherits from NumberOfSubjects . |
| ... | Optional plot arguments. At the moment <code>xlim</code> and <code>ylim</code> are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations. |
| allocationRatioPlanned | The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , the number of stages. It can be a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally <code>allocationRatioPlanned</code> is treated as a vector of length <code>kMax</code> , not a scalar. |
| main | The main title. |
| xlab | The x-axis label. |
| ylab | The y-axis label. |
| type | The plot type (default = 1). Note that at the moment only one type is available. |
| legendTitle | The legend title, default is "". |
| palette | The palette, default is "Set1". |
| plotPointsEnabled | Logical. If TRUE, additional points will be plotted. |
| legendPosition | The position of the legend. By default (<code>NA_integer_</code>) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • 0: legend position outside plot • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center • 3: legend position left bottom • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom |

showSource	<p>Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively showSource can be defined as one of the following character values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if showSource is a character.</p>
plotSettings	An object of class PlotSettings created by <code>getPlotSettings()</code> .

Details

Generic function to plot an event probabilities object.

Generic function to plot a parameter set.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

plot.NumberOfSubjects *Number Of Subjects Plotting*

Description

Plots an object that inherits from class `NumberOfSubjects`.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'NumberOfSubjects'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  allocationRatioPlanned = NA_real_,
  main = NA_character_,
  xlab = NA_character_,
  ylab = NA_character_,
  type = 1L,
  legendTitle = NA_character_,
  palette = "Set1",
  plotPointsEnabled = NA,
  legendPosition = NA_integer_,
  showSource = FALSE,
  plotSettings = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	The object that inherits from NumberOfSubjects .
y	An optional object that inherits from EventProbabilities .
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment <code>xlim</code> and <code>ylim</code> are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio $n1 / n2$ for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. Will be ignored if y is undefined.
main	The main title.
xlab	The x-axis label.
ylab	The y-axis label.
type	The plot type (default = 1). Note that at the moment only one type is available.
legendTitle	The legend title, default is "".
palette	The palette, default is "Set1".
plotPointsEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, additional points will be plotted.
legendPosition	The position of the legend. By default (NA_integer_) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • 0: legend position outside plot • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center • 3: legend position left bottom • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom
showSource	Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively <code>showSource</code> can be defined as one of the following character values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with <code>eval(parse())</code> and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with <code>eval(parse())</code> and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if <code>showSource</code> is a character.</p>
plotSettings	An object of class <code>PlotSettings</code> created by getPlotSettings() .

Details

Generic function to plot an "number of subjects" object.

Generic function to plot a parameter set.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

plot.ParameterSet *Parameter Set Plotting*

Description

Plots an object that inherits from class [ParameterSet](#).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  main = NA_character_,
  xlab = NA_character_,
  ylab = NA_character_,
  type = 1L,
  palette = "Set1",
  legendPosition = NA_integer_,
  showSource = FALSE,
  plotSettings = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	The object that inherits from ParameterSet .
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment xlim and ylim are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
main	The main title.
xlab	The x-axis label.
ylab	The y-axis label.
type	The plot type (default = 1).
palette	The palette, default is "Set1".
legendPosition	The position of the legend. By default (NA_integer_) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • 0: legend position outside plot • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3: legend position left bottom • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom
showSource	<p>Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively showSource can be defined as one of the following character values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if showSource is a character.</p>
plotSettings	An object of class PlotSettings created by <code>getPlotSettings()</code> .

Details

Generic function to plot a parameter set.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

plot.SimulationResults

Simulation Results Plotting

Description

Plots simulation results.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'SimulationResults'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  main = NA_character_,
  xlab = NA_character_,
  ylab = NA_character_,
  type = 1L,
  palette = "Set1",
  theta = seq(-1, 1, 0.01),
  plotPointsEnabled = NA,
  legendPosition = NA_integer_,
  showSource = FALSE,
  grid = 1,
  plotSettings = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	The simulation results, obtained from <code>getSimulationSurvival()</code> .
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment <code>xlim</code> and <code>ylim</code> are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
main	The main title.
xlab	The x-axis label.
ylab	The y-axis label.
type	The plot type (default = 1). The following plot types are available: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: creates a 'Overall Success' plot (multi-arm and enrichment only) • 2: creates a 'Success per Stage' plot (multi-arm and enrichment only) • 3: creates a 'Selected Arms per Stage' plot (multi-arm and enrichment only) • 4: creates a 'Reject per Stage' or 'Rejected Arms per Stage' plot • 5: creates a 'Overall Power and Early Stopping' plot • 6: creates a 'Expected Number of Subjects and Power / Early Stop' or 'Expected Number of Events and Power / Early Stop' plot • 7: creates an 'Overall Power' plot • 8: creates an 'Overall Early Stopping' plot • 9: creates an 'Expected Sample Size' or 'Expected Number of Events' plot • 10: creates a 'Study Duration' plot (non-multi-arm and non-enrichment survival only) • 11: creates an 'Expected Number of Subjects' plot (non-multi-arm and non-enrichment survival only) • 12: creates an 'Analysis Times' plot (non-multi-arm and non-enrichment survival only) • 13: creates a 'Cumulative Distribution Function' plot (non-multi-arm and non-enrichment survival only) • 14: creates a 'Survival Function' plot (non-multi-arm and non-enrichment survival only) • "all": creates all available plots and returns it as a grid plot or list
palette	The palette, default is "Set1".
theta	A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values), default is a sequence from -1 to 1.
plotPointsEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, additional points will be plotted.
legendPosition	The position of the legend. By default (NA_integer_) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • 0: legend position outside plot • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center • 3: legend position left bottom

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom
showSource	<p>Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively showSource can be defined as one of the following character values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if showSource is a character.</p>
grid	<p>An integer value specifying the output of multiple plots. By default (1) a list of ggplot objects will be returned. If a grid value > 1 was specified, a grid plot will be returned if the number of plots is <= specified grid value; a list of ggplot objects will be returned otherwise. If grid = 0 is specified, all plots will be created using print command and a list of ggplot objects will be returned invisible. Note that one of the following packages must be installed to create a grid plot: 'ggpubr', 'gridExtra', or 'cowplot'.</p>
plotSettings	<p>An object of class PlotSettings created by getPlotSettings().</p>

Details

Generic function to plot all kinds of simulation results.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

Examples

```
## Not run:
results <- getSimulationMeans(
  alternative = 0:4, stDev = 5,
  plannedSubjects = 40, maxNumberOfIterations = 1000
)
plot(results, type = 5)

## End(Not run)
```

plot.StageResults *Stage Results Plotting*

Description

Plots the conditional power together with the likelihood function.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'StageResults'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  type = 1L,
  nPlanned,
  allocationRatioPlanned = 1,
  main = NA_character_,
  xlab = NA_character_,
  ylab = NA_character_,
  legendTitle = NA_character_,
  palette = "Set1",
  legendPosition = NA_integer_,
  showSource = FALSE,
  plotSettings = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	The stage results at given stage, obtained from <code>getStageResults()</code> or <code>getAnalysisResults()</code> .
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments . Furthermore the following arguments can be defined: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <code>thetaRange</code>: A range of assumed effect sizes if testing means or a survival design was specified. Additionally, if testing means was selected, an assumed standard deviation can be specified (default is 1). • <code>piTreatmentRange</code>: A range of assumed rates π_1 to calculate the conditional power. Additionally, if a two-sample comparison was selected, π_2 can be specified (default is the value from <code>getAnalysisResults()</code>). • <code>directionUpper</code>: Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing; default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. • <code>thetaH0</code>: The null hypothesis value, default is 0 for the normal and the binary case, it is 1 for the survival case. For testing a rate in one sample, a value θ_{H0} in (0,1) has to be specified for defining the null hypothesis $H_0: \pi = \theta_{H0}$.
type	The plot type (default = 1). Note that at the moment only one type (the conditional power plot) is available.
nPlanned	The additional (i.e., "new" and not cumulative) sample size planned for each of the subsequent stages. The argument must be a vector with length equal to the number of remaining stages and contain the combined sample size from both treatment groups if two groups are considered. For survival outcomes, it should contain the planned number of additional events. For multi-arm designs, it is the per-comparison (combined) sample size. For enrichment designs, it is the (combined) sample size for the considered sub-population.
allocationRatioPlanned	The planned allocation ratio n_1 / n_2 for a two treatment groups design, default is 1. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to

the control. For simulating means and rates for a two treatment groups design, it can be a vector of length `kMax`, the number of stages. It can be a vector of length `kMax`, too, for multi-arm and enrichment designs. In these cases, a change of allocating subjects to treatment groups over the stages can be assessed. Note that internally `allocationRatioPlanned` is treated as a vector of length `kMax`, not a scalar.

<code>main</code>	The main title.
<code>xlab</code>	The x-axis label.
<code>ylab</code>	The y-axis label.
<code>legendTitle</code>	The legend title.
<code>palette</code>	The palette, default is "Set1".
<code>legendPosition</code>	The position of the legend. By default (<code>NA_integer_</code>) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • 0: legend position outside plot • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center • 3: legend position left bottom • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom
<code>showSource</code>	Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R <code>plot</code> function. Alternatively <code>showSource</code> can be defined as one of the following character values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with <code>eval(parse())</code> and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with <code>eval(parse())</code> and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if <code>showSource</code> is a character.</p>
<code>plotSettings</code>	An object of class <code>PlotSettings</code> created by <code>getPlotSettings()</code> .

Details

Generic function to plot all kinds of stage results. The conditional power is calculated only if effect size and sample size is specified.

Value

Returns a `ggplot2` object.

Examples

```
design <- getDesignGroupSequential(
  kMax = 4, alpha = 0.025,
  informationRates = c(0.2, 0.5, 0.8, 1),
  typeOfDesign = "WT", deltaWT = 0.25
)

dataExample <- getDataset(
  n = c(20, 30, 30),
  means = c(50, 51, 55),
  stDevs = c(130, 140, 120)
)

stageResults <- getStageResults(design, dataExample, thetaH0 = 20)

## Not run:
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(stageResults, nPlanned = c(30), thetaRange = c(0, 100))

## End(Not run)
```

plot.SummaryFactory *Summary Factory Plotting*

Description

Plots a summary factory.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'SummaryFactory'
plot(x, y, ..., showSummary = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	The summary factory object.
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment xlim and ylim are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
showSummary	Show the summary before creating the plot output, default is FALSE.

Details

Generic function to plot all kinds of summary factories.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

plot.TrialDesign *Trial Design Plotting*

Description

Plots a trial design.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesign'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  main = NA_character_,
  xlab = NA_character_,
  ylab = NA_character_,
  type = 1L,
  palette = "Set1",
  theta = seq(-1, 1, 0.01),
  nMax = NA_integer_,
  plotPointsEnabled = NA,
  legendPosition = NA_integer_,
  showSource = FALSE,
  grid = 1,
  plotSettings = NULL
)

## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignCharacteristics'
plot(x, y, ...)
```

Arguments

x	The trial design, obtained from getDesignGroupSequential() , getDesignInverseNormal() or getDesignFisher() .
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment xlim and ylim are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
main	The main title.
xlab	The x-axis label.
ylab	The y-axis label.
type	The plot type (default = 1). The following plot types are available: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: creates a 'Boundaries' plot • 3: creates a 'Stage Levels' plot • 4: creates a 'Error Spending' plot

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5: creates a 'Power and Early Stopping' plot • 6: creates an 'Average Sample Size and Power / Early Stop' plot • 7: creates an 'Power' plot • 8: creates an 'Early Stopping' plot • 9: creates an 'Average Sample Size' plot • "all": creates all available plots and returns it as a grid plot or list
palette	The palette, default is "Set1".
theta	A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values), default is a sequence from -1 to 1.
nMax	The maximum sample size. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
plotPointsEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, additional points will be plotted.
legendPosition	<p>The position of the legend. By default (NA_integer_) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • 0: legend position outside plot • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center • 3: legend position left bottom • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom
showSource	<p>Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively showSource can be defined as one of the following character values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if showSource is a character.</p>
grid	<p>An integer value specifying the output of multiple plots. By default (1) a list of ggplot objects will be returned. If a grid value > 1 was specified, a grid plot will be returned if the number of plots is <= specified grid value; a list of ggplot objects will be returned otherwise. If grid = 0 is specified, all plots will be created using print command and a list of ggplot objects will be returned invisible. Note that one of the following packages must be installed to create a grid plot: 'ggpubr', 'gridExtra', or 'cowplot'.</p>
plotSettings	An object of class PlotSettings created by getPlotSettings().

Details

Generic function to plot a trial design.

Generic function to plot a trial design.

Note that `nMax` is not an argument that is passed to `ggplot2`. Rather, the underlying calculations (e.g. power for different theta's or average sample size) are based on calls to function `getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber()` which has argument `nMax`. I.e., `nMax` is not an argument to `ggplot2` but to `getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber()` which is called prior to plotting.

Value

Returns a `ggplot2` object.

See Also

`plot()` to compare different designs or design parameters visual.

Examples

```
## Not run:
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(
  kMax = 3, alpha = 0.025,
  typeOfDesign = "asKD", gammaA = 2,
  informationRates = c(0.2, 0.7, 1),
  typeBetaSpending = "bsOF"
)
if (require(ggplot2)) {
  plot(design) # default: type = 1
}

## End(Not run)
```

plot.TrialDesignPlan *Trial Design Plan Plotting*

Description

Plots a trial design plan.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignPlan'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  main = NA_character_,
  xlab = NA_character_,
  ylab = NA_character_,
  type = NA_integer_,
  palette = "Set1",
```

```

theta = NA_real_,
plotPointsEnabled = NA,
legendPosition = NA_integer_,
showSource = FALSE,
grid = 1,
plotSettings = NULL
)

```

Arguments

x	The trial design plan, obtained from <code>getSampleSizeMeans()</code> , <code>getSampleSizeRates()</code> , <code>getSampleSizeSurvival()</code> , <code>getSampleSizeCounts()</code> , <code>getPowerMeans()</code> , <code>getPowerRates()</code> or <code>getPowerSurvival()</code> or <code>getPowerCounts()</code> .
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment <code>xlim</code> and <code>ylim</code> are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
main	The main title.
xlab	The x-axis label.
ylab	The y-axis label.
type	The plot type (default = 1). The following plot types are available: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: creates a 'Boundaries' plot • 2: creates a 'Boundaries Effect Scale' plot • 3: creates a 'Boundaries p Values Scale' plot • 4: creates a 'Error Spending' plot • 5: creates a 'Sample Size' or 'Overall Power and Early Stopping' plot • 6: creates a 'Number of Events' or 'Sample Size' plot • 7: creates an 'Overall Power' plot • 8: creates an 'Overall Early Stopping' plot • 9: creates an 'Expected Number of Events' or 'Expected Sample Size' plot • 10: creates a 'Study Duration' plot • 11: creates an 'Expected Number of Subjects' plot • 12: creates an 'Analysis Times' plot • 13: creates a 'Cumulative Distribution Function' plot • 14: creates a 'Survival Function' plot • "all": creates all available plots and returns it as a grid plot or list
palette	The palette, default is "Set1".
theta	A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values), default is a sequence from -1 to 1.
plotPointsEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, additional points will be plotted.

legendPosition	The position of the legend. By default (NA_integer_) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • 0: legend position outside plot • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center • 3: legend position left bottom • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom
showSource	Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively showSource can be defined as one of the following character values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if showSource is a character.</p>
grid	An integer value specifying the output of multiple plots. By default (1) a list of ggplot objects will be returned. If a grid value > 1 was specified, a grid plot will be returned if the number of plots is <= specified grid value; a list of ggplot objects will be returned otherwise. If grid = 0 is specified, all plots will be created using print command and a list of ggplot objects will be returned invisible. Note that one of the following packages must be installed to create a grid plot: 'ggpubr', 'gridExtra', or 'cowplot'.
plotSettings	An object of class PlotSettings created by <code>getPlotSettings()</code> .

Details

Generic function to plot all kinds of trial design plans.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

Examples

```
## Not run:
if (require(ggplot2)) plot(getSampleSizeMeans())

## End(Not run)
```

plot.TrialDesignSet *Trial Design Set Plotting*

Description

Plots a trial design set.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignSet'
plot(
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  type = 1L,
  main = NA_character_,
  xlab = NA_character_,
  ylab = NA_character_,
  palette = "Set1",
  theta = seq(-1, 1, 0.02),
  nMax = NA_integer_,
  plotPointsEnabled = NA,
  legendPosition = NA_integer_,
  showSource = FALSE,
  grid = 1,
  plotSettings = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	The trial design set, obtained from <code>getDesignSet()</code> .
y	Not available for this kind of plot (is only defined to be compatible to the generic plot function).
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment <code>xlim</code> and <code>ylim</code> are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
type	The plot type (default = 1). The following plot types are available: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1: creates a 'Boundaries' plot • 3: creates a 'Stage Levels' plot • 4: creates a 'Error Spending' plot • 5: creates a 'Power and Early Stopping' plot • 6: creates an 'Average Sample Size and Power / Early Stop' plot • 7: creates an 'Power' plot • 8: creates an 'Early Stopping' plot • 9: creates an 'Average Sample Size' plot • "all": creates all available plots and returns it as a grid plot or list
main	The main title.
xlab	The x-axis label.
ylab	The y-axis label.

palette	The palette, default is "Set1".
theta	A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values), default is a sequence from -1 to 1.
nMax	The maximum sample size. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
plotPointsEnabled	Logical. If TRUE, additional points will be plotted.
legendPosition	The position of the legend. By default (NA_integer_) the algorithm tries to find a suitable position. Choose one of the following values to specify the position manually: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • -1: no legend will be shown • NA: the algorithm tries to find a suitable position • 0: legend position outside plot • 1: legend position left top • 2: legend position left center • 3: legend position left bottom • 4: legend position right top • 5: legend position right center • 6: legend position right bottom
showSource	Logical. If TRUE, the parameter names of the object will be printed which were used to create the plot; that may be, e.g., useful to check the values or to create own plots with the base R plot function. Alternatively showSource can be defined as one of the following character values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "commands": returns a character vector with plot commands • "axes": returns a list with the axes definitions • "test": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function does not stop if an error occurs) • "validate": all plot commands will be validated with eval(parse()) and returned as character vector (function stops if an error occurs) <p>Note: no plot object will be returned if showSource is a character.</p>
grid	An integer value specifying the output of multiple plots. By default (1) a list of ggplot objects will be returned. If a grid value > 1 was specified, a grid plot will be returned if the number of plots is <= specified grid value; a list of ggplot objects will be returned otherwise. If grid = 0 is specified, all plots will be created using print command and a list of ggplot objects will be returned invisible. Note that one of the following packages must be installed to create a grid plot: 'ggpubr', 'gridExtra', or 'cowplot'.
plotSettings	An object of class PlotSettings created by <code>getPlotSettings()</code> .

Details

Generic function to plot a trial design set. Is, e.g., useful to compare different designs or design parameters visual.

Value

Returns a ggplot2 object.

Examples

```
## Not run:
design <- getDesignInverseNormal(
  kMax = 3, alpha = 0.025,
  typeOfDesign = "asKD", gammaA = 2,
  informationRates = c(0.2, 0.7, 1), typeBetaSpending = "bsOF"
)

# Create a set of designs based on the master design defined above
# and varied parameter 'gammaA'
designSet <- getDesignSet(design = design, gammaA = 4)

if (require(ggplot2)) plot(designSet, type = 1, legendPosition = 6)

## End(Not run)
```

PlotSettings

Plot Settings

Description

Class for plot settings.

Details

Collects typical plot settings in an object.

Fields

lineSize The line size.
 pointSize The point size.
 pointColor The point color, e.g., "red" or "blue".
 mainTitleFontSize The main title font size.
 axesTextFontSize The text font size.
 legendFontSize The legend font size.
 scalingFactor The scaling factor.

plotTypes

Get Available Plot Types

Description

Function to identify the available plot types of an object.

Usage

```

plotTypes(
  obj,
  output = c("numeric", "caption", "numcap", "capnum"),
  numberInCaptionEnabled = FALSE
)

getAvailablePlotTypes(
  obj,
  output = c("numeric", "caption", "numcap", "capnum"),
  numberInCaptionEnabled = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

obj The object for which the plot types shall be identified, e.g. produced by [getDesignGroupSequential](#) or [getSampleSizeMeans\(\)](#).

output The output type. Can be one of `c("numeric", "caption", "numcap", "capnum")`.

numberInCaptionEnabled
 If TRUE, the number will be added to the caption, default is FALSE.

Details

`plotTypes` and `getAvailablePlotTypes()` are equivalent, i.e., `plotTypes` is a short form of `getAvailablePlotTypes()`.

output:

1. numeric: numeric output
2. caption: caption as character output
3. numcap: list with number and caption
4. capnum: list with caption and number

Value

Returns a list if option is either `capnum` or `numcap` or returns a vector that is of character type for `option=caption` or of numeric type for `option=numeric`.

Examples

```

design <- getDesignInverseNormal(kMax = 2)
getAvailablePlotTypes(design, "numeric")
plotTypes(design, "caption")
getAvailablePlotTypes(design, "numcap")
plotTypes(design, "capnum")

```

 PowerAndAverageSampleNumberResult

Power and Average Sample Number Result

Description

Class for power and average sample number (ASN) results.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getPowerAndAverageSampleNumber()` with suitable arguments to create it.

Fields

`nMax` The maximum sample size. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`theta` A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values). Is a numeric vector.

`averageSampleNumber` The average sample number calculated for each value of theta or nMax, if the specified maximum sample size would be exceeded. Is a numeric vector.

`calculatedPower` The calculated power for the given scenario.

`overallEarlyStop` The overall early stopping probability. Is a numeric vector.

`earlyStop` The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.

`overallReject` The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.

`rejectPerStage` The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.

`overallFutility` The overall stopping for futility probability. Is a numeric vector.

`futilityPerStage` The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

`print.Dataset`
Print Dataset Values

Description

`print` prints its `Dataset` argument and returns it invisibly (via `invisible(x)`).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'Dataset'
print(
  x,
  ...,
  markdown = FALSE,
  output = c("list", "long", "wide", "r", "rComplete")
)
```

Arguments

x	A Dataset object.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
markdown	If TRUE, the output will be created in Markdown.
output	A character defining the output type, default is "list".

Details

Prints the dataset.

print.FieldSet	<i>Print Field Set Values</i>
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Description

print prints its [FieldSet](#) argument and returns it invisibly (via invisible(x)).

Usage

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

Arguments

x	A FieldSet object.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.

Details

Prints the field set.

print.ParameterSet	<i>Print Parameter Set Values</i>
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Description

print prints its [ParameterSet](#) argument and returns it invisibly (via invisible(x)).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
print(x, ..., markdown = NA)
```

Arguments

x	The ParameterSet object to print.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
markdown	If TRUE, the object x will be printed using markdown syntax; normal representation will be used otherwise (default is FALSE)

Details

Prints the parameters and results of a parameter set.

```
print.SimulationResults
```

Print Simulation Results

Description

print prints its SimulationResults argument and returns it invisibly (via invisible(x)).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'SimulationResults'
print(x, ..., showStatistics = FALSE, markdown = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	The SimulationResults object to print.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
markdown	If TRUE, the object x will be printed using markdown syntax; normal representation will be used otherwise (default is FALSE)

Details

Prints the parameters and results of an SimulationResults object.

```
print.SummaryFactory
```

Summary Factory Printing

Description

Prints the result object stored inside a summary factory.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'SummaryFactory'
print(x, ..., markdown = NA, sep = "\n-----\n\n")
```

Arguments

x	The summary factory object.
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment xlim and ylim are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
markdown	If TRUE, the object x will be printed using markdown syntax; normal representation will be used otherwise (default is FALSE)
sep	The separator line between the summary and the print output.

Details

Generic function to print all kinds of summary factories.

```
print.TrialDesignCharacteristics
      Trial Design Characteristics Printing
```

Description

Prints the design characteristics object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignCharacteristics'
print(x, ..., markdown = FALSE, showDesign = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	The trial design characteristics object.
...	Optional plot arguments. At the moment xlim and ylim are implemented for changing x or y axis limits without dropping data observations.
markdown	If TRUE, the object x will be printed using markdown syntax; normal representation will be used otherwise (default is FALSE)
showDesign	Show the design print output above the design characteristics, default is TRUE.

Details

Generic function to print all kinds of design characteristics.

printCitation	<i>Print Citation</i>
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Description

How to cite rpact and R in publications.

Usage

```
printCitation(inclusiveR = TRUE, language = "en")
```

Arguments

inclusiveR	If TRUE (default) the information on how to cite the base R system in publications will be added.
language	Language code to use for the output, default is "en".

Details

This function shows how to cite rpact and R (inclusiveR = TRUE) in publications.

Examples

```
printCitation()
```

pull	<i>Extract a single parameter</i>
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Description

Fetch a parameter from a parameter set.

Usage

```
pull(x, var, output)

## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
pull(x, var = -1, output = c("named", "value", "list"))

obtain(x, var, output)

## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
obtain(x, var = -1, output = c("named", "value", "list"))

fetch(x, var, output)

## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
fetch(x, var = -1, output = c("named", "value", "list"))
```

Arguments

x	The ParameterSet object to fetch from.
var	A variable specified as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a literal variable name • a positive integer, giving the position counting from the left • a negative integer, giving the position counting from the right. The default returns the last parameter. This argument is taken by expression and supports quasiquotation (you can unquote column names and column locations).
output	A character defining the output type as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "named" (default) returns the named value if the value is a single value, the value inside a named list otherwise • "value" returns only the value itself • "list" returns the value inside a named list

Examples

```
## Not run:
getDesignInverseNormal() |> fetch(kMax)
getDesignInverseNormal() |> fetch(kMax, output = "list")

## End(Not run)
```

rawDataTwoArmNormal *Raw Dataset Of A Two Arm Continuous Outcome With Covariates*

Description

An artificial dataset that was randomly generated with simulated normal data. The data set has six variables:

1. Subject id
2. Stage number
3. Group name
4. An example outcome in that we are interested in
5. The first covariate *gender*
6. The second covariate *covariate*

Usage

```
rawDataTwoArmNormal
```

Format

A [data.frame](#) object.

Details

See the vignette "Two-arm analysis for continuous data with covariates from raw data" to learn how to

- import raw data from a csv file,
- calculate estimated adjusted (marginal) means (EMMs, least-squares means) for a linear model, and
- perform two-arm interim analyses with these data.

You can use `rawDataTwoArmNormal` to reproduce the examples in the vignette.

rcmd

Get Object R Code

Description

Returns the R source command of a result object.

Usage

```
rcmd(  
  obj,  
  ...,  
  leadingArguments = NULL,  
  includeDefaultParameters = FALSE,  
  stringWrapParagraphWidth = 90,  
  prefix = "",  
  postfix = "",  
  stringWrapPrefix = "",  
  newArgumentValues = list()  
)  
  
getObjectRCode(  
  obj,  
  ...,  
  leadingArguments = NULL,  
  includeDefaultParameters = FALSE,  
  stringWrapParagraphWidth = 90,  
  prefix = "",  
  postfix = "",  
  stringWrapPrefix = "",  
  newArgumentValues = list(),  
  tolerance = 1e-07,  
  pipeOperator = c("auto", "none", "magrittr", "R"),  
  output = c("vector", "cat", "test", "markdown", "internal"),  
  explicitPrint = FALSE  
)
```

Arguments

obj	The result object.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
leadingArguments	A character vector with arguments that shall be inserted at the beginning of the function command, e.g., <code>design = x</code> . Be careful with this option because the created R command may no longer be valid if used.
includeDefaultParameters	If TRUE, default parameters will be included in all <code>rpact</code> commands; default is FALSE.
stringWrapParagraphWidth	An integer value defining the number of characters after which a line break shall be inserted; set to NULL to insert no line breaks.
prefix	A character string that shall be added to the beginning of the R command.
postfix	A character string that shall be added to the end of the R command.
stringWrapPrefix	A prefix character string that shall be added to each new line, typically some spaces.
newArgumentValues	A named list with arguments that shall be renewed in the R command, e.g., <code>newArgumentValues = list(informationRates = c(0.5, 1))</code> .
tolerance	The tolerance for defining a value as default.
pipeOperator	The pipe operator to use in the R code, default is "none".
output	The output format, default is a character "vector".
explicitPrint	Show an explicit print command, default is FALSE.

Details

`getObjectRCode()` (short: `rcmd()`) recreates the R commands that result in the specified object `obj`. `obj` must be an instance of class `ParameterSet`.

Value

A `character` value or vector will be returned.

readDataset

Read Dataset

Description

Reads a data file and returns it as dataset object.

Usage

```
readDataset(
  file,
  ...,
  header = TRUE,
  sep = ",",
  quote = "\"",
  dec = ".",
  fill = TRUE,
  comment.char = "",
  fileEncoding = "UTF-8"
)
```

Arguments

file	A CSV file (see read.table).
...	Further arguments to be passed to read.table .
header	A logical value indicating whether the file contains the names of the variables as its first line.
sep	The field separator character. Values on each line of the file are separated by this character. If sep = "," (the default for readDataset) the separator is a comma.
quote	The set of quoting characters. To disable quoting altogether, use quote = "". See scan for the behavior on quotes embedded in quotes. Quoting is only considered for columns read as character, which is all of them unless colClasses is specified.
dec	The character used in the file for decimal points.
fill	logical. If TRUE then in case the rows have unequal length, blank fields are implicitly added.
comment.char	character: a character vector of length one containing a single character or an empty string. Use "" to turn off the interpretation of comments altogether.
fileEncoding	character string: if non-empty declares the encoding used on a file (not a connection) so the character data can be re-encoded. See the 'Encoding' section of the help for file, the 'R Data Import/Export Manual' and 'Note'.

Details

[readDataset](#) is a wrapper function that uses [read.table](#) to read the CSV file into a data frame, transfers it from long to wide format with [reshape](#) and puts the data to [getDataset\(\)](#).

Value

Returns a [Dataset](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object,
- [summary\(\)](#) to display a summary of the object,
- [plot\(\)](#) to plot the object,
- [as.data.frame\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [data.frame](#),
- [as.matrix\(\)](#) to coerce the object to a [matrix](#).

See Also

- [readDatasets\(\)](#) for reading multiple datasets,
- [writeDataset\(\)](#) for writing a single dataset,
- [writeDatasets\(\)](#) for writing multiple datasets.

Examples

```
## Not run:
dataFileRates <- system.file("extdata",
  "dataset_rates.csv",
  package = "rpact"
)
if (dataFileRates != "") {
  datasetRates <- readDataset(dataFileRates)
  datasetRates
}

dataFileMeansMultiArm <- system.file("extdata",
  "dataset_means_multi-arm.csv",
  package = "rpact"
)
if (dataFileMeansMultiArm != "") {
  datasetMeansMultiArm <- readDataset(dataFileMeansMultiArm)
  datasetMeansMultiArm
}

dataFileRatesMultiArm <- system.file("extdata",
  "dataset_rates_multi-arm.csv",
  package = "rpact"
)
if (dataFileRatesMultiArm != "") {
  datasetRatesMultiArm <- readDataset(dataFileRatesMultiArm)
  datasetRatesMultiArm
}

dataFileSurvivalMultiArm <- system.file("extdata",
  "dataset_survival_multi-arm.csv",
  package = "rpact"
)
if (dataFileSurvivalMultiArm != "") {
  datasetSurvivalMultiArm <- readDataset(dataFileSurvivalMultiArm)
  datasetSurvivalMultiArm
}

## End(Not run)
```

readDatasets

Read Multiple Datasets

Description

Reads a data file and returns it as a list of dataset objects.

Usage

```
readDatasets(  
  file,  
  ...,  
  header = TRUE,  
  sep = ",",  
  quote = "\"",  
  dec = ".",  
  fill = TRUE,  
  comment.char = "",  
  fileEncoding = "UTF-8"  
)
```

Arguments

file	A CSV file (see read.table).
...	Further arguments to be passed to read.table .
header	A logical value indicating whether the file contains the names of the variables as its first line.
sep	The field separator character. Values on each line of the file are separated by this character. If sep = "," (the default for readDatasets) the separator is a comma.
quote	The set of quoting characters. To disable quoting altogether, use quote = "". See scan for the behavior on quotes embedded in quotes. Quoting is only considered for columns read as character, which is all of them unless colClasses is specified.
dec	The character used in the file for decimal points.
fill	logical. If TRUE then in case the rows have unequal length, blank fields are implicitly added.
comment.char	character: a character vector of length one containing a single character or an empty string. Use "" to turn off the interpretation of comments altogether.
fileEncoding	character string: if non-empty declares the encoding used on a file (not a connection) so the character data can be re-encoded. See the 'Encoding' section of the help for file, the 'R Data Import/Export Manual' and 'Note'.

Details

Reads a file that was written by [writeDatasets\(\)](#) before.

Value

Returns a [list](#) of [Dataset](#) objects.

See Also

- [readDataset\(\)](#) for reading a single dataset,
- [writeDatasets\(\)](#) for writing multiple datasets,
- [writeDataset\(\)](#) for writing a single dataset.

Examples

```
dataFile <- system.file("extdata", "datasets_rates.csv", package = "rpact")
if (dataFile != "") {
  datasets <- readDatasets(dataFile)
  datasets
}
```

resetLogLevel

Reset Log Level

Description

Resets the rpact log level.

Usage

```
resetLogLevel()
```

Details

This function resets the log level of the rpact internal log message system to the default value "PROGRESS".

See Also

- [getLogLevel\(\)](#) for getting the current log level,
- [setLogLevel\(\)](#) for setting the log level.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# reset log level to default value
resetLogLevel()

## End(Not run)
```

rpact

rpact - Confirmatory Adaptive Clinical Trial Design and Analysis

Description

rpact (R Package for Adaptive Clinical Trials) is a comprehensive package that enables the design, simulation, and analysis of confirmatory adaptive group sequential designs. Particularly, the methods described in the recent monograph by Wassmer and Brannath (published by Springer, 2016) are implemented. It also comprises advanced methods for sample size calculations for fixed sample size designs incl., e.g., sample size calculation for survival trials with piecewise exponentially distributed survival times and staggered patients entry.

Details

rpact includes the classical group sequential designs (incl. user spending function approaches) where the sample sizes per stage (or the time points of interim analysis) cannot be changed in a data-driven way. Confirmatory adaptive designs explicitly allow for this under control of the Type I error rate. They are either based on the combination testing or the conditional rejection probability (CRP) principle. Both are available, for the former the inverse normal combination test and Fisher's combination test can be used.

Specific techniques of the adaptive methodology are also available, e.g., overall confidence intervals, overall p-values, and conditional and predictive power assessments. Simulations can be performed to assess the design characteristics of a (user-defined) sample size recalculation strategy. Designs are available for trials with continuous, binary, and survival endpoint.

For more information please visit www.rpact.org. If you are interested in professional services round about the package or need a comprehensive validation documentation to fulfill regulatory requirements please visit www.rpact.com.

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See Also

Useful links:

- <https://www.rpact.org>
- <https://www.rpact.com>
- <https://github.com/rpact-com/rpact>
- <https://rpact-com.github.io/rpact/>
- Report bugs at <https://github.com/rpact-com/rpact/issues>

setLogLevel

Set Log Level

Description

Sets the rpact log level.

Usage

```
setLogLevel(  
  logLevel = c("PROGRESS", "ERROR", "WARN", "INFO", "DEBUG", "TRACE", "DISABLED")  
)
```

Arguments

logLevel The new log level to set. Can be one of "PROGRESS", "ERROR", "WARN", "INFO", "DEBUG", "TRACE", "DISABLED". Default is "PROGRESS".

Details

This function sets the log level of the rpact internal log message system. By default only calculation progress messages will be shown on the output console, particularly `getAnalysisResults()` shows this kind of messages. The output of these messages can be disabled by setting the log level to "DISABLED".

See Also

- `getLogLevel()` for getting the current log level,
- `resetLogLevel()` for resetting the log level to default.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# show debug messages
setLogLevel("DEBUG")

# disable all log messages
setLogLevel("DISABLED")

## End(Not run)
```

setOutputFormat	<i>Set Output Format</i>
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Description

With this function the format of the standard outputs of all rpact objects can be changed and set user defined respectively.

Usage

```
setOutputFormat(
  parameterName = NA_character_,
  ...,
  digits = NA_integer_,
  nsmall = NA_integer_,
  trimSingleZeros = NA,
  futilityProbabilityEnabled = NA,
  file = NA_character_,
  resetToDefault = FALSE,
  roundFunction = NA_character_
)
```


Arguments

parameterName	The name of the parameter whose output format shall be edited. Leave the default NA_character_ if the output format of all parameters shall be edited.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
digits	How many significant digits are to be used for a numeric value. The default, NULL, uses getOption("digits"). Allowed values are $0 \leq \text{digits} \leq 20$.
nsmall	The minimum number of digits to the right of the decimal point in formatting real numbers in non-scientific formats. Allowed values are $0 \leq \text{nsmall} \leq 20$.
trimSingleZeros	If TRUE zero values will be trimmed in the output, e.g., "0.00" will displayed as "0"
futilityProbabilityEnabled	If TRUE very small value ($< 1e-09$) will be displayed as "0", default is FALSE.
file	An optional file name of an existing text file that contains output format definitions (see Details for more information).
resetToDefault	If TRUE all output formats will be reset to default value. Note that other settings will be executed afterwards if specified, default is FALSE.
roundFunction	A character value that specifies the R base round function to use, default is NA_character_. Allowed values are "ceiling", "floor", "trunc", "round", "signif", and NA_character_.

Details

Output formats can be written to a text file (see [getOutputFormat\(\)](#)). To load your personal output formats read a formerly saved file at the beginning of your work with rpact, e.g. execute `setOutputFormat(file = "my_rpact_output_formats.txt")`.

Note that the parameterName must not match exactly, e.g., for p-values the following parameter names will be recognized amongst others:

1. p value
2. p.values
3. p-value
4. pValue
5. rpact.output.format.p.value

See Also

[format](#) for details on the function used internally to format the values.

Other output formats: [getOutputFormat\(\)](#)

Examples

```
# show output format of p values
getOutputFormat("p.value")
## Not run:
# set new p value output format
setOutputFormat("p.value", digits = 5, nsmall = 5)

# show sample sizes as smallest integers not less than the not rounded values
```

```
setOutputFormat("sample size", digits = 0, nsmall = 0, roundFunction = "ceiling")
getSampleSizeMeans()

# show sample sizes as smallest integers not greater than the not rounded values
setOutputFormat("sample size", digits = 0, nsmall = 0, roundFunction = "floor")
getSampleSizeMeans()

# set new sample size output format without round function
setOutputFormat("sample size", digits = 2, nsmall = 2)
getSampleSizeMeans()

# reset sample size output format to default
setOutputFormat("sample size")
getSampleSizeMeans()
getOutputFormat("sample size")

## End(Not run)
```

SimulationResults *Class for Simulation Results*

Description

A class for simulation results.

Details

SimulationResults is the basic class for

- [SimulationResultsMeans](#),
- [SimulationResultsRates](#),
- [SimulationResultsSurvival](#),
- [SimulationResultsMultiArmMeans](#),
- [SimulationResultsMultiArmRates](#),
- [SimulationResultsMultiArmSurvival](#),
- [SimulationResultsEnrichmentMeans](#),
- [SimulationResultsEnrichmentRates](#), and
- [SimulationResultsEnrichmentSurvival](#).

Fields

seed The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

iterations The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

 SimulationResultsBaseCountData

Class for Simulation Results Count Data

Description

A class for simulation results count data.

Details

Use [getSimulationCounts\(\)](#) to create an object of this type.

Fields

maxNumberOfIterations The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

seed The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

allocationRatioPlanned The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

conditionalPower The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

iterations The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

futilityPerStage The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

thetaH0 The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.

accrualTime The assumed accrual time intervals for the study. Is a numeric vector.

accrualIntensity The absolute accrual intensities. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} .

groups The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.

directionUpper Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

earlyStop The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.

sampleSizes The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.

overallReject The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.

rejectPerStage The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.

 SimulationResultsEnrichmentMeans

Class for Simulation Results Enrichment Means

Description

A class for simulation results means in enrichment designs.

Details

Use `getSimulationEnrichmentMeans()` to create an object of this type.

Fields

`maxNumberOfIterations` The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`futilityPerStage` The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityStop` In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.

`stDev` The standard deviation used for sample size and power calculation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`plannedSubjects` Determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` Determines the minimum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` Determines the maximum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

`stDevH1` The standard deviation under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation is performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`calcSubjectsFunction` An optional function that can be entered to define how sample size is recalculated. By default, recalculation is performed with conditional power with specified `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`.

- expectedNumberOfSubjects** The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.
- populations** The number of populations in an enrichment design. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- effectList** The list of subsets, prevalences and effect sizes with columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to be considered.
- intersectionTest** The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- stratifiedAnalysis** For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. When testing means and rates, a non-stratified analysis can be performed on overall data. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- adaptations** Indicates whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k. Is a logical vector of length kMax minus 1.
- typeOfSelection** The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.
- effectMeasure** Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate ("effectEstimate"). Is a character vector of length 1.
- successCriterion** Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion has been fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.
- epsilonValue** Needs to be specified if typeOfSelection = "epsilon". Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- rValue** Needs to be specified if typeOfSelection = "rBest". Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- threshold** The selection criterion: treatment arm/population is only selected if effectMeasure exceeds threshold. Either a single numeric value or a numeric vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition for each treatment arm.
- selectPopulationsFunction** An optional function that can be entered to define the way of how populations are selected.
- earlyStop** The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.
- selectedPopulations** The selected populations in enrichment designs.
- numberOfPopulations** The number of populations in an enrichment design. Is a numeric matrix.
- rejectAtLeastOne** The probability to reject at least one of the (multiple) hypotheses. Is a numeric vector.
- rejectedPopulationsPerStage** The simulated number of rejected populations per stage.
- successPerStage** The simulated success probabilities per stage where success is defined by user. Is a numeric matrix.
- sampleSizes** The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.
- conditionalPowerAchieved** The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

 SimulationResultsEnrichmentRates

Class for Simulation Results Enrichment Rates

Description

A class for simulation results rates in enrichment designs.

Details

Use `getSimulationEnrichmentRates()` to create an object of this type.

Fields

`maxNumberOfIterations` The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`futilityPerStage` The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityStop` In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`plannedSubjects` Determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` Determines the minimum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` Determines the maximum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`calcSubjectsFunction` An optional function that can be entered to define how sample size is recalculated. By default, recalculation is performed with conditional power with specified `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`.

`expectedNumberOfSubjects` The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.

- populations** The number of populations in an enrichment design. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- effectList** The list of subsets, prevalences and effect sizes with columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to be considered.
- intersectionTest** The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- stratifiedAnalysis** For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. When testing means and rates, a non-stratified analysis can be performed on overall data. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- adaptations** Indicates whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k. Is a logical vector of length kMax minus 1.
- piTreatmentH1** The assumed probabilities in the active arm under which the sample size recalculation was performed and the conditional power was calculated.
- piControlH1** The assumed probability in the reference group, for which the conditional power was calculated. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- typeOfSelection** The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.
- effectMeasure** Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate ("effectEstimate"). Is a character vector of length 1.
- successCriterion** Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion has been fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.
- epsilonValue** Needs to be specified if typeOfSelection = "epsilon". Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- rValue** Needs to be specified if typeOfSelection = "rBest". Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- threshold** The selection criterion: treatment arm/population is only selected if effectMeasure exceeds threshold. Either a single numeric value or a numeric vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition for each treatment arm.
- selectPopulationsFunction** An optional function that can be entered to define the way of how populations are selected.
- earlyStop** The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.
- selectedPopulations** The selected populations in enrichment designs.
- numberOfPopulations** The number of populations in an enrichment design. Is a numeric matrix.
- rejectAtLeastOne** The probability to reject at least one of the (multiple) hypotheses. Is a numeric vector.
- rejectedPopulationsPerStage** The simulated number of rejected populations per stage.
- successPerStage** The simulated success probabilities per stage where success is defined by user. Is a numeric matrix.
- sampleSizes** The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.
- conditionalPowerAchieved** The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

 SimulationResultsEnrichmentSurvival

Class for Simulation Results Enrichment Survival

Description

A class for simulation results survival in enrichment designs.

Details

Use [getSimulationEnrichmentSurvival\(\)](#) to create an object of this type.

Fields

maxNumberOfIterations The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

seed The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

allocationRatioPlanned The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

conditionalPower The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

iterations The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

futilityPerStage The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

futilityStop In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.

directionUpper Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

plannedSubjects Determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing whole numbers.

minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage Determines the minimum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing whole numbers.

maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage Determines the maximum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing whole numbers.

thetaH1 The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.

calcEventsFunction An optional function that can be entered to define how event size is recalculated. By default, recalculation is performed with conditional power with specified **minNumberOfEventsPerStage** and **maxNumberOfEventsPerStage**.

`expectedNumberOfEvents` The expected number of events under specified alternative. Is a numeric vector.

`populations` The number of populations in an enrichment design. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`effectList` The list of subsets, prevalences and effect sizes with columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to be considered.

`intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.

`stratifiedAnalysis` For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. When testing means and rates, a non-stratified analysis can be performed on overall data. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`adaptations` Indicates whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k . Is a logical vector of length k_{Max} minus 1.

`typeOfSelection` The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.

`effectMeasure` Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("`testStatistic`") or effect estimate ("`effectEstimate`"). Is a character vector of length 1.

`successCriterion` Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. "`all`" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion has been fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "`atLeastOne`" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.

`epsilonValue` Needs to be specified if `typeOfSelection = "epsilon"`. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`rValue` Needs to be specified if `typeOfSelection = "rBest"`. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`threshold` The selection criterion: treatment arm/population is only selected if `effectMeasure` exceeds threshold. Either a single numeric value or a numeric vector of length `activeArms` referring to a separate threshold condition for each treatment arm.

`selectPopulationsFunction` An optional function that can be entered to define the way of how populations are selected.

`correlationComputation` If "`alternative`", a correlation matrix according to Deng et al. (Biometrics, 2019) accounting for the respective alternative is used for simulating log-rank statistics in the many-to-one design. If "`null`", a constant correlation matrix valid under the null hypothesis is used.

`earlyStop` The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.

`selectedPopulations` The selected populations in enrichment designs.

`numberOfPopulations` The number of populations in an enrichment design. Is a numeric matrix.

`rejectAtLeastOne` The probability to reject at least one of the (multiple) hypotheses. Is a numeric vector.

`rejectedPopulationsPerStage` The simulated number of rejected populations per stage.

`successPerStage` The simulated success probabilities per stage where success is defined by user. Is a numeric matrix.

`eventsPerStage` Deprecated: use `singleEventsPerStage` or `cumulativeEventsPerStage` instead Is a numeric matrix.

`singleNumberOfEventsPerStage` Deprecated: use `singleEventsPerArmAndStage` or `singleEventsPerSubsetAndS` instead

`singleEventsPerSubsetAndStage` The number of events per subset and stage that is used for the analysis.

`conditionalPowerAchieved` The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

SimulationResultsMeans

Class for Simulation Results Means

Description

A class for simulation results means.

Details

Use `getSimulationMeans()` to create an object of this type.

SimulationResultsMeans is the basic class for

- `SimulationResultsMeans`,
- `SimulationResultsMultiArmMeans`, and
- `SimulationResultsEnrichmentMeans`.

Fields

`maxNumberOfIterations` The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`futilityPerStage` The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityStop` In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.

`stDev` The standard deviation used for sample size and power calculation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`plannedSubjects` Determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` Determines the minimum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

- `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` Determines the maximum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `thetaH1` The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.
- `stDevH1` The standard deviation under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation is performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `calcSubjectsFunction` An optional function that can be entered to define how sample size is recalculated. By default, recalculation is performed with conditional power with specified `minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage`.
- `expectedNumberOfSubjects` The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.
- `meanRatio` Specifies if the sample size for one-sided testing of $H_0: \mu_1/\mu_2 = \theta_{H_0}$ has been calculated. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `alternative` The alternative hypothesis value(s) for testing means. Is a numeric vector.
- `groups` The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.
- `directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `effect` The effect for randomly creating normally distributed responses. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `earlyStop` The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.
- `sampleSizes` The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.
- `overallReject` The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.
- `rejectPerStage` The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.
- `conditionalPowerAchieved` The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

SimulationResultsMultiArmMeans

Class for Simulation Results Multi-Arm Means

Description

A class for simulation results means in multi-arm designs.

Details

Use `getSimulationMultiArmMeans()` to create an object of this type.

Fields

- maxNumberOfIterations** The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- seed** The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- allocationRatioPlanned** The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- conditionalPower** The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- iterations** The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- futilityPerStage** The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.
- futilityStop** In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.
- stDev** The standard deviation used for sample size and power calculation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- plannedSubjects** Determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length *kMax* containing whole numbers.
- minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage** Determines the minimum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length *kMax* containing whole numbers.
- maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage** Determines the maximum number of subjects per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, is the minimum number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length *kMax* containing whole numbers.
- thetaH1** The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.
- stDevH1** The standard deviation under which the conditional power or sample size recalculation is performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- calcSubjectsFunction** An optional function that can be entered to define how sample size is recalculated. By default, recalculation is performed with conditional power with specified **minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage** and **maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage**.
- expectedNumberOfSubjects** The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.
- activeArms** The number of active treatment arms to be compared with control. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- effectMatrix** The matrix of effect sizes with **activeArms** columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider.
- typeOfShape** The shape of the dose-response relationship over the treatment groups. Is a character vector of length 1.
- muMaxVector** The range of effect sizes for the treatment group with highest response for "linear" and "sigmoidEmax" model. Is a numeric vector.
- gED50** The ED50 of the sigmoid Emax model. Only necessary if **typeOfShape** = "sigmoidEmax" has been specified. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

- slope The slope of the sigmoid Emax model, if typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax" Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- intersectionTest The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- adaptations Indicates whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k. Is a logical vector of length kMax minus 1.
- typeOfSelection The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.
- effectMeasure Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("testStatistic") or effect estimate ("effectEstimate"). Is a character vector of length 1.
- successCriterion Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. "all" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion has been fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "atLeastOne" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.
- epsilonValue Needs to be specified if typeOfSelection = "epsilon". Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- rValue Needs to be specified if typeOfSelection = "rBest". Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- threshold The selection criterion: treatment arm/population is only selected if effectMeasure exceeds threshold. Either a single numeric value or a numeric vector of length activeArms referring to a separate threshold condition for each treatment arm.
- selectArmsFunction An optional function that can be entered to define how treatment arms are selected.
- earlyStop The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.
- selectedArms The selected arms in multi-armed designs.
- numberOfActiveArms The number of active arms in a multi-armed design. Is a numeric matrix.
- rejectAtLeastOne The probability to reject at least one of the (multiple) hypotheses. Is a numeric vector.
- rejectedArmsPerStage The simulated number of rejected arms per stage.
- successPerStage The simulated success probabilities per stage where success is defined by user. Is a numeric matrix.
- sampleSizes The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.
- conditionalPowerAchieved The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

SimulationResultsMultiArmRates

Class for Simulation Results Multi-Arm Rates

Description

A class for simulation results rates in multi-arm designs.

Details

Use [getSimulationMultiArmRates\(\)](#) to create an object of this type.

Fields

- maxNumberOfIterations** The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- seed** The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- allocationRatioPlanned** The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- conditionalPower** The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- iterations** The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- futilityPerStage** The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.
- futilityStop** In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.
- directionUpper** Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- plannedSubjects** Determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing whole numbers.
- maxNumberOfSubjects** The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.
- calcSubjectsFunction** An optional function that can be entered to define how sample size is recalculated. By default, recalculation is performed with conditional power with specified **minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage** and **maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage**.
- expectedNumberOfSubjects** The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.
- activeArms** The number of active treatment arms to be compared with control. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- effectMatrix** The matrix of effect sizes with **activeArms** columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider.
- typeOfShape** The shape of the dose-response relationship over the treatment groups. Is a character vector of length 1.
- piMaxVector** The range of assumed probabilities for the treatment group with highest response for "linear" and "sigmoidEmax" model.
- piControl** The assumed probability in the control arm for simulation and under which the sample size recalculation is performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- piH1** The assumed probability in the active treatment arm(s) under which the sample size recalculation is performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- piControlH1** The assumed probability in the reference group, for which the conditional power was calculated. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- gED50** The ED50 of the sigmoid Emax model. Only necessary if **typeOfShape** = "sigmoidEmax" has been specified. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- slope** The slope of the sigmoid Emax model, if **typeOfShape** = "sigmoidEmax" Is a numeric vector of length 1.

- `intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- `adaptations` Indicates whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k . Is a logical vector of length k_{Max} minus 1.
- `typeOfSelection` The way the treatment arms or populations are selected at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.
- `effectMeasure` Criterion for treatment arm/population selection, either based on test statistic ("`testStatistic`") or effect estimate ("`effectEstimate`"). Is a character vector of length 1.
- `successCriterion` Defines when the study is stopped for efficacy at interim. "`all`" stops the trial if the efficacy criterion has been fulfilled for all selected treatment arms/populations, "`atLeastOne`" stops if at least one of the selected treatment arms/populations is shown to be superior to control at interim. Is a character vector of length 1.
- `epsilonValue` Needs to be specified if `typeOfSelection` = "`epsilon`". Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `rValue` Needs to be specified if `typeOfSelection` = "`rBest`". Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `threshold` The selection criterion: treatment arm/population is only selected if `effectMeasure` exceeds `threshold`. Either a single numeric value or a numeric vector of length `activeArms` referring to a separate threshold condition for each treatment arm.
- `selectArmsFunction` An optional function that can be entered to define how treatment arms are selected.
- `earlyStop` The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.
- `selectedArms` The selected arms in multi-armed designs.
- `numberOfActiveArms` The number of active arms in a multi-armed design. Is a numeric matrix.
- `rejectAtLeastOne` The probability to reject at least one of the (multiple) hypotheses. Is a numeric vector.
- `rejectedArmsPerStage` The simulated number of rejected arms per stage.
- `successPerStage` The simulated success probabilities per stage where success is defined by user. Is a numeric matrix.
- `sampleSizes` The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.
- `conditionalPowerAchieved` The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

SimulationResultsMultiArmSurvival

Class for Simulation Results Multi-Arm Survival

Description

A class for simulation results survival in multi-arm designs.

Details

Use `getSimulationMultiArmSurvival()` to create an object of this type.

Fields

- maxNumberOfIterations** The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- seed** The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- allocationRatioPlanned** The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- conditionalPower** The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- iterations** The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- futilityPerStage** The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.
- futilityStop** In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.
- directionUpper** Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- plannedEvents** Determines the number of cumulated (overall) events in survival designs when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of events for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the overall number of events for the selected arms plus control. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing whole numbers.
- minNumberOfEventsPerStage** Determines the minimum number of events per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing whole numbers.
- maxNumberOfEventsPerStage** Determines the maximum number of events per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing whole numbers.
- expectedNumberOfEvents** The expected number of events under specified alternative. Is a numeric vector.
- activeArms** The number of active treatment arms to be compared with control. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- effectMatrix** The matrix of effect sizes with `activeArms` columns and number of rows reflecting the different situations to consider.
- typeOfShape** The shape of the dose-response relationship over the treatment groups. Is a character vector of length 1.
- omegaMaxVector** The range of hazard ratios with highest response for "linear" and "sigmoidEmax" model. Is a numeric vector.
- gED50** The ED50 of the sigmoid Emax model. Only necessary if `typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax"` has been specified. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- slope** The slope of the sigmoid Emax model, if `typeOfShape = "sigmoidEmax"` Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- intersectionTest** The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- adaptations** Indicates whether or not an adaptation takes place at interim k . Is a logical vector of length k_{Max} minus 1.

`epsilonValue` Needs to be specified if `typeOfSelection = "epsilon"`. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`rValue` Needs to be specified if `typeOfSelection = "rBest"`. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`threshold` The selection criterion: treatment arm/population is only selected if `effectMeasure` exceeds `threshold`. Either a single numeric value or a numeric vector of length `activeArms` referring to a separate threshold condition for each treatment arm.

`selectArmsFunction` An optional function that can be entered to define how treatment arms are selected.

`correlationComputation` If "alternative", a correlation matrix according to Deng et al. (Biometrics, 2019) accounting for the respective alternative is used for simulating log-rank statistics in the many-to-one design. If "null", a constant correlation matrix valid under the null hypothesis is used.

`earlyStop` The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.

`selectedArms` The selected arms in multi-armed designs.

`numberOfActiveArms` The number of active arms in a multi-armed design. Is a numeric matrix.

`rejectAtLeastOne` The probability to reject at least one of the (multiple) hypotheses. Is a numeric vector.

`rejectedArmsPerStage` The simulated number of rejected arms per stage.

`successPerStage` The simulated success probabilities per stage where success is defined by user. Is a numeric matrix.

`eventsPerStage` Deprecated: use `singleEventsPerStage` or `cumulativeEventsPerStage` instead Is a numeric matrix.

`singleNumberOfEventsPerStage` Deprecated: use `singleEventsPerArmAndStage` or `singleEventsPerSubsetAndS` instead

`singleEventsPerArmAndStage` The number of events per arm and stage that is used for the analysis.

`singleEventsPerStage` The single number of events per stage. Is a numeric matrix.

`cumulativeEventsPerStage` The cumulative number of events per stage. Is a numeric matrix.

`conditionalPowerAchieved` The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

SimulationResultsRates

Class for Simulation Results Rates

Description

A class for simulation results rates.

Details

Use `getSimulationRates()` to create an object of this type.

`SimulationResultsRates` is the basic class for

- `SimulationResultsRates`,
- `SimulationResultsMultiArmRates`, and
- `SimulationResultsEnrichmentRates`.

Fields

- maxNumberOfIterations** The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- seed** The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- allocationRatioPlanned** The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- conditionalPower** The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- iterations** The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- futilityPerStage** The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.
- futilityStop** In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.
- directionUpper** Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- plannedSubjects** Determines the number of cumulated (overall) subjects when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of subjects for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the number of subjects per selected active arm. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing whole numbers.
- maxNumberOfSubjects** The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.
- calcSubjectsFunction** An optional function that can be entered to define how sample size is recalculated. By default, recalculation is performed with conditional power with specified **minNumberOfSubjectsPerStage** and **maxNumberOfSubjectsPerStage**.
- expectedNumberOfSubjects** The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.
- riskRatio** Specifies if the sample size for one-sided testing of $H_0: \pi_1 / \pi_2 = \theta_0$ has been calculated. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- theta0** The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- normalApproximation** Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- pi1** The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.
- pi2** The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- groups** The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.
- pi1H1** The assumed probability in the active treatment group for two-group designs, or the assumed probability for a one treatment group design, for which the conditional power was calculated. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- pi2H1** The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs, for which the conditional power was calculated. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- effect** The effect for randomly creating normally distributed responses. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} .
- earlyStop** The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.

`sampleSizes` The sample sizes for each group and stage. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups containing whole numbers.

`overallReject` The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.

`rejectPerStage` The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.

`conditionalPowerAchieved` The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

SimulationResultsSurvival

Class for Simulation Results Survival

Description

A class for simulation results survival.

Details

Use `getSimulationSurvival()` to create an object of this type.

SimulationResultsSurvival is the basic class for

- [SimulationResultsSurvival](#),
- [SimulationResultsMultiArmSurvival](#), and
- [SimulationResultsEnrichmentSurvival](#).

Fields

`maxNumberOfIterations` The number of simulation iterations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`seed` The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`conditionalPower` The conditional power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`iterations` The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`futilityPerStage` The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityStop` In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`plannedEvents` Determines the number of cumulated (overall) events in survival designs when the interim stages are planned. For two treatment arms, is the number of events for both treatment arms. For multi-arm designs, refers to the overall number of events for the selected arms plus control. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

- minNumberOfEventsPerStage** Determines the minimum number of events per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- maxNumberOfEventsPerStage** Determines the maximum number of events per stage for data-driven sample size recalculation. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- thetaH1** The assumed effect under the alternative hypothesis. For survival designs, refers to the hazard ratio. Is a numeric vector.
- calcEventsFunction** An optional function that can be entered to define how event size is recalculated. By default, recalculation is performed with conditional power with specified `minNumberOfEventsPerStage` and `maxNumberOfEventsPerStage`.
- expectedNumberOfEvents** The expected number of events under specified alternative. Is a numeric vector.
- pi1** The assumed event rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- pi2** The assumed event rate in the control group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- median1** The assumed median survival time in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector.
- median2** The assumed median survival time in the reference group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- maxNumberOfSubjects** The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.
- accrualTime** The assumed accrual time intervals for the study. Is a numeric vector.
- accrualIntensity** The absolute accrual intensities. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- dropoutRate1** The assumed drop-out rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- dropoutRate2** The assumed drop-out rate in the control group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- dropoutTime** The assumed time for drop-out rates in the control and treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- eventTime** The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- thetaH0** The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- allocation1** The number of subjects to be assigned to treatment 1 in subsequent order. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- allocation2** The number of subjects to be assigned to treatment 2 in subsequent order. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- kappa** The shape of the Weibull distribution if $\kappa \neq 1$. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- piecewiseSurvivalTime** The time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function. Is a numeric vector.
- lambda1** The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- lambda2** The assumed hazard rate in the reference group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- earlyStop** The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.
- hazardRatio** The hazard ratios under consideration. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- studyDuration** The study duration for specified effect size. Is a positive numeric vector.

eventsNotAchieved The simulated number of cases how often the number of events was not reached. Is a numeric matrix.
numberOfSubjects In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration when the interim analysis takes place.
numberOfSubjects1 In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration in treatment arm 1 when the interim analysis takes place.
numberOfSubjects2 In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration in treatment arm 2 when the interim analysis takes place.
singleEventsPerStage The single number of events per stage. Is a numeric matrix.
cumulativeEventsPerStage The cumulative number of events per stage. Is a numeric matrix.
expectedNumberOfSubjects The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.
rejectPerStage The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.
overallReject The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.
conditionalPowerAchieved The calculated conditional power, under the assumption of observed or assumed effect sizes. Is a numeric matrix.

 StageResults

Basic Stage Results

Description

Basic class for stage results.

Details

StageResults is the basic class for

- [StageResultsMeans](#),
- [StageResultsRates](#),
- [StageResultsSurvival](#),
- [StageResultsMultiArmMeans](#),
- [StageResultsMultiArmRates](#),
- [StageResultsMultiArmSurvival](#),
- [StageResultsEnrichmentMeans](#),
- [StageResultsEnrichmentRates](#), and
- [StageResultsEnrichmentSurvival](#).

Fields

stages The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
testStatistics The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
pValues The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
combInverseNormal The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

combFisher The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

effectSizes The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

testActions The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length kMax.

weightsFisher The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

weightsInverseNormal The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

StageResultsEnrichmentMeans

Stage Results Enrichment Means

Description

Class for stage results of enrichment means data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of enrichment means.

Fields

stages The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing whole numbers.

thetaH0 The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

direction Specifies the direction of the alternative, is either "upper" or "lower". Only applicable for one-sided testing.

normalApproximation Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

directionUpper Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

varianceOption Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple (i.e., >2) treatment arms or population enrichment designs when testing means. Available options for multiple arms: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", "notPooled". Available options for enrichment designs: "pooled", "pooledFromFull", "notPooled".

intersectionTest The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.

testStatistics The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

overallTestStatistics The overall, i.e., cumulated test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

pValues The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

overallPValues The overall, i.e., cumulated p-values. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

overallStDevs The overall, i.e., cumulative standard deviations. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.

overallPooledStDevs The overall pooled standard deviations. Is a numeric matrix.

separatePValues The p-values from the separate stages. Is a numeric matrix.

effectSizes The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

singleStepAdjustedPValues The adjusted p-value for testing multiple hypotheses per stage of the trial.

stratifiedAnalysis For enrichment designs, typically a stratified analysis should be chosen. When testing means and rates, a non-stratified analysis can be performed on overall data. For survival data, only a stratified analysis is possible. Is a logical vector of length 1.

combInverseNormal The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

combFisher The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

weightsFisher The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

weightsInverseNormal The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

StageResultsEnrichmentRates

Stage Results Enrichment Rates

Description

Class for stage results of enrichment rates data.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of enrichment rates.

Fields

stages The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing whole numbers.

testStatistics The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

pValues The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

combInverseNormal The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

combFisher The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length kMax containing values between 0 and 1.

effectSizes The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

testActions The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length kMax.

weightsFisher The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

weightsInverseNormal The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length kMax.

StageResultsEnrichmentSurvival

Stage Results Enrichment Survival

Description

Class for stage results of enrichment survival data.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of enrichment survival.

Fields

`stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`testStatistics` The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`pValues` The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`combInverseNormal` The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`combFisher` The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`effectSizes` The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`testActions` The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length `kMax`.

`weightsFisher` The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`weightsInverseNormal` The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

StageResultsMeans

Stage Results of Means

Description

Class for stage results of means.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of means.

Fields

- `stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `testStatistics` The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `overallTestStatistics` The overall, i.e., cumulated test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `pValues` The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `overallPValues` The overall, i.e., cumulated p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `effectSizes` The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `testActions` The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length `kMax`.
- `direction` Specifies the direction of the alternative, is either "upper" or "lower". Only applicable for one-sided testing.
- `normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `equalVariances` Describes if the variances in two treatment groups are assumed to be the same. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `combFisher` The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `weightsFisher` The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `combInverseNormal` The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `weightsInverseNormal` The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- ... Names of `dataInput`.

StageResultsMultiArmMeans

Stage Results Multi Arm Means

Description

Class for stage results of multi arm means data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of multi arm means.

Fields

- stages** The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- testStatistics** The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- pValues** The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- combInverseNormal** The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- combFisher** The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- effectSizes** The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- testActions** The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length `kMax`.
- weightsFisher** The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- weightsInverseNormal** The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- combInverseNormal** The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- combFisher** The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- overallTestStatistics** The overall, i.e., cumulated test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- overallStDevs** The overall, i.e., cumulative standard deviations. Is a numeric vector of length number of stages times number of groups.
- overallPooledStDevs** The overall pooled standard deviations. Is a numeric matrix.
- overallPValues** The overall, i.e., cumulated p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- testStatistics** The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- separatePValues** The p-values from the separate stages. Is a numeric matrix.
- effectSizes** The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- singleStepAdjustedPValues** The adjusted p-value for testing multiple hypotheses per stage of the trial.
- intersectionTest** The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- varianceOption** Defines the way to calculate the variance in multiple (i.e., >2) treatment arms or population enrichment designs when testing means. Available options for multiple arms: "overallPooled", "pairwisePooled", "notPooled". Available options for enrichment designs: "pooled", "pooledFromFull", "notPooled".
- normalApproximation** Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- directionUpper** Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

 StageResultsMultiArmRates

Stage Results Multi Arm Rates

Description

Class for stage results of multi arm rates data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of multi arm rates.

Fields

`stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`testStatistics` The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`pValues` The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`combInverseNormal` The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`combFisher` The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`effectSizes` The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`testActions` The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length `kMax`.

`weightsFisher` The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`weightsInverseNormal` The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`combInverseNormal` The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`combFisher` The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`overallTestStatistics` The overall, i.e., cumulated test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`overallPValues` The overall, i.e., cumulated p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`testStatistics` The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`separatePValues` The p-values from the separate stages. Is a numeric matrix.

`effectSizes` The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`singleStepAdjustedPValues` The adjusted p-value for testing multiple hypotheses per stage of the trial.

`intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.

`normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

StageResultsMultiArmSurvival

Stage Results Multi Arm Survival

Description

Class for stage results of multi arm survival data

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of multi arm survival.

Fields

`stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`testStatistics` The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`pValues` The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`combInverseNormal` The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`combFisher` The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`effectSizes` The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`testActions` The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length `kMax`.

`weightsFisher` The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`weightsInverseNormal` The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`combInverseNormal` The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`combFisher` The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`overallTestStatistics` The overall, i.e., cumulated test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`overallPValues` The overall, i.e., cumulated p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`testStatistics` The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`separatePValues` The p-values from the separate stages. Is a numeric matrix.

`effectSizes` The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`singleStepAdjustedPValues` The adjusted p-value for testing multiple hypotheses per stage of the trial.

- `intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.
- `directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

StageResultsRates *Stage Results of Rates*

Description

Class for stage results of rates.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of rates.

Fields

- `stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- `testStatistics` The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `overallTestStatistics` The overall, i.e., cumulated test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `pValues` The stage-wise p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `overallPValues` The overall, i.e., cumulated p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- `effectSizes` The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `direction` Specifies the direction of the alternative, is either "upper" or "lower". Only applicable for one-sided testing.
- `testActions` The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length `kMax`.
- `thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- `normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- `weightsFisher` The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `weightsInverseNormal` The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `combInverseNormal` The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- `combFisher` The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- ... Names of `dataInput`.

StageResultsSurvival *Stage Results of Survival Data*

Description

Class for stage results survival data.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getStageResults` with suitable arguments to create the stage results of a dataset of survival data.

Fields

`stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`testStatistics` The stage-wise test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`overallTestStatistics` The overall, i.e., cumulated test statistics. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`separatePValues` The p-values from the separate stages. Is a numeric matrix.

`singleStepAdjustedPValues` The adjusted p-value for testing multiple hypotheses per stage of the trial.

`overallPValues` The overall, i.e., cumulated p-values. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`direction` Specifies the direction of the alternative, is either "upper" or "lower". Only applicable for one-sided testing.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`intersectionTest` The multiple test used for intersection hypotheses in closed systems of hypotheses. Is a character vector of length 1.

`combInverseNormal` The test statistics over stages for the inverse normal test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`combFisher` The test statistics over stages for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`effectSizes` The stage-wise effect sizes. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`testActions` The test decisions at each stage of the trial. Is a character vector of length `kMax`.

`thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`weightsFisher` The weights for Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`weightsInverseNormal` The weights for the inverse normal statistic. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

... Names of `dataInput`.

summary.AnalysisResults

Analysis Results Summary

Description

Displays a summary of [AnalysisResults](#) object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'AnalysisResults'
summary(object, ..., type = 1, digits = NA_integer_)
```

Arguments

object	An AnalysisResults object.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
digits	Defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

Details

Summarizes the parameters and results of an analysis results object.

Value

Returns a [SummaryFactory](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object

Summary options

The following options can be set globally:

1. `rpact.summary.output.size`: one of `c("small", "medium", "large")`; defines how many details will be included into the summary; default is "large", i.e., all available details are displayed.
2. `rpact.summary.justify`: one of `c("right", "left", "centre")`; shall the values be right-justified (the default), left-justified or centered.
3. `rpact.summary.width`: defines the maximum number of characters to be used per line (default is 83).
4. `rpact.summary.intervalFormat`: defines how intervals will be displayed in the summary, default is "[%s; %s]".
5. `rpact.summary.digits`: defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values (default is 3).
6. `rpact.summary.digits.probs`: defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values (default is one more than value of `rpact.summary.digits`, i.e., 4).

7. `rpact.summary.trim zeroes`: if TRUE (default) zeroes will always displayed as "0", e.g. "0.000" will become "0".

Example: `options("rpact.summary.intervalFormat" = "%s - %s")`

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

summary.Dataset *Dataset Summary*

Description

Displays a summary of `Dataset` object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'Dataset'
summary(object, ..., type = 1, digits = NA_integer_)
```

Arguments

<code>object</code>	A <code>Dataset</code> object.
<code>...</code>	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
<code>digits</code>	Defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

Details

Summarizes the parameters and results of a dataset.

Value

Returns a `SummaryFactory` object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- `names()` to obtain the field names,
- `print()` to print the object

Summary options

The following options can be set globally:

1. `rpact.summary.output.size`: one of `c("small", "medium", "large")`; defines how many details will be included into the summary; default is "large", i.e., all available details are displayed.
2. `rpact.summary.justify`: one of `c("right", "left", "centre")`; shall the values be right-justified (the default), left-justified or centered.
3. `rpact.summary.width`: defines the maximum number of characters to be used per line (default is 83).
4. `rpact.summary.intervalFormat`: defines how intervals will be displayed in the summary, default is `"[%s; %s]"`.
5. `rpact.summary.digits`: defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values (default is 3).
6. `rpact.summary.digits.probs`: defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values (default is one more than value of `rpact.summary.digits`, i.e., 4).
7. `rpact.summary.trim.zeroes`: if TRUE (default) zeroes will always displayed as "0", e.g. "0.000" will become "0".

Example: `options("rpact.summary.intervalFormat" = "%s - %s")`

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

summary.ParameterSet *Parameter Set Summary*

Description

Displays a summary of `ParameterSet` object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ParameterSet'
summary(
  object,
  ...,
  type = 1,
  digits = NA_integer_,
  output = c("all", "title", "overview", "body"),
  printObject = FALSE,
  sep = "\n-----\n\n"
)
```

Arguments

object	A ParameterSet object.
...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
digits	Defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values. Must be a positive integer of length 1.
output	The output parts, default is "all".
printObject	Show also the print output after the summary, default is FALSE.
sep	The separator line between the summary and the optional print output.

Details

Summarizes the parameters and results of a parameter set.

Value

Returns a [SummaryFactory](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object

Summary options

The following options can be set globally:

1. `rpact.summary.output.size`: one of `c("small", "medium", "large")`; defines how many details will be included into the summary; default is "large", i.e., all available details are displayed.
2. `rpact.summary.justify`: one of `c("right", "left", "centre")`; shall the values be right-justified (the default), left-justified or centered.
3. `rpact.summary.width`: defines the maximum number of characters to be used per line (default is 83).
4. `rpact.summary.intervalFormat`: defines how intervals will be displayed in the summary, default is "[%s; %s]".
5. `rpact.summary.digits`: defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values (default is 3).
6. `rpact.summary.digits.probs`: defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values (default is one more than value of `rpact.summary.digits`, i.e., 4).
7. `rpact.summary.trim.zeroes`: if TRUE (default) zeroes will always displayed as "0", e.g. "0.000" will become "0".

Example: `options("rpact.summary.intervalFormat" = "%s - %s")`

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function [methods](#) to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

`summary.TrialDesignSet`*Trial Design Set Summary*

Description

Displays a summary of [ParameterSet](#) object.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'TrialDesignSet'  
summary(object, ..., type = 1, digits = NA_integer_)
```

Arguments

<code>object</code>	A ParameterSet object.
<code>...</code>	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
<code>digits</code>	Defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values. Must be a positive integer of length 1.

Details

Summarizes the trial designs.

Value

Returns a [SummaryFactory](#) object. The following generics (R generic functions) are available for this result object:

- [names\(\)](#) to obtain the field names,
- [print\(\)](#) to print the object

Summary options

The following options can be set globally:

1. `rpact.summary.output.size`: one of `c("small", "medium", "large")`; defines how many details will be included into the summary; default is "large", i.e., all available details are displayed.
2. `rpact.summary.justify`: one of `c("right", "left", "centre")`; shall the values be right-justified (the default), left-justified or centered.
3. `rpact.summary.width`: defines the maximum number of characters to be used per line (default is 83).
4. `rpact.summary.intervalFormat`: defines how intervals will be displayed in the summary, default is "[%s; %s]".
5. `rpact.summary.digits`: defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values (default is 3).
6. `rpact.summary.digits.probs`: defines how many digits are to be used for numeric values (default is one more than value of `rpact.summary.digits`, i.e., 4).

7. `rpact.summary.trim.zeroes`: if TRUE (default) zeroes will always displayed as "0", e.g. "0.000" will become "0".

Example: `options("rpact.summary.intervalFormat" = "%s - %s")`

How to get help for generic functions

Click on the link of a generic in the list above to go directly to the help documentation of the `rpact` specific implementation of the generic. Note that you can use the R function `methods` to get all the methods of a generic and to identify the object specific name of it, e.g., use `methods("plot")` to get all the methods for the `plot` generic. There you can find, e.g., `plot.AnalysisResults` and obtain the specific help documentation linked above by typing `?plot.AnalysisResults`.

SummaryFactory	<i>Summary Factory</i>
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Description

Basic class for summaries

testPackage	<i>Test Package</i>
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Description

This function allows the installed package `rpact` to be tested.

Usage

```
testPackage(
  outDir = ".",
  ...,
  completeUnitTestSetEnabled = TRUE,
  types = "tests",
  connection = list(token = NULL, secret = NULL)
)
```

Arguments

<code>outDir</code>	The output directory where all test results shall be saved. By default the current working directory is used.
<code>...</code>	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
<code>completeUnitTestSetEnabled</code>	If TRUE (default) all existing unit tests will be executed; a subset of all unit tests will be used otherwise.
<code>types</code>	The type(s) of tests to be done. Can be one or more of <code>c("tests", "examples", "vignettes")</code> , default is "tests" only.
<code>connection</code>	A list where owners of the <code>rpact</code> validation documentation can enter a token and a secret to get full access to all unit tests, e.g., to fulfill regulatory requirements (see www.rpact.com for more information).

Details

This function creates the subdirectory `rpact-tests` in the specified output directory and copies all unit test files of the package to this newly created directory. Then the function runs all tests (or a subset of all tests if `completeUnitTestSetEnabled` is `FALSE`) using `testInstalledPackage`. The test results will be saved to the text file `testthat.Rout` that can be found in the subdirectory `rpact-tests`.

Value

The value of `completeUnitTestSetEnabled` will be returned invisible.

Examples

```
## Not run:
testPackage()

## End(Not run)
```

<code>test_plan_section</code>	<i>Test Plan Section</i>
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Description

The section title or description will be used in the formal validation documentation. For more information visit <https://www.rpact.com>

Usage

```
test_plan_section(section)
```

Arguments

<code>section</code>	The section title or description.
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<code>TrialDesign</code>	<i>Basic Trial Design</i>
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Description

Basic class for trial designs.

Details

`TrialDesign` is the basic class for

- `TrialDesignFisher`,
- `TrialDesignGroupSequential`,
- `TrialDesignInverseNormal`, and
- `TrialDesignConditionalDunnett`.

Fields

- kMax** The maximum number of stages K . Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- alpha** The significance level α , default is 0.025. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- stages** The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing whole numbers.
- informationRates** The information rates (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax) / kMax$. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing values between 0 and 1.
- userAlphaSpending** The user defined alpha spending. Contains the cumulative alpha-spending (type I error rate) up to each interim stage. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing values between 0 and 1.
- criticalValues** The critical values for each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$.
- stageLevels** The adjusted significance levels to reach significance in a group sequential design. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing values between 0 and 1.
- alphaSpent** The cumulative alpha spent at each stage. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing values between 0 and 1.
- bindingFutility** If TRUE, the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds and the futility threshold is binding in the sense that the study must be stopped if the futility condition was reached (default is FALSE) Is a logical vector of length 1.
- tolerance** The numerical tolerance, default is $1e-06$. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

TrialDesignCharacteristics

Trial Design Characteristics

Description

Class for trial design characteristics.

Details

TrialDesignCharacteristics contains all fields required to collect the characteristics of a design. This object should not be created directly; use `getDesignCharacteristics` with suitable arguments to create it.

Fields

- nFixed** The sample size in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.
- shift** The shift value for group sequential test characteristics. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- inflationFactor** The relative increase of maximum sample size in a group sequential design as compared to the fixed sample size case. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- stages** The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing whole numbers.
- information** The information over stages needed to achieve power of the specified design. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$.

- power** The one-sided power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- rejectionProbabilities** The rejection probabilities over treatments arms or populations and stages. Is a numeric vector.
- futilityProbabilities** The overall probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` minus 1 containing values between 0 and 1.
- averageSampleNumber1** The expected sample size under H1. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- averageSampleNumber01** The expected sample size for a value between H0 and H1. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- averageSampleNumber0** The expected sample size under H0. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

See Also

[getDesignCharacteristics](#) for getting the design characteristics.

TrialDesignConditionalDunnett

Conditional Dunnett Design

Description

Trial design for conditional Dunnett tests.

Details

This object should not be created directly; use [getDesignConditionalDunnett](#) with suitable arguments to create a conditional Dunnett test design.

Fields

- kMax** The maximum number of stages K . Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- alpha** The significance level α , default is 0.025. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- stages** The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.
- informationRates** The information rates (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax)/kMax$. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- userAlphaSpending** The user defined alpha spending. Contains the cumulative alpha-spending (type I error rate) up to each interim stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- criticalValues** The critical values for each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- stageLevels** The adjusted significance levels to reach significance in a group sequential design. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- alphaSpent** The cumulative alpha spent at each stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

bindingFutility If TRUE, the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds and the futility threshold is binding in the sense that the study must be stopped if the futility condition was reached (default is FALSE) Is a logical vector of length 1.

tolerance The numerical tolerance, default is $1e-06$. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

informationAtInterim The information to be expected at interim, default is `informationAtInterim = 0.5`. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

secondStageConditioning The way the second stage p-values are calculated within the closed system of hypotheses. If FALSE, the unconditional adjusted p-values are used, otherwise conditional adjusted p-values are calculated. Is a logical vector of length 1.

sided Describes if the alternative is one-sided (1) or two-sided (2). Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

See Also

[getDesignConditionalDunnett](#) for creating a conditional Dunnett test design.

TrialDesignFisher *Fisher Design*

Description

Trial design for Fisher's combination test.

Details

This object should not be created directly; use [getDesignFisher](#) with suitable arguments to create a Fisher combination test design.

Fields

kMax The maximum number of stages K . Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

alpha The significance level α , default is 0.025. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

stages The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

informationRates The information rates (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1 : kMax) / kMax$. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

userAlphaSpending The user defined alpha spending. Contains the cumulative alpha-spending (type I error rate) up to each interim stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

criticalValues The critical values for each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

stageLevels The adjusted significance levels to reach significance in a group sequential design. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

alphaSpent The cumulative alpha spent at each stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

bindingFutility If TRUE, the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds and the futility threshold is binding in the sense that the study must be stopped if the futility condition was reached (default is FALSE) Is a logical vector of length 1.

- tolerance The numerical tolerance, default is $1e-06$. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- method "equalAlpha", "fullAlpha", "noInteraction", or "userDefinedAlpha", default is "equalAlpha". For details, see Wassmer, 1999, doi: 10.1002/(SICI)1521-4036(199906)41:3%3C279::AID-BIMJ279%3E3.0.CO;2-V.
- alpha0Vec The stopping for futility bounds for stage-wise p-values in Fisher's combination test. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ minus 1 containing values between 0 and 1.
- scale The scale for Fisher's combination test. Numeric vector of length $kMax-1$ that applies to Fisher's design with unequally spaced information rates. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ minus 1 containing values between 0 and 1.
- nonStochasticCurtailment If TRUE, the stopping rule is based on the phenomenon of non-stochastic curtailment rather than stochastic reasoning. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- sided Describes if the alternative is one-sided (1) or two-sided (2). Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- simAlpha The observed alpha error if simulations have been performed. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- iterations The number of iterations used for simulations. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- seed The seed used for random number generation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

See Also

[getDesignFisher](#) for creating a Fisher combination test design.

TrialDesignGroupSequential
Group Sequential Design

Description

Trial design for group sequential design.

Details

This object should not be created directly; use [getDesignGroupSequential\(\)](#) with suitable arguments to create a group sequential design.

Fields

- kMax The maximum number of stages K . Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- alpha The significance level α , default is 0.025. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- stages The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing whole numbers.
- informationRates The information rates (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax) / kMax$. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing values between 0 and 1.
- userAlphaSpending The user defined alpha spending. Contains the cumulative alpha-spending (type I error rate) up to each interim stage. Is a numeric vector of length $kMax$ containing values between 0 and 1.

- criticalValues** The critical values for each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- stageLevels** The adjusted significance levels to reach significance in a group sequential design. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- alphaSpent** The cumulative alpha spent at each stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- bindingFutility** If TRUE, the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds and the futility threshold is binding in the sense that the study must be stopped if the futility condition was reached (default is FALSE) Is a logical vector of length 1.
- tolerance** The numerical tolerance, default is $1e-06$. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- typeOfDesign** The type of design. Is a character vector of length 1.
- beta** The Type II error rate necessary for providing sample size calculations (e.g., in `getSampleSizeMeans`), beta spending function designs, or optimum designs, default is 0.20 . Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- deltaWT** Delta for Wang & Tsiatis Delta class. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- deltaPT1** Delta1 for Pampallona & Tsiatis class rejecting H_0 boundaries. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- deltaPT0** Delta0 for Pampallona & Tsiatis class rejecting H_1 (accepting H_0) boundaries. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- futilityBounds** The futility bounds for each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- gammaA** The parameter for the alpha spending function. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- gammaB** The parameter for the beta spending function. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- optimizationCriterion** The optimization criterion for optimum design within the Wang & Tsiatis class ("ASNH1", "ASNIFH1", "ASNsum"), default is "ASNH1".
- sided** Describes if the alternative is one-sided (1) or two-sided (2). Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
- betaSpent** The cumulative beta level spent at each stage of the trial. Only applicable for beta-spending designs. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- typeBetaSpending** The type of beta spending. Is a character vector of length 1.
- userBetaSpending** The user defined beta spending. Contains the cumulative beta-spending up to each interim stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- power** The one-sided power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
- twoSidedPower** Specifies if power is defined two-sided at each stage of the trial. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- constantBoundsHP** The constant bounds up to stage `kMax - 1` for the Haybittle & Peto design (default is 3). Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- betaAdjustment** If TRUE, beta spending values are linearly adjusted if an overlapping of decision regions for futility stopping at earlier stages occurs. Only applicable for two-sided beta-spending designs. Is a logical vector of length 1.
- delayedInformation** Delay of information for delayed response designs. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` minus 1 containing values between 0 and 1.
- decisionCriticalValues** The decision critical values for each stage of the trial in a delayed response design. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
- reversalProbabilities** The probability to switch from stopping the trial for success (or futility) and reaching non-rejection (or rejection) in a delayed response design. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` minus 1 containing values between 0 and 1.

See Also

[getDesignGroupSequential\(\)](#) for creating a group sequential design.

TrialDesignInverseNormal

Inverse Normal Design

Description

Trial design for inverse normal method.

Details

This object should not be created directly; use [getDesignInverseNormal\(\)](#) with suitable arguments to create an inverse normal design.

Fields

`kMax` The maximum number of stages K . Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.

`alpha` The significance level α , default is 0.025. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`stages` The stage numbers of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing whole numbers.

`informationRates` The information rates (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1:kMax) / kMax$. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`userAlphaSpending` The user defined alpha spending. Contains the cumulative alpha-spending (type I error rate) up to each interim stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`criticalValues` The critical values for each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`stageLevels` The adjusted significance levels to reach significance in a group sequential design. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`alphaSpent` The cumulative alpha spent at each stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`bindingFutility` If TRUE, the calculation of the critical values is affected by the futility bounds and the futility threshold is binding in the sense that the study must be stopped if the futility condition was reached (default is FALSE) Is a logical vector of length 1.

`tolerance` The numerical tolerance, default is $1e-06$. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`typeOfDesign` The type of design. Is a character vector of length 1.

`beta` The Type II error rate necessary for providing sample size calculations (e.g., in [getSampleSizeMeans\(\)](#)), beta spending function designs, or optimum designs, default is 0.20. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`deltaWT` Delta for Wang & Tsiatis Delta class. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`deltaPT1` Delta1 for Pampallona & Tsiatis class rejecting H_0 boundaries. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`deltaPT0` Delta0 for Pampallona & Tsiatis class rejecting H_1 (accepting H_0) boundaries. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

futilityBounds The futility bounds for each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
gammaA The parameter for the alpha spending function. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
gammaB The parameter for the beta spending function. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
optimizationCriterion The optimization criterion for optimum design within the Wang & Tsiatis class ("ASNH1", "ASNIFH1", "ASNsum"), default is "ASNH1".
sided Describes if the alternative is one-sided (1) or two-sided (2). Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
betaSpent The cumulative beta level spent at each stage of the trial. Only applicable for beta-spending designs. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
typeBetaSpending The type of beta spending. Is a character vector of length 1.
userBetaSpending The user defined beta spending. Contains the cumulative beta-spending up to each interim stage. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
power The one-sided power at each stage of the trial. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.
twoSidedPower Specifies if power is defined two-sided at each stage of the trial. Is a logical vector of length 1.
constantBoundsHP The constant bounds up to stage `kMax - 1` for the Haybittle & Peto design (default is 3). Is a numeric vector of length 1.
betaAdjustment If TRUE, beta spending values are linearly adjusted if an overlapping of decision regions for futility stopping at earlier stages occurs. Only applicable for two-sided beta-spending designs. Is a logical vector of length 1.
delayedInformation Delay of information for delayed response designs. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` minus 1 containing values between 0 and 1.
decisionCriticalValues The decision critical values for each stage of the trial in a delayed response design. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
reversalProbabilities The probability to switch from stopping the trial for success (or futility) and reaching non-rejection (or rejection) in a delayed response design. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` minus 1 containing values between 0 and 1.

See Also

[getDesignInverseNormal\(\)](#) for creating a inverse normal design.

TrialDesignPlan	<i>Basic Trial Design Plan</i>
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Description

Basic class for trial design plans.

Details

TrialDesignPlan is the basic class for

- [TrialDesignPlanMeans](#),
- [TrialDesignPlanRates](#), and
- [TrialDesignPlanSurvival](#).

 TrialDesignPlanCountData

Trial Design Plan Count Data

Description

Trial design plan for count data.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getSampleSizeCounts()` with suitable arguments to create a design plan for a dataset of rates.

Fields

`thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`groups` The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`optimumAllocationRatio` The allocation ratio that is optimum with respect to the overall sample size at given power. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`lambda1` The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`lambda2` The assumed hazard rate in the reference group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`lambda` A numeric value or vector that represents the assumed rate of a homogeneous Poisson process in the pooled treatment groups. Is a numeric vector.

`theta` A vector of standardized effect sizes (theta values). Is a numeric vector.

`nFixed` The sample size in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

`nFixed1` The sample size in treatment arm 1 in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

`nFixed2` The sample size in treatment arm 2 in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

`maxNumberOfSubjects` The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.

`maxNumberOfSubjects1` The maximum number of subjects in treatment arm 1. Is a numeric vector.

`maxNumberOfSubjects2` The maximum number of subjects in treatment arm 2. Is a numeric vector.

`overallReject` The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.

`rejectPerStage` The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityStop` In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.

`futilityPerStage` The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

`earlyStop` The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.
`overdispersion` A numeric value that represents the assumed overdispersion of the negative binomial distribution. Is a numeric vector.
`fixedExposureTime` If specified, the fixed time of exposure per subject for count data. Is a numeric vector.
`accrualTime` The assumed accrual time intervals for the study. Is a numeric vector.
`accrualIntensity` The absolute accrual intensities. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.
`followUpTime` The assumed follow-up time for the study. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
`calendarTime` The calendar time. Is a numeric vector.
`expectedStudyDurationH1` The expected study duration under H1. Is a numeric vector.
`studyTime` The study time. Is a numeric vector.
`numberOfSubjects` In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration when the interim analysis takes place.
`expectedNumberOfSubjectsH1` The expected number of subjects under H1. Is a numeric vector.
`informationOverStages` The information over stages. Is a numeric vector.
`expectedInformationH0` The expected information under H0. Is a numeric vector.
`expectedInformationH01` The expected information under H0/H1. Is a numeric vector.
`expectedInformationH1` The expected information under H1. Is a numeric vector.
`maxInformation` The maximum information. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a whole number.
`futilityBoundsPValueScale` The futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the p-value scale. Is a numeric matrix.

TrialDesignPlanMeans *Trial Design Plan Means*

Description

Trial design plan for means.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getSampleSizeMeans()` with suitable arguments to create a design plan for a dataset of means.

Fields

`meanRatio` Specifies if the sample size for one-sided testing of H0: $\mu_1/\mu_2 = \text{thetaH0}$ has been calculated. Is a logical vector of length 1.
`thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H0. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
`normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.
`alternative` The alternative hypothesis value(s) for testing means. Is a numeric vector.
`stDev` The standard deviation used for sample size and power calculation. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

groups The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.

allocationRatioPlanned The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

optimumAllocationRatio The allocation ratio that is optimum with respect to the overall sample size at given power. Is a logical vector of length 1.

directionUpper Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

effect The effect for randomly creating normally distributed responses. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} .

overallReject The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.

rejectPerStage The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.

futilityStop In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.

futilityPerStage The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

earlyStop The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.

expectedNumberOfSubjects The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.

nFixed The sample size in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

nFixed1 The sample size in treatment arm 1 in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

nFixed2 The sample size in treatment arm 2 in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

informationRates The information rates (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1 : k_{Max}) / k_{Max}$. Is a numeric vector of length k_{Max} containing values between 0 and 1.

maxNumberOfSubjects The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.

maxNumberOfSubjects1 The maximum number of subjects in treatment arm 1. Is a numeric vector.

maxNumberOfSubjects2 The maximum number of subjects in treatment arm 2. Is a numeric vector.

numberOfSubjects In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration when the interim analysis takes place.

numberOfSubjects1 In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration in treatment arm 1 when the interim analysis takes place.

numberOfSubjects2 In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration in treatment arm 2 when the interim analysis takes place.

expectedNumberOfSubjectsH0 The expected number of subjects under H_0 . Is a numeric vector.

expectedNumberOfSubjectsH01 The expected number of subjects under a value between H_0 and H_1 . Is a numeric vector.

expectedNumberOfSubjectsH1 The expected number of subjects under H_1 . Is a numeric vector.

criticalValuesEffectScale The critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale.

criticalValuesEffectScaleLower The lower critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`criticalValuesEffectScaleUpper` The upper critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`criticalValuesPValueScale` The critical values for each stage of the trial on the p-value scale.

`futilityBoundsEffectScale` The futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityBoundsEffectScaleLower` The lower futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityBoundsEffectScaleUpper` The upper futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityBoundsPValueScale` The futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the p-value scale. Is a numeric matrix.

TrialDesignPlanRates *Trial Design Plan Rates*

Description

Trial design plan for rates.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getSampleSizeRates()` with suitable arguments to create a design plan for a dataset of rates.

Fields

`riskRatio` Specifies if the sample size for one-sided testing of $H_0: \pi_1 / \pi_2 = \text{thetaH0}$ has been calculated. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`normalApproximation` Describes if a normal approximation was used when calculating p-values. Default for means is FALSE and TRUE for rates and hazard ratio. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`pi1` The assumed probability or probabilities in the active treatment group in two-group designs, or the alternative probability for a one-group design.

`pi2` The assumed probability in the reference group for two-group designs. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`groups` The group numbers. Is a numeric vector.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`optimumAllocationRatio` The allocation ratio that is optimum with respect to the overall sample size at given power. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`effect` The effect for randomly creating normally distributed responses. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`overallReject` The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.

`rejectPerStage` The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityStop` In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.

`futilityPerStage` The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.

`earlyStop` The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.

`expectedNumberOfSubjects` The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.

`nFixed` The sample size in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

`nFixed1` The sample size in treatment arm 1 in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

`nFixed2` The sample size in treatment arm 2 in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.

`informationRates` The information rates (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1 : kMax) / kMax$. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`maxNumberOfSubjects` The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.

`maxNumberOfSubjects1` The maximum number of subjects in treatment arm 1. Is a numeric vector.

`maxNumberOfSubjects2` The maximum number of subjects in treatment arm 2. Is a numeric vector.

`numberOfSubjects` In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration when the interim analysis takes place.

`numberOfSubjects1` In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration in treatment arm 1 when the interim analysis takes place.

`numberOfSubjects2` In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration in treatment arm 2 when the interim analysis takes place.

`expectedNumberOfSubjectsH0` The expected number of subjects under H_0 . Is a numeric vector.

`expectedNumberOfSubjectsH01` The expected number of subjects under a value between H_0 and H_1 . Is a numeric vector.

`expectedNumberOfSubjectsH1` The expected number of subjects under H_1 . Is a numeric vector.

`criticalValuesEffectScale` The critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale.

`criticalValuesEffectScaleLower` The lower critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`criticalValuesEffectScaleUpper` The upper critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`criticalValuesPValueScale` The critical values for each stage of the trial on the p-value scale.

`futilityBoundsEffectScale` The futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityBoundsEffectScaleLower` The lower futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityBoundsEffectScaleUpper` The upper futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.

`futilityBoundsPValueScale` The futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the p-value scale. Is a numeric matrix.

TrialDesignPlanSurvival

Trial Design Plan Survival

Description

Trial design plan for survival data.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; use `getSampleSizeSurvival()` with suitable arguments to create a design plan for a dataset of survival data.

Fields

`thetaH0` The difference or assumed effect under H_0 . Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`typeOfComputation` The type of computation used, either "Schoenfeld", "Freedman", or "HsiehFreedman".

`directionUpper` Specifies the direction of the alternative, only applicable for one-sided testing. Default is TRUE which means that larger values of the test statistics yield smaller p-values. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`pi1` The assumed event rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax` containing values between 0 and 1.

`pi2` The assumed event rate in the control group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.

`median1` The assumed median survival time in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector.

`median2` The assumed median survival time in the reference group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`lambda1` The assumed hazard rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`lambda2` The assumed hazard rate in the reference group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.

`hazardRatio` The hazard ratios under consideration. Is a numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`maxNumberOfSubjects` The maximum number of subjects for power calculations. Is a numeric vector.

`maxNumberOfSubjects1` The maximum number of subjects in treatment arm 1. Is a numeric vector.

`maxNumberOfSubjects2` The maximum number of subjects in treatment arm 2. Is a numeric vector.

`maxNumberOfEvents` The maximum number of events for power calculations. Is a positive numeric vector of length `kMax`.

`allocationRatioPlanned` The planned allocation ratio (n_1 / n_2) for the groups. For multi-arm designs, it is the allocation ratio relating the active arm(s) to the control. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.

`optimumAllocationRatio` The allocation ratio that is optimum with respect to the overall sample size at given power. Is a logical vector of length 1.

`accountForObservationTimes` If FALSE, only the event rates are used for the calculation of the maximum number of subjects. Is a logical vector of length 1.

- eventTime** The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- accrualTime** The assumed accrual time intervals for the study. Is a numeric vector.
- totalAccrualTime** The total accrual time, i.e., the maximum of **accrualTime**. Is a positive numeric vector of length 1.
- accrualIntensity** The absolute accrual intensities. Is a numeric vector of length **kMax**.
- accrualIntensityRelative** The relative accrual intensities.
- kappa** The shape of the Weibull distribution if $\text{kappa} \neq 1$. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- piecewiseSurvivalTime** The time intervals for the piecewise definition of the exponential survival time cumulative distribution function. Is a numeric vector.
- followUpTime** The assumed follow-up time for the study. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- dropoutRate1** The assumed drop-out rate in the treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- dropoutRate2** The assumed drop-out rate in the control group. Is a numeric vector of length 1 containing a value between 0 and 1.
- dropoutTime** The assumed time for drop-out rates in the control and treatment group. Is a numeric vector of length 1.
- chi** The calculated event probability at end of trial. Is a numeric vector.
- expectedNumberOfEvents** The expected number of events under specified alternative. Is a numeric vector.
- eventsFixed** The number of events in a fixed sample size design. Is a numeric vector.
- nFixed** The sample size in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.
- nFixed1** The sample size in treatment arm 1 in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.
- nFixed2** The sample size in treatment arm 2 in a fixed (one-stage) design. Is a positive numeric vector.
- overallReject** The overall rejection probability. Is a numeric vector.
- rejectPerStage** The probability to reject a hypothesis per stage of the trial. Is a numeric matrix.
- futilityStop** In simulation results data set: indicates whether trial is stopped for futility or not.
- futilityPerStage** The per-stage probabilities of stopping the trial for futility. Is a numeric matrix.
- earlyStop** The probability to stopping the trial either for efficacy or futility. Is a numeric vector.
- informationRates** The information rates (that must be fixed prior to the trial), default is $(1 : \text{kMax}) / \text{kMax}$. Is a numeric vector of length **kMax** containing values between 0 and 1.
- analysisTime** The estimated time of analysis. Is a numeric matrix.
- studyDurationH1** The study duration under the alternative hypothesis. Is a positive numeric vector.
- studyDuration** The study duration for specified effect size. Is a positive numeric vector.
- maxStudyDuration** The maximum study duration in survival designs. Is a numeric vector.
- eventsPerStage** Deprecated: use **singleEventsPerStage** or **cumulativeEventsPerStage** instead Is a numeric matrix.
- singleEventsPerStage** The single number of events per stage. Is a numeric matrix.
- cumulativeEventsPerStage** The cumulative number of events per stage. Is a numeric matrix.

expectedEventsH0 The expected number of events under H0. Is a numeric vector.
 expectedEventsH01 The expected number of events under a value between H0 and H1. Is a numeric vector.
 expectedEventsH1 The expected number of events under H1. Is a numeric vector.
 numberOfSubjects In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration when the interim analysis takes place.
 numberOfSubjects1 In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration in treatment arm 1 when the interim analysis takes place.
 numberOfSubjects2 In simulation results data set: The number of subjects under consideration in treatment arm 2 when the interim analysis takes place.
 expectedNumberOfSubjectsH1 The expected number of subjects under H1. Is a numeric vector.
 expectedNumberOfSubjects The expected number of subjects under specified alternative.
 criticalValuesEffectScale The critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale.
 criticalValuesEffectScaleLower The lower critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.
 criticalValuesEffectScaleUpper The upper critical values for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.
 criticalValuesPValueScale The critical values for each stage of the trial on the p-value scale.
 futilityBoundsEffectScale The futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.
 futilityBoundsEffectScaleLower The lower futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.
 futilityBoundsEffectScaleUpper The upper futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the effect size scale. Is a numeric matrix.
 futilityBoundsPValueScale The futility bounds for each stage of the trial on the p-value scale. Is a numeric matrix.

TrialDesignSet	<i>Class for trial design sets.</i>
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Description

TrialDesignSet is a class for creating a collection of different trial designs.

Details

This object cannot be created directly; better use [getDesignSet\(\)](#) with suitable arguments to create a set of designs.

Fields

designs The trial designs to be compared.
 design The trial design.
 variedParameters A character vector containing the names of the parameters that vary between designs.

See Also

[getDesignSet\(\)](#)

```
utilitiesForPiecewiseExponentialDistribution
    The Piecewise Exponential Distribution
```

Description

Distribution function, quantile function and random number generation for the piecewise exponential distribution.

Usage

```
getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(
  time,
  ...,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = NA_real_,
  piecewiseLambda = NA_real_,
  kappa = 1
)

ppwexp(t, ..., s = NA_real_, lambda = NA_real_, kappa = 1)

getPiecewiseExponentialQuantile(
  quantile,
  ...,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = NA_real_,
  piecewiseLambda = NA_real_,
  kappa = 1
)

qpwexp(q, ..., s = NA_real_, lambda = NA_real_, kappa = 1)

getPiecewiseExponentialRandomNumbers(
  n,
  ...,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = NA_real_,
  piecewiseLambda = NA_real_,
  kappa = 1
)

rpwexp(n, ..., s = NA_real_, lambda = NA_real_, kappa = 1)
```

Arguments

...	Ensures that all arguments (starting from the "...") are to be named and that a warning will be displayed if unknown arguments are passed.
kappa	A numeric value > 0. A kappa != 1 will be used for the specification of the shape of the Weibull distribution. Default is 1, i.e., the exponential survival distribution is used instead of the Weibull distribution. Note that the Weibull distribution cannot be used for the piecewise definition of the survival time distribution, i.e., only piecewiseLambda (as a single value) and kappa can be specified. This function is equivalent to <code>pweibull(t, shape = kappa, scale = 1 / lambda)</code> of

the stats package, i.e., the scale parameter is $1 / \text{'hazard rate'}$.

For example, `getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(time = 130, piecewiseLambda = 0.01, kappa = 4.2)` and `pweibull(q = 130, shape = 4.2, scale = 1 / 0.01)` provide the sample result.

`t, time` Vector of time values.
`s, piecewiseSurvivalTime`
 Vector of start times defining the "time pieces".
`lambda, piecewiseLambda`
 Vector of lambda values (hazard rates) corresponding to the start times.
`q, quantile` Vector of quantiles.
`n` Number of observations.

Details

`getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution()` (short: `ppwexp()`), `getPiecewiseExponentialQuantile()` (short: `qpwexp()`), and `getPiecewiseExponentialRandomNumbers()` (short: `rpwexp()`) provide probabilities, quantiles, and random numbers according to a piecewise exponential or a Weibull distribution. The piecewise definition is performed through a vector of starting times (`piecewiseSurvivalTime`) and a vector of hazard rates (`piecewiseLambda`). You can also use a list that defines the starting times and piecewise lambdas together and define `piecewiseSurvivalTime` as this list. The list needs to have the form, e.g., `piecewiseSurvivalTime <- list("0 - <6" = 0.025, "6 - <9" = 0.04, "9 - <15" = 0.015, ">=15" = 0.007)`. For the Weibull case, you can also specify a shape parameter `kappa` in order to calculate probabilities, quantiles, or random numbers. In this case, no piecewise definition is possible, i.e., only `piecewiseLambda` (as a single value) and `kappa` need to be specified.

Value

A [numeric](#) value or vector will be returned.

Examples

```
# Calculate probabilities for a range of time values for a
# piecewise exponential distribution with hazard rates
# 0.025, 0.04, 0.015, and 0.007 in the intervals
# [0, 6), [6, 9), [9, 15), [15, Inf), respectively,
# and re-return the time values:
piecewiseSurvivalTime <- list(
  "0 - <6" = 0.025,
  "6 - <9" = 0.04,
  "9 - <15" = 0.015,
  ">=15" = 0.01
)
y <- getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(seq(0, 150, 15),
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = piecewiseSurvivalTime
)
getPiecewiseExponentialQuantile(y,
  piecewiseSurvivalTime = piecewiseSurvivalTime
)
```

 utilitiesForSurvivalTrials

Survival Helper Functions for Conversion of Pi, Lambda, Median

Description

Functions to convert pi, lambda and median values into each other.

Usage

```
getLambdaByPi(piValue, eventTime = 12, kappa = 1)
```

```
getLambdaByMedian(median, kappa = 1)
```

```
getHazardRatioByPi(pi1, pi2, eventTime = 12, kappa = 1)
```

```
getPiByLambda(lambda, eventTime = 12, kappa = 1)
```

```
getPiByMedian(median, eventTime = 12, kappa = 1)
```

```
getMedianByLambda(lambda, kappa = 1)
```

```
getMedianByPi(piValue, eventTime = 12, kappa = 1)
```

Arguments

piValue, pi1, pi2, lambda, median

Value that shall be converted.

eventTime

The assumed time under which the event rates are calculated, default is 12.

kappa

A numeric value > 0 . A $\text{kappa} \neq 1$ will be used for the specification of the shape of the Weibull distribution. Default is 1, i.e., the exponential survival distribution is used instead of the Weibull distribution. Note that the Weibull distribution cannot be used for the piecewise definition of the survival time distribution, i.e., only `piecewiseLambda` (as a single value) and `kappa` can be specified. This function is equivalent to `pweibull(t, shape = kappa, scale = 1 / lambda)` of the stats package, i.e., the scale parameter is `1 / 'hazard rate'`.

For example, `getPiecewiseExponentialDistribution(time = 130, piecewiseLambda = 0.01, kappa = 4.2)` and `pweibull(q = 130, shape = 4.2, scale = 1 / 0.01)` provide the sample result.

Details

Can be used, e.g., to convert median values into pi or lambda values for usage in [getSampleSizeSurvival\(\)](#) or [getPowerSurvival\(\)](#).

Value

Returns a [numeric](#) value or vector will be returned.

writeDataset	<i>Write Dataset</i>
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Description

Writes a dataset to a CSV file.

Usage

```
writeDataset(
  dataset,
  file,
  ...,
  append = FALSE,
  quote = TRUE,
  sep = ",",
  eol = "\n",
  na = "NA",
  dec = ".",
  row.names = TRUE,
  col.names = NA,
  qmethod = "double",
  fileEncoding = "UTF-8"
)
```

Arguments

dataset	A dataset.
file	The target CSV file.
...	Further arguments to be passed to write.table .
append	Logical. Only relevant if file is a character string. If TRUE, the output is appended to the file. If FALSE, any existing file of the name is destroyed.
quote	The set of quoting characters. To disable quoting altogether, use quote = "". See scan for the behavior on quotes embedded in quotes. Quoting is only considered for columns read as character, which is all of them unless colClasses is specified.
sep	The field separator character. Values on each line of the file are separated by this character. If sep = ",", (the default for writeDataset) the separator is a comma.
eol	The character(s) to print at the end of each line (row).
na	The string to use for missing values in the data.
dec	The character used in the file for decimal points.
row.names	Either a logical value indicating whether the row names of dataset are to be written along with dataset, or a character vector of row names to be written.
col.names	Either a logical value indicating whether the column names of dataset are to be written along with dataset, or a character vector of column names to be written. See the section on 'CSV files' for the meaning of col.names = NA.
qmethod	A character string specifying how to deal with embedded double quote characters when quoting strings. Must be one of "double" (default in writeDataset) or "escape".

`fileEncoding` Character string: if non-empty declares the encoding used on a file (not a connection) so the character data can be re-encoded. See the 'Encoding' section of the help for file, the 'R Data Import/Export Manual' and 'Note'.

Details

`writeDataset()` is a wrapper function that coerces the dataset to a data frame and uses `write.table` to write it to a CSV file.

See Also

- `writeDatasets()` for writing multiple datasets,
- `readDataset()` for reading a single dataset,
- `readDatasets()` for reading multiple datasets.

Examples

```
## Not run:
datasetOfRates <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(11, 13, 12, 13),
  n2 = c(8, 10, 9, 11),
  events1 = c(10, 10, 12, 12),
  events2 = c(3, 5, 5, 6)
)
writeDataset(datasetOfRates, "dataset_rates.csv")

## End(Not run)
```

writeDatasets

Write Multiple Datasets

Description

Writes a list of datasets to a CSV file.

Usage

```
writeDatasets(
  datasets,
  file,
  ...,
  append = FALSE,
  quote = TRUE,
  sep = ",",
  eol = "\n",
  na = "NA",
  dec = ".",
  row.names = TRUE,
  col.names = NA,
  qmethod = "double",
  fileEncoding = "UTF-8"
)
```

Arguments

<code>datasets</code>	A list of datasets.
<code>file</code>	The target CSV file.
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to <code>write.table</code> .
<code>append</code>	Logical. Only relevant if <code>file</code> is a character string. If <code>TRUE</code> , the output is appended to the file. If <code>FALSE</code> , any existing file of the name is destroyed.
<code>quote</code>	The set of quoting characters. To disable quoting altogether, use <code>quote = ""</code> . See scan for the behavior on quotes embedded in quotes. Quoting is only considered for columns read as character, which is all of them unless <code>colClasses</code> is specified.
<code>sep</code>	The field separator character. Values on each line of the file are separated by this character. If <code>sep = ","</code> (the default for <code>writeDatasets</code>) the separator is a comma.
<code>eol</code>	The character(s) to print at the end of each line (row).
<code>na</code>	The string to use for missing values in the data.
<code>dec</code>	The character used in the file for decimal points.
<code>row.names</code>	Either a logical value indicating whether the row names of dataset are to be written along with dataset, or a character vector of row names to be written.
<code>col.names</code>	Either a logical value indicating whether the column names of dataset are to be written along with dataset, or a character vector of column names to be written. See the section on 'CSV files' for the meaning of <code>col.names = NA</code> .
<code>qmethod</code>	A character string specifying how to deal with embedded double quote characters when quoting strings. Must be one of "double" (default in <code>writeDatasets</code>) or "escape".
<code>fileEncoding</code>	Character string: if non-empty declares the encoding used on a file (not a connection) so the character data can be re-encoded. See the 'Encoding' section of the help for file, the 'R Data Import/Export Manual' and 'Note'.

Details

The format of the CSV file is optimized for usage of `readDatasets()`.

See Also

- `writeDataset()` for writing a single dataset,
- `readDatasets()` for reading multiple datasets,
- `readDataset()` for reading a single dataset.

Examples

```
## Not run:
d1 <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(11, 13, 12, 13),
  n2 = c(8, 10, 9, 11),
  events1 = c(10, 10, 12, 12),
  events2 = c(3, 5, 5, 6)
)
d2 <- getDataset(
  n1 = c(9, 13, 12, 13),
```

```
    n2 = c(6, 10, 9, 11),
    events1 = c(10, 10, 12, 12),
    events2 = c(4, 5, 5, 6)
)
datasets <- list(d1, d2)
writeDatasets(datasets, "datasets_rates.csv")

## End(Not run)
```

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