Package ‘EpiCurve’

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Plot an Epidemic Curve

Description

This function plot an epidemic curve with ggplot2

Usage

EpiCurve(x, date = NULL, freq = NULL, cutvar = NULL,
period = NULL, to.period = NULL, split = 1, cutorder = NULL, colors = NULL,
title = NULL, xlabel = NULL, ylabel = NULL, note = NULL)

Arguments

x data.frame with at least one column with Date type
date character, name of Date column
freq character, name of a column with a value to display
cutvar character, name of a column with factors
period character, c("hour", "day", "week", "month")
to.period character, Convert date period to another period only for aggregated data. If period is "day", to.period can be "week" or "month". If period is "week", to.period can be "month".
split integer, c(1,2,4,6,8,12) Value for hourly split
cutorder character vector of factors
colors character vector of colors
title character, title of the plot
xlabel character, label for x axis
ylabel character, label for y axis
note character, add a note under the graph

Details

When period is "week" the date MUST be in ISOweek format YYYY-WNN and library ISOweek is needed. When period is "month" the date MUST be formatted YYYY-MM.

When period is "hour" the date MUST be in timeDate format (YYYY-mm-dd HH:MM:SS) or (YYYY-mm-dd HH:MM)

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**References**


**Examples**

```r
# library(EpiCurve)
date <- seq(as.timeDate("2017-05-10 21:35:22"), as.timeDate("2017-05-12 06:15:12"), by="12 min")
val <- rep(1, length(date))
tri <- rep(c("Alive", "Died","Unknown"), length.out=length(date))
DF <- data.frame(date, val, tri)
names(DF) <- c("date","value", "tri")

EpiCurve(DF,

date = "date",
freq = "value",
period = "hour",
split = 4,
cutvar = "tri",
ylabel="Number of cases",
xlabel = "From 2017-05-10 21:35:22 To 2017-05-12 06:15:12",
title = "Epidemic Curve")
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