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as.marray

*Coerce to an marray object***Description**

Coerces MCMC objects to an marray object.

**Usage**

```
as.marray(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'list'
as.mcmcr(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

```
x          object to coerce.
...        Unused.
```

**Methods (by class)**

- `list`: Convert a list of uniquely named objects that can be coerced to [mcmarray-object]s to an mcmcr object

**Examples**

```
as.marray(mcmcr_example$beta)
```

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as.mcmc.marray

*Markov Chain Monte Carlo Objects*


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**Description**

The function `mcmc` is used to create a Markov Chain Monte Carlo object. The input data are taken to be a vector, or a matrix with one column per variable.

If the optional arguments `start`, `end`, and `thin` are omitted then the chain is assumed to start with iteration 1 and have thinning interval 1. If data represents a chain that starts at a later iteration, the first iteration in the chain should be given as the `start` argument. Likewise, if data represents a chain that has already been thinned, the thinning interval should be given as the `thin` argument.

An `mcmc` object may be summarized by the `summary` function and visualized with the `plot` function.

MCMC objects resemble time series (`ts`) objects and have methods for the generic functions `time`, `start`, `end`, `frequency` and `window`.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

```
x          An object that may be coerced to an mcmc object
...        Further arguments to be passed to specific methods
```

**Author(s)**

Martyn Plummer

**See Also**

[mcmc.list](#), [mcmcUpgrade](#), [thin](#), [window.mcmc](#), [summary.mcmc](#), [plot.mcmc](#).

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as.mcmc.mcmc

*Markov Chain Monte Carlo Objects*

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An `mcmc` object may be summarized by the `summary` function and visualized with the `plot` function.

MCMC objects resemble time series (`ts`) objects and have methods for the generic functions `time`, `start`, `end`, `frequency` and `window`.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'  
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	An object that may be coerced to an <code>mcmc</code> object
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to specific methods

**Author(s)**

Martyn Plummer

**See Also**

[mcmc.list](#), [mcmcUpgrade](#), [thin](#), [window.mcmc](#), [summary.mcmc](#), [plot.mcmc](#).

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as.mcmc.mcmcarray      *Markov Chain Monte Carlo Objects*

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### Description

The function `mcmc` is used to create a Markov Chain Monte Carlo object. The input data are taken to be a vector, or a matrix with one column per variable.

If the optional arguments `start`, `end`, and `thin` are omitted then the chain is assumed to start with iteration 1 and have thinning interval 1. If data represents a chain that starts at a later iteration, the first iteration in the chain should be given as the `start` argument. Likewise, if data represents a chain that has already been thinned, the thinning interval should be given as the `thin` argument.

An `mcmc` object may be summarized by the `summary` function and visualized with the `plot` function.

MCMC objects resemble time series (`ts`) objects and have methods for the generic functions `time`, `start`, `end`, `frequency` and `window`.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

### Arguments

`x`                      An object that may be coerced to an `mcmc` object  
`...`                    Further arguments to be passed to specific methods

### Author(s)

Martyn Plummer

### See Also

[mcmc.list](#), [mcmcUpgrade](#), [thin](#), [window.mcmc](#), [summary.mcmc](#), [plot.mcmc](#).

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as.mcmc.mcmcr      *Markov Chain Monte Carlo Objects*

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### Description

The function `mcmc` is used to create a Markov Chain Monte Carlo object. The input data are taken to be a vector, or a matrix with one column per variable.

If the optional arguments `start`, `end`, and `thin` are omitted then the chain is assumed to start with iteration 1 and have thinning interval 1. If data represents a chain that starts at a later iteration, the first iteration in the chain should be given as the `start` argument. Likewise, if data represents a chain that has already been thinned, the thinning interval should be given as the `thin` argument.

An `mcmc` object may be summarized by the `summary` function and visualized with the `plot` function.

MCMC objects resemble time series (`ts`) objects and have methods for the generic functions `time`, `start`, `end`, `frequency` and `window`.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'  
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    An object that may be coerced to an mcmc object  
...                   Further arguments to be passed to specific methods

**Author(s)**

Martyn Plummer

**See Also**

[mcmc.list](#), [mcmcUpgrade](#), [thin](#), [window.mcmc](#), [summary.mcmc](#), [plot.mcmc](#).

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as.mcmcarray	<i>Coerce to an mcmcarray object</i>
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**Description**

Coerces MCMC objects to an [mcmcarray-object\(\)](#).

**Usage**

```
as.mcmcarray(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    object to coerce.  
...                   Unused.

**Examples**

```
as.mcmcarray(as.marray(mcmcr_example$beta))
```

as.mcmc

*Convert to an mcmc Object***Description**

Converts an MCMC object to an `mcmc-object()`.

**Usage**

```
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'
```

```
as.mcmc(x, name = "par", ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmarray'
```

```
as.mcmc(x, name = "par", ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'nlist'
```

```
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'nlists'
```

```
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
```

```
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc.list'
```

```
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrs'
```

```
as.mcmc(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An MCMC object.
...	Unused.
name	A string specifying the parameter name.

**Value**

An mcmc object.

**Methods (by class)**

- `marray`: Convert an `marray` object to an mcmc object
- `mcmarray`: Convert an `mcmarray-object()` to an mcmc object
- `nlist`: Convert an `nlist::nlist-object()` to an mcmc object
- `nlists`: Convert an `nlist::nlists-object()` to an mcmc object
- `mcmc`: Convert an `coda::mcmc()` object to an mcmc object
- `mcmc.list`: Convert an `coda::mcmc.list()` object to an mcmc object
- `mcmcrs`: Convert an `mcmcrs-object()` to an mcmc object



## Examples

```
mcmc.list <- coda::as.mcmc.list(mcmc::mcmc_example)
as.mcmcrc(mcmc.list)
```

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as.mcmcrcs	<i>Convert to an mcmcrcs object</i>
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## Description

Converts an MCMC object to an `mcmcrcs-object()`.

## Usage

```
as.mcmcrcs(x, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'list'
as.mcmcrcs(x, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrc'
as.mcmcrcs(x, name = "mcmcrc1", ...)
```

## Arguments

x	An MCMC object.
...	Unused.
name	A string specifying the element name.

## Value

An `mcmcrcs` object.

## Methods (by class)

- `list`: Convert a list of [`mcmcrc-object`]s to an `mcmcrcs` object
- `mcmcrc`: Convert an `mcmcrc-object()` to an `mcmcrcs` object

## Examples

```
as.mcmcrcs(mcmc::mcmcrc_example)
```

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as\_nlist.mcmc      *Coerce to nlist*

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### Description

Coerce an R object to an `nlist_object()`.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
as_nlist(x, ...)
```

### Arguments

`x`                    An object.  
`...`                    Unused.

### Value

An nlist object.

### Methods (by class)

- `numeric`: Coerce named numeric vector to nlist
- `list`: Coerce list to nlist
- `data.frame`: Coerce data.frame to nlist
- `mcmc`: Coerce mcmc (with one iteration) to nlist
- `mcmc.list`: Coerce mcmc.list (with one iteration) to nlist

### Examples

```
as_nlist(list(x = 1:4))
as_nlist(c(`a[2]` = 3, `a[1]` = 2))
```

---

as\_nlists.mcmc.list      *Coerce to nlists*

---

### Description

Coerce an R object to an `nlists_object()`.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc.list'
as_nlists(x, ...)
```

### Arguments

`x`                    An object.  
`...`                    Unused.

**Value**

An nlists object.

**Methods (by class)**

- list: Coerce list to nlists
- mcmc: Coerce mcmc to nlists
- nlist: Coerce nlist to nlists

**Examples**

```
as_nlists(list(nlist(x = c(1, 5)), nlist(x = c(2, 3)), nlist(x = c(3, 2))))
```

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as_nlists.mcmc	<i>Coerce to nlists</i>
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**Description**

Coerce an R object to an [nlists\\_object\(\)](#).

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
as_nlists(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Unused.

**Value**

An nlists object.

**Methods (by class)**

- list: Coerce list to nlists
- mcmc: Coerce mcmc to nlists
- nlist: Coerce nlist to nlists

**Examples**

```
as_nlists(list(nlist(x = c(1, 5)), nlist(x = c(2, 3)), nlist(x = c(3, 2))))
```

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bind\_chains.marray     *Bind by Chains.*

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**Description**

Binds two MCMC objects (with the same parameters and iterations) by chains.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'  
bind_chains(x, x2, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
x2	A second object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The combined object.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [estimates\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

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bind\_chains.mcmc     *Bind by Chains.*

---

**Description**

Binds two MCMC objects (with the same parameters and iterations) by chains.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'  
bind_chains(x, x2, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
x2	A second object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The combined object.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [estimates\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

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bind\_chains.mcmc.list *Bind by Chains.*

---

**Description**

Binds two MCMC objects (with the same parameters and iterations) by chains.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc.list'  
bind_chains(x, x2, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
x2	A second object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The combined object.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [estimates\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

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bind\_chains.mcmcarray *Bind by Chains.*

---

**Description**

Binds two MCMC objects (with the same parameters and iterations) by chains.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'  
bind_chains(x, x2, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
x2	A second object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The combined object.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [estimates\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

---

bind\_chains.mcmc *Bind by Chains.*

---

### Description

Binds two MCMC objects (with the same parameters and iterations) by chains.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
bind_chains(x, x2, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
x2	A second object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Value

The combined object.

### See Also

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [estimates\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

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bind\_dimensions *Combine two MCMC objects by dimensions*

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### Description

Combines multiple MCMC objects (with the same parameters, chains and iterations) by parameter dimensions.

### Usage

```
bind_dimensions(x, x2, along = NULL, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An MCMC object.
x2	a second MCMC object.
along	A count (or NULL) indicating the parameter dimension to bind along.
...	Unused.

### See Also

[bind\\_dimensions\\_n\(\)](#)

### Examples

```
bind_dimensions(mcmc_example, mcmc_example)
```

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bind_dimensions_n	<i>Combine multiple MCMC objects by parameter dimensions</i>
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**Description**

Combines multiple MCMC objects (with the same parameters, chains and iterations) by parameter dimensions.

**Usage**

```
bind_dimensions_n(...)
```

**Arguments**

... one or more MCMC objects

**See Also**

[bind\\_dimensions\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
bind_dimensions_n(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example)
```

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bind_parameters	<i>Combine two MCMC object by parameters</i>
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**Description**

Combines two MCMC objects (with the same chains and iterations) by their parameters.

**Usage**

```
bind_parameters(x, x2, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x an MCMC object  
x2 a second MCMC object  
... unused

**Examples**

```
bind_parameters(  
  subset(mcmcr_example, pars = "sigma"),  
  subset(mcmcr_example, pars = "beta")  
)
```

---

check\_mcmcrrarray      **Soft-deprecated** *Check mcmcrrarray*

---

### Description

**Soft-deprecated** Check mcmcrrarray

### Usage

```
check_mcmcrrarray(x, x_name = substitute(x), error = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

x	The object to check.
x_name	A string of the name of the object.
error	A flag indicating whether to throw an informative error or immediately generate an informative message if the check fails.

### Value

An invisible copy of x (it if doesn't throw an error).

### Examples

```
check_mcmcrrarray(mcmcrr::mcmcrr_example$beta)
```

---

check\_mcmcrr      **Soft-deprecated** *Check mcmcrr*

---

### Description

**Soft-deprecated** Check mcmcrr

### Usage

```
check_mcmcrr(x, sorted = FALSE, x_name = substitute(x), error = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

x	The object to check.
sorted	A flag specifying whether the parameters must be sorted.
x_name	A string of the name of the object.
error	A flag indicating whether to throw an informative error or immediately generate an informative message if the check fails.

### Value

An invisible copy of x (it if doesn't throw an error).

### Examples

```
check_mcmcrr(mcmcrr::mcmcrr_example)
```



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chk_mcmcr	<i>Check MCMC Objects</i>
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## Description

Checks class and structure of MCMC objects.

chk\_mcmarray checks if [mcmarray-object\(\)](#) object using `is.array(x) && is.numeric(x)`

chk\_mcmcr checks if an [mcmcr-object\(\)](#).

chk\_mcmcrs checks if an [mcmcrs-object\(\)](#).

## Usage

```
chk_mcmarray(x, x_name = NULL)
```

```
chk_mcmcr(x, x_name = NULL)
```

```
chk_mcmcrs(x, x_name = NULL)
```

## Arguments

x	The object to check.
x_name	A string of the name of object x or NULL.

## Details

To just check class use [chk::chk\\_s3\\_class\(\)](#).

## Value

NULL, invisibly. Called for the side effect of throwing an error if the condition is not met.

## Functions

- `chk_mcmarray`: Check mcmarray Object
- `chk_mcmcr`: Check mcmcr Object
- `chk_mcmcrs`: Check mcmcrs Object

## See Also

[vld\\_mcmcr\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
# chk_mcmarray
try(chk_mcmarray(1))

# chk_mcmcr
chk_mcmcr(as.mcmcr(list(x = 1)))
try(chk_mcmcr(1))
```

```
# chk_mcmcrcs
chk_mcmcrcs(as.mcmcrcs(as.mcmcr(list(x = 1))))
try(chk_mcmcrcs(1))
```

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coef	<i>Term Coefficients</i>
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### Description

Gets coefficients for all the terms in an MCMC object.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
coef(object, conf_level = 0.95, estimate = median, ...)
```

### Arguments

object	The MCMC object to get the coefficients for
conf_level	A number specifying the confidence level. By default 0.95.
estimate	The function to use to calculate the estimate.
...	Unused

### Value

An data frame of the coefficients with the columns indicating the term, estimate, standard deviation (sd), zscore, lower and upper credible intervals and pvalue.

### Methods (by class)

- mcmc: Get coefficients for terms in mcmc object

### See Also

stats::[coef][stats::coef]

### Examples

```
coef(mcmcr_example)
```

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collapse\_chains.mcmc *Collapse Chains*


---

**Description**

Collapses an MCMC object's chains into a single chain.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
collapse_chains(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    An object.  
...                    Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The modified object with one chain.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_chains\(\)](#), [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [estimates\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

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combine\_dimensions    *Combine Samples by Dimensions*


---

**Description**

Combines MCMC object samples by dimensions along using fun.

**Usage**

```
combine_dimensions(x, fun = mean, along = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    An MCMC object  
fun                    The function to use when combining dimensions  
along                    A positive integer (or NULL) indicating the parameter dimension(s) to bind along.  
...                    Unused

**Value**

The MCMC object with reduced dimensions.

**Examples**

```
combine_dimensions(mcmc_example$alpha)
```

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combine_samples	<i>Combine MCMC Samples of Two Objects</i>
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---

**Description**

Combines samples of two MCMC objects (with the same parameters, chains and iterations) using a function.

**Usage**

```
combine_samples(x, x2, fun = mean, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An MCMC object.
x2	A second MCMC object.
fun	The function to use to combine the samples. The function must return a scalar.
...	Unused.

**Value**

The combined samples as an MCMC object with the same parameters, chains and iterations as the original objects.

**Examples**

```
combine_samples(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example, fun = sum)
```

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combine_samples_n	<i>Combine MCMC Samples of multiple objects</i>
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**Description**

Combines samples of multiple MCMC objects (with the same parameters, chains and iterations) using a function.

**Usage**

```
combine_samples_n(x, ..., fun = mean)
```

**Arguments**

x	An MCMC object (or a list of mcmc objects).
...	Additional MCMC objects.
fun	A function.

**Examples**

```
combine_samples_n(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example, fun = sum)
```

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converged.default	<i>Converged</i>
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## Description

Tests whether an object has converged.

## Usage

```
## Default S3 method:  
converged(  
  x,  
  rhat = 1.1,  
  esr = 0.33,  
  by = "all",  
  as_df = FALSE,  
  na_rm = FALSE,  
  ...  
)
```

## Arguments

x	An object.
rhat	The maximum rhat value.
esr	The minimum effective sampling rate.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

## Value

A logical scalar indicating whether the object has converged.

## See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
converged(mcmcr_example)
```

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converged.mcmcrcs      *Converged*

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## Description

Tests whether an object has converged.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrcs'
converged(
  x,
  rhat = 1.1,
  esr = 0.33,
  by = "all",
  as_df = FALSE,
  bound = FALSE,
  na_rm = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

x	An object.
rhat	The maximum rhat value.
esr	The minimum effective sampling rate.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
bound	flag specifying whether to bind mcmcrcs objects by their chains before calculating rhat.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

## Value

A logical scalar indicating whether the object has converged.

## See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
converged(mcmcrcs(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example))
converged(mcmcrcs(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example), bound = TRUE)
```

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esr.marray                      *Effective Sampling Rate*

---

### Description

Calculates the effective sampling rate (esr).

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'
esr(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default

$$\frac{1}{1 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \rho_k(\theta)}$$

from Brooks et al. (2011) where the infinite sum is truncated at lag  $k$  when  $\rho_{k+1}(\theta) < 0$ .

### Value

A number between 0 and 1 indicating the esr value.

### References

Brooks, S., Gelman, A., Jones, G.L., and Meng, X.-L. (Editors). 2011. Handbook for Markov Chain Monte Carlo. Taylor & Francis, Boca Raton.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\(\)](#)

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 esr.mcmc

*Effective Sampling Rate*


---

## Description

Calculates the effective sampling rate (esr).

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
esr(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

## Details

By default

$$\frac{1}{1 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \rho_k(\theta)}$$

from Brooks et al. (2011) where the infinite sum is truncated at lag  $k$  when  $\rho_{k+1}(\theta) < 0$ .

## Value

A number between 0 and 1 indicating the esr value.

## References

Brooks, S., Gelman, A., Jones, G.L., and Meng, X.-L. (Editors). 2011. Handbook for Markov Chain Monte Carlo. Taylor & Francis, Boca Raton.

## See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\(\)](#)



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esr.mcmc.list                      *Effective Sampling Rate*

---

## Description

Calculates the effective sampling rate (esr).

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc.list'
esr(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

## Details

By default

$$\frac{1}{1 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \rho_k(\theta)}$$

from Brooks et al. (2011) where the infinite sum is truncated at lag  $k$  when  $\rho_{k+1}(\theta) < 0$ .

## Value

A number between 0 and 1 indicating the esr value.

## References

Brooks, S., Gelman, A., Jones, G.L., and Meng, X.-L. (Editors). 2011. Handbook for Markov Chain Monte Carlo. Taylor & Francis, Boca Raton.

## See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\(\)](#)

---

esr.mcmcarray      *Effective Sampling Rate*

---

### Description

Calculates the effective sampling rate (esr).

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'
esr(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default

$$\frac{1}{1 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \rho_k(\theta)}$$

from Brooks et al. (2011) where the infinite sum is truncated at lag  $k$  when  $\rho_{k+1}(\theta) < 0$ .

### Value

A number between 0 and 1 indicating the esr value.

### References

Brooks, S., Gelman, A., Jones, G.L., and Meng, X.-L. (Editors). 2011. Handbook for Markov Chain Monte Carlo. Taylor & Francis, Boca Raton.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\(\)](#)

---

 esr.mcmc

*Effective Sampling Rate*


---

## Description

Calculates the effective sampling rate (esr).

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
esr(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

## Details

By default

$$\frac{1}{1 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \rho_k(\theta)}$$

from Brooks et al. (2011) where the infinite sum is truncated at lag  $k$  when  $\rho_{k+1}(\theta) < 0$ .

## Value

A number between 0 and 1 indicating the esr value.

## References

Brooks, S., Gelman, A., Jones, G.L., and Meng, X.-L. (Editors). 2011. Handbook for Markov Chain Monte Carlo. Taylor & Francis, Boca Raton.

## See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
esr(mcmc_example)
```

---

 esr.mcmcrcs

*Effective Sampling Rate*


---

### Description

Calculates the effective sampling rate (esr).

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrcs'
esr(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default

$$\frac{1}{1 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \rho_k(\theta)}$$

from Brooks et al. (2011) where the infinite sum is truncated at lag  $k$  when  $\rho_{k+1}(\theta) < 0$ .

### Value

A number between 0 and 1 indicating the esr value.

### References

Brooks, S., Gelman, A., Jones, G.L., and Meng, X.-L. (Editors). 2011. Handbook for Markov Chain Monte Carlo. Taylor & Francis, Boca Raton.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#), [rhat\(\)](#)

### Examples

```
esr(mcmcrcs(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example))
```

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ess	<i>P-Value Effective Sample Size</i>
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**Description**

Calculates the effective sample size based on `esr()`.

**Usage**

```
ess(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

x	An MCMC object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the results as a data frame or list.

**Examples**

```
ess(mcmcr_example)
```

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estimates.marray	<i>Estimates</i>
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**Description**

Calculates the estimates for an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'
estimates(x, fun = median, as_df = FALSE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
fun	A function that given a numeric vector returns a numeric scalar.
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A named list or data frame.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: `bind_chains()`, `bind_iterations()`, `collapse_chains()`, `split_chains()`

---

estimates.mcmc      *Estimates*

---

### Description

Calculates the estimates for an MCMC object.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
estimates(x, fun = median, as_df = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
fun	A function that given a numeric vector returns a numeric scalar.
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Value

A named list or data frame.

### See Also

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_chains\(\)](#), [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

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estimates.mcmc.list      *Estimates*

---

### Description

Calculates the estimates for an MCMC object.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc.list'
estimates(x, fun = median, as_df = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
fun	A function that given a numeric vector returns a numeric scalar.
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A named list or data frame.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_chains\(\)](#), [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

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estimates.mcmcarray     *Estimates*

---

**Description**

Calculates the estimates for an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'
estimates(x, fun = median, as_df = FALSE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
fun	A function that given a numeric vector returns a numeric scalar.
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
...	Unused.

**Value**

A named list or data frame.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_chains\(\)](#), [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

---

estimates.mcmcr     *Estimates*

---

**Description**

Calculates the estimates for an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcr'
estimates(x, fun = median, as_df = FALSE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
fun	A function that given a numeric vector returns a numeric scalar.
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A named list or data frame.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_chains\(\)](#), [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [split\\_chains\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
estimates(mcmcr_example)
```

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fill_all.marray	<i>Fill All Values</i>
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**Description**

Fills all of an object's (missing and non-missing) values while preserving the object's dimensionality and class.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'
fill_all(x, value = 0, nas = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
value	A scalar of the value to replace values with.
nas	A flag specifying whether to also fill missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The modified object.

**Methods (by class)**

- logical: Fill All for logical Objects
- integer: Fill All for integer Objects
- numeric: Fill All for numeric Objects
- character: Fill All for character Objects



**See Also**

Other fill: [fill\\_na\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
# logical
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE))
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE, nas = FALSE))
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE, value = NA))

# integer
fill_all(matrix(1:4, nrow = 2), value = -1)

# numeric
fill_all(c(1, 4, NA), value = TRUE)
fill_all(c(1, 4, NA), value = TRUE, nas = FALSE)

# character
fill_all(c("some", "words"), value = TRUE)
```

---

fill\_all.mcmcarray      *Fill All Values*

---

**Description**

Fills all of an object's (missing and non-missing) values while preserving the object's dimensionality and class.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'
fill_all(x, value = 0, nas = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
value	A scalar of the value to replace values with.
nas	A flag specifying whether to also fill missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The modified object.

**Methods (by class)**

- logical: Fill All for logical Objects
- integer: Fill All for integer Objects
- numeric: Fill All for numeric Objects
- character: Fill All for character Objects

**See Also**

Other fill: [fill\\_na\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
# logical
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE))
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE, nas = FALSE))
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE, value = NA))

# integer
fill_all(matrix(1:4, nrow = 2), value = -1)

# numeric
fill_all(c(1, 4, NA), value = TRUE)
fill_all(c(1, 4, NA), value = TRUE, nas = FALSE)

# character
fill_all(c("some", "words"), value = TRUE)
```

---

fill\_all.mcmc

*Fill All Values*


---

**Description**

Fills all of an object's (missing and non-missing) values while preserving the object's dimensionality and class.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
fill_all(x, value = 0, nas = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
value	A scalar of the value to replace values with.
nas	A flag specifying whether to also fill missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The modified object.

**Methods (by class)**

- logical: Fill All for logical Objects
- integer: Fill All for integer Objects
- numeric: Fill All for numeric Objects
- character: Fill All for character Objects

**See Also**

Other fill: [fill\\_na\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
# logical
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE))
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE, nas = FALSE))
fill_all(c(TRUE, NA, FALSE, value = NA))

# integer
fill_all(matrix(1:4, nrow = 2), value = -1)

# numeric
fill_all(c(1, 4, NA), value = TRUE)
fill_all(c(1, 4, NA), value = TRUE, nas = FALSE)

# character
fill_all(c("some", "words"), value = TRUE)
```

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is.marray

*Is marray Object*

---

**Description**

Tests whether an object is an marray.

**Usage**

```
is.marray(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                   The object to test.

**Value**

A flag indicating whether the test was positive.

**Examples**

```
is.marray(mcmcr_example)
```

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is.mcmcarray	<i>Is mcmcarray Object</i>
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**Description**

Tests whether an object is an `mcmcarray-object()`.

**Usage**

```
is.mcmcarray(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    The object to test.

**Value**

A flag indicating whether the test was positive.

**Examples**

```
is.mcmcarray(mcmcr_example$beta)
```

---

is.mcmcr	<i>Is mcmcr Object</i>
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---

**Description**

Tests whether an object is an `mcmcr-object()`.

**Usage**

```
is.mcmcr(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    The object to test.

**Value**

A flag indicating whether the test was positive.

**Examples**

```
is.mcmcr(mcmcr_example)
```

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is.mcmcrcs	<i>Is mcmcrcs Object</i>
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**Description**

Tests whether an object is an `mcmcrcs-object()`.

**Usage**

```
is.mcmcrcs(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    The object to test.

**Value**

A flag indicating whether the test was positive.

**Examples**

```
is.mcmcrcs(mcmcrcs(mcmcr_example))
```

---

mcmcarray-object	<i>mcmcarray</i>
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**Description**

An `mcmcarray` object is an array where the first dimension is the chains, the second dimension is the iterations and the subsequent dimensions represent the dimensionality of the parameter. The name `mcmcarray` reflects the fact that the MCMC dimensions, ie the chains and iterations, precede the parameter dimensions.

**Examples**

```
mcmcr_example$beta
```

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mcmcr-object	<i>mcmcr</i>
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### Description

An mcmcr object stores multiple uniquely named `mcmcrarray-object()` objects with the same number of chains and iterations.

### Details

mcmcr objects allow a set of dimensionality preserving parameters to be manipulated and queried as a whole.

### Examples

```
mcmcr_example
```

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mcmcrs	<i>Create mcmcrs</i>
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### Description

Creates an `mcmcrs-object()` from multiple `link{mcmcr-object}s`.

### Usage

```
mcmcrs(...)
```

### Arguments

...            Objects of class mcmcr.

### Value

An object of class mcmcrs

### Examples

```
mcmcrs(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example)
```

---

mcmcrs-object	<i>mcmcrs</i>
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---

### Description

An `mcmcrs` object stores multiple `mcmcr-object()`s with the same parameters and the same number of chains and iterations.

### Details

`mcmcrs` objects allow the results of multiple analyses using the same model to be manipulated and queried as a whole.

### Examples

```
mcmcrs(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example)
```

---

mcmcr_example	<i>An Example mcmcr Object</i>
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### Description

An example `mcmcr-object()` derived from `coda::[line][coda::line]`.

### Usage

```
mcmcr_example
```

### Format

An object of class `mcmcr` of length 3.

### Examples

```
mcmcr_example
```

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mcmc_aperm	<i>MCMC Object Transposition</i>
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**Description**

Transpose an MCMC object by permuting its parameter dimensions.

**Usage**

```
mcmc_aperm(x, perm, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	The MCMC object to transpose.
perm	A integer vector of the new order for the parameter dimensions. Missing parameter dimensions are added on the end. If perm = NULL (the default) the parameter dimensions are reversed.
...	Unused

**Value**

The modified MCMC object

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mcmc_map	<i>MCMC Map</i>
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**Description**

Adjust the sample values of an MCMC object using a function.

**Usage**

```
mcmc_map(.x, .f, .by = 1:npdims(.x), ...)
```

**Arguments**

.x	An MCMC object
.f	The function to use
.by	A positive integer vector of the dimensions to apply the function over.
...	Additional arguments passed to .f.

**Value**

The updated MCMC object.

**Examples**

```
mcmc_map(mcmcr_example$beta, exp)
```



---

nchains.marray	<i>Number of Chains</i>
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**Description**

Gets the number of chains of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'  
nchains(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of chains.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [niters\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

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nchains.mcmarray	<i>Number of Chains</i>
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---

**Description**

Gets the number of chains of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmarray'  
nchains(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of chains.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [niters\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

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nchains.mcmc	<i>Number of Chains</i>
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---

**Description**

Gets the number of chains of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'  
nchains(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of chains.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [niters\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

---

nchains.mcmcrs	<i>Number of Chains</i>
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---

**Description**

Gets the number of chains of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrs'  
nchains(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of chains.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [niters\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

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n timers.mccarray	<i>Number of Iterations</i>
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**Description**

Gets the number of iterations (in a chain) of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mccarray'  
niters(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of iterations.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

---

n timers.mcmcarray	<i>Number of Iterations</i>
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---

**Description**

Gets the number of iterations (in a chain) of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'  
niters(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of iterations.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

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niters.mcmcr	<i>Number of Iterations</i>
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**Description**

Gets the number of iterations (in a chain) of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcr'
niters(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of iterations.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

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niters.mcmcrs	<i>Number of Iterations</i>
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**Description**

Gets the number of iterations (in a chain) of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrs'
niters(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of iterations.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

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npars.mccarray                      *Number of Parameters*

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**Description**

Gets the number of parameters of an object.

The default methods returns the length of `pars()` if none are NA, otherwise it returns NA.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mccarray'
npars(x, scalar = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
scalar	A logical scalar specifying whether to include all parameters (NULL), only scalars (TRUE) or all parameters except scalars (FALSE).
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of parameters.

**See Also**

[pars\(\)](#)

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [niters\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

Other parameters: [pars\(\)](#), [set\\_pars\(\)](#)

---

npars.mcmcarray                      *Number of Parameters*

---

**Description**

Gets the number of parameters of an object.

The default methods returns the length of `pars()` if none are NA, otherwise it returns NA.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'
npars(x, scalar = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
scalar	A logical scalar specifying whether to include all parameters (NULL), only scalars (TRUE) or all parameters except scalars (FALSE).
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of parameters.

**See Also**

[pars\(\)](#)

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [niters\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

Other parameters: [pars\(\)](#), [set\\_pars\(\)](#)

---

npars.mcmc

*Number of Parameters*

---

**Description**

Gets the number of parameters of an object.

The default methods returns the length of [pars\(\)](#) if none are NA, otherwise it returns NA.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
npars(x, scalar = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
scalar	A logical scalar specifying whether to include all parameters (NULL), only scalars (TRUE) or all parameters except scalars (FALSE).
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

An integer scalar of the number of parameters.

**See Also**

[pars\(\)](#)

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [niters\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#), [nterms\(\)](#)

Other parameters: [pars\(\)](#), [set\\_pars\(\)](#)

---

npdims.mcmcarray	<i>Number of Parameter Dimensions</i>
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**Description**

Gets the number of the dimensions of each parameter of an object.

The default methods returns the length of each element of [pdims\(\)](#) as an integer vector.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'  
npdims(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A named integer vector of the number of dimensions of each parameter.

**See Also**

Other dimensions: [dims\(\)](#), [ndims\(\)](#), [pdims\(\)](#)

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npdims.mcmcr	<i>Number of Parameter Dimensions</i>
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**Description**

Gets the number of the dimensions of each parameter of an object.

The default methods returns the length of each element of [pdims\(\)](#) as an integer vector.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcr'  
npdims(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A named integer vector of the number of dimensions of each parameter.

**See Also**

Other dimensions: [dims\(\)](#), [ndims\(\)](#), [pdims\(\)](#)

---

nterms.mcmcarray	<i>Number of Terms</i>
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**Description**

Gets the number of terms of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'
nterms(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A integer scalar of the number of terms.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [niters\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#)

---

nterms.mcmcr	<i>Number of Terms</i>
--------------	------------------------

---

**Description**

Gets the number of terms of an MCMC object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcr'
nterms(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A integer scalar of the number of terms.

**See Also**

Other MCMC dimensions: [nchains\(\)](#), [niters\(\)](#), [npars\(\)](#), [nsams\(\)](#), [nsims\(\)](#)





esr	The minimum effective sampling rate.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
parameters	A character vector (or NULL) of the parameters to subset by.
iterations	An integer vector (or NULL) of the iterations to subset by.
...	Unused.

---

pars.mcmcrcs                      *Parameter Names*

---

**Description**

Gets the parameter names.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrc'
pars(x, scalar = NULL, terms = FALSE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
scalar	A logical scalar specifying whether to include all parameters (NULL), only scalars (TRUE) or all parameters except scalars (FALSE).
terms	A logical scalar specifying whether to provide the parameters for each term.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A character vector of the names of the parameters.

**See Also**

Other parameters: [npars\(\)](#), [set\\_pars\(\)](#)

---

pars.mcmcrcs                      *Parameter Names*

---

**Description**

Gets the parameter names.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrcs'
pars(x, scalar = NULL, terms = FALSE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
scalar	A logical scalar specifying whether to include all parameters (NULL), only scalars (TRUE) or all parameters except scalars (FALSE).
terms	A logical scalar specifying whether to provide the parameters for each term.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A character vector of the names of the parameters.

**See Also**

Other parameters: [npars\(\)](#), [set\\_pars\(\)](#)

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pdims.marray

*Parameter Dimensions*

---

**Description**

Gets the dimensions of each parameter of an object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'  
pdims(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A named list of integer vectors of the dimensions of each parameter.

**See Also**

Other dimensions: [dims\(\)](#), [ndims\(\)](#), [npdims\(\)](#)

---

pdims.mcmcarray      *Parameter Dimensions*

---

**Description**

Gets the dimensions of each parameter of an object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'  
pdims(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    An object.  
...                  Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A named list of integer vectors of the dimensions of each parameter.

**See Also**

Other dimensions: [dims\(\)](#), [ndims\(\)](#), [npdims\(\)](#)

---

pdims.mcmcr          *Parameter Dimensions*

---

**Description**

Gets the dimensions of each parameter of an object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcr'  
pdims(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    An object.  
...                  Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

A named list of integer vectors of the dimensions of each parameter.

**See Also**

Other dimensions: [dims\(\)](#), [ndims\(\)](#), [npdims\(\)](#)

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rhat.marray	<i>R-hat</i>
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### Description

Calculates an R-hat (potential scale reduction factor) value.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'marray'  
rhat(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default the uncorrected, unfolded, univariate, split R-hat value.

### Value

A number  $\geq 1$  indicating the rhat value.

### References

Gelman, A., and Rubin, D.B. 1992. Inference from Iterative Simulation Using Multiple Sequences. *Statistical Science* 7(4): 457–472.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#)

---

`rhat.mcmc`*R-hat*

---

### Description

Calculates an R-hat (potential scale reduction factor) value.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'  
rhat(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	An object.
<code>by</code>	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
<code>as_df</code>	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
<code>na_rm</code>	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
<code>...</code>	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default the uncorrected, unfolded, univariate, split R-hat value.

### Value

A number  $\geq 1$  indicating the rhat value.

### References

Gelman, A., and Rubin, D.B. 1992. Inference from Iterative Simulation Using Multiple Sequences. *Statistical Science* 7(4): 457–472.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#)

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rhat.mcmc.list	<i>R-hat</i>
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### Description

Calculates an R-hat (potential scale reduction factor) value.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc.list'  
rhat(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default the uncorrected, unfolded, univariate, split R-hat value.

### Value

A number  $\geq 1$  indicating the rhat value.

### References

Gelman, A., and Rubin, D.B. 1992. Inference from Iterative Simulation Using Multiple Sequences. *Statistical Science* 7(4): 457–472.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#)

---

rhat.mcmcarray      *R-hat*

---

### Description

Calculates an R-hat (potential scale reduction factor) value.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'  
rhat(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default the uncorrected, unfolded, univariate, split R-hat value.

### Value

A number  $\geq 1$  indicating the rhat value.

### References

Gelman, A., and Rubin, D.B. 1992. Inference from Iterative Simulation Using Multiple Sequences. *Statistical Science* 7(4): 457–472.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#)



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rhat.mcmc	<i>R-hat</i>
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### Description

Calculates an R-hat (potential scale reduction factor) value.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'  
rhat(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object.
by	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
as_df	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
na_rm	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default the uncorrected, unfolded, univariate, split R-hat value.

### Value

A number  $\geq 1$  indicating the rhat value.

### References

Gelman, A., and Rubin, D.B. 1992. Inference from Iterative Simulation Using Multiple Sequences. *Statistical Science* 7(4): 457–472.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#)

### Examples

```
rhat(mcmc_example)  
rhat(mcmc_example, by = "parameter")  
rhat(mcmc_example, by = "term")  
rhat(mcmc_example, by = "term", as_df = TRUE)
```

---

`rhat.mcmcrcs`*R-hat*

---

### Description

Calculates an R-hat (potential scale reduction factor) value.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrcs'  
rhat(x, by = "all", as_df = FALSE, na_rm = FALSE, bound = FALSE, ...)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	An object.
<code>by</code>	A string indicating whether to determine by "term", "parameter" or "all".
<code>as_df</code>	A flag indicating whether to return the values as a data frame versus a named list.
<code>na_rm</code>	A flag specifying whether to ignore missing values.
<code>bound</code>	flag specifying whether to bind mcmcrcs objects by their chains before calculating rhat.
<code>...</code>	Other arguments passed to methods.

### Details

By default the uncorrected, unfolded, univariate, split R-hat value.

### Value

A number  $\geq 1$  indicating the rhat value.

### References

Gelman, A., and Rubin, D.B. 1992. Inference from Iterative Simulation Using Multiple Sequences. *Statistical Science* 7(4): 457–472.

### See Also

Other convergence: [converged\\_pars\(\)](#), [converged\\_terms\(\)](#), [converged\(\)](#), [esr\\_pars\(\)](#), [esr\\_terms\(\)](#), [esr\(\)](#), [rhat\\_pars\(\)](#), [rhat\\_terms\(\)](#)

### Examples

```
rhat(mcmcrcs(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example))  
rhat(mcmcrcs(mcmcr_example, mcmcr_example), bound = TRUE)
```

---

set_pars.mcmcr	<i>Set Parameters</i>
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**Description**

Sets an object's parameter names.

The assignment version `pars<-()` forwards to `set_pars()`.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcr'
set_pars(x, value, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
value	A character vector of the new parameter names.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Details**

value must be a unique character vector of the same length as the object's parameters.

**Value**

The modified object.

**See Also**

Other parameters: [npars\(\)](#), [pars\(\)](#)

---

set_pars.mcmcrs	<i>Set Parameters</i>
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---

**Description**

Sets an object's parameter names.

The assignment version `pars<-()` forwards to `set_pars()`.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrs'
set_pars(x, value, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
value	A character vector of the new parameter names.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Details**

value must be a unique character vector of the same length as the object's parameters.

**Value**

The modified object.

**See Also**

Other parameters: [npars\(\)](#), [pars\(\)](#)

---

split\_chains.mcmcarray  
*Split Chains*

---

**Description**

Splits each of an MCMC object's chains in half to double the number of chains and halve the number of iterations.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'  
split_chains(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The modified object.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_chains\(\)](#), [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [estimates\(\)](#)

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split_chains.mcmc	<i>Split Chains</i>
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---

**Description**

Splits each of an MCMC object's chains in half to double the number of chains and halve the number of iterations.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
split_chains(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	An object.
...	Other arguments passed to methods.

**Value**

The modified object.

**See Also**

Other MCMC manipulations: [bind\\_chains\(\)](#), [bind\\_iterations\(\)](#), [collapse\\_chains\(\)](#), [estimates\(\)](#)

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subset	<i>Subset an MCMC Object</i>
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**Description**

Subsets an MCMC object by its chains, iterations and/or parameters.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'
subset(x, chains = NULL, iters = NULL, iterations = NULL, ...)

## S3 method for class 'mcmc'
subset(
  x,
  chains = NULL,
  iters = NULL,
  pars = NULL,
  iterations = NULL,
  parameters = NULL,
  ...
)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmcrs'
subset(
  x,
  chains = NULL,
  iters = NULL,
  pars = NULL,
  iterations = NULL,
  parameters = NULL,
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

x	The MCMC object to subset
chains	An integer vector of chains.
iters	An integer vector of iterations.
iterations	An integer vector (or NULL) of the iterations to subset by.
...	Unused.
pars	A character vector of parameter names.
parameters	A character vector (or NULL) of the parameters to subset by.

### Methods (by class)

- mcmccarray: Subset an mcmccarray object
- mcmcr: Subset an mcmcr object
- mcmcrs: Subset an mcmcrs object

### Examples

```
subset(mcmcr_example,
  chains = 2L, iters = 1:100,
  pars = c("beta", "alpha")
)
```

---

tidy.mcmc.mcmcr	<i>Turn an object into a tidy tibble</i>
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---

### Description

Turn an object into a tidy tibble

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mcmc.mcmcr'
tidy(x, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	An object to be converted into a tidy <code>tibble::tibble()</code> .
...	Additional arguments to tidying method.

**Value**

A `tibble::tibble()` with information about model components.

**Methods**

No methods found in currently loaded packages.

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vld_mcmc	<i>Validate MCMC Objects</i>
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**Description**

Validates class and structure of MCMC objects.

**Usage**

`vld_mcmcarray(x)`

`vld_mcmc(x)`

`vld_mmcrcs(x)`

**Arguments**

`x`                    The object to check.

**Details**

To just validate class use `chk::vld_s3_class()`.

**Value**

A flag indicating whether the object was validated.

**Functions**

- `vld_mcmcarray`: Validate `mcmcarray-object()`
- `vld_mcmc`: Validate `mcmc-object()`
- `vld_mmcrcs`: Validate `mmcrcs-object()`

**See Also**

`chk_mcmc()`

**Examples**

```
#' vld_mcmcarray
vld_mcmcarray(1)

# vld_mcmcr
vld_mcmcr(1)
vld_mcmcr(mcmcr::mcmcr_example)

# vld_mcmcrs
vld_mcmcrs(1)
```

---

 zero

*Zero MCMC Sample Values*


---

**Description**

Zeros an MCMC object's sample values.

**Usage**

```
zero(x, ...)
```

## S3 method for class 'mccarray'

```
zero(x, ...)
```

## S3 method for class 'mcmcarray'

```
zero(x, ...)
```

## S3 method for class 'mcmcr'

```
zero(x, pars = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	The MCMC object.
...	Unused
pars	A character vector (or NULL) of the pars to zero.

**Details**

It is used for removing the effect of a random effect where the expected value is 0.

**Value**

The MCMC

**Methods (by class)**

- `mccarray`: Zero an `mccarray` object
- `mcmcarray`: Zero an `mcmcarray` object
- `mcmcr`: Zero an `mcmcr` object



**Examples**

```
zero(mcmcr_example, pars = "beta")
```

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