

# Package ‘netdep’

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| latent.netdep | <i>Generate latent variable dependent network.</i> |
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### Description

Generate latent variable dependent network.

### Usage

```
latent.netdep(n.node, rho = 0.3, dep.factor = 1, dep.range = c(-5, 5))
```

### Arguments

|            |  |
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| n.node     | The number of nodes in network.  |
| rho        | correlation coefficient between continuous observations and latent factor .  |
| dep.factor | multiplicative factor applied to. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If <math>\text{dep.factor} &lt; 0</math> Then <math>A_{i,j} \sim \text{Bern}(\text{logistic}(\text{dep.factor} *  X_i - X_j ))</math></li> <li>• If <math>\text{dep.factor} \geq 0</math> Then <math>A_{i,j} \sim \text{Bern}(\text{logistic}(\text{dep.factor} /  X_i - X_j ))</math></li> </ul> |
| dep.range  | a vector specifying lower bound and upper bound for $\text{dep.factor} *  X_i - X_j $ . Defaults to $c(-5, 5)$ .   |

### Value

an undirected and binary `igraph` object `G` having both  $Y$  and  $U$  as nodal attributes.

`V(G)$outcome` one-dimensional continuous observations.

`V(G)$latent` one-dimensional continuous latent variable dependent on `V(G)$Y` through  $\rho$ .

### Examples

```
library(netdep)
library(MASS)
library(mvrtn)
library(igraph)
G = latent.netdep(n.node = 100, rho = 0.5, dep.factor = 1)
```

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make.permute.moran      *Permutation Test of Moran's I*

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## Description

Permutation Test of Moran's I

## Usage

```
make.permute.moran(A, Y, np = 100)
```

## Arguments

|    |   |
|----|---|
| A  | [n × n] adjacency matrix or general relational weight matrix of which $A_{ij}$ indicates relationship from $i$ to $j$ . |
| Y  | a vector of $n$ continuous or binary, one-dimensional observations.   |
| np | the number of permutation samples.  |

## Value

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| moran        | a standardized Moran's $I$ statistic.   |
| pval.z       | p-value of a standardized Moran's $I$ statistic assuming asymptotic normality.              |
| pval.permute | p-value of a standardized Moran's $I$ statistic using $np$ independent permutation samples. |

## Author(s)

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## Examples

```
library(netdep)
library(igraph)
library(igraphdata)
data(karate)
A = as.matrix(get.adjacency(karate, attr= "weight", sparse = TRUE)) # weighted adjacency matrix
Y = V(karate)$Faction
result = make.permute.moran(A, Y, np = 100)
```

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make.permute.Phi      *Permutation Test of  $\Phi$*

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### Description

This function prints out the network dependence test results for categorical observations.

### Usage

```
make.permute.Phi(A, Y, np)
```

### Arguments

|    |   |
|----|---|
| A  | [n x n] adjacency matrix or general relational weight matrix of which $A_{ij}$ indicates relationship from $i$ to $j$ . |
| Y  | a vector of $n$ continuous or binary, one-dimensional observations.   |
| np | the number of permutation samples.  |

### Value

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| phi          | a standardized $\Phi$ statistic.   |
| pval.z       | p-value of a standardized $\Phi$ statistic assuming asymptotic normality.              |
| pval.permute | p-value of a standardized $\Phi$ statistic using $np$ independent permutation samples. |

### Author(s)

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### Examples

```
library(netdep)
library(igraph)
library(igraphdata)
data(UKfaculty)
A = as.matrix(get.adjacency(UKfaculty, attr= "weight", sparse = TRUE)) # weighted adjacency matrix
Y = V(UKfaculty)$Group
result = make.permute.Phi(A, Y, np = 50)
```

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| MoranI | <i>Moran's I statistic</i> |
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**Description**

This function calculates Moran's I statistic given adjacency matrix and outcome. The statistic can be used for testing network dependence.

**Usage**

```
MoranI(A, Y)
```

**Arguments**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| A | [n × n] adjacency matrix or general relational weight matrix of which $A_{ij}$ indicates relationship from $i$ to $j$ . |
| Y | a vector of $n$ continuous or binary, one-dimensional observations.   |

**Value**

|       |                                       |
|-------|---------------------------------------|
| moran | a standardized Moran's $I$ statistic. |
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| peer.process | <i>Generate direct transmission process</i> |
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**Description**

Generate time-evolving outcomes where outcomes at time  $t$  of  $i$  depends on outcomes of  $i$ 's adjacent peers at time  $t - 1$ .

**Usage**

```
peer.process(A, max.time = 3, mprob = 0.5, epsilon = 0.3)
```

**Arguments**

|          |   |
|----------|---|
| A        | [n × n] adjacency matrix.   |
| max.time | the maximum discrete time that direct transmission occurs.  |
| mprob    | the maximum susceptibility probability, i.e. maximum probability that <i>i</i> 's outcome at time <i>t</i> depends on <i>i</i> 's peers at time <i>t</i> − 1. |
| epsilon  | standard deviation of error process. This adds uncertainties in outcomes.<br>For <i>t</i> =1,2, ... max.time :  |

$$p \text{Unif}(0, mprob)$$

$$Y_i^t = Y_i^t = (1 - p)Y_i^{t-1} + p \sum_j A_{ij} Y_j^{t-1} / \sum_j A_{ij} + N(0, \epsilon)$$

**Value**

a list of time-evolving outcomes from time0 to time(max.time).

**Examples**

```
library(netdep)
library(igraph)
library(stats)
G = latent.netdep(n.node = 100, rho = 0.2)
A = as.matrix(get.adjacency(G))
outcomes = peer.process(A, max.time = 3, mprob = 0.3, epsilon = 0.5)
```

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phi.moment

*Calculate Φ statistic*

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**Description**

This is an auxiliary function to calculate non-standardized Φ statistic and its first and second moment.

**Usage**

```
phi.moment(A, Y)
```

**Arguments**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| A | [n × n] adjacency matrix or general relational weight matrix of which $A_{ij}$ indicates relationship from <i>i</i> to <i>j</i> . |
| Y | a vector of <i>n</i> nominal or binary, one-dimensional observations.   |

**Value**

|           |  |
|-----------|--|
| rawphi    | Non-standardized $\Phi$ statistic.         |
| m1.rawphi | the first (permutation) moment of rawphi.  |
| m2.rawphi | the second (permutation) moment of rawphi. |

**Author(s)**

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| phi.stat | <i>Standardized <math>\Phi</math> statistic</i> |
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**Description**

A test statistic of  $\Phi$  is to test network dependence in categorical observations.

**Usage**

phi.stat(A, Y)

**Arguments**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| A | [n x n] adjacency matrix or general relational weight matrix of which $A_{ij}$ indicates relationship from $i$ to $j$ . |
| Y | a vector of $n$ nominal or binary, one-dimensional observations.  |

**Value**

phi a standardized  $\Phi$  statistic.

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snowball.sampling      *Snowball sampling*

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**Description**

Sampling from one graph to its induced subgraph depending on network structure.

**Usage**

```
snowball.sampling(G, samn)
```

**Arguments**

|      |   |
|------|---|
| G    | an igraph object.   |
| samn | is a size of snowball sample that will be samples from G. |

**Value**

|      |   |
|------|---|
| subG | an induced subgraph of G sampled using snowball sampling. |
| ind  | a set of index of samples.                                |

**Examples**

```
library(netdep)
library(igraph)
G = latent.netdep(n.node = 200, rho = 0.2, dep.factor = -3, dep.range = c(-10, 0))
subG = snowball.sampling(G, 100)
```



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