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alphaterm	<i>Function definition for deterministic model run with global dispersal Compute alpha term in Beverton-Holt function</i>
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Description

From a competition matrix (for the moment the distance between species traits) and a vector of abundances by species, return the alpha term in the Beverton-Holt equation. The order of species between the two should be the same as no checks are done. Typically the competition matrix is an euclidean trait distance matrix between species. The closer the species are the higher the combination. The term is computed as follow:

Usage

```
alphaterm(distance, Nts, A, B, di_thresh)
```

Arguments

distance	dissimilarity matrix between species
Nts	vector of abundances of species at time t
A	scalar for the inter-specific competition
B	scalar for the intra-specific competition
di_thresh	dissimilarity threshold above which species are considered maximally dissimilar

Details

$$\alpha_i = \sum_{j=1, j \neq i}^S N_{t,j,x} \times (1 - \delta_{ij})$$

, where α_i is the competition term of species i ; $N_{t,j,x}$ the abundance of species j , at time t , in patch x and δ_{ij} the functional distance between species i and species j .

bevHoltFct	<i>Beverton-Holt function</i>
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Description

To simulate growth easily, use the Beverton-Holt equation. Which is:

Usage

```
bevHoltFct(R, N, alpha)
```

Arguments

R	a numeric vector of species growth rates
N	a numeric vector of species population sizes
alpha	the competition coefficient see alphaterm() for its computation

Details

$$N_{t+1,i,x} = \frac{R_{i,x} \times N_{t,i,x}}{1 + A \times \alpha}$$

where t is time, i is the species of interest and x the patch it occupies.

check_trait_weights	<i>Check trait weights data.frame</i>
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Description

This is an internal help function to check the trait weights data.frame (used in [multigen\(\)](#)). The structure of the given trait weights is fixed: one column should be named `trait`` with the names of the traits in it. The data.frame.

Usage

```
check_trait_weights(trait_weights, traits)
```

Arguments

`trait_weights` data.frame with at least three columns equal to `trait` (giving the name of the concerned traits in `traits` df), `growth_weight` the relative weight of the trait in growth and `compet_weight` the relative weight of the trait in competition.

`traits` a species-traits data.frame with species as rownames and traits as numeric columns with names matching `trait_weights` column `trait`

Value

nothing if data.frame passes the checks, stops early otherwise.

Examples

```
# Working trait weights data.frame
traits = data.frame(trait1 = 1, trait2 = 2, trait3 = 3)

weight_1 = data.frame(
  trait = c("trait1", "trait2", "trait3"),
  growth_weight = c(0.5, 0.5, 0),
  compet_weight = c(0, 0.5, 0.5),
  hierarchy_weight = c(0, 0, 0))

# Silent function
check_trait_weights(weight_1, traits)
## Not run:
# Not valid trait weights data.frame
not_valid = data.frame(trait = c("trait1", "trait2", "trait3"),
  growth_weight = c(0.5, 0.8, 0),
  compet_weight = c(0, 0.5, 0.9))

# Stop and error
check_trait_weights(not_valid, traits)

## End(Not run)
```

compute_compet_distance

Compute trait distance between species

Description

This function compute trait distance between species using a trait matrix and a trait weights data.frame. For all the traits with competition weights not equal to zero, it computes a weighted 'composite trait' that is then used to compute euclidean trait distance between species. Trait distance is first exponentiated then standardized between 0 and 1.

Usage

```
compute_compet_distance(trait_weights, traits, exponent = 1)
```

Arguments

trait_weights	data.frame with at least three columns equal to trait (giving the name of the concerned traits in traits df), growth_weight the relative weight of the trait in growth and compet_weight the relative weight of the trait in competition.
traits	a species-traits data.frame with species as rownames and traits as numeric columns with names matching trait_weights column trait
exponent	[numeric(1)] (default: 1) The exponent used before standardizing the distance

Value

an euclidean distance matrix (of type matrix)

compute_hierarchical_compet

Compute Hierarchical Competition coefficient at each time step

Description

Outputs a matrix of additional growth per patch per species given by hierarchical competition. The values are considered

Usage

```
compute_hierarchical_compet(
  composition_given_time_step,
  trait_values,
  trait_weights,
  H,
  exponent = 1
)
```

Arguments

composition_given_time_step	composition matrix at a given time step (a site-species matrix with sites in rows)
trait_values	a trait matrix
trait_weights	data.frame with at least three columns equal to trait (giving the name of the concerned traits in traits df), growth_weight the relative weight of the trait in growth and compet_weight the relative weight of the trait in competition.
H	the hierarchical competition scalar
exponent	exponent to use for hierarchical compet. distances

create_trait_weights *Generates a data.frame of trait weights*

Description

Only in the special case of 3 traits with 1 always driving growth and another one only driving competition

Usage

```
create_trait_weights(R, A, H, n_traits = 4)
```

Arguments

R	an integer value giving the contribution of trait in growth
A	an integer value giving the contribution of trait in limiting similarity
H	an integer value giving the contribution of trait in hierarchical competition
n_traits	number of traits considered in table

Examples

```
create_trait_weights(50, 50, 0)
```

env_curve *Species growth rate for a given trait and environment*

Description

Using traits that affect growth rate and specified environments, this function returns a numeric value of expected growth rates given the traits and the environmental value. The total growth rate is then the average of the growth rates computed with each trait.

Usage

```
env_curve(trait_values, env_value, trait_weights, k = 2, width = 0.5)
```

Arguments

trait_values	a numeric vector of species trait values
env_value	a single numeric value giving the environmental variable
trait_weights	data.frame with at least three columns equal to trait (giving the name of the concerned traits in traits df), growth_weight the relative weight of the trait in growth and compet_weight the relative weight of the trait in competition, both hierarchical and based on limiting similarity.
k	a scalar giving the maximum growth rate in optimal environment
width	a numeric for niche breadth, constant in gaussian function

Details

For the moment the environmental filter follows a Gaussian distribution:

$$R_{i,x} = k \times \exp\left(-\frac{(\text{trait}_i - \text{env}_x)^2}{2 \times \text{width}^2}\right)$$

, where t_i is trait of species i , env_x the environmental value in patch x , k a scalar giving the maximal growth rate and $width$ the environmental breadth of species.

extract_growth_rates *Extract different growth rates from fdcoexist simulation*

Description

Extract different growth rates from fdcoexist simulation

Usage

```
extract_growth_rates(simul, chosen_time = NULL)
```

Arguments

simul	Simulation object from multigen()
chosen_time	numeric timestep at which to extract growth rates

extract_mismatches *Extract species mismatches*

Description

Extract species mismatches

Usage

```
extract_mismatches(x, z)
```

Arguments

x	Simulation object from multigen()
z	Number of the species

generate_cor_traits *Generate correlated traits*

Description

This function generates a matrix of traits based on the given number of patches, species, the number of "additional" traits with a given correlation coefficient. The first trait is always uniform between 1 and the number of patches provided. Then the other traits are generated correlated to this first one. In the end all the traits are scaled between 1 and the number of patches.

Usage

```
generate_cor_traits(  
  number_patches,  
  number_species,  
  number_other = 9,  
  cor_coef = 0.7,  
  min_value = 1  
)
```

Arguments

number_patches	a numeric value giving the total number of patches
number_species	a numeric value giving the total number of species to simulate (number of rows in the trait tables)
number_other	a numeric value giving the number of additional traits to generate in addition to the trait correlated to the number of patches
cor_coef	a numeric value giving the correlation coefficient between the first trait and the other ones
min_value	a minimum trait value

Value

a matrix of traits with species in rows and traits in columns

Examples

```
traits <- generate_cor_traits(25, 100, 3, 0.3)
```

generate_cor_traits_rand

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Usage

```
generate_cor_traits_rand(
  number_patches,
  number_species,
  number_other = 9,
  cor_coef = 0.7,
  min_value = 1
)
```

Arguments

number_patches Number of patches to consider
 number_species Number of species to which generate the traits
 number_other (default = 9) Number of other traits to generate
 cor_coef (default = 0.7) Correlation coefficient between first and other traits
 min_value absolute minimum trait value

mismatch *Plot mismatch per species between environmental optimum and max. abundance*

Description

Plot mismatch per species between environmental optimum and max. abundance

Usage

```
mismatch(simul, n_patches = 25, sp, time = 50, plot = TRUE)
```

Arguments

simul	results array of a given simulation (a <code>multigen()</code> output)
n_patches	an integer indicating the patch number
sp	integer for the number of species to consider
time	an integer indicating the number of time steps
plot	a boolean determining whether to plot or not the mismatch

multigen	<i>Function to run the simulation</i>
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Description

Using specified parameters this function run the simulation

Usage

```
multigen(
  traits,
  trait_weights,
  env,
  time,
  species,
  patches,
  composition,
  A = A,
  B = B,
  d,
  k,
  width,
  H,
  h_fun = "+",
  di_thresh = 24,
  lim_sim_exponent = 2,
  hierar_exponent = 0.5
)
```

Arguments

traits	a species-traits data.frame with species as rownames and traits as numeric columns with names matching trait_weights column trait
trait_weights	data.frame with at least three columns equal to trait (giving the name of the concerned traits in traits df), growth_weight the relative weight of the trait in growth and compet_weight the relative weight of the trait in competition.
env	a vector of environmental values

time	an integer giving the total number of generations
species	an integer giving the total number of species to simulate
patches	an integer giving the total number of patches to simulate
composition	the actual array containing species abundances per site over time, giving the initial populations of each species
A	the scalar of inter-specific competition coefficient (see bevHoltFct())
B	the scalar for intra-specific competition coefficient by default $B = A$
d	a numeric value between 0 and 1 giving the percentage of dispersal occurring across all patches
k	a scalar giving the maximum growth rate in optimal environment
width	a numeric giving niche breadth of all species
H	a numeric for hierarchical competition such as $H/k \leq 1$
h_fun	a function that describes how hierarchical is combined to environmental-based growth (default: <code>sum()</code>)
di_thresh	dissimilarity threshold above which species are considered maximally dissimilar
lim_sim_exponent	exponent to use for limiting similarity distances
hierar_exponent	exponent to use for hierarchical compet. distances

plot_patch

Plot patch dynamics

Description

Plot the dynamics of species in a single patch over time. Automatically assigns one color per species.

Usage

```
plot_patch(results, patch, time, equilibrium = FALSE)
```

Arguments

results	results array of a given simulation (a multigen() output)
patch	an integer indicating the patch number
time	an integer indicating the maximum timestep to look at
equilibrium	a boolean, if TRUE, displays a vertical line when equilibrium is reached

plot_rh	<i>Plot hierarchical growth of species in all the patches</i>
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Description

Automatically assigns one color per species.

Usage

```
plot_rh(simul, n_patches, time)
```

Arguments

simul	results array of a given simulation (a <code>multigen()</code> output)
n_patches	an integer indicating the patch number
time	an integer indicating the number of time steps

r_env	<i>Plot environmental response curves of species in all the patches</i>
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Description

Automatically assigns one color per species.

Usage

```
r_env(simul, n_patches, sp, plot = TRUE)
```

Arguments

simul	results array of a given simulation (a <code>multigen()</code> output)
n_patches	an integer indicating the patch number
sp	integer for the number of species to consider
plot	a boolean determining whether to plot or not the response curves

r_env_CT

Extract Species by Patch Growth Rates and Optimal Patches

Description

Extract Species by Patch Growth Rates and Optimal Patches

Usage

```
r_env_CT(simul, n_patches, sp1, time)
```

Arguments

simul	a simulation output from multigen()
n_patches	the number of patches in the simulation
sp1	the number of species
time	the time slice at which e

Value

Outputs 4 data.frame of species by patch mismatches each with four columns:

- env_all -> Environmental Growth only
- r_all -> Environmental + Hierarchical competition Growth only
- r_comp -> Abundance
- r_envab -> Abundance based on environmental filtering only

The 4 data.frame are:

- env -> Patch
- sp -> Species
- r_env -> Observed statistic (environmental growth, total growth, abundance, environmental filtering abundance)
- max_r_env -> Patch of maximum observed statistic

scale_distance	<i>Scale distance or matrix between 0 and 1</i>
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Description
$$\text{dist} - \min(\text{dist}) / (\max(\text{dist}) - \min(\text{dist}))$$
Usage

```
scale_distance(dist_matrix)
```

Arguments

dist_matrix a matrix or a dist object

sp_ab_gr	<i>Plot environmental response curves of species in all the patches</i>
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Description

Automatically assigns one color per species.

Usage

```
sp_ab_gr(simul, n_patches, sp, time)
```

Arguments

simul results array of a given simulation (a [multigen\(\)](#) output)

n_patches an integer indicating the patch number

sp integer for the number of species to consider

time integer determining the time step of interest

wtd_kurtosis	<i>Weighted Kurtosis with na.rm</i>
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Description

Compute weighted kurtosis using `Weighted.Desc.Stat::w.kurtosis` but add an option to remove NA values

Usage

```
wtd_kurtosis(x, w, na.rm = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	values whose weighted mean is to be computed
w	weights of the same length as x to be used against x
na.rm	a logical values indicating whether NA values in both x and w should be stripped before computation

wtd_mean	<i>Weighted mean that allows NA in values and weights</i>
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Description

Weighted mean that allows NA in values and weights

Usage

```
wtd_mean(x, w, na.rm = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	values whose weighted mean is to be computed
w	weights of the same length as x to be used against x
na.rm	a logical values indicating whether NA values in both x and w should be stripped before computation

wtd_skewness	<i>Weighted Skewness with na.rm</i>
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Description

Compute weighted Skewness using `Weighted.Desc.Stat::w.skewness` but add an option to remove NA values

Usage

```
wtd_skewness(x, w, na.rm = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	values whose weighted mean is to be computed
w	weights of the same length as x to be used against x
na.rm	a logical values indicating whether NA values in both x and w should be stripped before computation

wtd_var	<i>Weighted Variance</i>
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Description

Weighted Variance

Usage

```
wtd_var(x, w, na.rm = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	values whose weighted mean is to be computed
w	weights of the same length as x to be used against x
na.rm	a logical values indicating whether NA values in both x and w should be stripped before computation

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