

# Package ‘FASeg’

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**Description** It contains a function designed to the joint segmentation in the mean of several correlated series. The method is described in the paper X. Collilieux, E. Lebarbier and S. Robin. A factor model approach for the joint segmentation with between-series correlation (2015) <[doi:10.48550/arXiv.1505.05660](https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.1505.05660)>.

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**Description**

FASeg contains a function designed to the joint segmentation (the segmentation is series-specific) in the mean of several correlated series. The form of the correlation is assumed to be arbitrary and we propose to model it with a factor model. A EM algorithm is used to estimate the parameters and a model selection strategy is proposed to determine both the number of breakpoints and the number of factors

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**References**

A factor model approach for the joint segmentation with between-series correlation (arXiv:1505.05660)

**Examples**

```
library(FASeg)
data(Y)
M=max(Y$series)
uniKmax=3
multiKmax=11
qmax=M-1
selection=FALSE
WithoutCorr=FALSE
seg=F_FASeg(Y,uniKmax,multiKmax,qmax,selection,WithoutCorr)
```

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F\_FASeg

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*Joint Segmentation of Set of Correlated Time-Series*


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**Description**

This function is dedicated to the joint segmentation (the segmentation is series-specific) in the mean of several correlated series. The form of the correlation is assumed to be arbitrary and we propose to model it with a factor model. A EM algorithm is used to estimate the parameters. A model selection procedure is also proposed to determine both the number of breakpoints and the number of factors.

**Usage**

```
F_FASeg(Y, uniKmax, multiKmax, qmax, selection, WithoutCorr)
```

**Arguments**

Y	Data frame, with size $[(n \times M) \times 3]$ , which contains the data and other informations, $n$ is the length of each series and $M$ is the number of series
uniKmax	Maximal number of segments per series (uniKmax will be lower or equal to $n$ )
multiKmax	Maximal number of segments for all the series (multiKmax will be greater or equal to $M$ )
qmax	Maximal number of factors (qmax will be lower or equal to $M-1$ ) (default qmax= $M-1$ ). If qmax=0 then a joint segmentation with multiKmax segments and without taking into account the correlation between series is performed
selection	A logical value indicating if the selection of the number of segments $K$ and the number of factors $Q$ is performed (default=TRUE). If it is TRUE, $K$ and $Q$ are selected; if it is FALSE, $K$ is fixed to multiKmax and $Q$ is fixed to qmax
WithoutCorr	A logical value indicating if, when $K$ and $Q$ are selected, the joint segmentation without taking into account the correlation between series is also a possible solution in the selection (default=FALSE)

**Value**

Contains the following attributes:

SelectedK	Selected number of segments for all the series if selection=TRUE, the number of segments fixed by the user otherwise ( $K=multiKmax$ )
Selectedq	Selected number of factors if selection=TRUE, the number of factors fixed by the user otherwise ( $Q=qmax$ )
SelectedSigma	Estimation of the covariance matrix Sigma
SelectedPsi	Estimation of the matrix Psi
SelectedB	Estimation of the matrix of coefficients B
SelectedZ	Estimation of the latent vectors Z
SelectedSeg	Optimal segmentation with a selected or fixed value of the number of segments and the number of factors

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Y

*Matrix of data***Description**

A data frame  $[(n \times M) \times 3]$  containing 5 Gaussian series with size  $n=50$  each simulated as in the paper arXiv:1505.05660 (with  $\rho=0.6$  and  $\sigma=0.2$ ). The total number of segments is  $K=11$  or 6 breakpoints (at position 39 for series 1; 35 for series 2; no breaks for series 3; 11 for series 4 and 2, 3 and 12 for series 5).

**Usage**

```
data(Y)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 250 observations on the following 3 variables.

`series` a numeric vector

`position` a numeric vector

`signal` a numeric vector

**Details**

`series`: the number of the series; `position`: the grid  $\{1:n\}$ ; `signal`: the values of the observed signal

**Examples**

```
library(FASeg)
```

```
data(Y)
```

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