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hxbeta	A function to calculate the beta-smoothed hazard rate
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innervar	A utility function to calculate the inner integration of the overall variance
instudyfindt	calculate the timeline in study when some or all subjects have entered
ovbeta	calculate the overall log hazard ratio
overallcov	calculate the overall covariance
overallcovp1	calculate the first part of the overall covariance
overallcovp2	calculate the other parts of the overall covariance
overallvar	calculate the overall variance
pwe	Piecewise exponential distribution: hazard, cumulative hazard, density, distribution, survival
pwecx	Various function for piecewise exponential distribution with crossover effect
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pwecxpwufindt	calculate the timeline when certain number of events accumulates
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pwefv2	A utility function
pwefvplus	A utility functon
pwepower	Calculating the powers of various the test statistics for superiority trials
pwepowereq	Calculating the powers of various the test statistics for equivalence trials
pwepowerfindt	Calculating the timepoint where a certain power of the specified test statistics is obtained
pwepowerni	Calculating the powers of various the test statistics for non-inferiority trials
pwesim	simulating the test statistics
pwu	Piecewise uniform distribution: distribution
qpwe	Piecewise exponential distribution: quantile function

qpwu	Piecewise uniform distribution: quantile function
rmstcov	Calculation of the variance and covariance of estimated restricted mean survival time
rmsth	Estimate the restricted mean survival time (RMST) and its variance from data
rmstpower	Calculate powers at different cut-points based on difference of restricted mean survival times (RMST)
rmstpowerfindt	Calculating the timepoint where a certain power of mean difference of RMSTs is obtained
rmstsim	simulating the restricted mean survival times
rmstutil	A utility function to calculate the true restricted mean survival time (RMST) and its variance account for delayed treatment, discontinued treatment and non-uniform entry
rpwe	Piecewise exponential distribution: random number generation
rpwecx	Piecewise exponential distribution with crossover effect: random number generation
rpwu	Piecewise uniform distribution: random number generation
spf	A utility function
wlrcal	A utility function to calculate the weighted log-rank statistics and their varainces given the weights
wlrcom	A function to calculate the various weighted log-rank statistics and their varainces
wlrutil	A utility function to calculate some common functions in contructing weights

There are 5 types of crossover considered in the package: (1) Markov crossover, (2) Semi-Markov crosover, (3) Hybrid crossover-1, (4) Hybrid crossover-2 and (5) Hybrid crossover-3. The first 3 types are described in Luo et al. (2018). The fourth and fifth types are added for Version 1.3.0. The crossover type is determined by the hazard function after crossover $\lambda_2^{\mathbf{x}}(t \mid u)$. For Type (1), the Markov crossover,

$$\lambda_2^{\mathbf{x}}(t \mid u) = \lambda_2(t).$$

For Type (2), the Semi-Markov crossover,

$$\lambda_2^{\mathbf{x}}(t \mid u) = \lambda_2(t - u).$$

For Type (3), the hybrid crossover-1,

$$\lambda_2^{\mathbf{x}}(t \mid u) = \pi_2\lambda_2(t - u) + (1 - \pi_2)\lambda_4(t).$$

For Type (4), the hazard after crossover is

$$\lambda_2^{\mathbf{x}}(t \mid u) = \frac{\pi_2\lambda_2(t - u)S_2(t - u) + (1 - \pi_2)\lambda_4(t)S_4(t)/S_4(u)}{\pi_2 S_2(t - u) + (1 - \pi_2)S_4(t)/S_4(u)}.$$

For Type (5), the hazard after crossover is

$$\lambda_2^{\mathbf{x}}(t \mid u) = \frac{\pi_2 \lambda_2(t - u) S_2(t - u) + (1 - \pi_2) \lambda_4(t - u) S_4(t - u)}{\pi_2 S_2(t - u) + (1 - \pi_2) S_4(t - u)}.$$

The types (4) and (5) are more closely related to "re-randomization", i.e. when a patient crosses, (s)he will have probability π_2 to have hazard λ_2 and probability $1 - \pi_2$ to have hazard λ_4. The types (4) and (5) differ in having λ_4 as Markov or Semi-markov.

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References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

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cp	*Conditional power given observed log hazard ratio*

Description

This will calculate the conditional power given the observed log hazard ratio based on Cox model

Usage

```
cp(Dplan=300,alpha=0.05,two.sided=1,pi1=0.5,Obsbeta=log(seq(1,0.6,by=-0.01)),
    BetaD=log(0.8),Beta0=log(1),prop=seq(0.1,0.9,by=0.1))
```

Arguments

Dplan	Planned number of events at study end
alpha	Type 1 error rate
two.sided	=1 two-sided test and =0 one-sided test
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
Obsbeta	observed log hazard ratio
BetaD	designed log hazard ratio, i.e. under alternative hypothesis
Beta0	null log hazard ratio, i.e. under null hypothesis
prop	proportion of Dplan observed

Details

This is to calculated conditional power at time point when certain percent of target number of event has been observed and an observed log hazard ratio is provided.

Value

CPT	Conditional power under current trend
CPN	Conditional power under null hypothesis
CPD	Conditional power according to design, i.e. under alternative hypothesis

Note

This will calculate the conditional power given the observed log hazard ratio based on Cox model

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Halperin, Lan, Ware, Johnson and DeMets (1982). Controlled Clinical Trials.

See Also

cpboundary,cpstop

Examples

```
###Calculate the CP at 10-90 percent of the target 300 events when the observed HR
###are seq(1,0.6,by=-0.01) with 2:1 allocation
###ratio between the treatment group and the control group
cp(pi1=2/3)
```

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cpboundary   *The stopping boundary based on the conditional power criteria*

Description

This will calculate the stopping boundary based on the conditional power criteria, i.e. if observed HR is above the boundary, the conditional power will be lower than the designated level. All the calculation is based on the proportional hazards assumption and the Cox model.

Usage

```
cpboundary(Dplan=300,alpha=0.05,two.sided=1,pi1=0.5,cpcut=c(0.2,0.3,0.4),
           BetaD=log(0.8),Beta0=log(1),prop=seq(0.1,0.9,by=0.1))
```

Arguments

Dplan	Planned number of events at study end
alpha	Type 1 error rate
two.sided	=1 two-sided test and =0 one-sided test
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
cpcut	the designated conditional power level
BetaD	designed log hazard ratio, i.e. under alternative hypothesis
Beta0	null log hazard ratio, i.e. under null hypothesis
prop	proportion of Dplan observed

Details

This will calculate the stopping boundary based on the conditional power criteria, i.e. if observed HR is above the boundary, the conditional power will be lower than the designated level. All the calculation is based on the proportional hazards assumption and the Cox model.

Value

CPTbound	Boundary based on the conditional power under current trend
CPNbound	Boundary based on the conditional power under null hypothesis
CPDbound	Boundary based on the conditional power according to design, i.e. under alternative hypothesis

Note

This will calculate the stopping boundary based on the conditional power criteria

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Halperin, Lan, Ware, Johnson and DeMets (1982). Controlled Clinical Trials.

See Also

[cp](#),[cpstop](#)

Examples

```
###Calculate the stopping boundary at 10-90 percent of the target 300 events
###when the condition power are c(0.2,0.3,0.4) with
###2:1 allocation ratio between the treatment group and the control group
cpboundary(pi1=2/3)
```

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cpstop *The stopping probability based on the stopping boundary*

Description

This will calculate the stopping probability given the stopping boundary. All the calculation is based on the proportional hazards assumption and the Cox model.

Usage

```
cpstop(Dplan=300,pi1=0.5,Beta1=log(0.8),Beta0=log(1),
        prop=seq(0.1,0.9,by=0.1),HRbound=rep(0.85,length(prop)))
```

Arguments

Dplan	Planned number of events at study end
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
Beta1	designed log hazard ratio, i.e. under alternative hypothesis
Beta0	null log hazard ratio, i.e. under null hypothesis
prop	proportion of Dplan observed
HRbound	the stopping boundary

Details

This will calculate the stopping probability given the stopping boundary. All the calculation is based on the proportional hazards assumption and the Cox model.

Value

pstop0	Stopping probability under null hypothesis
pstop1	Stopping probability under alternative hypothesis

Note

This will calculate the stopping probability given the stopping boundary

Author(s)

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References

Halperin, Lan, Ware, Johnson and DeMets (1982). Controlled Clinical Trials.

See Also

cp,cpboundary

Examples

```
###Calculate the stopping boundary at 10-90 percent of the target 300 events
###when the condition power are c(0.2,0.3,0.4) with 2:1 allocation ratio
###between the treatment group and the control group, we pick the boundary
###based on 20 percent conditional power according to design, i.e. under alternative
targetD<-800 ###target number of events at study end
#############Allocation prob for the treatment group#############
pi1<-2/3
propevent<-seq(0.1,0.9,by=0.1) ###proportion of events at interim
HRbound<-cpboundary(Dplan=targetD,pi1=pi1,prop=propevent)$CPDbound[,1] ###picking a boundary
pa<-cpstop(pi1=pi1,HRbound=HRbound)   ###stopping probabilities under null and alternative
pa

###Calculate the stopping probability under non-constant hazard ratio
n1<-length(propevent)

####time point at which hazard rates and hazard ratios change
tchange<-c(0,6,12,24)
###annual event rates=0.09(1st yr), 0.07(2nd yr) and 0.05(2+yr) for control
ratet<-c(0.09/12,0.09/12,0.07/12,0.05/12)
###annual censoring rate=0%(1st yr) and 1.5%(after) for control and treatment
ratec0<-c(0/12,0/12,0.015/12,0.015/12)
ratec1<-ratec0
###annual treatment discontinuation rate=4% (1st yr) and 3% (after)
rate31<-c(0.04/12,0.04/12,0.03/12,0.03/12)
rate30<-rep(0,length(tchange))

############Recruitment curve##################
oa<-c(100,200,300,300,400,400,400,400,400,400,400,400,300,200)
ntotal<-sum(oa)
ntotal

taur<-length(oa)
ut<-seq(1,taur,by=1)
u<-oa/ntotal


#############Type-1 error rate#############
alpha<-0.05

####null hypothesis
eta0<-log(1)

####constant HR
etac<-log(0.8)

####non-constant HR
eta<-c(log(1),log(0.75),log(0.75),log(0.75)) ###6-m delayed


####target number of events where calculations are performed##############
sevent<-propevent*targetD
```

```
nse<-length(sevent)
xtimeline<-xbeta<-xvar<-pxstop<-matrix(0,ncol=2,nrow=nse)
xtimeline[,1]<-xbeta[,1]<-xvar[,1]<-pxstop[,1]<-sevent
i<-1
tbegin<-proc.time()
for (i in 1:nse){
###find timeline
xtimeline[i,2]<-pwecxpwufindt(target=sevent[i],ntotal=ntotal,
                taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
                rate11=exp(eta)*ratet,rate21=exp(eta)*ratet,rate31=rate31,ratec1=ratec1,
                rate10=ratet,rate20=ratet,rate30=rate30,ratec0=ratec0,
                tchange=tchange,eps=0.001,init=taur,epsilon=0.000001,maxiter=100)$tau1


#Overall hazard ratio and varaince
xbeta[i,2]<-ovbeta(tfix=xtimeline[i,2],taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=pi1,
                rate11=exp(eta)*ratet,rate21=exp(eta)*ratet,rate31=rate31,ratec1=ratec1,
                rate10=ratet,rate20=ratet,rate30=rate30,ratec0=ratec0,
                tchange=tchange,eps=0.001,veps=0.001,epsbeta=1.0e-10)$b1
xvar[i,2]<-overallvar(tfix=xtimeline[i,2],taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=pi1,
                rate11=exp(eta)*ratet,rate21=exp(eta)*ratet,rate31=rate31,ratec1=ratec1,
                rate10=ratet,rate20=ratet,rate30=rate30,ratec0=ratec0,
                tchange=tchange,eps=0.001,veps=0.001,beta=xbeta[i,2])$vbeta
}
##stopping prob
pxstop[,2]<-1-pnorm(sqrt(ntotal)*(log(HRbound)-xbeta[,2])/sqrt(xvar[,2]))
tend<-proc.time()

xout<-cbind(xtimeline[,1],xtimeline[,2],xbeta[,2],xvar[,2]/ntotal,
            1/pi1/(1-pi1)/xtimeline[,1],pxstop[,2],pa$pstop0,pa$pstop1)
xnames<-c("# of events", "Time", "Estbeta", "TrueV", "ApproxV", "NCHR", "Null", "CHR")
colnames(xout)<-xnames
options(digits=2)
xout
```

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 fourhr   *A utility functon*

Description

This will calculate the more complex integration

Usage

```
fourhr(t=seq(0,5,by=0.5),rate1=c(0,5,0.8),rate2=rate1,
                    rate3=c(0.1,0.2),rate4=rate2,tchange=c(0,3),eps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

t	A vector of time points
rate1	piecewise constant event rate

rate2	piecewise constant event rate
rate3	piecewise constant event rate
rate4	additional piecewise constant
tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates and tchange must have the same length.
eps	tolerance

Details

Let $h_1, \ldots, h_4$ correspond to rate1,...,rate4, and $H_1, \ldots, H_4$ be the corresponding survival functions. We calculate

$$\int_0^t h_1(s)H_2(s)h_3(t-s)H_4(t-s)ds.$$

Value

fx	values

Note

This provides the result of the complex integration

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References

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See Also

[rpwe](#)

Examples

```
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
r3<-c(0.1,0.2)
r4<-c(0.5,0.4)
tchange<-c(0,1.75)
fourhrfun<-fourhr(t=seq(0,5,by=0.5),rate1=r1,rate2=r2,rate3=r3,
                rate4=r4,tchange=c(0,3),eps=1.0e-2)
fourhrfun
```

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hxbeta   *A function to calculate the beta-smoothed hazard rate*

Description

A function to calculate the beta-smoothed hazard rate

Usage

```
hxbeta(x=c(0.5,1),y=seq(.1,1,by=0.01),d=rep(1,length(y)),
          tfix=2,K=20,eps=1.0e-06)
```

Arguments

x	time points where the estimated hazards are calculated
y	observed times
d	non-censoring indicators
tfix	maximum time point at which the hazard function is estimated
K	smooth parameter for the hazard estimate
eps	the error tolerance when comparing event times

Details

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Value

lambda	estimated hazard at points x

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Examples

```
n<-200
taur<-2.8
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
tfix<-taur+2
tseq<-seq(0,tfix,by=0.1)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
tchange<-c(0,1.873)
```

```
E<-T<-C<-d<-rep(0,n)
E<-rpwu(nr=n,u=u,ut=ut)$r
C<-rpwe(nr=n,rate=rc1,tchange=tchange)$r
T<-rpwecx(nr=n,rate1=r11,rate2=r21,rate3=r31,
                rate4=r41,rate5=r51,tchange=tchange,type=1)$r
y<-pmin(pmin(T,C),tfix-E)
y1<-pmin(C,tfix-E)
d[T<=y]<-1

lambda=hxbeta(x=tseq,y=y,d=d,tfix=tfix,K=20,eps=1.0e-06)$lambda
lambda
```

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innercov   *A utility function to calculate the inner integration of the overall co-variance*

Description

This will calculate the inner integration of the overall covariance accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
innercov(tupp=seq(0,10,by=0.5),tlow=tupp-0.1,taur=5,
                    u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
                    rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
                    rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
                    rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
                    rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=ratec1,
                    tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                    rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
                    eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0)
```

Arguments

tupp	A vector of upper bounds
tlow	A vector of lower bounds
taur	recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group

rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob for the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob for the control group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the integrations.
beta	The value at which the inner part of the covaraince is computed.

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

qf1	The first part of the inner integration
qf2	The second part of the inner integration

Note

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References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

See Also

[pwe](#),[rpwe](#),[qpwe](#),[pwecx](#),[ovbeta](#),[innervar](#)

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
getinner<-innercov(tupp=rep(5,times=11),tlow=seq(0,5,by=0.5),taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
                   rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,
                   rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
                   rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,
                   rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
                   tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                   eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0.5)
cbind(getinner$qf1,getinner$qf0)
```

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innervar	*A utility function to calculate the inner integration of the overall variance*

Description

This will calculate the inner integration of the overall variance accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
innervar(t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
                   rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
                   rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
                   rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
                   rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
                   tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
```

```
                              rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
                              eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0)
```

Arguments

t	A vector of time points where the integration is calculated.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob for the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob for the control group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the Fisher information.
beta	The value at which the varaince is computed.

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

qf1	The first part of the inner integration
qf2	The second part of the inner integration

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,pwecx,ovbeta,innervar

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
getinner<-innervar(t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
                    rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,
                    rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
                    rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,
                    rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
                    tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                    eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0.5)
cbind(getinner$qf1,getinner$qf0)
```

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instudyfindt *calculate the timeline in study when some or all subjects have entered*

Description

This will calculate the timeline from some timepoint in study when some/all subjects have entered accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
instudyfindt(target=400,y=exp(rnorm(300)),z=rbinom(300,1,0.5),
              d=rep(c(0,1,2),each=100),
              tcut=2,blinded=1,type0=1,type1=type0,
              rp20=0.5,rp21=0.5,tchange=c(0,1),
          rate10=c(1,0.7),rate20=c(0.9,0.7),rate30=c(0.4,0.6),rate40=rate20,
              rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.3,0.3),
              rate11=rate10,rate21=rate20,rate31=rate30,
              rate41=rate40,rate51=rate50,ratec1=ratec0,
              withmorerec=1,
            ntotal=1000,taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
              ntype0=1,ntype1=1,
              nrp20=0.5,nrp21=0.5,ntchange=c(0,1),
              nrate10=rate10,nrate20=rate20,nrate30=rate30,nrate40=rate40,
              nrate50=rate50,nratec0=ratec0,
              nrate11=rate10,nrate21=rate20,nrate31=rate30,nrate41=rate40,
              nrate51=rate50,nratec1=ratec0,
              eps=1.0e-2,init=tcut*1.1,epsilon=0.001,maxiter=100)
```

Arguments

target	target number of events
y	observed times
z	observed treatment indicator when `blinded=0`, z=1 denotes the treatment group and 0 the control group
d	event indicator, 1=event, 0=censored, 2=no event or censored up to `tcut`, the data cut-point
tcut	the data cut-point
blinded	blinded=1 if the data is blinded,=0 if it is unblinded
type0	type of the crossover for the observed data in the control group
type1	type of the crossover for the observed data in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob for the observed data in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob for the observed data in the treatment group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as ratejk, j=1,2,3,4,5,c; k=0,1

rate10	Hazard before crossover for the old subjects in the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the old subjects in the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the old subjects in the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the old subjects in the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the old subjects in the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the old subjects in the control group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the old subjects in the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the old subjects in the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the old subjects in the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the old subjects in the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the old subjects in the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the old subjects in the treatment group
withmorerec	withmorerec=1 if more subjects are needed to be recruited; =0 otherwise
ntotal	total number of the potential new subjects
taur	recruitment time for the potential new subjects
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate for the potential new subjects
ut	Recruitment intervals for the potential new subjects
pi1	Allocation probability to the treatment group for the potential new subjects
ntype0	type of the crossover for the potential new subjects in the control group
ntype1	type of the crossover for the potential new subjects in the treatment group
nrp20	re-randomization prob for the potential new subjects in the control group
nrp21	re-randomization prob for the potential new subjects in the treatment group
ntchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of ntchange must be zero. It must have the same length as nratejk, j=1,2,3,4,5,c; k=0,1
nrate10	Hazard before crossover for the potential new subjects in the control group
nrate20	Hazard after crossover for the potential new subjects in the control group
nrate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the potential new subjects in the control group
nrate40	Hazard after crossover for the potential new subjects in the control group for complex case
nrate50	Hazard after crossover for the potential new subjects in the control group for complex case
nratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the potential new subjects in the control group
nrate11	Hazard before crossover for the potential new subjects in the treatment group
nrate21	Hazard after crossover for the potential new subjects in the treatment group
nrate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the potential new subjects in the treatment group

nrate41	Hazard after crossover for the potential new subjects in the treatment group for complex case
nrate51	Hazard after crossover for the potential new subjects in the treatment group for complex case
nratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the potential new subjects in the treatment group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
init	initital value of the timeline estimate
epsilon	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the timeline.
maxiter	Maximum number of iterations when calculating the timeline

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to `rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0` are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same `tchange`. The hazard functions corresponding to `nrate11,...,nrate51,nratec1, nrate10,...,nrate50,nratec0` are all piecewise constant functions and all must have the same `ntchange`.

Value

t1	the calculated timeline
dvalue	the number of events
dvprime	the derivative of the event cummulative function at time `t1`
tvar	the variance of the timeline estimator
ny	total number of subjects that could be in the study
eps	final tolerance
iter	Number of iterations performed
t1hist	the history of the iteration for timeline
dvaluehist	the history of the iteration for the event count
dvprimehist	the history of the iteration for the derivative of event count with respect to time

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

[pwe,rpwe,qpwe,pwecxpwufindt](#)

Examples

```
n<-1000
target<-550
ntotal<-1000
pi1<-0.5
taur<-2.8
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
tchange<-c(0,1.873)
tcut<-2

####generate the data
E<-T<-C<-Z<-delta<-rep(0,n)
E<-rpwu(nr=n,u=u,ut=ut)$r
Z<-rbinom(n,1,pi1)
n1<-sum(Z)
n0<-sum(1-Z)
C[Z==1]<-rpwe(nr=n1,rate=rc1,tchange=tchange)$r
C[Z==0]<-rpwe(nr=n0,rate=rc0,tchange=tchange)$r
T[Z==1]<-rpwecx(nr=n1,rate1=r11,rate2=r21,rate3=r31,
                rate4=r41,rate5=r51,tchange=tchange,type=1)$r
T[Z==0]<-rpwecx(nr=n0,rate1=r10,rate2=r20,rate3=r30,
                rate4=r40,rate5=r50,tchange=tchange,type=1)$r
y<-pmin(pmin(T,C),tcut-E)
y1<-pmin(C,tcut-E)
delta[T<=y]<-1
delta[C<=y]<-0
delta[tcut-E<=y & tcut-E>0]<-2
delta[tcut-E<=y & tcut-E<=0]<--1

ys<-y[delta>-1]
Zs<-Z[delta>-1]
ds<-delta[delta>-1]
```

```
nplus<-sum(delta==-1)
nd0<-sum(ds==0)
nd1<-sum(ds==1)
nd2<-sum(ds==2)


ntaur<-taur-tcut
nu<-c(1/ntaur,1/ntaur)
nut<-c(ntaur/2,ntaur)

###calculate the timeline at baseline
xt<-pwecxpwufindt(target=target,ntotal=n,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=pi1,
            rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,ratec1=rc1,
            rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,ratec0=rc0,
            tchange=tchange,eps=0.001,init=taur,epsilon=0.000001,maxiter=100)
###calculate the timeline in study
yt<-instudyfindt(target=target,y=ys,z=Zs,d=ds,
                    tcut=tcut,blinded=0,type1=1,type0=1,tchange=tchange,
                    rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,ratec0=rc0,
                    rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,ratec1=rc1,
                    withmorerec=1,
                    ntotal=nplus,taur=ntaur,u=nu,ut=nut,pi1=pi1,
                    ntype1=1,ntype0=1,ntchange=tchange,
                    nrate10=r10,nrate20=r20,nrate30=r30,nratec0=rc0,
                    nrate11=r11,nrate21=r21,nrate31=r31,nratec1=rc1,
                    eps=1.0e-2,init=2,epsilon=0.001,maxiter=100)
##timelines
c(yt$t1,xt$t1)
##standard errors of the timeline estimators
c(sqrt(yt$tvar/yt$ny),sqrt(xt$tvar/n))
###95 percent CIs
c(yt$t1-1.96*sqrt(yt$tvar/yt$ny),yt$t1+1.96*sqrt(yt$tvar/yt$ny))
c(xt$t1-1.96*sqrt(xt$tvar/n),xt$t1+1.96*sqrt(xt$tvar/n))
```

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ovbeta   *calculate the overall log hazard ratio*

Description

This will calculate the overall (log) hazard ratio accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
ovbeta(tfix=2.0,taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
        rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),rate41=rate21,
        rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
        rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,rate40=rate20,
        rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.4,0.3),
```

```
        tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
        rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
        eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,
        beta0=0,epsbeta=1.0e-4,iterbeta=25)
```

Arguments

tfix	The time point where the overall log hazard ratio is computed.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the Fisher information.
beta0	The starting value of the Newton-Raphson iterative procedure.
epsbeta	Absolute tolerance when calculating the overall log hazard ratio.
iterbeta	Maximum number of iterations when calculating the overall log hazard ratio.

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

b1	The overall log hazard ratio
hr	The overall hazard ratio
err	Error at the last iterative step
iter	Number of iterations performed
bhist	The overall log hazard ratio at each step
xnum	The expected score function at each step
xdenom	The Fisher information at each step
atsupp	The grids used to cut the interval [0,tfix] in order to approximate the Fisher information

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
```

```
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
getbeta<-ovbeta(tfix=2.0,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
        rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
        rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
     tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta0=0,epsbeta=1.0e-4,iterbeta=25)
getbeta$b1
```

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overallcov   *calculate the overall covariance*

Description

This will calculate the overall covariance accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
overallcov(tfix=2.0,tfix0=1.0,taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
              rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
              rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
              rate10=c(1,0.7),rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
              rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=ratec1,
              tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
              rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
              eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0,beta0=0)
```

Arguments

tfix	The upper point where the overall covariance is computed.
tfix0	The lower point where the overall covariance is computed.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group

rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the Fisher information.
beta	The value at which the covaraince is computed, upper bound
beta0	The value at which the covaraince is computed, lower bound

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

covbeta	The covariance the score functions
covbeta1	The first part of the cov
covbeta2	The second part of the cov
covbeta3	The third part of the cov
covbeta4	The fourth part of the cov
EA1	The first score function
EA2	The second score function

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta,innervar

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
getcov<-overallcov(tfix=2.0,tfix0=1.0,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
             rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,
             rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
             rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,
             rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
             tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
             eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0,beta0=0)
getcov$covbeta
```

---

overallcovp1 *calculate the first part of the overall covariance*

Description

This will calculate the first part of the overall covariance accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
overallcovp1(tfix=2.0,tfix0=1.0,taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
                 rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
                 rate41=rate21,rate51=rate51,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
                 rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
                 rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=ratec1,
                 tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                 rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
                 eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0,beta0=0)
```

Arguments

tfix	The upper point where the overall covariance is computed.
tfix0	The lower point where the overall covariance is computed.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the Fisher information.
beta	The value at which the covaraince is computed, upper bound
beta0	The value at which the covaraince is computed, lower bound

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

covbeta1	The first part of the covariance
EA1	The first score function

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta,innervar

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
getcov1<-overallcovp1(tfix=2.0,tfix0=1.0,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
            rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,
            rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
            rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,
            rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
            tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
            eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0,beta0=0)
getcov1$covbeta1
```

---

overallcovp2   *calculate the other parts of the overall covariance*

Description

This will calculate the other parts of the overall covariance accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
overallcovp2(tfix=2.0,tfix0=1.0,taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
                rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
                rate41=rate21,rate51=rate51,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
                rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
                rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=ratec1,
                tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
                eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0,beta0=0)
```

Arguments

tfix	The upper point where the overall covariance is computed.
tfix0	The lower point where the overall covariance is computed.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as `rate11, rate21, rate31,` etc.

type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function

$$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$

with $l = 0, 1, 2$.

veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the Fisher information.
beta	The value at which the covaraince is computed, upper bound
beta0	The value at which the covaraince is computed, lower bound

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

cov234	The other part of the covariance
covbeta2	The second part of the covariance
covbeta3	The third part of the covariance
covbeta4	The fourth part of the covariance
EA2	The second score function

Note

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Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

[pwe](),[rpwe](),[qpwe](),[ovbeta](),[innervar]()

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
getcov2<-overallcovp2(tfix=2.0,tfix0=1.0,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
                rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,
                rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
                rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,
                rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
                tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0,beta0=0)
getcov2
```

---

overallvar	*calculate the overall variance*

Description

This will calculate the overall variance accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
overallvar(tfix=2.0,taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
                    rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
                    rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
                    rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
                    rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
                    tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                    rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
                    eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0)
```

Arguments

tfix	The time point where the overall variance is computed.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals

pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the Fisher information.
beta	The value at which the varaince is computed.

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

vbeta	The variance of the overall log hazard ratio at the specified beta
vs	The variance of the score function at the specified beta
xdenom	Fisher information at the specified beta
EA	value of the score function
EA2	The first part of the variance
AB	Half of the second part of the variance

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta,innervar

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
###variance with beta=0, calculate log-rank variance under the alternative
vbeta0<-overallvar(tfix=2.0,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
        rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
        rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
        tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=0)


###variance with beta=0, calculate log-rank variance under the alternative
###Estimate the overall beta
getbeta<-ovbeta(tfix=2.0,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
        rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
        rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
        tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta0=0,
        epsbeta=1.0e-4,iterbeta=25)
vbeta<-overallvar(tfix=2.0,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
        rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
        rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
      tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,beta=getbeta$b1)
cbind(vbeta0$vs,vbeta$vs)
```

pwe	*Piecewise exponential distribution: hazard, cumulative hazard, density, distribution, survival*

Description

This will provide the related functions of the specified piecewise exponential distribution.

Usage

```
pwe(t=seq(0,5,by=0.5),rate=c(0,5,0.8),tchange=c(0,3))
```

Arguments

t	A vector of time points.
rate	A vector of event rates
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate.

Details

Let $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$ be the hazard function, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of *rate* and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. The cumulative hazard function

$$\Lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j (t \wedge t_j - t \wedge t_{j-1}),$$

the survival function $S(t) = \exp\{-\Lambda(t)\}$, the distribution function $F(t) = 1 - S(t)$ and the density function $f(t) = \lambda(t)S(t)$.

Value

hazard	Hazard function
cumhazard	Cumulative hazard function
density	Density function
dist	Distribution function
surv	Survival function

Note

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Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

[rpwe](#),[qpwe](#)

Examples

```
t<-seq(0,3,by=0.1)
rate<-c(0.6,0.3)
tchange<-c(0,1.75)
pwefun<-pwe(t=t,rate=rate,tchange=tchange)
pwefun
```

---

pwecx	*Various function for piecewise exponential distribution with crossover effect*

Description

This will calculate the functions according to the piecewise exponential distribution with crossover

Usage

```
pwecx(t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),rate1=c(1,0.5),rate2=rate1,rate3=c(0.7,0.4),
      rate4=rate2,rate5=rate2,tchange=c(0,1),type=1,rp2=0.5,eps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

t	a vector of time points
rate1	piecewise constant event rate before crossover
rate2	piecewise constant event rate after crossover
rate3	piecewise constant event rate for crossover
rate4	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
rate5	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates `rate1` to `rate5` and tchange must have the same length.
type	type of crossover, i.e. 1: markov, 2: semi-markov, 3: hybrid case 1(as indicated in the reference), 4: hybrid case 2, 5: hybrid case 3.
rp2	re-randomization prob
eps	tolerance

Details

More details

Value

`hazard`	Hazard function
`cumhazard`	Cumulative hazard function
`density`	Density function
`dist`	Distribution function
`surv`	Survival function

Note

This provides a random number generator of the piecewise exponetial distribution with crossover

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

See Also

[rpwe](#)

Examples

```
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
r3<-c(0.1,0.2)
r4<-c(0.5,0.4)
r5<-c(0.4,0.5)
pwecxfun<-pwecx(t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),rate1=r1,rate2=r2,rate3=r3,rate4=r4,
                rate5=r5,tchange=c(0,1),type=1,eps=1.0e-2)
pwecxfun$surv
```

pwecxcens	*Integration of the density of piecewise exponential distribution with crossover effect and the censoring function*

Description

This will calculate the functions according to the piecewise exponential distribution with crossover

Usage

```
pwecxcens(t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),rate1=c(1,0.5),rate2=rate1,
          rate3=c(0.7,0.4),rate4=rate2,rate5=rate2,ratec=c(0.2,0.3),
          tchange=c(0,1),type=1,rp2=0.5,eps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

t	a vector of time points
rate1	piecewise constant event rate before crossover
rate2	piecewise constant event rate after crossover
rate3	piecewise constant event rate for crossover
rate4	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
rate5	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
ratec	censoring piecewise constant event rate
tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates rate1 to ratec and tchange must have the same length.
type	type of crossover, i.e. markov, semi-markov and hybrid
rp2	re-randomization prob
eps	tolerance

Details

This is to calculate the function (and its derivative)

$$\xi(t) = \int_0^t \widetilde{f}(s) S_C(s) ds,$$

where S_C is the piecewise exponential survival function of the censoring time, defined by tchange and ratec, and $\widetilde{f}$ is the density for the event distribution subject to crossover defined by tchange, rate1 to rate5 and type.

Value

du	the function
duprime	its derivative
s	the survival function of $\widetilde{f}$
sc	the survival function S_C

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

rpwe

Examples

```
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
r3<-c(0.1,0.2)
r4<-c(0.5,0.4)
r5<-c(0.4,0.5)
rc<-c(0.5,0.6)
exu<-pwecxcens(t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),rate1=r1,rate2=r2,
              rate3=r3,rate4=r4,rate5=r5,ratec=rc,
              tchange=c(0,1),type=1,eps=1.0e-2)
c(exu$du,exu$duprime)
```

---

pwecxpwu   *Integration of the density of piecewise exponential distribution with crossover effect, censoring and recruitment function*

Description

This will calculate the functions according to the piecewise exponential distribution with crossover

Usage

```
pwecxpwu(t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),taur=5,
        u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),
        rate1=c(1,0.5),rate2=rate1,rate3=c(0.7,0.4),
        rate4=rate2,rate5=rate2,ratec=c(0.5,0.6),
        tchange=c(0,1),type=1,rp2=0.5,eps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

t	a vector of time points
taur	recruitment time
u	recruitment rate
ut	recruitment interval, must have the same length as u
rate1	piecewise constant event rate before crossover

rate2	piecewise constant event rate after crossover
rate3	piecewise constant event rate for crossover
rate4	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
rate5	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
ratec	censoring piecewise constant event rate
tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates rate1 to ratec and tchange must have the same length.
type	type of crossover, i.e. markov, semi-markov and hybrid
rp2	re-randomization prob
eps	tolerance

Details

This is to calculate the function (and its derivative)

$$\xi(t) = \int_0^t G_E(t-s)\widetilde{f}(s)S_C(s)ds,$$

where G_E is the accrual function defined by taur, u and ut, S_C is the piecewise exponential survival function of the censoring time, defined by tchange and ratec, and $\widetilde{f}$ is the density for the event distribution subject to crossover defined by tchange, rate1 to rate5 and type.

Value

du	the function
duprime	its derivative

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

rpwe

Examples

```
taur<-2
u<-c(0.6,0.4)
ut<-c(1,2)
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
r3<-c(0.1,0.2)
```

```
r4<-c(0.5,0.4)
r5<-c(0.4,0.5)
rc<-c(0.5,0.6)
exu<-pwecxpwu(t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,
        rate1=r1,rate2=r2,rate3=r3,rate4=r4,rate5=r5,ratec=rc,
        tchange=c(0,1),type=1,eps=1.0e-2)
c(exu$du,exu$duprime)
```

---

pwecxpwufindt	*calculate the timeline when certain number of events accumulates*

Description

This will calculate the timeline from study inception accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
pwecxpwufindt(target=400,ntotal=1000,taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
                    rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=c(0.8,0.9),rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
                    rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
                    rate10=c(1,0.7),rate20=c(0.9,0.7),rate30=c(0.4,0.6),
                    rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.3,0.3),
                    tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                    rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,eps=1.0e-2,
                    init=taur,epsilon=0.000001,maxiter=100)
```

Arguments

target	target number of events
ntotal	total number of subjects
taur	recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group

rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
init	initital value of the timeline estimate
epsilon	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the timeline.
maxiter	Maximum number of iterations when calculating the timeline

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

t1	the calculated timeline
tvar	the true variance of the timeline estimator
eps	final tolerance
iter	Number of iterations performed

Note

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Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,instudyfindt

Examples

```
target<-400
ntotal<-2000
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
gettimeline<-pwecxpwufindt(target=target,ntotal=ntotal,
              taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
              rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
              rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
          tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,eps=1.0e-2,init=taur,epsilon=0.000001,maxiter=100)
gettimeline$t1
```

---

pwecxpwuforvar   *calculate the utility function used for varaince calculation*

Description

This is a utility function to calculate the overall variance accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
pwecxpwuforvar(tfix=10,t=seq(0,10,by=0.5),taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),
   rate1=c(1,0.5),rate2=rate1,rate3=c(0.7,0.4),rate4=rate2,rate5=rate2,ratec=c(0.5,0.6),
         tchange=c(0,1),type=1,rp2=0.5,eps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

tfix	The upper point where the integral is computed.
t	A vector of lower bounds where the integral is computed.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate

ut	Recruitment intervals
rate1	Hazard before crossover
rate2	Hazard after crossover
rate3	Hazard for time to crossover
rate4	Hazard after crossover for complex case
rate5	Hazard after crossover for complex case
ratec	Hazard for time to censoring
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate1, rate2, rate3, etc.
type	Type of crossover
rp2	re-randomization prob
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function

$$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$

with $l = 0, 1, 2$.

Details

This is to calculate the function

$$B_l(t, s) = \int_0^s x^l G_E(t - x) \widetilde{f}(x) S_C(x) dx,$$

where G_E is the accrual function defined by taur, u and ut, S_C is the piecewise exponential survival function of the censoring time, defined by tchange and ratec, and $\widetilde{f}$ is the density for the event distribution subject to crossover defined by tchange, rate1 to rate5 and type. This function is useful when calculating the overall varaince and covariance.

Value

f0	the integral when $l = 0$
f1	the integral when $l = 1$

Note

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta,innervar

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
getf<-pwecxpwuforvar(tfix=3,t=seq(0,3,by=1),taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,
                rate1=r11,rate2=r21,rate3=r31,rate4=r41,rate5=r51,ratec=rc1,
                tchange=c(0,1),type=1,eps=1.0e-2)
getf
```

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pwefv2 *A utility function*

Description

This will $int_0^t s^k lambda_1(s)S_2(s)ds$ where k=0,1,2 and rate1=lambda_1 and S_2 has hazard rate2

Usage

```
pwefv2(t=seq(0,5,by=0.5),rate1=c(0,5,0.8),
      rate2=rate1,tchange=c(0,3),eps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

t	A vector of time points
rate1	piecewise constant event rate
rate2	piecewise constant event rate
tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates and tchange must have the same length.
eps	tolerance

Details

Let h_1, h_2 correspond to rate1,rate2, and H_1, H_2 be the corresponding survival functions. This function will calculate

$$\int_0^t s^k h_1(s) H_2(s) ds, \qquad k = 0, 1, 2.$$

Value

f0	values when $k = 0$
f1	values when $k = 1$
f2	values when $k = 2$

Note

This will provide the number of events.

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

See Also

rpwe

Examples

```
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
tchange<-c(0,1.75)
pwefun<-pwefv2(t=seq(0,5,by=0.5),rate1=r1,rate2=r2,
               tchange=tchange,eps=1.0e-2)
pwefun
```

---

pwefvplus *A utility functon*

Description

This will calculate the more complex integration accounting for crossover

Usage

```
pwefvplus(t=seq(0,5,by=0.5),rate1=c(0,5,0.8),rate2=rate1,
                    rate3=c(0.1,0.2),rate4=rate2,rate5=rate2,
                    rate6=c(0.5,0.3),tchange=c(0,3),type=1,
                    rp2=0.5,eps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

t	A vector of time points
rate1	piecewise constant event rate
rate2	piecewise constant event rate
rate3	piecewise constant event rate
rate4	additional piecewise constant
rate5	additional piecewise constant
rate6	piecewise constant event rate for censoring
tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates and tchange must have the same length.
type	type of the crossover, markov, semi-markov and hybrid
rp2	re-randomization prob
eps	tolerance

Details

Let $h_1, \ldots, h_6$ correspond to rate1,...,rate6, and $H_1, \ldots, H_6$ be the corresponding survival functions. Also let $\pi_2 = $ rp2. when type=1, we calculate

$$\int_0^t s^k h_2(s) H_2(s) H_6(s) \int_0^s h_3(u) H_1(u) H_3(u) / H_2(u) du ds;$$

when type=2, we calculate

$$\int_0^t s^k H_6(s) \int_0^s h_3(u) H_1(u) H_3(u) h_2(s-u) H_2(s-u) du ds;$$

when type=3, we calculate the sum of

$$\pi_2 \int_0^t s^k H_4^{1-\pi_2}(s) H_6(s) \int_0^s h_3(u) H_1(u) H_3(u) h_2(s-u) H_2^{\pi_2}(s-u) / H_4^{1-\pi_2}(u) du ds$$

and

$$(1-\pi_2) \int_0^t s^k h_4(s) H_4^{1-\pi_2}(s) H_6(s) \int_0^s h_3(u) H_1(u) H_3(u) H_2^{\pi_2}(s-u) / H_4^{1-\pi_2}(u) du ds;$$

when type=4, we calculate the sum of

$$\pi_2 \int_0^t s^k H_6(s) \int_0^s h_3(u) H_1(u) H_3(u) h_2(s-u) H_2(s-u) du ds$$

and

$$(1-\pi_2) \int_0^t s^k h_4(s) H_4(s) H_6(s) \int_0^s h_3(u) H_1(u) H_3(u) / H_4(u) du ds;$$

when type=5, we calculate the sum of

$$\pi_2 \int_0^t s^k H_6(s) \int_0^s h_3(u) H_1(u) H_3(u) h_2(s-u) H_2(s-u) du ds$$

and

$$(1-\pi_2) \int_0^t s^k H_6(s) \int_0^s h_3(u) H_1(u) H_3(u) h_4(s-u) H_4(s-u) du ds.$$

Value

f0	values when $k = 0$
f1	values when $k = 1$
f2	values when $k = 2$

Note

This provides the result of the complex integration

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

See Also

rpwe

Examples

```
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
r3<-c(0.1,0.2)
r4<-c(0.5,0.4)
r5<-c(0.4,0.5)
r6<-c(0.4,0.5)
tchange<-c(0,1.75)
pwefun<-pwefvplus(t=seq(0,5,by=0.5),rate1=r1,rate2=r2,rate3=r3,
                  rate4=r4,rate5=r5,rate6=r6,
                  tchange=c(0,3),type=1,eps=1.0e-2)
pwefun
```

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pwepower	*Calculating the powers of various the test statistics for superiority trials*

Description

This will calculate the powers for the test statistics accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
pwepower(t=seq(0.1,3,by=0.5),alpha=0.05,twosided=1,taur=1.2,
            u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
            rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
            rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
            rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
            rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
            tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
            eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,epsbeta=1.0e-4,iterbeta=25,
            n=1000)
```

Arguments

t	a vector of time points at which power is calculated, t must be positive
alpha	type-1 error rate
twosided	twosided test or not
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob for the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob for the control group
eps	error tolerence

veps	error tolenrence for calculating variance
epsbeta	error tolerance for calculating overall log HR
iterbeta	maximum number of iterations for calculating overall log HR
n	total number of subjects

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

power	powers for various test statistics. Columns 2-6 are for log-rank and columns 12-16 are for cox model. Column 2 is the exact power based on log-rank/score test; column 3 uses variance approximated by Fisher information, i.e. Lakatos's method; column 4 uses approximated Fisher info by number of events i.e. 4/D(t); column 5 uses approximated Fisher info by assuming exp dist. 1/D1(t)+1/D0(t); column 6 uses Fisher information at beta. Column 12 is the exact power based on Wald test; column 13 uses variance approximated by Fisher information; column 14 uses approximated Fisher info by number of events i.e. 4/D(t); column 15 uses approximated Fisher info by assuming exp dist. 1/D1(t)+1/D0(t); column 16 uses Fisher information at beta=0.

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta,innervar, pwepowerni,pwepowereq

Examples

```
t<-seq(3,6,by=1)
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(0.2,0.1)
r21<-r11
r31<-c(0.03,0.02)
```

```
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.01,0.02)
r10<-c(0.2,0.2)
r20<-r10
r30<-c(0.02,0.01)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.02,0.01)
getpower<-pwepower(t=t,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
                rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
                rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
                tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,n=1000)
###powers at each time point
cbind(t,getpower$power[,c(2:4,12:14)])
```

---

pwepowereq   *Calculating the powers of various the test statistics for equivalence*
                          trials

Description

This will calculate the powers for the test statistics accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
pwepowereq(t=seq(0.1,3,by=0.5),uppermargin=1.3,lowermargin=1/uppermargin,
         alpha=0.05,taur=1.2,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
            rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
            rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
            rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
            rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
            tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
            rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,
            epsbeta=1.0e-4,iterbeta=25,n=1000)
```

Arguments

t	a vector of time points at which power is calculated, t must be positive
uppermargin	the upper margin for the hazard ratio
lowermargin	the lower margin for the hazard ratio
alpha	type-1 error rate
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group

rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	error tolerence
veps	error tolenrence for calculating variance
epsbeta	error tolerance for calculating overall log HR
iterbeta	maximum number of iterations for calculating overall log HR
n	total number of subjects

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

power	powers for cox model. First column is the more accurate power, second column is the power assuming the Fisher information equal to the varaince of beta

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta,innervar, pwepower,pwepowerni

Examples

```
t<-seq(3,6,by=1)
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(0.2,0.1)
r21<-r11
r31<-c(0.03,0.02)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.01,0.02)
r10<-c(0.2,0.2)
r20<-r10
r30<-c(0.02,0.01)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.02,0.01)
getpowereq<-pwepowereq(t=t,uppermargin=1.3,lowermargin=0.8,alpha=0.05,taur=taur,
           u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,
           rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
           rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
           tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,n=1000)
###powers at each time point
cbind(t,getpowereq$power[,1:3])
```

---

pwepowerfindt   *Calculating the timepoint where a certain power of the specified test
                       statistics is obtained*

Description

This will calculate the timepoint where a certain power of the specified test statistics is obtained
accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
pwepowerfindt(power=0.9,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,tupp=5,tlow=1,taur=1.2,
              u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
              rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
              rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
              rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
              rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
              tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
```

```
rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,
epsbeta=1.0e-04,iterbeta=25,
n=1000,testtype=1,maxiter=20,itereps=0.001)
```

Arguments

power	the desired power
alpha	type-1 error
twosided	twoside test or not
tupp	an upper time point where the power should be larger than power
tlow	a lower time point where the power should be smaller than power
taur	recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	error tolerence
veps	error tolenrence for calculating variance
epsbeta	error tolerance for calculating overall log HR
iterbeta	maximum number of iterations for calculating overall log HR
n	total number of subjects
testtype	test statistics, =1 log-rank;=2 Cox model; =3 log-rank with robust variance
maxiter	maximum number of bi-section iterations
itereps	error tolerance of power

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all
piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$
are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of
tchange, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

testtype	type of statistic, =1 log-rank;=2 Cox model; =3 log-rank with robust variance
time	time calculated when the iterations stop
power	the power at time
err	distance from the desired power
k	number of bi-section iterations performed

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

[pwe](), [rpwe](), [qpwe](), [ovbeta](), [innervar]()

Examples

```
t<-seq(3,6,by=1)
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(0.2,0.1)
r21<-r11
r31<-c(0.03,0.02)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.01,0.02)
r10<-c(0.2,0.2)
r20<-r10
r30<-c(0.02,0.01)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.02,0.01)
getpower<-pwepower(t=t,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
                  rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
                  rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
```

```
                        tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,n=1000)
###powers at each time point
cbind(t,getpower$power[,1:3])

###90% power should be in (3,3.5)
getpwtime<-pwepowerfindt(power=0.9,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,tupp=3.5,tlow=3,taur=taur,
     u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
        rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
        tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,n=1000,testtype=1,maxiter=30)
getpwtime
```

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pwepowerni	*Calculating the powers of various the test statistics for non-inferiority trials*

Description

This will calculate the powers for the test statistics accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
pwepowerni(t=seq(0.1,3,by=0.5),nimargin=1.3,alpha=0.05,twosided=0,taur=1.2,
           u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
           rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
           rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
           rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
           rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
           tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
           rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,
           epsbeta=1.0e-4,iterbeta=25,n=1000)
```

Arguments

t	a vector of time points at which power is calculated, t must be positive
nimargin	the non-inferiority margin for the hazard ratio
alpha	type-1 error rate
twosided	twosided test or not
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group

rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	error tolerence
veps	error tolenrence for calculating variance
epsbeta	error tolerance for calculating overall log HR
iterbeta	maximum number of iterations for calculating overall log HR
n	total number of subjects

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

power	powers for cox model. First column is the more accurate power, second column is the power assuming the Fisher information equal to the varaince of beta

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

[pwe](),[rpwe](),[qpwe](),[ovbeta](),[innervar](), [pwepower](),[pwepowereq]()

Examples

```
t<-seq(3,6,by=1)
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(0.2,0.1)
r21<-r11
r31<-c(0.03,0.02)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.01,0.02)
r10<-c(0.2,0.2)
r20<-r10
r30<-c(0.02,0.01)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.02,0.01)
getpowerni<-pwepowerni(t=t,nimargin=1.3,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
                   rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
                   rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
                   tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,n=1000)
###powers at each time point
cbind(t,getpowerni$power[,1:3])
```

---

pwesim	*simulating the test statistics*

Description

This will simulate the test statistics accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
pwesim(t=seq(1,2,by=0.1),taur=1.2,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
                   rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
                   rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
                   rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
                   rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
                   tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
                   rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
                   n=1000,rn=200,testtype=c(1,2,3,4))
```

Arguments

t	a vector of time points
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
n	number of subjects
rn	number of simulations
testtype	types of test statistics.

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

outr	test statistics at each time point and each simulation run

Note

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Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

[pwe,rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta,innervar](#)

Examples

```
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
ar<-pwesim(t=seq(1,2,by=0.1),taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
        rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
        rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
        tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
        n=300,rn=10)
```

---

pwu   *Piecewise uniform distribution: distribution*

Description

This will calculate the distribution function of the piecewise uniform distribution

Usage

```
pwu(t=seq(0,1,by=0.1),u=c(0,5,0.5),ut=c(1,2))
```

Arguments

t	a vector of time points
u	piecewise constant density
ut	a strictly increasing sequence of time points defining the pieces. The first element must be strictly greater than zero. u and ut must have the same length.

Details

Let $f(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j I(t_{j-1} < t \leq t_j)$ be the density function, where $u_1, \ldots, u_m$ are the corresponding elements of *u* and $t_1, \ldots, t_m$ are the corresponding elements of *ut* and $t_0 = 0$. The distribution function

$$F(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j(t \wedge t_j - t \wedge t_{j-1}).$$

User must make sure that $\sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j(t_j - t_{j-1}) = 1$ before using this function.

Value

dist	distribution

Note

This provides distribution of the piecewise uniform distribution

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

pwe

Examples

```
t<-seq(-1,3,by=0.5)
u<-c(0.6,0.4)
ut<-c(1,2)
pwud<-pwu(t=t,u=u,ut=ut)
pwud
```

---

qpwe *Piecewise exponential distribution: quantile function*

Description

This will provide the quantile function of the specified piecewise exponential distribution

Usage

```
qpwe(p=seq(0,1,by=0.1),rate=c(0,5,0.8),tchange=c(0,3))
```

Arguments

p	a vector of probabilities
rate	piecewise constant event rate
tchange	time points at which event rate changes. This must be an strictly increasing sequence starting from zero. rate and tchange must have the same length.

Details

More details

Value

q	quantiles

Note

This provides the quantile function related to the piecewise exponetial distribution

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

piecewise exponential

Examples

```
p<-seq(0,1,by=0.1)
rate<-c(0.6,0.3)
tchange<-c(0,1.75)
pweq<-qpwe(p=p,rate=rate,tchange=tchange)
pweq
```

---

qpwu   *Piecewise uniform distribution: quantile function*

Description

This will provide the quantile function of the specified piecewise uniform distribution

Usage

```
qpwu(p=seq(0,1,by=0.1),u=c(0,5,0.5),ut=c(1,2))
```

Arguments

p	a vector of probabilities
u	piecewise constant density
ut	time points at which event rate changes. This must be an strictly increasing sequence. ut and u must have the same length.

Details

Let $f(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j I(t_{j-1} < t \le t_j)$ be the density function, where $u_1, \ldots, u_m$ are the corresponding elements of *u* and $t_1, \ldots, t_m$ are the corresponding elements of *ut* and $t_0 = 0$. The distribution function

$$F(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j (t \wedge t_j - t \wedge t_{j-1}).$$

User must make sure that $\sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j(t_j - t_{j-1}) = 1$ before using this function.

Value

q	quantiles

Note

This provides the quantile function related to the piecewise uniform distribution

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

piecewise uniform

Examples

```
p<-seq(0,1,by=0.1)
u<-c(0.6,0.4)
ut<-c(1,2)
pwuq<-qpwu(p=p,u=u,ut=ut)
pwuq
```

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rmstcov	*Calculation of the variance and covariance of estimated restricted mean survival time*

Description

A function to calculate the variance and covariance of estimated restricted mean survival time using data from different cut-off points accounting for delayed treatment, discontinued treatment and non-uniform entry

Usage

```
rmstcov(t1cut=2.0,t1study=2.5,t2cut=3.0,t2study=3.5,taur=5,
        u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),
        rate1=c(1,0.5),rate2=rate1,rate3=c(0.7,0.4),
        rate4=rate2,rate5=rate2,ratec=c(0.5,0.6),
        tchange=c(0,1),type=1,rp2=0.5,
        eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

t1cut	time point at which rmst is calculated
t1study	the study time point from first patient in, it must be larger than t1cut. This will be used for study monitoring.
t2cut	time point at which rmst is calculated. t2cut must be not smaller than t1cut.
t2study	the study time point from first patient in, it must be larger than t2cut. This will be used for study monitoring.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
rate1	piecewise constant event rate before crossover
rate2	piecewise constant event rate after crossover
rate3	piecewise constant event rate for crossover
rate4	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
rate5	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
ratec	Hazard for time to censoring

tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates `rate1` to `ratec` and tchange must have the same length.
type	type of crossover, 1=markov, 2=semi-markov, 3=hybrid
rp2	re-randomization probability to receive the rescue treatment when semi-markov crossover occurs. When it happens, the overall hazard will be pi2*r2(t-s)+(1-pi2)*r4(t), where r2 is the hazard for the semi-markov rescue treatment and r4 is hazard for the markov rescue treatment.
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the variance.

Details

More details

Value

t1cut	time point at which rmst is calculated
t1study	the study time point from first patient in, it must be larger than t1cut. This will be used for study monitoring.
t2cut	time point at which rmst is calculated. t2cut must be not smaller than t1cut.
t2study	the study time point from first patient in, it must be larger than t2cut. This will be used for study monitoring.
rmst	rmst at cut-point `t1cut` with study time `t1study`
rmst1	rmst at cut-point `t2cut` with study time `t2study`
rmstx	rmst at cut-point `t1cut` with study time `t2study`, which should be the same as `rmst`.
v	the variance of `rmst`
v1	the variance of `rmst1`
cov	the covariance of `rmst` and `rmst1`
cov1	another covariance of `rmst` and `rmst1`, should be the same as `cov`

Note

This calculates the "true" variance and covariance of restricted mean survival times

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

Examples

```
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
r3<-c(0.1,0.2)
r4<-c(0.5,0.4)
r5<-c(0.4,0.5)
rc<-c(0.1,0.1)
rmcov<-rmstcov(t1cut=2.0,t1study=2.5,t2cut=3.0,t2study=3.5,taur=5,
        rate1=r1,rate2=r2,rate3=r3,rate4=r4,rate5=r5,ratec=rc,
        tchange=c(0,1),type=1)
rmcov
```

---

rmsth	*Estimate the restricted mean survival time (RMST) and its variance from data*

Description

A function to estimate the restricted mean survival time (RMST) and its variance from data

Usage

```
rmsth(y=c(1,2,3),d=c(1,1,0),tcut=2.0,eps=1.0e-08)
```

Arguments

y	observed times
d	non-censoring indicators
tcut	time point at which rmst is calculated
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when comparing the event times

Details

More details

Value

tcut	time point at which rmst is calculated
rmst	estimated RMST
var	estimated variance of rmst
vadd	estimated variance-covariance term of rmst

Note

This estimates the restricted mean survival time and its asymptotic variance

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

Examples

```
lamt<-0.8
lamc<-0.4
n<-3000
tcut<-2.0
truermst<-(1-exp(-lamt*tcut))/lamt
tt<-rexp(n)/lamt
cc<-rexp(n)/lamc
yy<-pmin(tt,cc)
dd<-rep(1,n)
dd[tt>cc]<-0
aest<-rmsth(y=yy,d=dd,tcut=tcut)
aest
```

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rmstpower	*Calculate powers at different cut-points based on difference of re-stricted mean survival times (RMST)*

Description

A function to calculate powers at different cut-points based on difference of restricted mean survival times (RMST) account for delayed treatment, discontinued treatment and non-uniform entry

Usage

```
rmstpower(tcut=2,tstudy=seq(tcut,tcut+2,by=0.5),alpha=0.05,twosided=1,
          taur=1.2,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
          rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
          rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
          rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
          rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
          tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
          eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,n=1000)
```

Arguments

tcut	timepoint at which rmst is calculated
tstudy	a vector of study time points, which must be not smaller than tcut
alpha	type-1 error rate
twosided	twosided test=1 or not
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob for the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob for the control group
eps	error tolerence
veps	error tolenrence for calculating variance
n	total number of subjects, both groups combined

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \le t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

`power`	power
`rmst1`	rmst in the treatment group
`se1`	standard error of the rmst in the treatment group
`rmst0`	rmst in the control group
`se0`	standard error of the rmst in the control group
`drmst`	`rmst1-rmst0`
`sed`	standard error of the mean difference

Note

This calculates the restricted mean survival times between the treatment and control groups and their standard errors

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

Examples

```
tcut<-3.0
tstudy<-seq(3,6,by=1)
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(0.2,0.1)
r21<-r11
r31<-c(0.03,0.02)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.01,0.02)
r10<-c(0.2,0.2)
r20<-r10
r30<-c(0.02,0.01)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.02,0.01)
getrmst<-rmstpower(tcut=tcut,tstudy=tstudy,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,
          taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
          rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
          rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
          tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,n=1000)
###powers at each time point
cbind(tstudy,getrmst$power)
```

---

rmstpowerfindt	*Calculating the timepoint where a certain power of mean difference of RMSTs is obtained*

Description

This will calculate the timepoint where a certain power of the mean difference of RMSTs is obtained accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
rmstpowerfindt(power=0.9,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,tcut=2,tupp=5,tlow=3.0,taur=1.2,
            u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
            rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
            rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
            rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
            rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
            tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
            rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,
            n=1000,maxiter=20,itereps=0.001)
```

Arguments

power	the desired power
alpha	type-1 error
twosided	twoside test or not
tcut	time point at which rmst is calculated
tupp	an upper study time point where the power should be larger than power
tlow	a lower study time point where the power should be smaller than power, tlow must be not smaller than tcut
taur	recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group

rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as rate11, rate21, rate31, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
eps	error tolerence
veps	error tolenrence for calculating variance
n	total number of subjects
maxiter	maximum number of bi-section iterations
itereps	error tolerance of power

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0 are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

time	time calculated when the iterations stop
power	the power at time
err	distance from the desired power
k	number of bi-section iterations performed

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

[pwe](pwe),rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta,innervar

Examples

```
tcut<-3.0
tstudy<-seq(3,6,by=0.2)
taur<-2
u<-c(0.3,0.7)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(0.2,0.1)
r21<-r11
r31<-c(0.03,0.02)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.05,0.04)
r10<-c(0.22,0.22)
r20<-r10
r30<-c(0.02,0.01)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.04,0.05)
ntotal<-1200
getrmst<-rmstpower(tcut=tcut,tstudy=tstudy,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,
        taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
        rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
        rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
        tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,n=ntotal)
###powers at each time point
cbind(tstudy,getrmst$power)

###90 percent power should be in (3,4)
gettime<-rmstpowerfindt(power=0.9,alpha=0.05,twosided=1,tcut=tcut,tupp=4,tlow=3.0,taur=taur,
      u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
          rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
          tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2,
          n=ntotal,maxiter=20,itereps=0.0001)
gettime
```

---

rmstsim   *simulating the restricted mean survival times*

Description

This will simulate the test statistics accouting for staggered entry, delayed treatment effect, treatment crossover and loss to follow-up.

Usage

```
rmstsim(tcut=c(1,2),tstudy=tcut+0.2,taur=1.2,
        u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),pi1=0.5,
        rate11=c(1,0.5),rate21=rate11,rate31=c(0.7,0.4),
        rate41=rate21,rate51=rate21,ratec1=c(0.5,0.6),
        rate10=rate11,rate20=rate10,rate30=rate31,
        rate40=rate20,rate50=rate20,ratec0=c(0.6,0.5),
```

```
tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,rp21=0.5,rp20=0.5,
n=1000,rn=200,eps=1.0E-08)
```

Arguments

tcut	a vector of time points at which rmst are calculated
tstudy	a vector of study time points, should be the same length as `tcut` and should be not less than `tcut` element-wise
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
pi1	Allocation probability for the treatment group
rate11	Hazard before crossover for the treatment group
rate21	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group
rate31	Hazard for time to crossover for the treatment group
rate41	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
rate51	Hazard after crossover for the treatment group for complex case
ratec1	Hazard for time to censoring for the treatment group
rate10	Hazard before crossover for the control group
rate20	Hazard after crossover for the control group
rate30	Hazard for time to crossover for the control group
rate40	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
rate50	Hazard after crossover for the control group for complex case
ratec0	Hazard for time to censoring for the control group
tchange	A strictly increasing sequence of time points at which the event rates changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. It must have the same length as `rate11, rate21, rate31`, etc.
type1	Type of crossover in the treatment group
type0	Type of crossover in the control group
rp21	re-randomization prob in the treatment group
rp20	re-randomization prob in the control group
n	number of subjects
rn	number of simulations
eps	tolerence for comparing event times

Details

The hazard functions corresponding to `rate11,...,rate51,ratec1, rate10,...,rate50,ratec0` are all piecewise constant function taking the form $\lambda(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \lambda_j I(t_{j-1} \leq t < t_j)$, where $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_m$ are the corresponding elements of the rates and $t_0, \ldots, t_{m-1}$ are the corresponding elements of *tchange*, $t_m = \infty$. Note that all the rates must have the same tchange.

Value

outr   test statistics at each pair of `tcut` and `tstudy` in column and each simulation
run in row

Note

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Author(s)

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References

Luo et al. (2018) Design and monitoring of survival trials in complex scenarios, Statistics in
Medicine <doi: https://doi.org/10.1002/sim.7975>.

See Also

pwe,rpwe,qpwe,ovbeta

Examples

```
tcuta<-c(2,3)
taur<-1.2
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1.5,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
ar<-rmstsim(tcut=tcuta,tstudy=tcuta+0.1,taur=taur,u=u,ut=ut,pi1=0.5,
            rate11=r11,rate21=r21,rate31=r31,rate41=r41,rate51=r51,ratec1=rc1,
            rate10=r10,rate20=r20,rate30=r30,rate40=r40,rate50=r50,ratec0=rc0,
            tchange=c(0,1),type1=1,type0=1,
            n=300,rn=200)
##Empirical power
apply(ar$outr>1.96,2,mean)
```

rmstutil	*A utility function to calculate the true restricted mean survival time (RMST) and its variance account for delayed treatment, discontinued treatment and non-uniform entry*

Description

A utility function to calculate the true restricted mean survival time (RMST) and its variance account for delayed treatment, discontinued treatment and non-uniform entry

Usage

```
rmstutil(tcut=2.0,tstudy=5.0,taur=5,u=c(1/taur,1/taur),ut=c(taur/2,taur),
        rate1=c(1,0.5),rate2=rate1,rate3=c(0.7,0.4),
        rate4=rate2,rate5=rate2,ratec=c(0.5,0.6),
        tchange=c(0,1),type=1,rp2=0.5,
        eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2)
```

Arguments

tcut	time point at which rmst is calculated
tstudy	the study time point from first patient in, it must be not smaller than tcut.
taur	Recruitment time
u	Piecewise constant recuitment rate
ut	Recruitment intervals
rate1	piecewise constant event rate before crossover
rate2	piecewise constant event rate after crossover
rate3	piecewise constant event rate for crossover
rate4	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
rate5	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
ratec	Hazard for time to censoring
tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates rate1 to ratec and tchange must have the same length.
type	type of crossover, 1=markov, 2=semi-markov, 3=hybrid
rp2	re-randomization probability to receive the rescue treatment when semi-markov crossover occurs. When it happens, the overall hazard will be rp2*r2(t-s)+(1-rp2)*r4(t), where r2 is the hazard for the semi-markov rescue treatment and r4 is hazard for the markov rescue treatment.
eps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the utility function $$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}$$ with $l = 0, 1, 2$.
veps	A small number representing the error tolerance when calculating the variance.

Details

More details

Value

`tcut`	time point at which rmst is calculated
`tstudy`	the study time point from first patient in, it must be not smaller than `tcut`
`rmst`	rmst at cut-point `tcut`
`var`	the variance of `rmst`
`vadd`	the additional variance term of `rmst`

Note

This calculates the "true" variance of restricted mean survival times

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References

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Examples

```
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
r3<-c(0.1,0.2)
r4<-c(0.5,0.4)
r5<-c(0.4,0.5)
rc<-c(0.1,0.1)
rmt<-rmstutil(tcut=2.0,tstudy=5.0,taur=5,
        rate1=r1,rate2=r2,rate3=r3,
        rate4=r4,rate5=r5,ratec=rc,
        tchange=c(0,1),type=1,rp2=0.5,
        eps=1.0e-2,veps=1.0e-2)
rmt
```

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rpwe	*Piecewise exponential distribution: random number generation*

Description

This will generate random numbers according to the specified piecewise exponential distribution

Usage

```
rpwe(nr=10,rate=c(0,5,0.8),tchange=c(0,3))
```

Arguments

nr   number of random numbers to be generated

rate   piecewise constant event rate

tchange   a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event
                 rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. rate and tchange must
                 have the same length.

Details

More details

Value

r   random numbers

Note

This provides a random number generator of the piecewise exponetial distribution

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

piecewise exponential

Examples

```
nr<-10
rate<-c(0.6,0.3)
tchange<-c(0,1.75)
pwer<-rpwe(nr=nr,rate=rate,tchange=tchange)
pwer
```

rpwecx	*Piecewise exponential distribution with crossover effect: random number generation*

Description

This will generate random numbers according to the piecewise exponential distribution with crossover

Usage

```
rpwecx(nr=1,rate1=c(1,0.5),rate2=rate1,rate3=c(0.7,0.4),
rate4=rate2,rate5=rate2,tchange=c(0,1),type=1,rp2=0.5)
```

Arguments

nr	number of random numbers to be generated
rate1	piecewise constant event rate before crossover
rate2	piecewise constant event rate after crossover
rate3	piecewise constant event rate for crossover
rate4	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
rate5	additional piecewise constant event rate for more complex crossover
tchange	a strictly increasing sequence of time points starting from zero at which event rate changes. The first element of tchange must be zero. The above rates rate1 to rate6 and tchange must have the same length.
type	type of crossover, 1=markov, 2=semi-markov, 3=hybrid
rp2	re-randomization probability to receive the rescue treatment when semi-markov crossover occurs. When it happens, the overall hazard will be pi2*r2(t-s)+(1-pi2)*r4(t), where r2 is the hazard for the semi-markov rescue treatment and r4 is hazard for the markov rescue treatment.

Details

More details

Value

r	random numbers for the event time
rx	random numbers for the crossover time
cxind	indicators for the crossover, the first column indicates whether crossover occurs, i.e. rx < r. When type=3,4,5, the second column of cxind indicates whether it crosses to the arm with rate2

Note

This provides a random number generator of the piecewise exponetial distribution with crossover

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

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See Also

rpwe

Examples

```
r1<-c(0.6,0.3)
r2<-c(0.6,0.6)
r3<-c(0.1,0.2)
r4<-c(0.5,0.4)
r5<-c(0.4,0.5)
pwecxr<-rpwecx(nr=10,rate1=r1,rate2=r2,rate3=r3,rate4=r4,rate5=r5,tchange=c(0,1),type=1)
pwecxr$r
```

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rpwu   *Piecewise uniform distribution: random number generation*

Description

This will generate random numbers according to the specified piecewise uniform distribution

Usage

```
rpwu(nr=10,u=c(0,6,0.4),ut=c(1,2))
```

Arguments

nr	number of random numbers to be generated
u	piecewise constant density
ut	a strictly increasing sequence of time points defining the pieces. The first element must be strictly greater than zero. u and ut must have the same length.

Details

Let $f(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j I(t_{j-1} < t \le t_j)$ be the density function, where $u_1, \ldots, u_m$ are the corresponding elements of *u* and $t_1, \ldots, t_m$ are the corresponding elements of *ut* and $t_0 = 0$. The distribution function

$$F(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j (t \wedge t_j - t \wedge t_{j-1}).$$

User must make sure that $\sum_{j=1}^{m} u_j(t_j - t_{j-1}) = 1$ before using this function.

Value

r   random numbers

Note

This provides a random number generator of the piecewise uniform distribution

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

See Also

rpwe

Examples

```
nr<-10
u<-c(0.6,0.4)
ut<-c(1,2)
pwur<-rpwu(nr=nr,u=u,ut=ut)
pwur
```

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spf   *A utility function*

Description

A utility function to calculate a ratio.

Usage

```
spf(x=seq(-1,1,by=0.2),eps=1.0e-3)
```

Arguments

x   A vector

eps   tolerance

Details

This is to calculate

$$\Phi_l(x) = \frac{\int_0^x s^l e^{-s} ds}{x^{l+1}}, \qquad l = 0, 1, 2.$$

This function is well defined even when x=0. However, it is numerical chanllenging to calculate it when x is small. So when $|x| \le$ eps we approximate this function and the absolute error is eps^5.

Value

fx1	when $l = 0$;
fx2	when $l = 1$;
fx3	when $l = 2$.

Note

Version 1.0 (7/19/2016)

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

References

Luo, et al. (2017)

Examples

```
fun<-spf(x=seq(-1,1,by=0.2),eps=1.0e-3)
fun
```

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wlrcal	*A utility function to calculate the weighted log-rank statistics and their varainces given the weights*

Description

A utility function to calculate the weighted log-rank statistics and their varainces given the weights

Usage

```
wlrcal(n=10,te=c(1,2,3),tfix=2.0,dd1=c(1,0,1),dd0=c(0,1,0),r1=c(1,2,3),r0=c(1,2,3),
       weights=matrix(1,nrow=length(te),ncol=1),eps=1.0e-08)
```

Arguments

n	total number of subjects in the study
te	(ascendingly) ordered unique event times from both groups
tfix	time point where weighted log-rank is calcualted
dd1	number of events from treatment group at each te
dd0	number of events from control group at each te
r1	number of at-risk subjects from treatment group at each te
r0	number of at-risk subjects from control group at each te
weights	user specified weights, each column is a set of weights at each te
eps	tolerence when comparing event times

Details

More details

Value

test	unscaled test statistics
var	variances of the unsclaed test statistics
wlr	weighted log-rank statistics, i.e. scaled test statsitics
wlcor	the correlation matrix of the weighted log-rank statistics

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

Examples

```
lr<-wlrcal(n=10,te=c(1,2,3),tfix=2.0,dd1=c(1,0,1),dd0=c(0,1,0),r1=c(1,2,3),r0=c(1,2,3))
lr
```

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wlrcom	*A function to calculate the various weighted log-rank statistics and their varainces*

Description

A function to calculate the weighted log-rank statistics and their varainces given the weights including log-rank, gehan, Tarone-Ware, Peto-Peto, mPeto-Peto and Fleming-Harrington

Usage

```
wlrcom(y,d,z,tfix=max(y),p=c(1),q=c(1),eps=1.0e-08)
```

Arguments

y	observed times
d	non-censoring indicators
z	group indicators, z=1: treatment, z=0 control
tfix	time point at which weighted log-rank is calculated
p	a vector of power numbers for S in the Fleming-Harrington weight
q	a vector of power numbers for 1-S in the Fleming-Harrington weight, q and p should have the same length
eps	the error tolerance when comparing event times

Details

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Value

`n`	total number of subjects, combined groups
`test`	unscaled test statistics
`var`	variances of the unsclaed test statistics
`wlr`	weighted log-rank statistics, i.e. scaled test statsitics
`pvalue`	two-sided p-values of `wlr`

Author(s)

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Examples

```
n<-1000
pi1<-0.5
taur<-2.8
u<-c(1/taur,1/taur)
ut<-c(taur/2,taur)
r11<-c(1,0.5)
r21<-c(0.5,0.8)
r31<-c(0.7,0.4)
r41<-r51<-r21
rc1<-c(0.5,0.6)
r10<-c(1,0.7)
r20<-c(0.5,1)
r30<-c(0.3,0.4)
r40<-r50<-r20
rc0<-c(0.2,0.4)
tchange<-c(0,1.873)
tcut<-2

E<-T<-C<-z<-delta<-rep(0,n)
E<-rpwu(nr=n,u=u,ut=ut)$r
z<-rbinom(n,1,pi1)
n1<-sum(z)
n0<-sum(1-z)
C[z==1]<-rpwe(nr=n1,rate=rc1,tchange=tchange)$r
C[z==0]<-rpwe(nr=n0,rate=rc0,tchange=tchange)$r
T[z==1]<-rpwecx(nr=n1,rate1=r11,rate2=r21,rate3=r31,
                rate4=r41,rate5=r51,tchange=tchange,type=1)$r
T[z==0]<-rpwecx(nr=n0,rate1=r10,rate2=r20,rate3=r30,
                rate4=r40,rate5=r50,tchange=tchange,type=1)$r
y<-pmin(pmin(T,C),tcut-E)
y1<-pmin(C,tcut-E)
d<-rep(0,n);
d[T<=y]<-1

wlr4<-wlrcom(y=y,d=d,z=z,p=c(1,1),q=c(0,1))
wlr4
```

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wlrutil	*A utility function to calculate some common functions in contructing weights*

Description

A utility function to calculate some common functions in contructing weights

Usage

```
wlrutil(y=c(1,2,3),d=c(1,0,1),z=c(1,0,0),te=c(1,3),eps=1.0e-08)
```

Arguments

y	observed times
d	non-censoring indicators
z	group indicators with z=1 treatment and z=0 control
te	(ascendingly) ordered unique event times from both groups
eps	tolerence when comparing event times

Details

More details

Value

mfunc	various functions in column

Author(s)

Xiaodong Luo

Examples

```
ww<-wlrutil(y=c(1,2,3),d=c(1,0,1),z=c(1,0,0),te=c(1,3),eps=1.0e-08)
ww
```

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