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Description

Singular Spectrum Analysis (SSA) is an innovative time series analysis technique based on multivariate statistical principles. It decomposes a time series into distinct additive components, including trends, periodic or quasi-periodic patterns, and residuals. The function provides tools for decomposition and reconstruction, and the returned object can be further printed or summarized. Optional verbose output is available to display correlation diagnostics during execution.

Usage

```
SSAdecomp(data, L = 12, corr_thr = 0.97, horizon = 12, verbose = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	Univariate time series data.
L	Integer, window length, multiple of periodicity of data series.
corr_thr	Numeric, threshold for correlation between the component pairs (default 0.97).
horizon	Integer, step ahead forecasting horizon.
verbose	Logical, if TRUE, prints messages with correlation diagnostics (default FALSE).

Details

SSA decomposes a time series into interpretable components such as trends, oscillations, and noise without strict distributional and structural assumptions (Golyandina and Zhigljavsky, 2013). It is widely used for trend identification, smoothing, seasonality extraction, and forecasting (Hassani et al., 2007).

The returned object is of class "SSAdecomp" and comes with a custom print method for user-friendly display.

Value

An object of class "SSAdecomp" containing:

trend_component	Reconstructed trend component of the time series.
recon_components	List of reconstructed seasonal and residual components from correlated groups.
corr_pairs	List of high correlation pairs with correlation values.

Examples

```
# Example using a sample time series
tsdata <- ts(rnorm(120), frequency = 12)
res <- SSAdecomp(data = tsdata, L = 12, corr_thr = 0.97, horizon = 12)

# Print summary
print(res)

# Show detailed correlation messages
res_verbose <- SSAdecomp(data = tsdata, L = 12, corr_thr = 0.97, horizon = 12, verbose = TRUE)
```

SSAfcst

Singular Spectrum Analysis Based Time Series Forecasting Model

Description

One of the main advantages of SSA is that it can generate forecasts for either the individual components of a time series or the reconstructed series after it has been decomposed (Ghodsi et al., 2018). SSA-Linear Recurrent Formulae (SSA-LRF) model has been employed successfully in hydrological forecasting and other practical applications (Zhang et al., 2011).

Usage

```
SSAfcst(data, L=12, corr_thr=0.97,horizon=12)
```

Arguments

data	Univariate time series data
L	Integer, window length, multiple of periodicity of data series
corr_thr	Correlation between the component pairs (0.97 default)
horizon	Step ahead forecasting

Details

SSA decomposes a time series into interpretable components like trends, oscillations, and noise without strict distributional and structural assumptions (Golyandina and Zhigljavsky, 2013). SSA offers various applications, including trend identification, smoothing, seasonality extraction, and forecasting (Hassani et al., 2007). SSA Linear Recurrent Formulae model has been employed successfully in hydrological forecasting and other practical applications (Zhang et al., 2011). Finally, the prediction results of all the three components are aggregated to formulate an ensemble output for the input time series.

Value

Final_forecast	Final forecasted value of the SSA based forecasting model. It is obtained by combining the forecasted value of all individual reconstruction series
Data_test	Test data of univariate time series
RMSE_SSA	Root Mean Square Error (RMSE) for SSA based forecasting model
MAPE_SSA	Mean Absolute Percentage Error (MAPE) for SSA based forecasting model
MAE_SSA	Mean Absolute Error (MAE) for SSA based forecasting model

References

Hassani, H (2007). Singular Spectrum Analysis: Methodology and Comparison. Journal of Data Science, 5(2), 239-257.

Examples

```
set.seed(123)
ts_data <- rnorm(100)
result <- SSAfcast(ts_data, L = 12, corr_thr = 0.95, horizon = 10)
result
```

tsdata

Time series data

Description

This investigation is done on the monthly wholesale price of the potato crop wholesale markets of Agra. The price series obtained from the Directorate of Marketing and Inspection (DMI), Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India from January 2010 to March 2023. Total price series has 159 observations, which are split 147 data points into training and 12 points data into testing sets respectively.

Usage

```
data("tsdata")
```

Details

Total price series has 159 observations, which are split 147 data points into training and 12 points data into testing sets respectively.

Source

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Examples

```
data(tsdata)
```

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