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Description A Comprehensive tool for almost all existing multiple testing methods for multiple families. The package summarizes the existing methods for multiple families multiple testing procedures (MTPs) such as double FDR, group Benjamini-Hochberg (GBH) procedure and average FDR controlling procedure. The package also provides some novel multiple testing procedures using selective inference idea.
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## Description

Given a list/data frame of grouped p-values, selecting thresholds and p-value combining method, retruns adjusted p-values to make decisions

#### **Usage**

```
avgFDR.p.adjust(pval, t, make.decision)
```

## **Arguments**

pval the structural p-values, the type should be "list".

t the thresholds determining whether the families are selected or not, also affects

conditional p-value within families.

make.decision logical; if TRUE, then the output include the decision rules compared adjusted

p-values with significant level  $\alpha$ .

#### Value

A list of the adjusted conditional p-values, a list of NULL means the family is not selected to do the test in the second stage.

## Author(s)

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#### References

Benjamini, Y., & Bogomolov, M. (2014). Selective inference on multiple families of hypotheses. *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series B (Statistical Methodology)*, **76**: 297-318.

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## **Description**

Given a list/data frame of grouped p-values, selecting thresholds and p-value combining method, retruns adjusted conditional p-values to make decisions

## Usage

```
cFDR.cp.adjust(pval, t, comb.method = c("Fisher", "Stouffer", "minP"),
make.decision, sig.level)
```

## Arguments

pval	the structural p-values, the type should be "list".
t	the thresholds determining whether the families are selected or not, also affects conditional p-value within families.
comb.method	p-value combining methods including "Fisher", "Stouffer", and " $\min$ P" combining methods.
make.decision	logical; if TRUE, then the output include the decision rules compared adjusted p-values with significant level $\alpha.$
sig.level	significant level used to compare with adjusted p-values to make decisions, the default value is 0.05.

## Value

A list of the adjusted conditional p-values, a list of NULL means the family is not selected to do the test in the second stage.

## Author(s)

Yalin Zhu

## References

Heller, R., Chatterjee, N., Krieger, A., & Shi, J. (2016). Post-selection Inference Following Aggregate Level Hypothesis Testing in Large Scale Genomic Data. *bioRxiv*, 058404.

## **Examples**

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DFDR.p.adjust

Adjusted P-Values for the Double FDR Procedure

## Description

Given a list/data frame of grouped p-values, retruns adjusted p-values to make decisions

#### Usage

```
DFDR.p.adjust(pval, t, make.decision, alpha)
```

## **Arguments**

pval the structural p-values, the type should be "list".

t the threshold selecting significant families.

make.decision logical; if TRUE, then the output include the decision rules compared adjusted

p-values with significant level  $\alpha$ .

alpha significant level used to compare with adjusted p-values to make decisions, the

default value is 0.05.

## Value

A list of the adjusted p-values, a list of NULL means the family is not selected to do the test in the second stage.

#### Author(s)

Yalin Zhu

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## References

Mehrotra, D. V., & Heyse, J. F. (2004). Use of the false discovery rate for evaluating clinical safety data. *Statistical methods in medical research*, **13**: 227-238.

#### See Also

```
DFDR2.p.adjust, p.adjust.
```

#### **Examples**

DFDR2.p.adjust

Adjusted P-Values for the Modified Double FDR Procedure

## Description

Given a list/data frame of grouped p-values, retruns adjusted p-values to make decisions

## Usage

```
DFDR2.p.adjust(pval, t, make.decision)
```

## **Arguments**

pval the structural p-values, the type should be "list".

t the threshold selecting significant families and testing hypotheses.

make.decision logical; if TRUE, then the output include the decision rules compared adjusted

p-values with significant level  $\alpha$ .

## Value

A list of the adjusted p-values, a list of NULL means the family is not selected to do the test in the second stage.

## Author(s)

Yalin Zhu

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## References

Mehrotra, D. V., & Adewale, A. J. (2012). Flagging clinical adverse experiences: reducing false discoveries without materially compromising power for detecting true signals. *Statistics in medicine*, **31**: 1918-1930.

#### See Also

```
DFDR.p.adjust, p.adjust.
```

## **Examples**

GBH.p.adjust

Adjusted P-values for the Group BH Procedure

## Description

Given a list/data frame of grouped p-values, selecting thresholds and p-value combining method, retruns adjusted conditional p-values to make decisions

## Usage

```
GBH.p.adjust(pval, t, make.decision)
```

## **Arguments**

pval the structural p-values, the type should be "list".

t the thresholds determining whether the families are selected or not, also affects

conditional p-value within families.

make.decision logical; if TRUE, then the output include the decision rules compared adjusted

p-values with significant level  $\alpha$ 

#### Value

A list of the adjusted conditional p-values, a list of NULL means the family is not selected to do the test in the second stage.

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#### Author(s)

Yalin Zhu

## References

Hu, J. X., Zhao, H., & Zhou, H. H. (2010). False discovery rate control with groups. *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, **105**: 1215-1227.

## Examples

```
# data is from Example 4.1 in Mehrotra and Adewale (2012)
pval \leftarrow list(c(0.031, 0.023, 0.029, 0.005, 0.031, 0.000, 0.874, 0.399, 0.293, 0.077),
             c(0.216, 0.843, 0.864),
             c(1,0.878,0.766,0.598,0.011,0.864),
             c(0.889, 0.557, 0.767, 0.009, 0.644),
             c(1,0.583,0.147,0.789,0.217,1,0.02,0.784,0.579,0.439),
             c(0.898, 0.619, 0.193, 0.806, 0.611, 0.526, 0.702, 0.196))
sum(p.adjust(unlist(pval), method = "BH")<=0.1)</pre>
DFDR.p.adjust(pval = pval,t=0.1)
DFDR2.p.adjust(pval = pval,t=0.1)
sum(unlist(DFDR.p.adjust(pval = pval,t=0.1))<=0.1)</pre>
sum(unlist(DFDR2.p.adjust(pval = pval,t=0.1))<=0.1)</pre>
GBH.p.adjust(pval = pval,t=0.1)
sum(unlist(GBH.p.adjust(pval = pval,t=0.1))<=0.1)</pre>
t=select.thres(pval,select.method = "BH", comb.method = "minP", alpha = 0.1)
cFDR.cp.adjust(pval, t=t, comb.method="minP")
t1=select.thres(pval, select.method = "bonferroni", comb.method = "minP", alpha = 0.1, k=3)
cFDR.cp.adjust(pval, t=t1, comb.method="minP")
t2=select.thres(pval, select.method = "sidak", comb.method = "minP", alpha = 0.1, k=3)
cFDR.cp.adjust(pval, t=t2, comb.method="minP")
```

gbonf.cv

Critical Value for the generalized Bonferroni Procedure Controlling k-FWER

#### **Description**

The function for computing the critical value based on number of hypotheses m, fold k and significant level  $\alpha$ .

## Usage

```
gbonf.cv(m, k, alpha)
```

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## **Arguments**

m number of hypotheses to be tested.

k number of allowed type 1 errors in k-FWER controls.

alpha significant level used to compare with adjusted p-values to make decisions, the

default value is 0.05.

#### Value

A numeric vector of the adjusted p-values (of the same length as p) if make.decision = FALSE, or a list including original p-values, adjusted p-values and decision rules if make.decision = TRUE.

## Author(s)

Yalin Zhu

#### See Also

```
gbonf.p.adjust, p.adjust, Sidak.p.adjust.
```

## **Examples**

```
p <- c(0.031,0.023,0.029,0.005,0.031,0.000,0.874,0.399,0.293,0.077)
gbonf.cv(m=length(p), k=2)
```

gbonf.p.adjust

Adjusted P-Values for the Generalized Bonferroni Procedure Controlling k-FWER

## Description

The function for computing the adjusted p-values based on original p-values and fold k.

## Usage

```
gbonf.p.adjust(p, k, alpha, make.decision)
```

## **Arguments**

р	numeric vector of p-values (possibly with NAs). Any other R is coerced by
	as.numeric. Same as in p.adjust.

k number of allowed type 1 errors in k-FWER controls.

alpha significant level used to compare with adjusted p-values to make decisions, the

default value is 0.05.

make.decision logical; if TRUE, then the output include the decision rules compared adjusted

p-values with significant level  $\alpha$ 

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## Value

A numeric vector of the adjusted p-values (of the same length as p) if make.decision = FALSE, or a list including original p-values, adjusted p-values and decision rules if make.decision = TRUE.

## Author(s)

Yalin Zhu

#### References

Lehmann, E. L., & Romano, J. P. (2005). Generalizations of the familywise error rate. *The Annals of Statistics*, **33**: 1138-1154.

## See Also

```
gsidak.p.adjust, p.adjust, Sidak.p.adjust.
```

## **Examples**

```
p \leftarrow c(0.031,0.023,0.029,0.005,0.031,0.000,0.874,0.399,0.293,0.077)
gbonf.p.adjust(p, k=2)
```

gsidak.cv

Critical Value for the generalized Sidak Procedure Controlling k-FWER

## **Description**

The function for computing the critical value based on number of hypotheses m, fold k and significant level  $\alpha$ .

## Usage

```
gsidak.cv(m, k, alpha)
```

## **Arguments**

m number of hypotheses to be tested.

k number of allowed type 1 errors in k-FWER controls.

alpha significant level used to compare with adjusted p-values to make decisions, the

default value is 0.05.

## Value

A numeric vector of the adjusted p-values (of the same length as p) if make.decision = FALSE, or a list including original p-values, adjusted p-values and decision rules if make.decision = TRUE.

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## Author(s)

Yalin Zhu

#### See Also

```
gsidak.p.adjust, p.adjust, Sidak.p.adjust.
```

## **Examples**

```
p \leftarrow c(0.031,0.023,0.029,0.005,0.031,0.000,0.874,0.399,0.293,0.077)
gsidak.cv(m=length(p), k=2)
```

gsidak.p.adjust

Adjusted P-Values for the Generalized Sidak Procedure Controlling k-FWER

## Description

The function for computing the adjusted p-values based on original p-values and fold k.

## Usage

```
gsidak.p.adjust(p, k, alpha, make.decision)
```

## **Arguments**

p numeric vector of p-values (possibly with NAs). Any other R is coerced by

as.numeric. Same as in p.adjust.

k number of allowed type 1 errors in k-FWER controls.

alpha significant level used to compare with adjusted p-values to make decisions, the

default value is 0.05.

make.decision logical; if TRUE, then the output include the decision rules compared adjusted

p-values with significant level  $\alpha$ 

## Value

A numeric vector of the adjusted p-values (of the same length as p) if make.decision = FALSE, or a list including original p-values, adjusted p-values and decision rules if make.decision = TRUE.

#### Author(s)

Yalin Zhu

## References

Guo, W., & Romano, J. (2007). A generalized Sidak-Holm procedure and control of generalized error rates under independence. *Statistical Applications in Genetics and Molecular Biology*, **6**(1).

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## See Also

```
gbonf.p.adjust, p.adjust, Sidak.p.adjust.
```

## **Examples**

```
p <- c(0.031,0.023,0.029,0.005,0.031,0.000,0.874,0.399,0.293,0.077)
gsidak.p.adjust(p, k=2)
```

select.thres

Selecting Threshold for cFDR Controlling Procedures

## **Description**

Given the structural p-values, choose a selecting method for controlling generalized familywise error rate or false discovery rate across families, and a combining mehtod, returns a vector of thresholds for the first stage of cFDR controlling procedures.

## Usage

```
select.thres(pval, select.method, comb.method, alpha, k)
```

#### **Arguments**

pval the structural p-values, the type should be "list".

select.method global p-value selecting methods. For generalized FWER controlling, k-Bonferroni

or k-Sidak procedures can be used; for FDR controlling, BH procedure can be

used.

comb.method p-value combining methods including "Fisher", "Stouffer", and "minP" com-

bining methods.

alpha significant level for selecting significant families in the first stage. The default

value is 0.05.

k number of allowed type 1 errors in k-FWER controls.

#### Value

A list of the adjusted conditional p-values, a list of NULL means the family is not selected to do the test in the second stage.

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