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#### See Also

Useful links:

https://randy3k.github.io/arrangements

Combinations

#### Description

This function returns a Combinations iterator for iterating combinations of k items from n items. The iterator allows users to fetch the next combination(s) via the getnext() method.

#### Usage

Combinations

icombinations(x = NULL, k = NULL, n = NULL, v = NULL, freq = NULL, replace = FALSE, skip = NULL)

#### Arguments

х	an integer or a vector, will be treated as n if integer; otherwise, will be treated as v. Should not be specified together with n and v.
k	an integer, the number of items drawn, defaults to n if freq is NULL else sum(freq)
n	an integer, the total number of items, its value may be implicitly deduced from length(v) or length(freq)
V	a vector to be drawn, defaults to 1:n.
freq	an integer vector of item repeat frequencies
replace	an logical to draw items with replacement
skip	the number of combinations skipped

#### Format

An object of class R6ClassGenerator of length 25.

#### Details

The Combinations class can be initialized by using the convenient wrapper icombinations or

```
Combinations$new(n, k, v = NULL, freq = NULL, replace = FALSE)
```

getnext(d = 1L, layout = NULL, drop = NULL)
collect(layout = "row")
reset()

d number of fetched arrangements

**layout** if "row", "column" or "list" is specified, the returned value would be a "row-major" matrix, a "column-major" matrix or a list respectively

drop vectorize a matrix or unlist a list

#### See Also

combinations for generating all combinations and ncombinations to calculate number of combinations

#### Examples

```
icomb <- icombinations(5, 2)
icomb$getnext()
icomb$getnext(2)
icomb$getnext(layout = "column", drop = FALSE)
# collect remaining combinations
icomb$collect()
library(foreach)
foreach(x = icombinations(5, 2), .combine=c) %do% {
    sum(x)
}</pre>
```

combinations Combinations generator

#### Description

This function generates all the combinations of selecting k items from n items. The results are in lexicographical order.

#### Usage

```
combinations(x = NULL, k = NULL, n = NULL, v = NULL, freq = NULL,
replace = FALSE, layout = NULL, nitem = -1L, skip = NULL,
index = NULL, nsample = NULL, drop = NULL)
```

#### Arguments

x	an integer or a vector, will be treated as n if integer; otherwise, will be treated as v. Should not be specified together with n and v.
k	an integer, the number of items drawn, defaults to n if freq is NULL else sum(freq)
n	an integer, the total number of items, its value may be implicitly deduced from length(v) or length(freq)
v	a vector to be drawn, defaults to 1:n.
freq	an integer vector of item repeat frequencies
replace	an logical to draw items with replacement
layout	if "row", "column" or "list" is specified, the returned value would be a "row- major" matrix, a "column-major" matrix or a list respectively
nitem	number of combinations required, usually used with skip

#### Compositions

skip	the number of combinations skipped
index	a vector of indices of the desired combinations
nsample	sampling random combinations
drop	vectorize a matrix or unlist a list

#### See Also

icombinations for iterating combinations and ncombinations to calculate number of combinations

#### Examples

```
# choose 2 from 4
combinations(4, 2)
combinations(LETTERS[1:3], k = 2)
# multiset with frequencies c(2, 3)
combinations(k = 3, freq = c(2, 3))
# with replacement
combinations(4, 2, replace = TRUE)
# column major
combinations(4, 2, layout = "column")
# list output
combinations(4, 2, layout = "list")
# specifc range of combinations
combinations(4, 2, nitem = 2, skip = 3)
# specific combinations
combinations(4, 2, index = c(3, 5))
# random combinations
combinations(4, 2, nsample = 3)
# zero sized combinations
dim(combinations(5, 0))
dim(combinations(5, 6))
dim(combinations(0, 0))
dim(combinations(0, 1))
```

Compositions

#### Description

This function returns a Compositions iterator for iterating compositions of an non-negative integer n into k parts or parts of any sizes. The iterator allows users to fetch the next partition(s) via the getnext() method.

#### Usage

Compositions

```
icompositions(n, k = NULL, descending = FALSE, skip = NULL)
```

#### Arguments

n	an non-negative integer to be partitioned
k	number of parts
descending	an logical to use reversed lexicographical order
skip	the number of compositions skipped

#### Format

An object of class R6ClassGenerator of length 25.

#### Details

The Compositions class can be initialized by using the convenient wrapper icompositions or

```
Compositions$new(n, k = NULL, descending = FALSE)
```

```
getnext(d = 1L, layout = NULL, drop = NULL)
collect(layout = "row")
reset()
```

d number of fetched arrangements

**layout** if "row", "column" or "list" is specified, the returned value would be a "row-major" matrix, a "column-major" matrix or a list respectively

drop vectorize a matrix or unlist a list

#### See Also

compositions for generating all compositions and neopositions to calculate number of compositions

#### compositions

#### Examples

```
ipart <- icompositions(4)
ipart$getnext()
ipart$getnext(2)
ipart$getnext(layout = "column", drop = FALSE)
# collect remaining compositions
ipart$collect()
library(foreach)
foreach(x = icompositions(6, 2), .combine=c) %do% {
    prod(x)
}</pre>
```

compositions Compositions generator

#### Description

This function generates the compositions of an non-negative interger n into k parts or parts of any sizes. The results are in lexicographical or reversed lexicographical order.

#### Usage

```
compositions(n, k = NULL, descending = FALSE, layout = NULL,
nitem = -1L, skip = NULL, index = NULL, nsample = NULL,
drop = NULL)
```

#### Arguments

n	an non-negative integer to be partitioned
k	number of parts
descending	an logical to use reversed lexicographical order
layout	if "row", "column" or "list" is specified, the returned value would be a "row-major" matrix, a "column-major" matrix or a list respectively
nitem	number of compositions required, usually used with skip
skip	the number of compositions skipped
index	a vector of indices of the desired compositions
nsample	sampling random compositions
drop	vectorize a matrix or unlist a list

#### See Also

icompositions for iterating compositions and ncompositions to calculate number of compositions

#### Examples

```
# all compositions of 4
compositions(4)
# reversed lexicographical order
compositions(4, descending = TRUE)
# fixed number of parts
compositions(6, 3)
# reversed lexicographical order
compositions(6, 3, descending = TRUE)
# column major
compositions(4, layout = "column")
compositions(6, 3, layout = "column")
# list output
compositions(4, layout = "list")
compositions(6, 3, layout = "list")
# zero sized compositions
dim(compositions(0))
dim(compositions(5, 0))
dim(compositions(5, 6))
dim(compositions(0, 0))
dim(compositions(0, 1))
```

ncombinations Number of combinations

#### Description

Number of combinations

#### Usage

```
ncombinations(x = NULL, k = NULL, n = NULL, v = NULL,
freq = NULL, replace = FALSE, bigz = FALSE)
```

#### Arguments

Х	an integer or a vector, will be treated as n if integer; otherwise, will be treated as v. Should not be specified together with n and v.
k	an integer, the number of items drawn, defaults to n if freq is NULL else sum(freq)
n	an integer, the total number of items, its value may be implicitly deduced from length(v) or length(freq)
v	a vector to be drawn, defaults to 1:n.
freq	an integer vector of item repeat frequencies

#### ncompositions

replace	an logical to draw items with replacement
bigz	an logical to use gmp::bigz

#### See Also

combinations for generating all combinations and icombinations for iterating combinations

#### Examples

```
ncombinations(5, 2)
ncombinations(LETTERS, k = 5)
# integer overflow
## Not run: ncombinations(40, 15)
ncombinations(40, 15, bigz = TRUE)
# number of combinations of `c("a", "b", "b")`
# they are `c("a", "b")` and `c("b", "b")`
ncombinations(k = 2, freq = c(1, 2))
# zero sized combinations
ncombinations(5, 0)
ncombinations(5, 6)
ncombinations(0, 1)
ncombinations(0, 0)
```

ncompositions Number of compositions

#### Description

Number of compositions

#### Usage

```
ncompositions(n, k = NULL, bigz = FALSE)
```

#### Arguments

n	an non-negative integer to be partitioned
k	number of parts
bigz	an logical to use gmp::bigz

#### See Also

compositions for generating all compositions and icompositions for iterating compositions

#### Examples

```
# number of compositions of 10
ncompositions(10)
# number of compositions of 10 into 5 parts
ncompositions(10, 5)
# integer overflow
## Not run: ncompositions(160)
ncompositions(160, bigz = TRUE)
# zero sized compositions
ncompositions(0)
ncompositions(5, 0)
ncompositions(5, 6)
ncompositions(0, 0)
ncompositions(0, 1)
```

```
npartitions
```

#### Number of partitions

#### Description

Number of partitions

#### Usage

```
npartitions(n, k = NULL, distinct = FALSE, bigz = FALSE)
```

#### Arguments

n	an non-negative integer to be partitioned
k	number of parts
distinct	an logical to restrict distinct values
bigz	an logical to use gmp::bigz

#### See Also

partitions for generating all partitions and ipartitions for iterating partitions

#### Examples

```
# number of partitions of 10
npartitions(10)
# number of partitions of 10 into 5 parts
npartitions(10, 5)
# integer overflow
## Not run: npartitions(160)
```

#### npermutations

```
npartitions(160, bigz = TRUE)
# zero sized partitions
npartitions(0)
npartitions(5, 0)
npartitions(5, 6)
npartitions(0, 0)
npartitions(0, 1)
```

npermutations

Number of permutations

#### Description

Number of permutations

#### Usage

npermutations(x = NULL, k = NULL, n = NULL, v = NULL, freq = NULL, replace = FALSE, bigz = FALSE)

#### Arguments

x	an integer or a vector, will be treated as n if integer; otherwise, will be treated as v. Should not be specified together with n and v.
k	an integer, the number of items drawn, defaults to n if freq is NULL else sum(freq)
n	an integer, the total number of items, its value may be implicitly deduced from length(v) or length(freq)
v	a vector to be drawn, defaults to 1:n.
freq	an integer vector of item repeat frequencies
replace	an logical to draw items with replacement
bigz	an logical to use gmp::bigz

#### See Also

permutations for generating all permutations and ipermutations for iterating permutations

#### Examples

```
npermutations(7)
npermutations(LETTERS[1:5])
npermutations(5, 2)
npermutations(LETTERS, k = 5)
# integer overflow
## Not run: npermutations(14, 10)
npermutations(14, 10, bigz = TRUE)
```

```
# number of permutations of `c("a", "b", "b")`
# they are `c("a", "b")`, `c("b", "b")` and `c("b", "b")`
npermutations(k = 2, freq = c(1, 2))
# zero sized partitions
npermutations(0)
npermutations(5, 0)
npermutations(5, 6)
npermutations(0, 1)
npermutations(0, 0)
```

Partitions Partitions iterator

#### Description

This function returns a Partitions iterator for iterating partitions of an non-negative integer n into k parts or parts of any sizes. The iterator allows users to fetch the next partition(s) via the getnext() method.

#### Usage

Partitions

ipartitions(n, k = NULL, distinct = FALSE, descending = FALSE, skip = NULL)

#### Arguments

n	an non-negative integer to be partitioned
k	number of parts
distinct	an logical to restrict distinct values
descending	an logical to use reversed lexicographical order
skip	the number of partitions skipped

#### Format

An object of class R6ClassGenerator of length 25.

#### Details

The Partitions class can be initialized by using the convenient wrapper ipartitions or

Partitions\$new(n, k = NULL, descending = FALSE)

#### partitions

```
getnext(d = 1L, layout = NULL, drop = NULL)
collect(layout = "row")
reset()
```

**d** number of fetched arrangements

**layout** if "row", "column" or "list" is specified, the returned value would be a "row-major" matrix, a "column-major" matrix or a list respectively

drop vectorize a matrix or unlist a list

#### See Also

partitions for generating all partitions and npartitions to calculate number of partitions

#### Examples

```
ipart <- ipartitions(10)
ipart$getnext()
ipart$getnext(2)
ipart$getnext(layout = "column", drop = FALSE)
# collect remaining partitions
ipart$collect()
library(foreach)
foreach(x = ipartitions(6, 2), .combine=c) %do% {
    prod(x)
}</pre>
```

partitions *Partitions generator* 

#### Description

This function partitions an non-negative interger n into k parts or parts of any sizes. The results are in lexicographical or reversed lexicographical order.

#### Usage

```
partitions(n, k = NULL, distinct = FALSE, descending = FALSE,
layout = NULL, nitem = -1L, skip = NULL, index = NULL,
nsample = NULL, drop = NULL)
```

#### Arguments

n	an non-negative integer to be partitioned
k	number of parts
distinct	an logical to restrict distinct values
descending	an logical to use reversed lexicographical order

layout	if "row", "column" or "list" is specified, the returned value would be a "row- major" matrix, a "column-major" matrix or a list respectively
nitem	number of partitions required, usually used with skip
skip	the number of partitions skipped
index	a vector of indices of the desired partitions
nsample	sampling random partitions
drop	vectorize a matrix or unlist a list

#### See Also

ipartitions for iterating partitions and npartitions to calculate number of partitions

#### Examples

```
# all partitions of 6
partitions(6)
# reversed lexicographical order
partitions(6, descending = TRUE)
# fixed number of parts
partitions(10, 5)
# reversed lexicographical order
partitions(10, 5, descending = TRUE)
# column major
partitions(6, layout = "column")
partitions(6, 3, layout = "column")
# list output
partitions(6, layout = "list")
partitions(6, 3, layout = "list")
# zero sized partitions
dim(partitions(0))
dim(partitions(5, 0))
dim(partitions(5, 6))
dim(partitions(0, 0))
dim(partitions(0, 1))
```

Permutations

Permutations iterator

#### Description

This function returns a Permutations iterator for iterating permutations of k items from n items. The iterator allows users to fetch the next permutation(s) via the getnext() method.

#### Permutations

#### Usage

Permutations

```
ipermutations(x = NULL, k = NULL, n = NULL, v = NULL,
freq = NULL, replace = FALSE, skip = NULL)
```

#### Arguments

X	an integer or a vector, will be treated as n if integer; otherwise, will be treated as $v$ . Should not be specified together with n and v.
k	an integer, the number of items drawn, defaults to n if freq is NULL else sum(freq)
n	an integer, the total number of items, its value may be implicitly deduced from $length(v)$ or $length(freq)$
v	a vector to be drawn, defaults to 1:n.
freq	an integer vector of item repeat frequencies
replace	an logical to draw items with replacement
skip	the number of combinations skipped

#### Format

An object of class R6ClassGenerator of length 25.

#### Details

The Permutations class can be initialized by using the convenient wrapper ipermutations or

Permutations\$new(n, k, v = NULL, freq = NULL, replace = FALSE)

```
getnext(d = 1L, layout = NULL, drop = NULL)
collect(layout = "row")
reset()
```

d number of fetched arrangements

**layout** if "row", "column" or "list" is specified, the returned value would be a "row-major" matrix, a "column-major" matrix or a list respectively

drop vectorize a matrix or unlist a list

#### See Also

permutations for generating all permutations and npermutations to calculate number of permutations

#### Examples

```
iperm <- ipermutations(5, 2)
iperm$getnext()
iperm$getnext(2)
iperm$getnext(layout = "column", drop = FALSE)
# collect remaining permutations
iperm$collect()
library(foreach)
foreach(x = ipermutations(5, 2), .combine=c) %do% {
    sum(x)
}</pre>
```

permutations Permutations generator

#### Description

This function generates all the permutations of selecting k items from n items. The results are in lexicographical order.

#### Usage

```
permutations(x = NULL, k = NULL, n = NULL, v = NULL, freq = NULL,
replace = FALSE, layout = NULL, nitem = -1L, skip = NULL,
index = NULL, nsample = NULL, drop = NULL)
```

#### Arguments

х	an integer or a vector, will be treated as n if integer; otherwise, will be treated as v. Should not be specified together with n and v.
k	an integer, the number of items drawn, defaults to n if freq is NULL else sum(freq)
n	an integer, the total number of items, its value may be implicitly deduced from length(v) or length(freq)
v	a vector to be drawn, defaults to 1:n.
freq	an integer vector of item repeat frequencies
replace	an logical to draw items with replacement
layout	if "row", "column" or "list" is specified, the returned value would be a "row- major" matrix, a "column-major" matrix or a list respectively
nitem	number of permutations required, usually used with skip
skip	the number of permutations skipped
index	a vector of indices of the desired permutations
nsample	sampling random permutations
drop	vectorize a matrix or unlist a list

#### permutations

#### See Also

ipermutations for iterating permutations and npermutations to calculate number of permutations

#### Examples

```
permutations(3)
permutations(LETTERS[1:3])
# choose 2 from 4
permutations(4, 2)
permutations(LETTERS[1:3], k = 2)
# multiset with frequencies c(2, 3)
permutations(k = 3, freq = c(2, 3))
# with replacement
permutations(4, 2, replace = TRUE)
# column major
permutations(3, layout = "column")
permutations(4, 2, layout = "column")
# list output
permutations(3, layout = "list")
permutations(4, 2, layout = "list")
# specifc range of permutations
permutations(4, 2, nitem = 2, skip = 3)
# specific permutations
permutations(4, 2, index = c(3, 5))
# random permutations
permutations(4, 2, nsample = 3)
# zero sized permutations
dim(permutations(0))
dim(permutations(5, 0))
dim(permutations(5, 6))
dim(permutations(0, 0))
dim(permutations(0, 1))
```

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