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 WeightedPortTest-package

*Weighted Portmanteau Test procedures for Time Series Goodness-of-fit*


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## Description

Two functions that implement the Weighted Portmanteau Statistics from Fisher and Gallagher (2012). The first is essentially a weighted Ljung-Box type test that can be used for fitted ARMA processes or detecting non-linear effects. The second function can be utilized to check the adequacy of a fitted ARCH process. Both are written for backward compatibility.

## Details

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The two functions, `Weighted.Box.test()` and `Weighted.LM.test()`, can be used in a similar to the `Box.test()` function.

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 Weighted.Box.test

*Weighted Portmanteau Test*


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## Description

Weighted portmanteau tests for testing the null hypothesis of adequate ARMA fit and/or for detecting nonlinear processes. Written in the style of `Box.test()` and is capable of performing the traditional Box Pierce (1970), Ljung Box (1978) or Monti (1994) tests.

## Usage

```
Weighted.Box.test(x, lag = 1,
  type = c("Box-Pierce", "Ljung-Box", "Monti"),
  fitdf = 0, sqrd.res = FALSE,
  log.sqrd.res = FALSE, abs.res = FALSE,
  weighted = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	a numeric vector or univariate time series, or residuals of a fitted time series
<code>lag</code>	the statistic will be based on <code>lag</code> autocorrelation coefficients. <code>lag=1</code> by default
<code>type</code>	test to be performed, partial matching is used. "Box-Pierce" by default
<code>fitdf</code>	number of degrees of freedom to be subtracted if <code>x</code> is a series of residuals, set at 0 by default
<code>sqr.res</code>	A flag, should the series/residuals be squared to detect for nonlinear effects?, FALSE by default
<code>log.sqr.res</code>	A flag, should a log of the squared series/residuals be used to detect for nonlinear effects? FALSE by default
<code>abs.res</code>	A flag, should the absolute series or residuals be used to detect for nonlinear effects? FALSE by default
<code>weighted</code>	A flag determining if the weighting scheme should be utilized. TRUE by default. If set to FALSE, the traditional test is performed with no weights

**Details**

These test are traditionally applied to a time series for detecting autocorrelation, or to the residuals of an ARMA( $p, q$ ) fit to check the adequacy of that fit or to detect nonlinear (i.e. GARCH) effects in the time/residual series. The weighting scheme utilized here is asymptotically similar to the results found in Pena and Rodriguez (2002) and Mahdi and McLeod (2012) (i.e. the `portest` package).

**Value**

A list with class "htest" containing the following components:

<code>statistic</code>	the value of the test statistic
<code>parameter</code>	The approximate shape and scale parameters for the weighted statistic or degrees of freedom of the chi-squared distribution if the weighted flag is set to false.
<code>p.value</code>	The p-value of the test
<code>method</code>	a character string indicating which type of test was performed.
<code>data.name</code>	a character string giving the name of the data

**Note**

Like the `Box.test()` function, missing values are not handled

**Author(s)**

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## Examples

```
set.seed(1)
x <- rnorm(100);
Weighted.Box.test(x, lag=10, type="Ljung");
Weighted.Box.test(x, lag=10, type="Ljung", sqrd.res=TRUE);
```

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Weighted.LM.test	<i>Weighted Portmanteau Test for Fitted ARCH process</i>
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## Description

A weighted portmanteau test for testing the null hypothesis of adequately fitted ARCH process. This is essentially a weighted version of the statistic proposed by Li and Mak (1994)

## Usage

```
Weighted.LM.test(x, h.t, lag = 1,
                 type = c("correlation", "partial"),
                 fitdf = 1, weighted = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	a numeric vector or univariate time series, or residuals of a fitted time series
<code>h.t</code>	a numeric vector of the conditional variances
<code>lag</code>	the statistic will be based on lag autocorrelation coefficients.
<code>type</code>	type of test to be performed, either based on the autocorrelations or partial-autocorrelations.
<code>fitdf</code>	the number of ARCH parameters fit to the model, default=1 since at least some ARCH model must be fit to find h.t

`weighted` A flag determining if the weighting scheme should be utilized. TRUE by default, if FALSE, it performs the test from Li and Mak (1994)

### Details

These test can be performed after fitting an ARCH process to a time series. The theoretical work was originally developed in Li and Mak (1994) and has recently been extended in Fisher and Gallagher (2012).

### Value

A list with class "htest" containing the following components:

<code>statistic</code>	the value of the test statistic
<code>parameter</code>	The approximate shape and scale parameters for the weighted statistic or degrees of freedom of the chi-squared distribution if the weighted flag is set to FALSE.
<code>p.value</code>	The p-value of the test
<code>method</code>	a character string indicating which type of test was performed.
<code>data.name</code>	a character string giving the name of the data

### Note

Similar to the `Box.test()` and `Weighted.Box.test()` functions

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### References

Fisher, T. J. and Gallagher, C. M. (2012), New Weighted Portmanteau Statistics for Time Series Goodness-of-Fit Testing. *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, 107(498), 777-787.

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