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Families-packageKinship Ties in Virtual Populations

# Description

Tools to study kinship networks, grandparenthood, and double burden (presence of children and oldest old parents) in virtual population produced by 'VirtualPop'.

#### Author(s)

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dataLH

dataLH data

# Description

simulated population of four generations

#### Usage

data(dataLH)

#### Format

A data frame with data on 1000 individuals.

**ID** Identification number

gen Generation

sex Sex. A factor with levels Males Females

bdated Date of birth (decimal date)

ddated Date of death (decimal date)

#### dataLH

- x\_D Age at death (decimal number)
- IDpartner ID of partner
- IDmother ID of mother
- IDfather ID of father
- jch Child's line number in the household
- nch Number of children ever born
- id.1 ID of first child
- id.2 ID of 2nd child
- id.3 ID of 3rd child
- id.4 ID of 4th child
- id.5 ID of 5th child
- id.6 ID of 6th child
- id.7 ID of 7th child
- id.8 ID of 8th child
- id.9 ID of 9th child
- age.1 Age of mother at birth of first child
- age.2 Age of mother at birth of 2nd child
- age.3 Age of mother at birth of 3rd child
- age.4 Age of mother at birth of 4th child
- age.5 Age of mother at birth of 5th child
- age.6 Age of mother at birth of 6th child
- age.7 Age of mother at birth of 7th child
- age.8 Age of mother at birth of 8th child
- age.9 Age of mother at birth of 9th child

#### Source

Simulation uses period mortality rates and fertility rates by birth order from the United States 2019. The data are downloaded from the Human Mortality Database (HMD) and the Human Fertility Database (HFD).

dataLH\_F

#### Description

Simulated population of four generations, produced by 'VirtualPop'.

#### Format

A data frame with data on 2965 individuals (1000 in initial cohort).

**ID** Identification number

gen Generation

sex Sex. A factor with levels Males and Females

bdated Date of birth (decimal date

ddated Date of death (decimal date

**x\_D** Age at death (decimal number

IDpartner ID of partner

**IDmother** ID of mother

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jch Child's line number in the household

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- id.8 ID of 8th child

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age.1 Age of mother at birth of first child

age.2 Age of mother at birth of 2nd child

age.3 Age of mother at birth of 3rd child

- age.4 Age of mother at birth of 4th child
- age.5 Age of mother at birth of 5th child
- age.6 Age of mother at birth of 6th child
- age.7 Age of mother at birth of 7th child
- age.8 Age of mother at birth of 8th child
- age.9 Age of mother at birth of 9th child

# Db

# Source

Simulation uses period mortality rates and fertility rates by birth order from the United States 2019. The data are downloaded from the Human Mortality Database (HMD) and the Human Fertility Database (HFD).

Db

Retrieves the date(s) of birth in decimal format

# Description

Retrieves the date(s) of birth from the database

# Usage

Db(idego, dLH)

# Arguments

idego	vector of IDs of egos
dLH	Name of database. If dLH is missing, dataLH_F is used.

# Value

Returns the dates of birth

#### Author(s)

Frans Willekens

# Examples

```
# Date of birth of first individual in database
data(dataLH_F,package = "Families")
Db(idego=1)
```

# Description

Retrieves the date(s) of death from the database

#### Usage

Dd(idego, dLH)

#### Arguments

idego	vector of IDs of egos
dLH	Name of database. If dLH is missing, dataLH_F is used.

#### Value

Returns the date of death

#### Author(s)

Frans Willekens

# Examples

```
# Date of death of first individual in database
data(dataLH_F,package = "Families")
Dd(idego=1)
```

dpopus

dpopus data Population of the United States in 2019 reported in the HMD (Population.txt file)

# Description

dpopus data

Population of the United States in 2019 reported in the HMD (Population.txt file)

#### Format

A data frame with 111 age groups (single years of age).

Females Female population

Males Male population

#### Dd

# Source

The data are downloaded from the Human Mortality Database (HMD). Country: USA. Year: 2019

e0	Computes (a) Life expectancy at birth, (b) Probability of surviving at
	age 65, and (c) Probability of surviving at age 85

# Description

Computes (a) Life expectancy at birth, (b) Probability of surviving at age 65, and (c) Probability of surviving at age 85

# Usage

e0(dLH)

# Arguments

dLH	The name of the database.	If missing, dataLH_F is used.

#### Value

eØ	Mean ages at death
Prob65	Probability of surviving at age 65
Prob85	Probability of surviving at age 85

# Author(s)

Frans Willekens

# Examples

data(dataLH\_F,package = "Families")
e0(dLH=dataLH\_F)

#### Description

Retrieves ID of children of ego or children of vector of egos

#### Usage

```
IDch(idego, dLH, keep_ego = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

idego	ID of ego(s)
dLH	Name of database. If dLH is missing, dataLH_F is used.
keep_ego	Option to link show ID of ego together with ID of mother

#### Value

ID of children. If ego has no children or IDs of children are not included in database, numeric(0) is returned. If keep\_ego=TRUE, a data frame is returned with the following columns: IDego, ID of mother of children, ID of father of children, ID of children, sex of children.

# Author(s)

Frans Willekens

#### Examples

```
data(dataLH_F,package = "Families")
IDch(idego=1)
id <- sample (dataLH_F$ID[dataLH_F$gen==1],10)
IDch(idego=sort(id),keep_ego=TRUE)</pre>
```

IDfather

Retrieves ID of father of ego

# Description

Function to retrieve the ID of father of ego or fathers of vector of egos

# Usage

IDfather(idego, dLH, keep\_ego = FALSE)

IDch

# IDgch

#### Arguments

idego	ID
dLH	Name of database. If missing, dataLH_F is used.
keep_ego	Option to link show ID of ego together with ID of father

#### Value

ID of father or (if keep\_ego=TRUE, object with ID of ego and ID of father). Returns NA if ID of father is not included in the database

#### Author(s)

Frans Willekens

# Examples

data(dataLH\_F,package = "Families")
IDfather (idego=sample (dataLH\_F\$ID,10))

IDgch

Retrieves IDs of granchildren of ego

#### Description

Retrieves IDs of grandchildren of vector of egos

#### Usage

IDgch(id, dataLH, keep\_ego = FALSE)

#### Arguments

id	vector of IDs of egos
dataLH	Database. If missing, datac=datab
keep_ego	Option to show ID of ego together with ID of mother

#### Details

IDgch uses IDch

#### Value

ID of grandchildren or (if keep\_ego=TRUE, data frame with ID of members of multiple generations). If ego has no grandchildren or IDs of grandchildren are not included in database, numeric(0) is returned and the message "No (grand)children of ego in database". If keep\_ego=TRUE, an data frame is returned with the following columns: IDego, ID of ego's child that is mother or father of grandchildren, IDs of mother and father of grandchildren, ID of grandchildren, character sequence denoting the sex of grandparent, parent and sex of child.

#### Author(s)

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# Examples

```
data(dataLH)
# Grandchildren of ego with ID 1
IDgch(1,dataLH)
# Grandchildren of member of first generation
IDgch(sample(dataLH$ID[dataLH$gen==1],3),dataLH,keep_ego=TRUE)
```

IDmother

Retrieves ID of mother of ego

#### Description

Retrieves the ID of mother of ego or mothers of vector of egos

#### Usage

```
IDmother(idego, dLH, keep_ego = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

idego	ID
dLH	Name of database. If missing, dataLH_F is used.
keep_ego	Option to show ID of ego together with ID of mother

#### Value

ID of mother or (if keep\_ego=TRUE, object with ID of ego and ID of mother). Returns NA if ID of mother is not included in the database

# Author(s)

Frans Willekens

# Examples

```
data(dataLH_F,package = "Families")
IDmother (sample (dataLH_F$ID,10))
IDmother(sample (dataLH_F$ID,10),keep_ego=TRUE)
```

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IDpartner

# Description

Retrieves ID of partners of vector of egos or randomly allocates partners to egos

#### Usage

```
IDpartner(idego, dLH)
```

# Arguments

idego	vector of ID of egos. If idego is missing, then the function allocates partners
	(from opposite sex) to egos. The allocation is random.
dLH	Name of database. If missing, dataLH_F is used.

# Value

IDs of partners. If the argument idego is missing, then a data frame similar to 'dLH' is returned with IDs of partners completed.

#### Author(s)

Frans Willekens

# Examples

```
data(dataLH_F,package = "Families")
IDpartner(idego=1)
# Allocate partner to egos with ID 4,9,30.
IDpartner(idego=dataLH_F$ID[c(4,9,30)])
```

Multistate Multistate life table

# Description

Computes fertility table by birth order

#### Usage

Multistate(rates, mortality = 1)

#### Arguments

rates	rates by age and sex and birth rates by age and birth order (or parity)
mortality	Indicator variable. Mortality accounted for if mortality=1, else mortality omit-
	ted.

# Details

The multistate life table is computed using the functions MSLT.S and MLST.e from the Biograph package. The two functions are included in the Multistate function as MSLT\_S and MSLT\_e.

#### Value

A list of two objects: itemSthe multistate survival function (S) and multistate transition probabilities (P) itemmsltother measures of the multistate life table: person-years (L); expectation at birth of sojourn times in the various states (e0); expectation at age x of the remaining expected sojourn times in the various states: population-based measures (e.p); expectation at age x of the remaining expected sojourn times in the various states: status-based measures (e.p)

#### Author(s)

Frans Willekens

#### Examples

```
data(rates,package = "Families")
z=Multistate(rates)
```

rates

rates data

#### Description

Mortality rates by age and sex: fertility rates by age and birth order

#### Format

A list of three objects.

ASDR Mortality rates

ASFR Fertility rates

ratesM Multistate transition rates

# Source

The data are downloaded from the Human Mortality Database (HMD) and the Human Fertility Database (HFD). Country: USA. Year: 2019

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