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Description Determine sample sizes, draw samples, and conduct data analysis using data frames. It specifically enables you to determine simple random sample sizes, stratified sample sizes, and complex stratified sample sizes using a secondary variable such as population; draw simple random samples and stratified random samples from sampling data frames; determine which observations are missing from a random sample, missing by strata, duplicated within a dataset; and perform data analysis, including proportions, margins of error and upper and lower bounds for simple, stratified and cluster sample designs.

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albania	<i>Albania 2017 Election Results by Polling Station</i>
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Description

Data set containing 2017 Albania election results by polling station published by the Central Election Commission and opened by the Coalition of Domestic Observers & Democracy International.

Usage

albania

Format

A data frame with 5362 rows and 45 variables

qarku district, 12 in total

Q_ID geocode for district

bashkia municipality, 61 in total

BAS_ID geocode for municipality

zaz election area zone, 90 in total

njesiaAdministrative village, 373 in total

COM_ID geocode for village

qvKod polling station identifier

zgjedhes number of total registered voters

meshkuj number of male registered voters

femra number of female registered voters

totalSeats number of seats contested by district

vendndodhja name of polling center containing polling stations

ambienti type of polling center, 5 in total

totalVoters number of total registered voters that cast ballots

femVoters number of female registered voters that cast ballots

maleVoters number of male registered voters that cast ballots

unusedBallots number of ballots not used

damagedBallots number of ballots damaged

ballotsCast number of total ballots cast

invalidVotes number of ballots cast that were invalidated

validVotes number of valid ballots cast

lsi number of ballots cast for LSI

ps number of ballots cast for PS

pkd number of ballots cast for PKD

sfida number of ballots cast for SFIDA

pr number of ballots cast for PR

pd number of ballots cast for PD

pbdksh number of ballots cast for PBDKSH

adk number of ballots cast for ADK

psd number of ballots cast for PSD

ad number of ballots cast for AD

frd number of ballots cast for FRD

pds number of ballots cast for PDS

pdiu number of ballots cast for PDIU

aak number of ballots cast for AAK

mega number of ballots cast for MEGA

pksh number of ballots cast for PKSH

apd number of ballots cast for APD

libra number of ballots cast for LIBRA

psSeats number of seats won by PS

pdSeats number of seats won by PD

lsiSeats number of seats won by LSI

pdiuSeats number of seats won by PDIU

psdSeats number of seats won by PSD

Source

<https://albaniaelectiondata.herokuapp.com/>

cpro	<i>Calculate proportion and margin of error (unequal-sized cluster sample)</i>
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Description

Calculate proportion and margin of error (unequal-sized cluster sample)

Usage

```
cpro(df, numerator, denominator, ci = 95, na = "", N = 0)
```

Arguments

df	object containing data frame on which to perform analysis
numerator	variable in data frame for which you want to calculate proportion and margin of error
denominator	variable in data frame containing population sizes of unequal clusters
ci	(optional) confidence level for establishing a confidence interval using z-score (defaults to 95; restricted to 80, 85, 90, 95 or 99 as input)
na	(optional) value that you want to filter and exclude (defaults to include everything)
N	(optional) population universe (e.g. 10000, nrow(df)); if N value is passed as an argument, margin of error will be calculated using fpc

Value

Returns table of responses (n), proportions, margins of error, lower and upper bounds by factor for a given variable in a stratified sample

References

[1] Survey Sampling, L. Kish, 1965, Equation 6.3.4 [2] Sampling Techniques, W.G. Cochran, 1977, Equation 3.34

Examples

```
alresults <- ssamp(albania, 890, qarku)
cpro(df=alresults, numerator=totalVoters, denominator=zgjedhes, ci=95)
cpro(df=alresults, numerator=pd, denominator=validVotes, ci=95, N=5361)
```

dedupe	<i>Removes duplicate observations within collected data</i>
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Description

Removes duplicate observations within collected data

Usage

```
dedupe(df, col_name)
```

Arguments

df	object containing data frame of collected data
col_name	variable within data frame by which to filter for duplicate values

Value

Returns table of all data based on unique values within collected data

Examples

```
aldupe <- rsamp(df=albania, n=390, rep=TRUE)
dedupe(df=aldupe, col_name=qvKod)
```

dupe	<i>Identifies duplicate values within collected data</i>
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Description

Identifies duplicate values within collected data

Usage

```
dupe(df, col_name)
```

Arguments

df	object containing data frame of collected data
col_name	variable within data frame by which to filter for duplicate values

Value

Returns table of duplicate values within collected data

Examples

```
aldupe <- rsamp(df=albania, n=390, rep=TRUE)
dupe(df=aldupe, col_name=qvKod)
```

opening	<i>Albania 2017 CDO Election Observation Data Findings on Opening Process</i>
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Description

Data set containing 2017 Albania election observation findings on polling station opening process by the Coalition of Domestic Observers (CDO) CDO conducted a statistically-based observation (SBO) exercise, deploying observers to a random sample of polling stations for the 25 June 2017 Albanian elections. This is a subset of observation data collected by CDO observers that includes data that was used to perform statistical analysis.

Usage

```
opening
```

Format

A data frame with 524 rows and 19 variables

qarku district, 12 in total

psID polling station identifier

votersList number of registered voters at the polling station

ballotPapers number of ballot papers at the polling station

pubPriv type of polling station, public or private

openTime time when polling station opening, in 30 minute ranges

numKommish number of commissioners present at polling station

secrecyOpen yes-no if polling station enabled voters to cast ballots in secrecy, po or jo

movementOpen yes-no if polling station provided sufficient space to vote, po or jo

removeMatInside yes-no if campaign materials were removed from inside polling station, po or jo

removeMatOutside yes-no if campaign materials were removed from outside polling station, po or jo

pvComplete yes-no if commissioners completed the opening record checklist sheet, po or jo

boxChecked yes-no if commissioners checked to ensure the ballot box was empty before opening, po or jo

boxSealed yes-no if commissioners sealed the ballot box to prevent ballot tampering, po or jo

recordBox yes-no if commissioners recorded the seal number on the ballot box, po or jo

centerMat yes-no if there were all election materials were available at the polling station, po or jo

blindTools yes-no if the polling station was equipped for blind voters, po or jo

disabledTools yes-no-partially if the polling station was equipped for disabled voters, po or jo or pjeserisht

overallOpen very good-good-problematic-very problematic an overall assessment of the opening process, shummir,mir,meprob,shumprob

Source

<https://ona.io/cdo/35080/216662>

psampcalc

Determines sample size by strata using sub-units

Description

Determines sample size by strata using sub-units

Usage

```
psampcalc(df, n, strata, unit, over = 0)
```

Arguments

df	object containing full sampling data frame (e.g. data)
n	sample size (integer) or object containing sample size
strata	variable in sampling data frame by which to stratify (e.g. region)
unit	variable in sampling data frame containing sub-units (e.g. population)
over	(optional) desired oversampling proportion (defaults to 0; takes value between 0 and 1 as input)

Value

Returns sample size per strata based on sub-units (rounded up to nearest integer)

References

[1] Sampling Design & Analysis, S. Lohr, 1999, 4.4

rmissing	<i>Identifies missing points between sample and collected data</i>
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Description

Identifies missing points between sample and collected data

Usage

```
rmissing(sampdf, colldf, col_name)
```

Arguments

sampdf	object containing data frame of sample points
colldf	object containing data frame of collected data
col_name	common variable (i.e. key) in data frames by which to check for missing points

Value

Returns table of sample points missing from collected data

References

Simplified wrapper around `dplyr::anti_join()`

Examples

```
alsample <- rsamp(df=albania, 544)
alreceived <- rsamp(df=alsample, 390)
rmissing(sampdf=alsample, colldf=alreceived, col_name=qvKod)
```

rpro	<i>Calculate proportion and margin of error (simple random sample)</i>
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Description

Calculate proportion and margin of error (simple random sample)

Usage

```
rpro(df, col_name, ci = 95, na = "", N = 0)
```


Arguments

df	object containing data frame on which to perform analysis (e.g. data)
col_name	variable in data frame for which you want to calculate proportion and margin of error
ci	(optional) confidence level for establishing a confidence interval using z-score (defaults to 95; restricted to 80, 85, 90, 95 or 99 as input)
na	(optional) value that you want to filter and exclude (defaults to include everything)
N	(optional) population universe (e.g. 10000, nrow(df)); if N value is passed as an argument, margin of error will be calculated using fpc

Value

Returns table of responses (n), proportions, margins of error, lower and upper bounds by factor for a given variable

References

[1] Sampling Design & Analysis, S. Lohr, 1999, Equation 2.15

Examples

```
rpro(df=opening, col_name=openTime, ci=95, na="n/a", N=5361)
```

rsamp *Draws simple random sample without replacement*

Description

Draws simple random sample without replacement

Usage

```
rsamp(df, n, over = 0, rep = FALSE)
```

Arguments

df	object containing full sampling data frame (e.g. data)
n	sample size (integer) or object containing sample size
over	(optional) desired oversampling proportion (defaults to 0; takes value between 0 and 1 as input)
rep	(optional)

Value

Returns simple random sample without replacement

References

Simplified wrapper around `dplyr::sample_n()`

Examples

```
rsamp(albania, n=360, over=0.1, rep=FALSE)

size <- rsampcalc(nrow(albania), 3, 95, 0.5)
randomsample <- rsamp(albania, size)
```

rsampcalc	<i>Determines random sample size</i>
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Description

Determines random sample size

Usage

```
rsampcalc(N, e, ci = 95, p = 0.5, over = 0)
```

Arguments

N	population universe (e.g. 10000, <code>nrow(df)</code>)
e	tolerable margin of error (integer or float, e.g. 5, 2.5)
ci	(optional) confidence level for establishing a confidence interval using z-score (defaults to 95; restricted to 80, 85, 90, 95 or 99 as input)
p	(optional) anticipated response distribution (defaults to 0.5; takes value between 0 and 1 as input)
over	(optional) desired oversampling proportion (defaults to 0; takes value between 0 and 1 as input)

Value

Returns appropriate sample size (rounded up to nearest integer)

References

[1] Sampling Design & Analysis, S. Lohr, 1999, equation 2.17

Examples

```
rsampcalc(N=5361, e=3, ci=95, p=0.5, over=0.1)

rsampcalc(nrow(data), 3)
```

smissing	<i>Identifies number of missing points by strata between sample and collected data</i>
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Description

Identifies number of missing points by strata between sample and collected data

Usage

```
smissing(sampdf, colldf, strata, col_name)
```

Arguments

sampdf	object containing data frame of sample points
colldf	object containing data frame of collected data
strata	variable in both data frames by which to stratify
col_name	common variable (i.e. key) in data frames by which to check for missing points

Value

Returns table of number of sample points by strata missing from collected data

References

Simplified wrapper around `dplyr::anti_join()`

Examples

```
alsample <- rsamp(df=albania, 544)
alreceived <- rsamp(df=alsample, 390)
smissing(sampdf=alsample, colldf=alreceived, strata=qarku, col_name=qvKod)
```

spro	<i>Calculate proportion and margin of error (stratified sample)</i>
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Description

Calculate proportion and margin of error (stratified sample)

Usage

```
spro(fullldf, sampdf, strata, col_name, ci = 95, na = "")
```

Arguments

fulldf	object containing original data frame used to draw sample
sampdf	object containing data frame on which to perform analysis
strata	variable in both data frames by which to stratify
col_name	variable in data frame for which you want to calculate proportion and margin of error
ci	(optional) confidence level for establishing a confidence interval using z-score (defaults to 95; restricted to 80, 85, 90, 95 or 99 as input)
na	(optional) value that you want to filter and exclude (defaults to include everything)

Value

Returns table of responses (n), proportions, margins of error, lower and upper bounds by factor for a given variable in a stratified sample

References

[1] Sampling Design & Analysis, S. Lohr, 1999, 4.6 & 4.7

Examples

```
spro(fulldf=albania, sampdf=opening, strata=qarku, col_name=openTime, ci=95, na="n/a")
```

ssamp	<i>Draws stratified sample without replacement using proportional allocation</i>
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Description

Draws stratified sample without replacement using proportional allocation

Usage

```
ssamp(df, n, strata, over = 1)
```

Arguments

df	object containing full sampling data frame (e.g. data)
n	sample size (integer) or object containing sample size
strata	variable in sampling data frame by which to stratify (e.g. region)
over	(optional) desired oversampling proportion (defaults to 0; takes value between 0 and 1 as input)

Value

Returns stratified sample without replacement

Examples

```
ssamp(df=albania, n=360, strata=qarku, over=0.1)

size <- rsampcalc(nrow(albania), 3, 95, 0.5)
stratifiedsample <- ssamp(albania, size, qarku)
```

<code>ssampcalc</code>	<i>Determines sample size by strata using proportional allocation</i>
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Description

Determines sample size by strata using proportional allocation

Usage

```
ssampcalc(df, n, strata, over = 0)
```

Arguments

<code>df</code>	object containing sampling data frame (e.g. data)
<code>n</code>	sample size (integer) or object containing sample size
<code>strata</code>	variable in sampling data frame by which to stratify (e.g. region)
<code>over</code>	(optional) desired oversampling proportion (defaults to 0; takes value between 0 and 1 as input)

Value

Returns proportional sample size per strata (rounded up to nearest integer)

References

[1] Sampling Design & Analysis, S. Lohr, 1999, 4.4

Examples

```
ssampcalc(df=albania, n=544, strata=qarku, over=0.05)

size <- rsampcalc(nrow(albania), 3, 95, 0.5)
ssampcalc(albania, size, qarku)
```

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