

# Package ‘jackstrap’

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**Description** Provides method used to check whether data have outlier in efficiency measurement of big samples with data envelopment analysis (DEA). In this jackstrap method, the package provides two criteria to define outliers: heaviside and k-s test. The technique was developed by Sousa and Stosic (2005) ``Technical Efficiency of the Brazilian Municipalities: Correcting Nonparametric Frontier Measurements for Outliers." <doi:10.1007/s11123-005-4702-4>.

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hist_jack_ks	<i>Histogram with Jackstrap Efficiency Indicators: This function builds graphics with distributions of efficiency indicators without outliers and complete sample. The outliers are defined by K-S Test.</i>
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## Description

Histogram with Jackstrap Efficiency Indicators: This function builds graphics with distributions of efficiency indicators without outliers and complete sample. The outliers are defined by K-S Test.

## Usage

```
hist_jack_ks(efficiency, model_hist_ks)
```

## Arguments

`efficiency` is the jackstrap object created by jackstrap function.

`model_hist_ks` is the desired graphic model. There are four kinds: 1- Density Histogram of efficiency indicator with complete sample and without outliers by K-S test; 2 - Histogram of efficiency with complete sample and without outliers by K-S test; 3 - Histogram of efficiency without outliers by K-S test; 4 - Histogram of efficiency with complete sample.

## Value

Return the plot with efficiency indicators with complete sample and/or without outliers by combination leverage level and K-S test;

## Examples

```
#Build charts with efficiency indicators with jackstrap method and K-S test criterion
hist_jack_ks(efficiency_ks, 1)
hist_jack_ks(efficiency_ks, 2)
hist_jack_ks(efficiency_ks, 3)
hist_jack_ks(efficiency_ks, 4)
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hist_jack_step	<i>Histogram with Jackstrap Efficiency Indicators: This function builds a graphic with indicator distributions without outliers and complete sample. The outliers are defined by heaviside step function method.</i>
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### Description

Histogram with Jackstrap Efficiency Indicators: This function builds a graphic with indicator distributions without outliers and complete sample. The outliers are defined by heaviside step function method.

### Usage

```
hist_jack_step(efficiency, model_hist_step)
```

### Arguments

efficiency is the jackstrap object created by jackstrap function.

model\_hist\_step

is the desired graphic model. There are four kinds: 1- Density Histogram of efficiency indicators with complete sample and without outliers by heaviside step function; 2 - Histogram of efficiency with complete sample and without outliers by heaviside step function; 3 - Histogram of efficiency without outliers by heaviside step function; 4 - Histogram of efficiency with complete sample.

### Value

Return the plot with efficiency indicators with complete sample and/or without outliers by heaviside step function;

### Examples

```
#Build charts with efficiency indicators with jackstrap method and heaviside criterion
hist_jack_step(efficiency, 1)
hist_jack_step(efficiency, 2)
hist_jack_step(efficiency, 3)
hist_jack_step(efficiency, 4)
```

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 jackstrap

*Jackstrap Method: Tool identifies outliers in Nonparametric Frontier. This function applies the developed technique by Sousa and Stosic (2005) Technical Efficiency of the Brazilian Municipalities: Correcting Nonparametric Frontier Measurements for Outliers.*

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### Description

Jackstrap Method: Tool identifies outliers in Nonparametric Frontier. This function applies the developed technique by Sousa and Stosic (2005) Technical Efficiency of the Brazilian Municipalities: Correcting Nonparametric Frontier Measurements for Outliers.

### Usage

```
jackstrap(
  data,
  ycolumn,
  xcolumn,
  bootstrap = 1000,
  perc_sample_bubble = 0.1,
  dea_method = "vrs",
  orientation_dea = "in",
  n_seed = NULL,
  repos = FALSE,
  num_cores = 1
)
```

### Arguments

data	is the dataset with input and output used to measure efficiency; Dataset need to have this form: 1th column: name of DMU (string); 2th column: code of DMU (integer); n columns of output variables; n columns of input variables.
ycolumn	is the quantity of y columns of dataset.
xcolumn	is the quantity of x columns of dataset.
bootstrap	is the quantity of applied resampling.
perc_sample_bubble	is the percentage of sample in each bubble.
dea_method	is the dea method: "crs" is DEA with constant returns to scale (CCR); "vrs" is DEA with variable returns to scale; and "fdh" is Free Disposal Hull (FDH) with variable returns to scale.
orientation_dea	is the direction of the DEA: "in" for focus on inputs; and "out" for focus on outputs.
n_seed	is the code as seed used to get new random samples.
repos	identify if the resampling method is with reposition TRUE or not FALSE.
num_cores	is the number of cores available to process.

**Value**

Return the jackstrap object with information as follows: "mean\_leverage" is leverage average for each DMU; "mean\_geral\_leverage" is general average of leverage and step function threshold; "sum\_leverage" is accrued leverage on all resampling for each DMU; "count\_dmu" is amount of each DMU was selected by bootstrap. "count\_dmu\_zero" is amount of each DMU was selected by bootstrap but it did not influence in others. "ycolumn" is the number of output variables; "xcolumn" is the number of input variables; "perc\_sample\_bubble" is the percentage of sample used in each bubble;"dea\_method" is the model used in DEA analysis; "orientation\_dea" is the orientation of DEA; ""bootstrap" is the amount of bubble used by jackstrap method; "type\_obj" is type of object; "size\_bubble" is the amount of DMU used in each bubble.

**Examples**

```
# Examples with the municipalities data.
#Load package jackstrap
library(jackstrap)

#Load data example
municipalities <- jackstrap::municipalities

#Command measures efficiency with jackstrap method and heaviside criterion
efficiency <- jackstrap (data=municipalities, ycolumn=2, xcolumn=1, bootstrap=1000,
                        perc_sample_bubble=0.20, dea_method="vrs", orientation_dea="in",
                        n_seed = 2000, repos=FALSE, num_cores=4)
```

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jackstrap\_ks

*Jackstrap KS Method: Tool identifies outliers in Nonparametric Frontier. This function applies the developed technique by Sousa and Stosic (2005) Technical Efficiency of the Brazilian Municipalities: Correcting Nonparametric Frontier Measurements for Outliers and to use the K-S test with criterion to define outliers.*

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**Description**

Jackstrap KS Method: Tool identifies outliers in Nonparametric Frontier. This function applies the developed technique by Sousa and Stosic (2005) Technical Efficiency of the Brazilian Municipalities: Correcting Nonparametric Frontier Measurements for Outliers and to use the K-S test with criterion to define outliers.

**Usage**

```
jackstrap_ks(data, jackstrap_obj, num_cores = 1, perc = 0.9)
```

**Arguments**

data	is the dataset with input and output used to measure efficiency; Dataset need to have this form: 1th column: name of DMU (string); 2th column: code of DMU (integer); n columns of output variables; n columns of input variables.
jackstrap_obj	is the object created by the function jackstrap.
num_cores	is the number of cores available to process.
perc	is the percentage of DMU analyzed by K-S test.

**Value**

Return the jackstrap object increased with informations as follows: "result\_kstest\_method" is p-values of K-S test obtained by removing sequentially one by one the high leverage DMU; "efficiency\_ks\_method" is efficiency indicators obtained by K-S test criterion.

**Examples**

```
#Command measures efficiency with jackstrap method and K-S test criterion
efficiency_ks <- jackstrap_ks (data=municipalities, jackstrap_obj=efficiency,
                             num_cores = 4)
```

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municipalities	<i>Dataset of Municipalities of Bahia state in Brazil</i>
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**Description**

Dataset of Municipalities of Bahia state in Brazil

**Usage**

```
municipalities
```

**Format**

A data frame with 489 rows (DMUs) and 3 variables (2 outputs and 1 inputs):

municipio string variable with descriptions of the each local governments

cod integer variable identifies each DMU for integer code

total\_atend\_amb\_hosp\_ab float variable with public health services in local governments (output)

total\_diversid float variable with diversity of public services provide in local governments (output)

desp\_saude float variable with public service expeditures in local governments (input)

## Examples

```
#Load data exemple
municipalities <- jackstrap::municipalities
```

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plot_jackstrap_ks	<i>Plot Jackstrap KS: This function plots p-value of Kolmogorov-Smirnov Test in decreasing order of leverage.</i>
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## Description

Plot Jackstrap KS: This function plots p-value of Kolmogorov-Smirnov Test in decreasing order of leverage.

## Usage

```
plot_jackstrap_ks(data_plot, model_plot)
```

## Arguments

data_plot	is the jackstrap object created by jackstrap function.
model_plot	is the desired model. There are two models: 1 - The graphic shows the amount of removed DMU on x axis and p-value of K-S test on y axis; 2 - The graphic shows DMU code on x axis and p-value of K-S test on y axis.

## Value

Return the plot with p-value of K-S test and removed DMU or DMU code.

## Examples

```
##Plot the dispersion chart with p value of K-S test and amount of DMU removed.
plot_jackstrap_ks(effic_ks, 1)
```

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summary_jackstrap	<i>Summary Jackstrap: This function shows the main outcomes with outlier technique developed by Sousa and Stosic(2005).</i>
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### Description

Summary Jackstrap: This function shows the main outcomes with outlier technique developed by Sousa and Stosic(2005).

### Usage

```
summary_jackstrap(object_jackstrap, data)
```

### Arguments

object_jackstrap	is the jackstrap object created by jackstrap function.
data	is the dataset of research.

### Value

Return the data frame with information as follows: "outliers\_by\_step\_func" are the outliers by heaviside step function criterion; "outliers\_by\_ks" are the outliers by K-S test; "dmu\_efficiency\_by\_step\_func" are DMUs evaluated as efficient by heaviside step function criterion; "dmu\_inefficiency\_by\_step\_func" are the DMUs evaluated as maximum inefficient by heaviside step function criterion; "dmu\_efficiency\_ks" are DMUs evaluated as efficient by K-S test criterion; "dmu\_inefficiency\_by\_ks" are the DMUs evaluated as maximum inefficient by K-S test criterion.

### Examples

```
#Create object with the resume of efficiency measurement.  
summary_efficiency <- summary_jackstrap(eficiency_ks, municipalities)
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