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VisualizeSimon2Stage-package

Visualize Simon's Two-Stage Design

Description

Functions for visualizing the probabilities of early termination, fail and success of Simon's two-stage design. Functions for evaluating and visualizing the operating characteristics of Simon's two-stage design.

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References

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<https://www.ncss.com/software/pass/>

Examples

```
(x = clinfun::ph2simon(pu = .2, pa = .4, ep1 = .05, ep2 = .1))

# an alternative print
print_ph2simon(x)

# language for a report
Sprintf.ph2simon(x, type = 'minimax')
Sprintf.ph2simon(x, type = 'optimal')
Sprintf.ph2simon(x, type = 'n1')
Sprintf.ph2simon(x, type = 'maximax')

autoplot(x, type = 'minimax')
autoplot(x, type = 'optimal')
autoplot(x, type = 'n1')
autoplot(x, type = 'maximax')

# operating characteristics
simon_oc(prob = c(A = .3, B = .2, C = .15), object = x, type = 'minimax')
simon_oc(prob = c(A = .3, B = .2, C = .15), object = x, type = 'optimal')

# example with r1 = 0
(x1 = clinfun::ph2simon(pu = .05, pa = .3, ep1 = .05, ep2 = .2))
# works with all of our functions
autoplot(x1, type = 'optimal') # etc.
```

r_simon

Random Generator based on Simon's Two-Stage Design

Description

Random generator based on Simon's two-stage design.

Usage

```
r_simon(R, prob, object, ...)

## S3 method for class 'ph2simon'
r_simon(R, prob, object, ...)

## S3 method for class 'ph2simon4'
r_simon(
  R,
  prob,
  object,
  ...,
  r1 = object@r1,
  n1 = object@n1,
  r = object@r,
  n = object@n
)
```

Arguments

R	positive integer scalar, number of trials R
prob	double scalar, true response rate p
object	a ph2simon or ph2simon4 object
...	parameters of function ph2simon4() , most importantly type
r1, n1, r, n	(optional) integer scalars, see ph2simon4 .

Details

Function [r_simon\(\)](#) generates R copies of the number of responses y in **one** Simon's two-stage design. The conclusion of the trials are,

$y \leq r_1$ indicates early termination

$r_1 < y \leq r$ indicates failure to reject H_0

$y > r$ indicates success to reject H_0

Here r is not needed to *generate* the random number of responses y . Instead, r is needed to *determine* if the trial is a failure or a success. Therefore, r is not a parameter of function [r_simon\(\)](#).

Value

Function `r_simon()` returns an **integer vector** of length R , which are the R copies of the number of responses in the Simon's two-stage design.

Examples

```
(x = clinfun::ph2simon(pu = .2, pa = .4, ep1 = .05, ep2 = .1))
set.seed(1532); r = r_simon(R = 1e2L, prob = .2, object = x)
set.seed(1532); r1 = r_simon.ph2simon4(R = 1e2L, prob = .2, r1 = 5L, n1 = 24L, r = 13L, n = 45L)
stopifnot(identical(r, r1))
table(attr(r, 'dx')) # look at beta, <10%
set.seed(24315); r2 = r_simon(R = 1e2L, prob = .4, object = x)
table(attr(r2, 'dx')) # look at alpha, <5%
```

simon_oc

*Operating Characteristics of Simon's Two-Stage Design***Description**

Operating characteristics of **one** Simon's two-stage design.

Usage

```
simon_oc(prob, R, object, ...)

## S3 method for class 'ph2simon'
simon_oc(prob, R = 10000L, object, ...)

## S3 method for class 'ph2simon4'
simon_oc(
  prob,
  R = 10000L,
  object,
  ...,
  r1 = object@r1,
  n1 = object@n1,
  r = object@r,
  n = object@n
)
```

Arguments

prob	<i>named double vector</i> , true response rate(s) p of (multiple) drug(s). The names (prob) should be the name(s) of the drug(s).
R	integer scalar, number of simulations. Default 1e4L.
object	ph2simon or ph2simon4 object
...	parameters of function <code>ph2simon4()</code> , most importantly type
r1, n1, r, n	(optional) integer scalars, see <code>ph2simon4</code> .

Value

Function `simon_oc()` returns `simon_oc` object.

Slots

`maxResp` **integer vector** of same length as p , the frequencies of each regime having maximum response. The summation of `maxResp` is the number of simulation copies.

`simon_maxResp` **integer vector** of same length as p , the frequencies of each regime having maximum response and success in Simon's two-stage trial.

 simon_pr

Probabilities of one Simon's Two-Stage Design

Description

Probabilities of frail (i.e., early termination) and success (to reject H_0) of **one** Simon's two-stage design, at given true response rate(s).

Usage

```
simon_pr(prob, object, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'ph2simon'
simon_pr(prob, object, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'ph2simon4'
simon_pr(
  prob,
  object,
  r1 = object@r1,
  n1 = object@n1,
  r = object@r,
  n = object@n,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

<code>prob</code>	double scalar or vector , true response rate(s) p
<code>object</code>	a <code>ph2simon</code> or <code>ph2simon4</code> object
<code>...</code>	parameters of function <code>ph2simon4()</code> , most importantly type
<code>r1, n1, r, n</code>	(optional) integer scalars, see <code>ph2simon4</code> .

Details

Given one Simon's two-stage design (r_1, n_1, r, n) and a true response rate p , we have the number of Stage-1 positive responses $X_1 \sim \text{Binom}(n_1, p)$ and the number of Stage-2 positive responses $X_2 \sim \text{Binom}(n - n_1, p)$. Obviously X_1 and X_2 are independent.

The probability of early termination is

$$p_{\text{frail}} = \Pr(X_1 \leq r_1)$$

The probability of failure to reject H_0 is

$$\sum_{s_1=r_1+1}^{n_1} \Pr(X_1 = s_1) \cdot \Pr(X_2 \leq (r - s_1))$$

The probability of successfully rejecting H_0 is

$$\sum_{s_1=r_1+1}^{n_1} \Pr(X_1 = s_1) \cdot \Pr(X_2 > (r - s_1))$$

The expected sample size is

$$E(n) = p_{\text{frail}} \cdot n_1 + (1 - p_{\text{frail}}) \cdot n$$

Parameters nomenclature of r_1 , n_1 , r and n follows that of PASS and function [ph2simon](#).

Value

Function `simon_pr()` returns `simon_pr` object.

Slots

`frail` **numeric** scalar or **vector**, probabilities of frail (i.e., early termination) at given true response rate(s) p .

`reject` **numeric** scalar or **vector**, probabilities of success (to reject H_0) at given true response rate(s) p .

`eN` **numeric** scalar or **vector**, expected sample size(s) $E(n)$ at given true response rate(s) p .

`prob` **double** scalar or **vector**, true response rate(s) p

Examples

```
(x = clinfun::ph2simon(pu = .2, pa = .4, ep1 = .05, ep2 = .1))
simon_pr(prob = c(.2, .3, .4), object = x)
simon_pr.ph2simon4(prob = c(.2, .3, .4), r1 = 5L, n1 = 24L, r = 13L, n = 45L) # internal use
```

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