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Title An Adaptive Sum of Powered Correlation Test (aSPC) for Global Association Between Two Random Vectors

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Description The aSPC test is designed to test global association between two groups of variables potentially with moderate to high dimension (e.g. in hundreds). The aSPC is particularly useful when the association signals between two groups of variables are sparse.

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Description

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Usage

```
aSPC(df1, df2, pow = c(1:6, Inf), B = 100, Z.transform = TRUE,
      method = "pearson")
```

Arguments

df1,	first sample matrix
df2,	second sample matrix
pow,	power integer candidates, default c(1:8, Inf)
B,	number of permutations to calculate a P-value. Default is 100.
Z.transform,	whether to do Fisher's z-transformation on Pearson correlation, default is TRUE.
method,	one of "pearson", "spearman", or "dcor". Default is "pearson".

Value

the P-values of SPC and aSPC tests

References

Xu Z., Pan W. 2017. Adaptive testing for association between two random vectors in moderate to high dimensions. Submitted to Genetic Epidemiology

Kim J., Zhang Y., Pan W. Powerful and Adaptive Testing for Multi-trait and Multi-SNP Associations with GWAS and Sequencing Data. *Genetics*, 2016, 203(2): 715-731.

Examples

```
library(mvtnorm)
sigma = diag(0.9, 10) + 0.1
n = 50 # sample size
Z = rmvnorm(n=n, mean=rep(0,10), sigma=sigma)
X = rmvnorm(n=n, mean=rep(0,15), sigma=diag(1, 15))
Y = rmvnorm(n=n, mean=rep(0,15), sigma=diag(1, 15))
X = as.data.frame(cbind(Z[,1:5], X))
Y = as.data.frame(cbind(Z[,6:10], Y))
set.seed(123) # to ensure we can replicate the permutation P-value
p = 2; q = 2; n=50
X = rmvnorm(n=n, mean=rep(0,p), sigma=diag(1, p))
Y = rmvnorm(n=n, mean=rep(0,q), sigma=diag(1, q))
a = proc.time()
aSPC(X, Y, pow = c(1:8, Inf), B = 1000, method = "pearson")
proc.time() - a

#' a = proc.time()
aSPC(X, Y, pow = c(1:8, Inf), B = 1000, method = "spearman")
proc.time() - a

a = proc.time()
aSPC(X, Y, pow = c(1:8, Inf), B = 500, method = "dcor")
proc.time() - a
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