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BHATdist*Bhattacharyya distance among classes*

Description

Bhattacharyya distance.

Usage

BHATdist(g, X)

Arguments

g A column vector of the labels. $\text{length}(g)$ is equal to $\text{nrow}(X)$.
X A dataframe of the features. $\text{ncol}(X)$ is equal to the total number of features, and $\text{nrow}(X)$ is equal to the number of available training samples. $\text{nrow}(X)$ is equal to $\text{length}(g)$

Value

A list containing a matrix of the class combinations and a vector of the Bhattacharyya distances of all the class combinations.

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References

Dalponte, M., Oerka, H.O., Gobakken, T., Gianelle, D. & Naesset, E. (2013). Tree Species Classification in Boreal Forests With Hyperspectral Data. *IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing*, 51, 2632-2645.

dat*Hyperspectral data acquired over a forest area*

Description

A dataset containing 3230 samples with 65 hyperspectral bands and 8 classes.

Usage

data(dat)

Format

A data frame with 3230 rows and 66 variables

Details

- B1...B65 Hyperspectral bands.
- SP. Classes.

JMdist

Jeffries-Matusita distance among classes

Description

Jeffries-Matusita distance.

Usage

```
JMdist(g, X)
```

Arguments

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| g | A column vector of the labels. <code>length(g)</code> is equal to <code>nrow(X)</code> . |
| X | A dataframe of the features. <code>ncol(X)</code> is equal to the total number of features, and <code>nrow(X)</code> is equal to the number of available training samples. <code>nrow(X)</code> is equal to <code>length(g)</code> |

Value

A list containing a matrix of the class combinations and a vector of the JM distances of all the class combinations.

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References

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varSelSFFS	<i>Sequential Forward Floating Selection using Jeffries-Matusita Distance</i>
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Description

Feature selection using the Sequential Forward Floating Selection search strategy and the Jeffries-Matusita distance.

Usage

```
varSelSFFS(g, X, strategy = "mean")
```

Arguments

<code>g</code>	A column vector of the labels. <code>length(g)</code> is equal to <code>nrow(X)</code> .
<code>X</code>	A dataframe of the features. <code>ncol(X)</code> is equal to the total number of features, and <code>nrow(X)</code> is equal to the number of available training samples. <code>nrow(X)</code> is equal to <code>length(g)</code>
<code>strategy</code>	string indicating the multiclass strategy to adopt: 'minimum' or 'mean'.

Value

A list containing a vector of the JM distances on the individual bands, a matrix with the set of features selected, and a vector containing the distances for each feature set from 1 to N-1, where N is equal to `ncol(X)`.

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Examples

```
## Not run:
data(dat)

se<-varSelSFFS(g=dat$SP,X=dat[,c(1:65)],strategy="mean")
summary(se)

## End(Not run)
```

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