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c14_calibrate	<i>14C Calibration</i>
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Description

Calibrates radiocarbon dates.

Usage

```
c14_calibrate(values, errors, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric,numeric'
c14_calibrate(
  values,
  errors,
  names = NULL,
  curves = "intcal20",
  reservoir_offsets = 0,
  reservoir_errors = 0,
  from = 55000,
```

```

    to = 0,
    resolution = 1,
    normalize = TRUE,
    F14C = FALSE,
    drop = TRUE,
    eps = 1e-06,
    verbose = getOption("ananke.verbose")
)

```

Arguments

values	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the BP ages or F14C values to be calibrated.
errors	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the standard deviation of the values to be calibrated.
...	Currently not used.
names	A <code>character</code> vector specifying the names of the samples (e.g. laboratory codes).
curves	A <code>character</code> vector specifying the calibration curve to be used. Different curves can be specified per sample.
reservoir_offsets	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the offset values for any marine reservoir effect (defaults to 0; i.e. no offset).
reservoir_errors	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the offset value errors for any marine reservoir effect (defaults to 0; i.e. no offset).
from	length-one <code>numeric</code> vector specifying the earliest data to calibrate for, in cal. BP years.
to	A length-one <code>numeric</code> vector specifying the latest data to calibrate for, in cal. BP years.
resolution	A length-one <code>numeric</code> vector specifying the temporal resolution (in years) of the calibration.
normalize	A <code>logical</code> scalar: should the calibration be normalized?
F14C	A <code>logical</code> scalar: should the calibration be carried out in F14C space? If TRUE, values must be expressed as F14C.
drop	A <code>logical</code> scalar: should years with zero probability be discarded? If TRUE (the default), results in a narrower time range.
eps	A length-one <code>numeric</code> value giving the cutoff below which calibration values will be removed.
verbose	A <code>logical</code> scalar: should extra information be reported (e.g. warning message for dates out of calibration range)?

Value

A `CalibratedAges` object.

Note

Adapted from `Bchron::BchronCalibrate()` by Andrew Parnell and `rcarbon::calibrate()` by Andrew Bevan and Enrico Crema.

Author(s)

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References

Bronk Ramsey, C. (2008). Radiocarbon Dating: Revolutions in Understanding. *Archaeometry*, 50:249-275. doi:10.1111/j.14754754.2008.00394.x.

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: [F14C](#), [c14_combine\(\)](#), [c14_curve\(\)](#), [c14_ensemble\(\)](#), [c14_plot](#), [c14_spd\(\)](#), [c14_uncalibrate\(\)](#), [c14_validate\(\)](#), [rec_plot](#)

Examples

```
## Calibrate a single date
cal <- c14_calibrate(300, 20)
plot(cal, panel.first = graphics::grid())

## Calibrate multiple dates
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = c(5000, 4500),
  errors = c(45, 35),
  names = c("X", "Y")
)
plot(cal, calendar = BP(), panel.first = graphics::grid())
plot(cal, interval = FALSE)
plot(cal[, 1, ], col.interval = "red")

plot(cal, density = FALSE, level = 0.68, lwd = 5)
plot(cal, density = FALSE, level = 0.95, lwd = 5)

## Out of 14C range?
out <- c14_calibrate(130, 20)
plot(out)
```

Description

Combines radiocarbon dates.

Usage

```
c14_combine(ages, errors, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric,numeric'
c14_combine(ages, errors, groups = NULL)
```

Arguments

ages	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the BP ages to be calibrated.
errors	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the standard deviation of the ages to be calibrated.
...	Currently not used.
groups	A <code>factor</code> in the sense that <code>as.factor(groups)</code> defines the the groups to combine with. If <code>NULL</code> (the default), all dates are combined. NAs will be treated as isolated dates.

Value

A `data.frame` with the following columns:

groups	Group names
ages	Combined 14C ages
errors	Combined 14C standard deviations
chi2	Chi-squared test statistic
p	Chi-squared test p-value

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

References

Ward, G. K. and Wilson, S. R. (1978). Procedures for Comparing and Combining Radiocarbon Age Determinations: A Critique. *Archaeometry* 20(1): 19-31. doi:[10.1111/j.14754754.1978.tb00208.x](https://doi.org/10.1111/j.14754754.1978.tb00208.x).

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: `F14C`, `c14_calibrate()`, `c14_curve()`, `c14_ensemble()`, `c14_plot`, `c14_spd()`, `c14_uncalibrate()`, `c14_validate()`, `rec_plot`

Examples

```
## Replicate Ward and Wilson (1978), p. 28
polach1972 <- data.frame(
  samples = c("ANU-7", "ANU-7", "ANU-7", "W-1571", "ANU-5",
             "C-800", "L-698D", "FSU-3", "Tx-44"),
  ages = c(14550, 15000, 13700, 14650, 11700, 10860, 11840, 11245, 10700),
  errors = c(270, 600, 300, 500, 260, 410, 100, 450, 210)
)
```

```
c14_combine(
  ages = polach1972$ages,
  errors = polach1972$errors,
  groups = polach1972$samples
)
```

c14_curve*14C Calibration Curve***Description**

14C Calibration Curve

Usage

```
c14_curve(name, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
c14_curve(name)

## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'
c14_curve(name)
```

Arguments

<code>name</code>	A character vector naming calibration curves (see details).
<code>...</code>	Currently not used.

Details

The following calibration curves are available:

Curve	Reference
bomb04nh1	Hua and Barbetti 2004
bomb04nh2	Hua and Barbetti 2004
bomb04nh3	Hua and Barbetti 2004
bomb04sh	Hua and Barbetti 2004
bomb13nh1	Hua, Berbetti and Rakowski 2013
bomb13nh2	Hua, Berbetti and Rakowski 2013
bomb13nh3	Hua, Berbetti and Rakowski 2013
bomb13sh12	Hua, Berbetti and Rakowski 2013
bomb13sh3	Hua, Berbetti and Rakowski 2013
bomb21nh1	Hua et al. 2022
bomb21nh2	Hua et al. 2022
bomb21nh3	Hua et al. 2022
bomb21sh12	Hua et al. 2022

bomb21sh3	Hua et al. 2022
cariaco04	Hughen et al. 2004
intcal98	Stuiver et al. 1998
intcal04	Reimer et al. 2004
intcal09	Reimer et al. 2009
intcal13	Reimer et al. 2013
intcal20	Reimer et al. 2020
kueppers04	Kueppers et al. 2004
marine98	Stuiver, Reimer and Braziunas 1998
marine04	Hughen et al. 2004
marine09	Reimer et al. 2009
marine13	Reimer et al. 2013
marine20	Heaton et al. 2020
shcal04	McCormac et al. 2004
shcal13	Hogg et al. 2013
shcal20	Hogg et al. 2020

Value

A list of three-column [data.frame](#):

CALBP	Calibrated age BP
AGE	Uncalibrated radiocarbon age
ERROR	Standard deviation

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

References

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See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: [F14C](#), [c14_calibrate\(\)](#), [c14_combine\(\)](#), [c14_ensemble\(\)](#), [c14_plot\(\)](#), [c14_spd\(\)](#), [c14_uncalibrate\(\)](#), [c14_validate\(\)](#), [rec_plot](#)

Examples

```
## IntCal20
intcal20 <- c14_curve("intcal20")
head(intcal20[[1]])
```

```
## IntCal
intcal <- c14_curve(c("intcal09", "intcal13", "intcal20"))
lapply(X = intcal, FUN = head)
```

c14_ensemble*Radiocarbon Event Count*

Description

Radiocarbon Event Count

Usage

```
c14_ensemble(object, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'
c14_ensemble(
  object,
  from = NULL,
  to = NULL,
  by = 10,
  n = 100,
  calendar = BP(),
  progress = getOption("ananke.progress")
)
```

Arguments

object	A CalibratedAges object.
...	Currently not used.
from	length-one numeric vector specifying the earliest data to calibrate for (in cal BP years).
to	A length-one numeric vector specifying the latest data to calibrate for (in cal BP years).
by	A length-one numeric vector specifying the temporal resolution (in years) of the calibration.
n	An integer specifying the number of item to choose randomly.
calendar	An aion::TimeScale object specifying the target calendar (see aion::calendar()). Defaults to aion::CE() . If NULL, <i>rata die</i> are returned.
progress	A logical scalar: should a progress bar be displayed?

Value

An [RECE](#) object.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

References

Carleton, W. C. (2021). Evaluating Bayesian Radiocarbon-dated Event Count (REC) Models for the Study of Long-term Human and Environmental Processes. *Journal of Quaternary Science*, 36(1): 110-23. doi:10.1002/jqs.3256.

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: [F14C](#), [c14_calibrate\(\)](#), [c14_combine\(\)](#), [c14_curve\(\)](#), [c14_plot](#), [c14_spd\(\)](#), [c14_uncalibrate\(\)](#), [c14_validate\(\)](#), [rec_plot](#)

[c14_plot](#)

Plot Calibrated Radiocarbon Ages

Description

Plot Calibrated Radiocarbon Ages

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges,missing'
plot(
  x,
  calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"),
  density = TRUE,
  interval = TRUE,
  level = 0.954,
  sort = TRUE,
  decreasing = TRUE,
  main = NULL,
  sub = NULL,
  axes = TRUE,
  frame.plot = FALSE,
  ann = graphics::par("ann"),
  panel.first = NULL,
  panel.last = NULL,
  col.density = "grey",
  col.interval = "#77AADD",
  ...
)
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedSPD,missing'
plot(
  x,
```

```

calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"),
main = NULL,
sub = NULL,
ann = graphics::par("ann"),
axes = TRUE,
frame.plot = FALSE,
panel.first = NULL,
panel.last = NULL,
...
)

```

Arguments

x	A CalibratedAges or CalibratedSPD object.
calendar	An aion::TimeScale object specifying the target calendar (see aion::calendar()). If NULL, <i>rata die</i> are returned.
density	A logical scalar: should density be drawn?
interval	A logical scalar: should highest density region be drawn?
level	A length-one numeric vector giving the confidence level. Only used if <code>interval</code> is TRUE.
sort	A logical scalar: should the data be sorted?
decreasing	A logical scalar: should the sort order be decreasing? Only used if <code>sort</code> is TRUE.
main	A character string giving a main title for the plot.
sub	A character string giving a subtitle for the plot.
axes	A logical scalar: should axes be drawn on the plot?
frame.plot	A logical scalar: should a box be drawn around the plot?
ann	A logical scalar: should the default annotation (title and x and y labels) appear on the plot?
panel.first	An expression to be evaluated after the plot axes are set up but before any plotting takes place. This can be useful for drawing background grids.
panel.last	An expression to be evaluated after plotting has taken place but before the axes, title and box are added.
col.density, col.interval	A specification for the plotting colors.
...	Other graphical parameters may also be passed as arguments to this function.

Value

`plot()` is called it for its side-effects: it results in a graphic being displayed. Invisibly returns `x`.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: `F14C`, `c14_calibrate()`, `c14_combine()`, `c14_curve()`, `c14_ensemble()`, `c14_spd()`, `c14_uncalibrate()`, `c14_validate()`, `rec_plot`

Examples

```
## Calibrate a single date
cal <- c14_calibrate(300, 20)
plot(cal, panel.first = graphics::grid())

## Calibrate multiple dates
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = c(5000, 4500),
  errors = c(45, 35),
  names = c("X", "Y")
)
plot(cal, calendar = BP(), panel.first = graphics::grid())
plot(cal, interval = FALSE)
plot(cal[, 1, ], col.interval = "red")

plot(cal, density = FALSE, level = 0.68, lwd = 5)
plot(cal, density = FALSE, level = 0.95, lwd = 5)

## Out of 14C range?
out <- c14_calibrate(130, 20)
plot(out)
```

Description

Computes summed probability distributions (SPD) of radiocarbon dates.

Usage

```
c14_spd(object, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'
c14_spd(object, normalize_date = FALSE, normalize_spd = FALSE)
```

Arguments

- | | |
|--------|---------------------------------------|
| object | A <code>CalibratedAges</code> object. |
| ... | Currently not used. |

- `normalize_date` A `logical` scalar: should the total probability mass of the calibrated dates be normalised (to sum to unity within the time-span of analysis)?
- `normalize_spd` A `logical` scalar: should the total probability mass of the SPD be normalised (to sum to unity)?

Details

Summed probability distributions (SPD) are not statistically valid estimators of the calendar age of a potential future sample. They should not be used in any dates-as-data approach to provide a population proxy.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: `F14C`, `c14_calibrate()`, `c14_combine()`, `c14_curve()`, `c14_ensemble()`, `c14_plot`, `c14_uncalibrate()`, `c14_validate()`, `rec_plot`

Examples

```
## Radiocarbon data from Bosch et al. 2015
data("ksarakil")

## Calibrate
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = ksarakil$date,
  errors = ksarakil$error,
  names = ksarakil$code,
  curves = "marine13",
  reservoir_offsets = 53,
  reservoir_errors = 43,
  from = 50000, to = 0
)
plot(cal, level = 0.68, flip = TRUE)

## SPD
s <- c14_spd(cal)
plot(s)
```

Description

Uncalibrate a Radiocarbon Date

Usage

```
c14_uncalibrate(object, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric'
c14_uncalibrate(object, curves = "intcal20")

## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'
c14_uncalibrate(object, ...)
```

Arguments

- `object` A `CalibratedAges` object or a `numeric` vector of calibrated ages (BP).
- `...` Currently not used.
- `curves` A `character` vector specifying the calibration curve to be used. Different curves can be specified.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: `F14C`, `c14_calibrate()`, `c14_combine()`, `c14_curve()`, `c14_ensemble()`, `c14_plot`, `c14_spd()`, `c14_validate()`, `rec_plot`

Examples

```
## Not run:
## Calibrate multiple dates
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = c(5000, 4500),
  errors = c(45, 35),
  names = c("X", "Y")
)

## Uncalibrate
c14_uncalibrate(cal)

## End(Not run)
```

`c14_validate`

Check Calibrated Radiocarbon Dates

Description

Check Calibrated Radiocarbon Dates

Usage

```
c14_validate(object, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'
c14_validate(object)
```

Arguments

object	A CalibratedAges object.
...	Currently not used.

Value

`c14_validate()` is called it for its side-effects: it prints [warning messages](#) if calibrated agea are (partially) out of calibration range. Invisibly returns `x`.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: [F14C](#), [c14_calibrate\(\)](#), [c14_combine\(\)](#), [c14_curve\(\)](#), [c14_ensemble\(\)](#), [c14_plot](#), [c14_spd\(\)](#), [c14_uncalibrate\(\)](#), [rec_plot](#)

Examples

```
## Calibrate a single date
cal <- c14_calibrate(300, 20)
plot(cal, panel.first = graphics::grid())

## Calibrate multiple dates
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = c(5000, 4500),
  errors = c(45, 35),
  names = c("X", "Y")
)
plot(cal, calendar = BP(), panel.first = graphics::grid())
plot(cal, interval = FALSE)
plot(cal[, 1, ], col.interval = "red")

plot(cal, density = FALSE, level = 0.68, lwd = 5)
plot(cal, density = FALSE, level = 0.95, lwd = 5)

## Out of 14C range?
out <- c14_calibrate(130, 20)
plot(out)
```

data.frame	<i>Coerce to a Data Frame</i>
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Description

Coerce to a Data Frame

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'
as.data.frame(x, ..., calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"))

## S4 method for signature 'RECE'
as.data.frame(x, ..., calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"))

## S4 method for signature 'ProxyRecord'
as.data.frame(x, ..., calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"))
```

Arguments

x	An object.
...	Further parameters to be passed to data.frame() .
calendar	An aion::TimeScale object specifying the target calendar (see aion::calendar()). If NULL, <i>rata die</i> are returned.

Value

A [data.frame](#) with an extra time column.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other mutators: [labels\(\)](#), [mutators](#), [subset\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Calibrate multiple dates
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = c(5000, 4500),
  errors = c(45, 35),
  names = c("X", "Y")
)

head(as.data.frame(cal))
head(as.data.frame(cal, calendar = BP()))
head(as.data.frame(cal, calendar = NULL))
```

describe*Data Description*

Description

Data Description

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'  
describe(x, calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"), level = 0.954, ...)
```

Arguments

x	A <code>CalibratedAges</code> object.
calendar	An <code>aion::TimeScale</code> object specifying the target calendar (see <code>aion::calendar()</code>).
level	A length-one <code>numeric</code> vector giving the confidence level.
...	Further parameters to be passed to <code>cat()</code> .

Value

`describe()` is called for its side-effects. Invisibly returns `x`.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

References

Millard, A. R. (2014). Conventions for Reporting Radiocarbon Determinations. *Radiocarbon*, 56(2): 555-559. doi:[10.2458/56.17455](https://doi.org/10.2458/56.17455).

Examples

```
## Calibrate multiple dates  
cal <- c14_calibrate(  
  values = c(5000, 4500),  
  errors = c(45, 35),  
  names = c("X", "Y")  
)  
  
## Full text description  
describe(cal)
```

F14C

F14C

Description

Converts F14C values to 14C ages.

Usage

```
BP14C_to_F14C(ages, errors, ...)
F14C_to_BP14C(values, errors, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric,numeric'
BP14C_to_F14C(ages, errors, lambda = 8033)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric,numeric'
F14C_to_BP14C(values, errors, lambda = 8033, asymmetric = FALSE)
```

Arguments

ages	A numeric vector giving the radiocarbon ages.
errors	A numeric vector giving the standard deviations.
...	Currently not used.
values	A numeric vector giving the F14C values.
lambda	A length-one numeric vector specifying the mean-life of radiocarbon (defaults to 14C half-life value as introduced by Libby 1952).
asymmetric	A logical scalar: should asymmetric 14C errors be returned?

Value

A **data.frame**.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

References

- Bronk Ramsey, C. (2008). Radiocarbon Dating: Revolutions in Understanding. *Archaeometry*, 50:249-275. doi:10.1111/j.14754754.2008.00394.x.
- van der Plicht, J., Hogg, A. (2006). A Note on Reporting Radiocarbon. *Quaternary Geochronology*, 1(4): 237-240. doi:10.1016/j.quageo.2006.07.001.

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: [c14_calibrate\(\)](#), [c14_combine\(\)](#), [c14_curve\(\)](#), [c14_ensemble\(\)](#), [c14_plot](#), [c14_spd\(\)](#), [c14_uncalibrate\(\)](#), [c14_validate\(\)](#), [rec_plot](#)

Examples

```
## Asymmetric 14C errors (van der Plicht and Hogg 2006)
F14C_to_BP14C(0.0052, 0.0006, asym = TRUE)

## Symmetric 14C errors (Bronk Ramsey 2008)
F14C_to_BP14C(0.0052, 0.0006, asym = FALSE)
```

hdr	<i>Highest Density Regions</i>
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Description

Highest Density Regions

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges,missing'
interval_hdr(x, level = 0.954, calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"), ...)
```

Arguments

- | | |
|----------|--|
| x | A CalibratedAges object. |
| level | A length-one numeric vector giving the confidence level. |
| calendar | An aion::TimeScale object specifying the target calendar (see aion::calendar()). If NULL, <i>rata die</i> are returned. |
| ... | Currently not used. |

Value

Returns a [list](#) of [numeric matrix](#).

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

References

Hyndman, R. J. (1996). Computing and graphing highest density regions. *American Statistician*, 50: 120-126. doi:[10.2307/2684423](https://doi.org/10.2307/2684423).

See Also

`stats::density()`, `arkhe::interval_hdr()`
 Other statistics: `mean()`, `median()`, `quantile()`

Examples

```
## Calibrate multiple dates
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = c(5000, 4500),
  errors = c(45, 35),
  names = c("X", "Y")
)

## HDR
interval_hdr(cal, level = 0.683)
interval_hdr(cal, level = 0.954)
interval_hdr(cal, level = 0.997)
```

ksarakil

Ksâr 'Akil Radiocarbon Dates

Description

Ksâr 'Akil Radiocarbon Dates

Usage

ksarakil

Format

A `data.frame` with 16 rows and 5 variables:

- code** Laboratory code.
- date** Radiocarbon date (year BP).
- error** Radiocarbon error (year).
- layer** Stratigraphic layer.
- phase** Chronological phase.

Source

Bosch, M. D., Mannino, M. A., Prendergast, A. L., O'Connell, T. C., Demarchi, B., Taylor, S. M., Niven, L., van der Plicht, J. and Hublin, J.-J. (2015). New Chronology for Ksâr 'Akil (Lebanon) Supports Levantine Route of Modern Human Dispersal into Europe. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 112(25): 7683-8. doi:10.1073/pnas.1501529112.

labels	<i>Find Labels from Object</i>
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Description

Find a suitable set of labels from an object for use in printing or plotting, for example.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'  
labels(object, ...)
```

Arguments

object	An object from which to find labels.
...	Currently not used.

Value

A [character](#) vector.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other mutators: [data.frame](#), [mutators](#), [subset\(\)](#)

mean	<i>Mean</i>
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Description

Mean

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'  
mean(x, na.rm = FALSE, ..., calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"))  
  
## S4 method for signature 'ProxyRecord'  
mean(x, na.rm = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A <code>CalibratedAges</code> object.
<code>na.rm</code>	A <code>logical</code> scalar: should NA values be stripped before the computation proceeds?
<code>...</code>	Currently not used.
<code>calendar</code>	An <code>aion::TimeScale</code> object specifying the target calendar (see <code>aion::calendar()</code>). If NULL, <i>rata die</i> are returned.

Value

A `numeric` vector.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other statistics: `hdr`, `median()`, `quantile()`

Examples

```
## Calibrate multiple dates
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = c(5000, 4500),
  errors = c(45, 35),
  names = c("X", "Y")
)

## Statistics
quantile(cal)
median(cal)
mean(cal)

## Plot
plot(cal, calendar = CE())

## Need to set 'calendar'
abline(v = median(cal, calendar = CE()), lty = 2, col = "blue")
abline(v = mean(cal, calendar = CE()), lty = 2, col = "red")
```

Description

Median

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'
median(x, na.rm = FALSE, ..., calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"))
```

Arguments

x	A CalibratedAges object.
na.rm	A logical scalar: should NA values be stripped before the computation proceeds?
...	Currently not used.
calendar	An aion::TimeScale object specifying the target calendar (see aion::calendar()). If NULL, <i>rata die</i> are returned.

Value

A [numeric](#) vector.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other statistics: [hdr](#), [mean\(\)](#), [quantile\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Calibrate multiple dates
cal <- c14_calibrate(
  values = c(5000, 4500),
  errors = c(45, 35),
  names = c("X", "Y")
)

## Statistics
quantile(cal)
median(cal)
mean(cal)

## Plot
plot(cal, calendar = CE())

## Need to set 'calendar'
abline(v = median(cal, calendar = CE()), lty = 2, col = "blue")
abline(v = mean(cal, calendar = CE()), lty = 2, col = "red")
```

mutators

*Get or Set Parts of an Object***Description**

Getters and setters to extract or replace parts of an object.

Arguments

x	An object from which to get or set element(s).
value	A possible value for the element(s) of x.

Value

An object of the same sort as x with the new values assigned.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other mutators: [data.frame](#), [labels\(\)](#), [subset\(\)](#)

pb_age

*Geological Model Age from Lead Isotope Analysis***Description**

Compute geological model age (T) and U/Pb (μ) and Th/U (κ) ratios from lead isotopic measurements.

Usage

```
pb_age(x, y, z, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric,numeric,numeric'
pb_age(
  x,
  y,
  z,
  t0 = 3.8,
  x_star = 18.75,
  y_star = 15.63,
  z_star = 38.86,
```

```

mu = 9.66,
kappa = 3.9,
th232 = 0.049475,
u238 = 0.155125,
u235 = 0.98485,
u238_235 = 137.79,
tolerance = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps)
)

## S4 method for signature 'list,missing,missing'
pb_age(
  x,
  t0 = 3.8,
  x_star = 18.75,
  y_star = 15.63,
  z_star = 38.86,
  mu = 9.66,
  kappa = 3.9,
  th232 = 0.049475,
  u238 = 0.155125,
  u235 = 0.98485,
  u238_235 = 137.79,
  tolerance = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps)
)

```

Arguments

x	A <code>numeric</code> vector of 206Pb/204Pb ratios. If y and z are missing, must be a <code>list</code> (or a <code>data.frame</code>) with numeric components (columns) x, y and z.
y	A <code>numeric</code> vector of 207Pb/204Pb ratios. If missing, an attempt is made to interpret x in a suitable way.
z	A <code>numeric</code> vector of 208Pb/204Pb ratios. If missing, an attempt is made to interpret x in a suitable way.
...	Currently not used.
t0	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the time of the second stage of the reference model.
x_star	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the 206Pb/204Pb ratio at $t = 0$.
y_star	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the 207Pb/204Pb ratio at $t = 0$.
z_star	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the 208Pb/204Pb ratio at $t = 0$.
mu	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the 238U/204Pb ratio of the reference model.
kappa	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the 232Th/238U ratio of the reference model.
th232	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the decay constants of 232Th.
u238	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the decay constants of 238U.
u235	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the decay constants of 235U.
u238_235	A <code>numeric</code> value giving the actual 238U/235U ratio.
tolerance	A <code>numeric</code> value specifying the tolerance (stopping criteria for the Newton–Raphson method).

Value

A four columns `data.frame`:

age	Geological model age (in Ma)
mu	238U/204Pb ratio
kappa	232Th/238U ratio
f	

Note

Reference values from Albarede & Juteau (1984).

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau, F. Albarede (original Matlab code)

References

- Albarède, F., Desaulty, A.-M. & Blichert-Toft, J. (2012). A Geological Perspective on the Use of Pb Isotopes in Archaeometry. *Archaeometry*, 54: 853-867. doi:[10.1111/j.14754754.2011.00653.x](https://doi.org/10.1111/j.14754754.2011.00653.x).
- Albarède, F. & Juteau, M. (1984). Unscrambling the Lead Model Ages. *Geochimica et Cosmochimica Acta*, 48(1): 207-12. doi:[10.1016/00167037\(84\)903648](https://doi.org/10.1016/00167037(84)903648).
- Allègre, C. (2005). *Géologie isotopique*. Belin sup. Paris: Belin.

Examples

```
Pb <- data.frame(
  x = c(18.23247, 18.22936, 18.23102), # Pb206/Pb204
  y = c(15.65199, 15.65216, 15.65097), # Pb207/Pb204
  z = c(38.5167, 38.51516, 38.51601)   # Pb208/Pb204
)

## Reference values from Albarede & Juteau (1984)
pb_age(Pb)

## Reference values from Albarede et al. (2012)
pb_age(
  Pb,
  t0 = 4.43,
  x_star = 18.75, y_star = 15.63, z_star = 38.83,
  mu = 9.66, kappa = 3.90, th232 = 0.049475,
  u238 = 0.155125, u235 = 0.98485, u238_235 = 137.79
)
```

proxy_ensemble	<i>Layer-Counted Proxy Records Uncertainties</i>
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Description

Represents layer-counted proxy records as sequences of probability distributions on absolute, error-free time axes.

Usage

```
proxy_ensemble(depth, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric'
proxy_ensemble(
  depth,
  proxy,
  proxy_error,
  step,
  time,
  time_error,
  calendar,
  from = NULL,
  to = NULL,
  by = NULL,
  n = 30,
  progress = getOption("ananke.progress"),
  verbose = getOption("ananke.verbose")
)
```

Arguments

depth	A positive <code>numeric</code> vector giving the depth at which proxy values and calendar ages were measured. It must be in decreasing order (i.e. in chronological order).
...	Currently not used.
proxy	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the proxy values.
proxy_error	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the proxy uncertainties.
step	A length-one <code>numeric</code> vector specifying the step size (in units of proxy) at which proxy records densities are to be estimated.
time	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the calendar ages (in years).
time_error	A <code>numeric</code> vector giving the calendar age uncertainties (in years).
calendar	An <code>aion::TimeScale</code> object specifying the target calendar (see <code>aion::calendar()</code>). If <code>NULL</code> , <i>rata die</i> are returned.
from	A length-one <code>numeric</code> vector specifying the starting value of the temporal sequence at which densities are to be estimated (in years).

to	A length-one numeric vector specifying the end value of the temporal sequence at which densities are to be estimated (in cal BP years).
by	A length-one numeric vector specifying the increment of the temporal sequence at which densities are to be estimated (in years).
n	An integer specifying the number of item to choose randomly.
progress	A logical scalar: should a progress bar be displayed?
verbose	A logical scalar: should extra information be reported?

Value

A **ProxyRecord** object.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

References

Boers, N., Goswami, B. & Ghil, M. (2017). A Complete Representation of Uncertainties in Layer-Counted Paleoclimatic Archives. *Climate of the Past*, 13(9): 1169-1180. doi:10.5194/cp131169-2017.

See Also

Other proxy tools: [proxy_plot](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
## Get NGRIP records
data("ngrip2010", package = "folio")
ngrip2010 <- subset(ngrip2010, !is.na(MCE))
ngrip2010 <- ngrip2010[nrow(ngrip2010):1, ] # Sort in chronological order

## Replicate fig. 3d from Boers et al. (2017)
## /!\ This may take a while... /!\
ngrip_record <- proxy_ensemble(
  depth = ngrip2010$depth,
  proxy = ngrip2010$delta,
  proxy_error = 0.01,
  step = 0.001,
  time = ngrip2010$age,
  time_error = ngrip2010$MCE,
  calendar = b2k(), # /!\
  by = 20,
  n = 30
)
plot(ngrip_record)

## End(Not run)
```

<code>proxy_plot</code>	<i>Plot Layer-Counted Proxy Records Uncertainties</i>
-------------------------	---

Description

Plot Layer-Counted Proxy Records Uncertainties

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'ProxyRecord,missing'
plot(
  x,
  calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"),
  iqr = TRUE,
  xlab = NULL,
  ylab = NULL,
  col = grDevices::hcl.colors(12, "YlOrRd", rev = TRUE),
  col.mean = "black",
  col.iqr = col.mean,
  lty.mean = 1,
  lty.iqr = 3,
  lwd.mean = 2,
  lwd.iqr = lwd.mean,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A ProxyRecord object.
<code>calendar</code>	An aion::TimeScale object specifying the target calendar (see aion::calendar()). If <code>NULL</code> , <i>rata die</i> are returned.
<code>iqr</code>	A logical scalar: should the mean and IQR be displayed?
<code>xlab, ylab</code>	A character string giving a label for the x and y axis.
<code>col</code>	A list of colors such as that generated by grDevices::hcl.colors() .
<code>col.mean, col.iqr</code>	A specification for the line colors. Only used if <code>iqr</code> is <code>TRUE</code> .
<code>lty.mean, lty.iqr</code>	A specification for the line types. Only used if <code>iqr</code> is <code>TRUE</code> .
<code>lwd.mean, lwd.iqr</code>	A specification for the line widths. Only used if <code>iqr</code> is <code>TRUE</code> .
<code>...</code>	Further parameters to be passed to graphics::image() .

Value

`plot()` is called it for its side-effects: it results in a graphic being displayed. Invisibly returns `x`.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other proxy tools: [proxy_ensemble\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
## Get NGRIP records
data("ngrip2010", package = "folio")
ngrip2010 <- subset(ngrip2010, !is.na(MCE))
ngrip2010 <- ngrip2010[nrow(ngrip2010):1, ] # Sort in chronological order

## Replicate fig. 3d from Boers et al. (2017)
## /!\ This may take a while... /!\
ngrip_record <- proxy_ensemble(
  depth = ngrip2010$depth,
  proxy = ngrip2010$delta,
  proxy_error = 0.01,
  step = 0.001,
  time = ngrip2010$age,
  time_error = ngrip2010$MCE,
  calendar = b2k(), # /!\
  by = 20,
  n = 30
)
plot(ngrip_record)

## End(Not run)
```

quantile

Quantiles of a Density Estimate

Description

Quantiles of a Density Estimate

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'
quantile(
  x,
  probs = seq(0, 1, 0.25),
  na.rm = FALSE,
  ...,
  calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar")
```

```
)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'ProxyRecord'  
quantile(x, probs = seq(0, 1, 0.25), na.rm = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

x	A CalibratedAges object.
probs	A numeric vector of probabilities with values in [0, 1].
na.rm	A logical scalar: should NA values be stripped before the computation proceeds?
...	Currently not used.
calendar	An aion::TimeScale object specifying the target calendar (see aion::calendar()). If NULL, <i>rata die</i> are returned.

Value

A numeric [matrix](#) containing the quantiles.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other statistics: [hdr](#), [mean\(\)](#), [median\(\)](#)

Examples

```
## Calibrate multiple dates  
cal <- c14_calibrate(  
  values = c(5000, 4500),  
  errors = c(45, 35),  
  names = c("X", "Y"))  
  
## Statistics  
quantile(cal)  
median(cal)  
mean(cal)  
  
## Plot  
plot(cal, calendar = CE())  
  
## Need to set 'calendar'  
abline(v = median(cal, calendar = CE()), lty = 2, col = "blue")  
abline(v = mean(cal, calendar = CE()), lty = 2, col = "red")
```

rec_plot*Plot a Radiocarbon Event Count Ensemble*

Description

Plot a Radiocarbon Event Count Ensemble

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'RECE,missing'
plot(x, calendar = getOption("ananke.calendar"), ...)
```

Arguments

- | | |
|----------|--|
| x | An <code>RECE</code> object. |
| calendar | An <code>aion::TimeScale</code> object specifying the target calendar (see <code>aion::calendar()</code>). If NULL, <i>rata die</i> are returned. |
| ... | Further parameters to be passed to <code>graphics::image()</code> . |

Value

`image()` is called it for its side-effects: it results in a graphic being displayed (invisibly returns `x`).

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

References

Carleton, W. C. (2021). Evaluating Bayesian Radiocarbon-dated Event Count (REC) Models for the Study of Long-term Human and Environmental Processes. *Journal of Quaternary Science*, 36(1): 110-23. doi:[10.1002/jqs.3256](https://doi.org/10.1002/jqs.3256).

See Also

Other radiocarbon tools: `F14C`, `c14_calibrate()`, `c14_combine()`, `c14_curve()`, `c14_ensemble()`, `c14_plot`, `c14_spd()`, `c14_uncalibrate()`, `c14_validate()`

subset

Extract or Replace Parts of an Object

Description

Operators acting on objects to extract or replace parts.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'CalibratedAges'  
x[i, j, k, drop = FALSE]
```

Arguments

- | | |
|---------|--|
| x | An object from which to extract element(s) or in which to replace element(s). |
| i, j, k | Indices specifying elements to extract or replace. |
| drop | A logical scalar: should the result be coerced to the lowest possible dimension? This only works for extracting elements, not for the replacement. |

Value

A subsetted object.

Author(s)

N. Frerebeau

See Also

Other mutators: [data.frame](#), [labels\(\)](#), [mutators](#)

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