

# Package ‘uskewFactors’

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**Description** Implements mixtures of unrestricted skew-t factor analyzer models via the EM algorithm.

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Swiss Banknote Data     *The Swiss Banknote Data*

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## Description

This package contains measurements on 200 Swiss banknotes: 100 genuine and 100 counterfeit. The variables are length of bill, width of left edge, width of right edge , bottom margin width and top margin width. All measurements are in millimetres. The data source is noted below. This data is also available in the alr package in R.

**Usage**

```
data(banknote)
```

**References**

Flury, B. and Riedwyl, H. (1988). Multivariate Statistics: A practical approach. London: Chapman and Hall.

**Examples**

```
data(banknote) # Loads the brown bread data set
head(banknote) # Displays the first six rows of the brown bread data set
```

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uskewFA

*Mixtures of 'Unrestricted' Skew-t Factor Analyzers via the EM algorithm*

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**Description**

Fits a mixture of 'unrestricted' skew-t factor analyzers via the EM algorithm for estimation of model parameters

**Usage**

```
uskewFA(x, G, q, init=1, max.it=100)
```

**Arguments**

x	A numeric matrix.
G	The number of mixture components to fit.
q	The number of latent factors.
init	This number controls the starting values that are used: (1) k-means, or (2) random.
max.it	The maximum number of iterations of the EM algorithm.

**Value**

map	A vector of the maximum a posteriori group memberships.
bic	The value of the Bayesian Information Criterion.
zhat	The matrix of estimated probabilities of group membership.
likelihood	A vector containing the value of the complete-data log-likelihood computed at each iteration of the EM algorithm.

**Note**

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**References**

Murray, P.M., Browne, R.P., and McNicholas, P.D. (2014), "Mixtures of 'Unrestricted' Skew-t Factor Analyzers". Arxiv preprint arXiv:1310.6224

**See Also**

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**Examples**

```
data("banknote")
x=banknote[,c(5,6)]
# We let max.it=3 for a speedy illustration.
# More iterations are needed to ensure
# convergence.
results=uskewFA(x,G=2,q=1,max.it=3)
results
```

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uskewFactors

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**Description**

Contains the function uskewFA for fitting mixtures of 'unrestricted' skew-t factor analyzer models

**Details**

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