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nal tips (sim.bd.taxa()), or a fixed age (sim.bd.age()), or a fixed age and number of tips (sim.bd.taxa.age()). When conditioning on the number of final tips, the method allows for shifts in rates and mass extinction events during the birth-death process (sim.rateshift.taxa()). The function sim.bd.age() (and sim.rateshift.taxa() without extinction) allow the speciation rate to change in a density-dependent way. The LTT plots of the simulations can be displayed using LTT.plot(), LTT.plot.gen() and LTT.average.root(). TreeSim further samples trees with n final tips from a set of trees generated by the common sampling algorithm stopping when a fixed number m>>n of tips is first reached (sim.gsa.taxa()). This latter method is appropriate for m-tip trees generated under a big class of models (details in the sim.gsa.taxa() man page). For incomplete phylogeny, the missing speciation events can be added through simulations (corsim()). (ii) sim.rateshifts.taxa() is generalized to sim.bdsky.stt() for serially sampled trees, where the trees are conditioned on either the number of sampled tips or the age. Furthermore, for a multitype-branching process with sequential sampling, trees on a fixed number of tips can be simulated using sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa(). This function further allows to simulate under epidemiological models with an exposed class. The function sim.genespeciestree() simulates coalescent gene trees within birth-death species trees, and sim.genetree() simulates coalescent gene trees.

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#### **Description**

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Simulation methods for phylogenetic trees where (i) all tips are sampled at one time point or (ii) tips are sampled sequentially through time. (i) For sampling at one time point, simulations are performed under a constant rate birth-death process, conditioned on having a fixed number of final tips (sim.bd.taxa()), or a fixed age (sim.bd.age()), or a fixed age and number of tips (sim.bd.taxa.age()). When conditioning on the number of final tips, the method allows for shifts in rates and mass extinction events during the birth-death process (sim.rateshift.taxa()). The function sim.bd.age() (and sim.rateshift.taxa() without extinction) allow the speciation rate to change in a density-dependent way. The LTT plots of the simulations can be displayed using LTT.plot(), LTT.plot.gen() and LTT.average.root(). TreeSim further samples trees with n final tips from a set of trees generated by the common sampling algorithm stopping when a fixed number m»n of tips is first reached (sim.gsa.taxa()). This latter method is appropriate for m-tip trees generated under a big class of models (details in the sim.gsa.taxa() man page). For incomplete phylogeny, the missing speciation events can be added through simulations (corsim()). (ii) sim.rateshifts.taxa() is generalized to sim.bdsky.stt() for serially sampled trees, where the trees are conditioned on either the number of sampled tips or the age. Furthermore, for a multitype-branching process with sequential sampling, trees on a fixed number of tips can be simulated using sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa(). This function further allows to simulate under epidemiological models with an exposed class. The function sim.genespeciestree() simulates coalescent gene trees within birth-death species trees, and sim.genetree() simulates coalescent gene trees.

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## References

T. Stadler. Simulating trees on a fixed number of extant species. Syst. Biol., 60: 676-684, 2011.

## See Also

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corsim

corsim: Simulating the missing speciation events in an incomplete phylogenies.

# Description

corsim simulates the missing speciation event in an incomplete phylogeny assuming a constant speciation and extinction rate. These rates can be estimated with the functions bd.shifts.optim (if random speciation events are missing) and bd.groups.optim (if only young speciation events are missing) provided in TreePar. corsim allows to specify an upper and lower bound for the times of the missing speciation events.

# Usage

```
corsim(x,lambda,mu,missing,told=0,tyoung=0)
```

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#### **Arguments**

x Vector of the speciation times in the incomplete phylogeny (where time is mea-

sured such that 0 is the present and increasing going into the past).

lambda Speciation rate.mu Extincion rate.

missing Number of missing species (i.e. missing speciation events).

told Upper bound for the time of missing speciation events. Default is 0 which means

no upper bound.

tyoung Lower bound for the time of missing speciation events. Default is 0 which means

no lower bound. tyoung<told unless tyoung=told=0 is required.

#### Value

x Vector of speciation times: input and simulated speciation times.

## Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

#### References

N. Cusimano, T. Stadler, S. Renner. A new method for handling missing species in diversification analysis applicable to randomly or non-randomly sampled phylogenies. Syst. Biol., 61(5): 785-792, 2012.

## See Also

sim.bd.age, sim.rateshift.taxa, sim.gsa.taxa, birthdeath.tree

```
# Speciation times of a tree with five species:
x<-c(1,1.5,3,5)
# We simulate using the following parameters:
lambda<-2
mu<-1
tyoung<-0.5
told<-4.5
# We simulate 5 additional speciation times (i.e. five additional species):
missing<-5

# xcompleted is x plus 5 additional speciation events between 0.5 and 4.5 timesteps
# in the past. xcompleted corresponds to a 10-species tree:
xcompleted<-corsim(x,lambda,mu,missing,told,tyoung)</pre>
```

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cuttree

cuttree: Cutting off the tree to prune recent branches.

# Description

cuttree takes as input a tree and a cuttime, and then prunes all lineages more recent than cuttime.

## Usage

```
cuttree(tree,cuttime)
```

# **Arguments**

tree

Phylogenetic tree.

cuttime

Time before present at which all descendent lineages are deleted. Value between 0 (the present i.e. nothing is deleted) and the age of the tree (i.e. the whole tree

is deleted).

## Value

tree

Tree where all branches more recent than cuttime are pruned from the input tree.

## Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

```
n<-10
lambda <- 2.0
mu <- 0.5
frac <-0.6
numbsim<-2
age<-2
##
# Simulating numbsim reconstructed trees with n sampled species under a
# birth-death process with speciation rate lambda, extinction rate mu,
# sampling probability frac, and time age since origin:

trees<-sim.bd.taxa.age(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac, age, mrca = FALSE)

treec<-cuttree(trees[[1]],0.3)

plot(trees[[1]])
plot(treec)</pre>
```

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getx

getx: Calculating the vector of speciation / transmission times and sampling times for a phylogenetic tree.

## Description

getx calculates the vector of branching (speciation / transmission) times and sampling times for a phylogenetic tree (which may have polytomies). This vector is the input for the TreePar methods.

#### Usage

```
getx(datatree,sersampling)
```

## **Arguments**

datatree

Phylogenetic tree.

sersampling

Set sersampling = 0 if all tips are from one timepoint; 1 otherwise.

#### Value

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Vector of branching times where 0 is the present and time increasing into the past; If sersampling = 1: Vector of branching and tip sampling times. Second column indicates for each time if branching event (1) or tip (0).

## Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

```
### tree with tips sampled at one timepoint
n<-10
lambda <- 2.0
mu <- 0.5
frac <-0.6
numbsim<-1
trees<-sim.bd.taxa(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac,complete=FALSE,stochsampling=TRUE)
branching<-getx(trees[[1]])</pre>
### tree with tips sampled sequentially through time
set.seed(1)
n<-10
lambda <- c(2,1,2)
mu < -c(1,0.5,1.5)
sampprob <-c(0.5,0.5,0.5)
times < -c(0,1,2)
numbsim<-2
trees<-lapply(rep(n,numbsim),sim.bdsky.stt,lambdasky=lambda,deathsky=mu,</pre>
timesky=times, sampprobsky=sampprob, rho=0, timestop=0)
branchingserial<-getx(trees[[1]][[1]], sersampling=1)</pre>
```

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LTT.plot	LTT.plot: Plots the lineages through time of a set of phylogenetic trees.
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# **Description**

LTT.plot plots the lineages through time (LTT) for a set of phylogenetic trees in black (complete or reconstructed; with or without polytomies) together with the average LTT plot in red. The trees may be simulated using any function in TreeSim, or may be empirical trees. The method works for ultrametric and non-ultrametric trees which are binary or have polytomies. NOTE: you probably need to adapt the code such that the plot is pretty for your particular data (range of axes etc).

# Usage

LTT.plot(trees,width,precalc,bound=10^(-12),timemax,nmax,avg)

# Arguments

trees	List with one or two entries. First component: list of phylogenetic trees; second component: vector with time of origins (can be empty).
width	Width of lines in plot.
precalc	Default = $0$ . If = $1$ , then parse 'LTT.plot.gen(trees)' instead of 'trees' for the input variable 'trees'.
bound	Determines the value by which leaf times may differ in an ultrametric tree. If two tips are further apart than 'bound', they are considered as sequentially sampled tips.
timemax	Time axis is drawn from present=0 to timemax years in the past.
nmax	Axis with number of species is drawn from 1 to nmax.
avg	Default=FALSE. If true then the average LTT plot of all individual LTT plots is drawn in red.

# Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

## References

T. Stadler. Simulating trees on a fixed number of extant species. Syst. Biol., 60: 676-684, 2011.

## See Also

LTT.plot.gen, sim.bd.taxa, sim.bd.age, sim.rateshift.taxa, sim.gsa.taxa, birthdeath.tree

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## **Examples**

```
# Simulation of a tree of age 10 under the density-dependent model
numbsim<-3
age<-10
lambda<-0.3
mu<-0
K<-40
tree<- sim.bd.age(age,numbsim,lambda,mu,mrca=FALSE,complete=FALSE,K=K)</pre>
# Plot of tree
LTT.plot(c(list(tree), list(c(age, age, age))))
# Simulation of a tree with 10 tips under the constant rate birth-death model
numbsim<-3
n<-10
lambda<-0.3
mu<-0
tree<- sim.bd.taxa(10,numbsim,lambda,mu,complete=FALSE,stochsampling=TRUE)</pre>
# Plot of tree
ages<-c()
for (i in 1:length(tree)){
ages<-c(ages,tree[[i]]$root.edge+max(getx(tree[[i]])))</pre>
}
LTT.plot(c(list(tree), list(ages)), avg=TRUE)
```

LTT.plot.gen

LTT.plot.gen: Calculates the number of lineages through time for each input tree, as well as the average number of lineages over all trees.

## **Description**

LTT.plot.gen calculates the number of lineages through time for each input tree, as well as the average number of lineages over all trees. The trees may be simulated using any function in TreeSim, or may be empirical trees. The method works for ultrametric and non-ultrametric trees which are binary or have polytomies.

#### **Usage**

```
LTT.plot.gen(trees,bound=10^(-12))
```

# **Arguments**

trees List with one or two entries. First component: list of phylogenetic trees; second

component: vector with time of origins (can be empty).

bound Determines the value by which leaf times may differ in an ultrametric tree. If

two tips are further apart, they are considered as sequentially sampled tips.

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# Value

out

out[[1]]: First column are the branching times of ALL input trees. Second column is the number of lineages after the branching time. out[[i]]: Equivalent vector as out [[1]], but for tree i-1.

## Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

## References

T. Stadler. Simulating trees on a fixed number of extant species. Syst. Biol., 60: 676-684, 2011.

## See Also

LTT.plot,sim.bd.taxa, sim.bd.age, sim.rateshift.taxa, sim.gsa.taxa, birthdeath.tree

```
# Simulation of a tree with a mrca at time 10 in the past,
# under the density-dependent model
numbsim<-10
age<-10
lambda<-0.3
mu<-0.2
K<-40
# You can produce LTT plots as follows.
# (for now this is un-commented, as some combinations of geiger / TreeSim on certain platforms
# produce problems. If this is the case for you, please report to tanjs.stadler@bsse.ethz.ch).</pre>
```

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sim.bd.age

sim.bd.age: Simulating birth-death trees of a fixed age.

# **Description**

sim.bd.age simulates trees conditioned on (i) the time since origin or (ii) the time since the most recent common ancestor of the extant tips. The method allows for incomplete sampling: only a fixed fraction of all tips is included in the sampled tree. The method assumes constant birth and death rates, or allows for a density-dependent birth rate. If you want to have species-age dependent rates, use sim.age in R package TreeSimGM.

## Usage

```
sim.bd.age(age, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac = 1, mrca = FALSE,
complete = TRUE, K = 0)
```

# **Arguments**

age Time since origin / most recent common ancestor.

numbsim Number of trees to simulate.

lambda Speciation rate.

K If K=0, then lambda is constant. If K>0, density-dependent speciation is as-

sumed, with speciation rate = lambda(1-m/K) when there are m extant species.

mu Extinction rate.

frac Sampling fraction: The actual number of tips is n/frac, but only n tips are in-

cluded (incomplete sampling).

mrca If mrca=FALSE: age is the time since origin. If mrca=TRUE: age is the time

since most recent common ancestor of the extant tips.

complete If complete = TRUE, the tree with the extinct and non-sampled lineages is re-

turned. If complete = FALSE, the extinct and non-sampled lineages are sup-

pressed.

#### Value

treearray Array of 'numbsim' trees with the time since origin / most recent common an-

cestor being 'age'. If tree goes extinct or no tips are sampled (only possible when mrca = FALSE), return value is '0'. If only one extant and no extinct tips

are sampled, return value is '1'.

#### Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

## References

T. Stadler. Simulating trees on a fixed number of extant species. Syst. Biol., 60: 676-684, 2011.

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## See Also

sim.bd.taxa, sim.rateshift.taxa, sim.gsa.taxa, birthdeath.tree, sim.age

## **Examples**

```
age<-2
lambda <- 2.0
mu <- 0.5
frac <-0.6
numbsim<-3
##
# Simulating trees with time age since the origin:
sim.bd.age(age,numbsim,lambda,mu,mrca=FALSE,complete=TRUE)</pre>
```

sim.bd.taxa

sim.bd.taxa: Simulating birth-death trees on a fixed number of extant taxa.

# Description

sim.bd.taxa simulates trees on n species under the constant rate birth-death process. The method allows for incomplete sampling, i.e. (i) only a fixed fraction of all extant tips is included in the sampled tree or (ii) each extant tip from a complete tree is included with a fixed probability. In both cases, the tree is conditioned to have n tips after sampling. If you want to relax the assumption of constant rates, this function will not work. If you want to change rates through time use sim.rateshift.taxa. If you want to have species-age dependent rates, use sim.taxa in R package TreeSimGM.

# Usage

```
sim.bd.taxa(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac = 1, complete = TRUE,
stochsampling = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

n Number of extant sampled tips.numbsim Number of trees to simulate.

lambda Speciation rate.mu Extinction rate.

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frac When complete = FALSE and stochsampling=FALSE: The actual number of

tips is n/frac, but only n tips are included (incomplete sampling). When complete = FALSE and stochsampling=TRUE: Each tip is included into the final tree with probability frac. When complete = TRUE: all extinct and non-sampled

lineages are included, i.e. the tree has n/frac extant tips.

complete If TRUE, the tree with the extinct and non-sampled lineages is returned. If

FALSE, the extinct lineages are suppressed.

stochsampling See frac.

#### Value

out List of numbsim simulated trees with n extant sampled tips.

#### Note

For stochsampling = TRUE: The algorithm is fast for the critical process, lambda=mu.

#### Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

## References

- T. Stadler. Simulating trees on a fixed number of extant species. Syst. Biol., 60: 676-684, 2011.
- T. Stadler. On incomplete sampling under birth-death models and connections to the sampling-based coalescent. Jour. Theo. Biol. 261: 58-66, 2009.

#### See Also

sim.bd.age, sim.rateshift.taxa, sim.gsa.taxa, birthdeath.tree, sim.taxa

```
n<-10
lambda <- 2.0
mu <- 0.5
frac <-0.6
numbsim<-2
##
# Simulating numbsim trees with n species under a birth-death process with
# speciation rate lambda an extinction rate mu:
sim.bd.taxa(n,numbsim,lambda,mu)
# Each extant species is included in final tree with probability frac
# (the tree has n species AFTER sampling):
sim.bd.taxa(n,numbsim,lambda,mu,frac,complete=FALSE,stochsampling=TRUE)</pre>
```

sim.bd.taxa.age

```
# A fraction frac of the extant species is included into the final tree
# (the tree has n species AFTER sampling):
sim.bd.taxa(n,numbsim,lambda,mu,frac,complete=FALSE,stochsampling=FALSE)
```

sim.bd.taxa.age sim.bd.taxa.age: Simulating birth-death trees with a given age on a fixed number of extant taxa.

# **Description**

sim.bd.taxa.age simulates trees on n species with a (i) fixed time since origin or (ii) fixed time since the most recent common ancestor of the sampled species under the constant rate birth-death process. The method allows for incomplete sampling, i.e. each extant tip from a complete tree is included with a fixed probability. The tree is conditioned to have n tips after sampling and a fixed time since origin or since the most recent common ancestor of the sampled species.

# Usage

```
sim.bd.taxa.age(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac = 1, age, mrca = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

n Number of extant sampled tips. numbsim Number of trees to simulate.

lambda Speciation rate. mu Extinction rate.

frac Each tip is included into the final tree with probability frac.

age The time since origin / most recent common ancestor.

mrca If mrca = FALSE: The time since the origin of the process. If mrca = TRUE:

The time since the most recent common ancestor of the sampled species.

#### Value

treearray Array of numbsim trees with n>1 tips with a given age. The extinct lineages are

not included.

# Note

The algorithm is fast for the critical process, lambda=mu.

## Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

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#### References

T. Stadler: On incomplete sampling under birth-death models and connections to the sampling-based coalescent. J. Theo. Biol. (2009) 261: 58-66.

## See Also

sim.bd.age, sim.rateshift.taxa, sim.gsa.taxa, birthdeath.tree

## **Examples**

```
n<-10
lambda <- 2.0
mu <- 0.5
frac <-0.6
numbsim<-2
age<-2
##
# Simulating numbsim reconstructed trees with n sampled species under a
# birth-death process with speciation rate lambda, extinction rate mu,
# sampling probability frac, and time age since origin:
sim.bd.taxa.age(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac, age, mrca = FALSE)
# Simulating numbsim reconstructed trees with n sampled species under a
# birth-death process with speciation rate lambda, extinction rate mu,
# sampling probability frac, and time age since the most recent
# common ancestor of the extant sampled species:
sim.bd.taxa.age(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac, age, mrca = TRUE)</pre>
```

sim.bdsky.stt

sim.bdsky.stt: Simulating sequentially sampled birth-death, SIS, SIR or SIRS trees where birth and death rates are changing through time.

# **Description**

sim.bdsky.stt simulates birth-death trees with tips being sampled sequentially. The birth and death rates may change in a piecewise fashion. The birth rates may additionally depend on the number of susceptible individuals in an epidemic, corresponding to epidemiological SIS, SIR or SIRS dynamics. The trees are conditioned on a fixed number of tips or a fixed age.

#### Usage

```
sim.bdsky.stt(n,lambdasky,deathsky,timesky,sampprobsky,omegasky=rep(0,length(timesky)),
rho=0,timestop=0,model="BD",N=0,trackinfecteds=FALSE)
```

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#### **Arguments**

n If n>0, then the simulation is stopped once 'n' tips are sampled sequentially

through time. If n=0, the simulation is stopped after time 'timestop'.

lambdasky Vector of dimension k, where k is the number of different birth rates. An indi-

vidual between time (timesky[i],timesky[i+1]) has birth rate lambdasky[i].

deathsky Vector of dimension k, where k is the number of different death rates. An indi-

vidual between time (timesky[i],timesky[i+1]) has death rate deathsky[i].

Vector of dimension k, containing the times of rate shifts. Time is measured forward in time (unlike the function sim.rateshift.taxa where shifts are measured

backward in time), with the origin of the tree being at time 0, i.e. timesky[1]=0.

sampprobsky Vector of dimension k, an individual dying during time (timesky[i],timesky[i+1])

is sampled with probability sampprobsky[i], i.e. is being included into the final

tree.

omegasky Leave to default unless SIRS model simulation is being performed. omegasky

is a vector of dimension k, where k is the number of different loose immunity rates (i.e. the rates of R->S transition in SIRS model). An individual between

time (timesky[i],timesky[i+1]) has loose immunity rate omegasky[i].

rho Default is rho=0. If rho>0 and timestop>0, then the process is stopped after

timestop and each individual alive at time timestop is included into the final tree

with probability rho.

timestop Default is timestop=0, meaning the simulation is stopped once n tips are sam-

pled. If timestop>0, then the simulation is stopped after time timestop.

N Total population size is N. Set N>0 when simulating under either of SIS/SIR/SIRS

models.

model Should be set to desired model. Default="BD" (birth-death skyline model). The

paramter accepts values "BD", "SIS", "SIR" or "SIRS". For all the models but

"BD" N>0 should be set.

trackinfecteds Set to TRUE records prevalence and incidence data, i.e. number of overall in-

fecteds and times of infections in epidemiological terms, or overall number of species in that clade since time of origin, and times of speciations in macroevo-

lutionary terms.

#### Value

out

List containing the phylogenetic tree with n sampled tips or a fixed age timestop for trackinfecteds=FALSE. If trackinfecteds=TRUE, the list contains also a second item, a list that tracks numbers of susceptible/infected/recovered/sampled individuals over the course of the tree growth. This list consist of: \$timesky times of rate changes, \$eventtimes - times dating events happening in the tree, i.e. bifurcation, death, sampling, or loose immunity, \$infecteds - the number of infected infividuals at \$eventtimes, \$cumulativesampleds - the cumulative number of infected individuals at \$eventtimes, \$cumulativesampleds - the cumulative number of sampled individuals at \$eventtimes, and in case of SIR/SIRS model, the list also contains: \$susceptibles - the number of susceptible individuals at \$eventtimes, and \$recovereds - the number of recovered individuals

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at \$eventtimes. Times \$timesky and \$eventtimes are stated backward-in-time, such that time=0 is the time of the most recent sample, and time is increasing into the past. This allows for determining precisely the times of rate changes for skyline tree analyses. The counts in \$infecteds,\$cumulativeinfecteds,\$cumulativesampleds, \$susceptibles and \$recovereds represent the number of individuals in each category prior to (more ancestral than) the \$eventtimes.

#### Note

A large number of trees can be obtained using the R function lapply. The tree can be plotted using the R package ape function plot(tree). sim.bdsky.stt function extends the function sim.rateshift.taxa to trees which contain tips being sampled sequentially.

#### Author(s)

Tanja Stadler, Veronika Boskova

#### References

T. Stadler, D. Kuehnert, S. Bonhoeffer, A. Drummond. Birth-death skyline plot reveals temporal changes of epidemic spread in HIV and hepatitis C virus (HCV). Proc. Nat. Acad. Sci., 110(1): 228-233, 2013.

V. Boskova, S. Bonhoeffer, T. Stadler. Inference of epidemiological dynamics based on simulated phylogenies using birth-death and coalescent models. Manuscript.

## See Also

sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa

```
### Set the values for birth rates (lambda), deathrates (mu),
# sampling proportion (sampprob) and times of rate shifts (times).
# Also set the number of sampled tips in the final tree (n) and
# the number of simulations (numbsim).
set.seed(1)
n<-10
lambda <- c(2,1,2)
mu < -c(1,0.5,1.5)
sampprob <-c(0.5, 0.5, 0.5)
times<-c(0,1,2)
numbsim<-2
# Simulate trees under the birth-death skyline model
trees<-lapply(rep(n,numbsim),sim.bdsky.stt,lambdasky=lambda,deathsky=mu,
timesky=times,sampprobsky=sampprob,rho=0,timestop=0)
### Simulate 10 trees with 100 tips under the SIRS model with
# total population size N=500
trees<-lapply(rep(100,10),sim.bdsky.stt,lambdasky=c(3,0.5,3,0.5,3),
deathsky=c(0.5,0.5,0.5,0.5,0.5), sampprobsky=c(0.5,0.5,0.5,0.5,0.5),
timesky=c(0,1,2,3,4),trackinfecteds=TRUE,model="SIRS",N=500,
```

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```
omegasky=c(0,0.5,0.5,0.5,0)
### Simulate 1 tree with 100 tips under the SIRS model with
# total population size N=500 and plot the S,I,R classes
trees < -sim.bdsky.stt(100,lambdasky = c(3,0.5,3,0.5,3), deathsky = c(0.5,0.5,0.5,0.5,0.5), \\
sampprobsky = c(\emptyset.5, \emptyset.5, \emptyset.5, \emptyset.5, \emptyset.5), timesky = c(\emptyset, 2, 2.5, 3, 3.2), trackinfecteds = TRUE,
model="SIRS", N=500, omegasky=c(0,0.5,0.5,0.5,0.5))
plot(trees[[2]]$eventtimes,trees[[2]]$infecteds,xlim=rev(range(trees[[2]]$eventtimes)),
type="1",col="red",ylim=c(min(trees[[2]]$recovereds,trees[[2]]$infecteds,trees[[2]]$susceptibles),
max(trees[[2]]$recovereds, trees[[2]]$infecteds, trees[[2]]$susceptibles)),
xlab="time",ylab="Number of individuals")
abline(v=trees[[2]]$timesky,lty=2)
points(trees[[2]]$eventtimes,trees[[2]]$recovereds,type="1",col="green")
points(trees[[2]]$eventtimes,trees[[2]]$susceptibles,type="1",col="blue")
points(trees[[2]]$eventtimes,trees[[2]]$cumulativesampleds,type="1",col="grey")
legend("topleft",c("S","I","R","samples","rate changes"),
col=c("blue","red","green","grey","black"),lty=c(1,1,1,1,2))
```

sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa: Simulating multitype birth-death trees with a fixed number of tips sampled through time.

# **Description**

sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa simulates trees on n tips sampled through time under a multitype birth-death process.

#### **Usage**

```
sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa(n,lambdavector,deathvector,
sampprobvector,init=-1,EI=FALSE,eliminate=0)
```

## **Arguments**

n	Number of sampled tips.
lambdavector	Matrix of dimension kxk, where $k$ is the number of different states. The entry $(i,j)$ is the rate with which an individual in state $i$ gives rise to a new lineage of state $j$ .
deathvector	Vector of dimension k, the entry i is the death rate of an individual in state i.
sampprobvector	Vector of dimension k, the entry i is the probability of an individual in state i being sampled upon death, i.e. being included into the final tree.
init	Default is -1, meaning the initial individual is in a random state (which is chosen from the equilibrium distribution of states). If init>0, then the initial state is 'init'.

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EI If EI=TRUE a model with two types, namely exposed and infectious individuals,

is assumed. Infectious individuals transmit and give rise to exposed individuals with rate lambdavector[2,1], and exposed individuals become infectious with rate lambdavector[1,2]. Exposed individuals have a 0 death rate and cannot be

sampled. For an example simulation see below.

eliminate Only relevant if EI=TRUE. Under EI=TRUE all sampled tips are in state 2. If

eliminate>0, the first eliminate tips are marked with state 1. This facilitates further analysis, e.g. we now can easily prune these first eliminate tips to mimic

no sampling close to the epidemic outbreak.

#### Value

out Phylogenetic tree with 'n' sampled tips. In out\$states, the states for the tips are

stored.

#### Note

A large number of trees can be obtained using the R function lapply. The tree can be plotted using the R package ape function plot(out). sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa function extends the simulator in the R package diversitree to trees which contain tips being sampled sequentially.

## Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

#### References

T. Stadler, S. Bonhoeffer. Uncovering epidemiological dynamics in heterogeneous host populations using phylogenetic methods. Phil. Trans. Roy. Soc. B, 368 (1614): 20120198, 2013.

## See Also

sim.bdsky.stt

```
# Simulate two trees with 10 tips
set.seed(1)
n<-10
lambda <- rbind(c(2,1),c(3,4))
mu <- c(1,1)
sampprob <-c(0.5,0.5)
numbsim<-2
trees<-lapply(rep(n,numbsim),sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa,
lambdavector=lambda,deathvector=mu,sampprobvector=sampprob)
# Testing the model with exposed class (EI = TRUE)
set.seed(2)
# simulate tree with expected incubation period of 14 days,
# infectious period of 7 days, and R0 of 1.5:
mu <- c(0,1/7)</pre>
```

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```
lambda <- rbind(c(0,1/14),c(1.5/7,0))
# sampling probability of infectious individuals is 0.35:
sampprob <-c(0,0.35)
# we stop once we have 20 samples:
n <- 20
# we simulate one tree:
numbsim<-1
# We mark first eliminate=10 tips such that we can easily drop them later
# (if deleting these 10 tips, we mimic no sampling close to the outbreak)
trees<-lapply(rep(n,numbsim),sim.bdtypes.stt.taxa,lambdavector=lambda,deathvector=mu,
sampprobvector=sampprob,EI=TRUE,eliminate=10)
```

sim.genespeciestree

sim.genespeciestree: Simulating birth-death species trees with nested coalescent gene trees.

## Description

sim.genespeciestree simulates birth-death species trees (using sim.bd.taxa or sim.bd.taxa.age). Within each species tree, a gene tree is simulated, assuming a coalescent with coalescent rate being 1. The method returns summary statistics for the gene tree.

#### Usage

```
sim.genespeciestree(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac = 1, age=0)
```

#### **Arguments**

Number of extant sampled tips.numbsimNumber of trees to simulate.

lambda Speciation rate. mu Extinction rate.

frac Each tip is included into the final species tree with probability frac.

age The time since origin / most recent common ancestor. If age = 0 (default) a

uniform prior for the time since origin is assumed.

#### Value

statistics For each simulated gene tree the following statistics are returned (with "gam-

maspecies" being the gamma statistic for the corresponding species tree): "Col-

less", "s", "Sackin", "cherries", "matching of species tree and gene tree", "gammaspecies", "gamma".

## Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

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## References

T. Stadler, J. Degnan, N. Rosenberg. Manuscript.

## **Examples**

```
#Simulate two gene trees within two species trees:
n<-10
lambda <- 2.0
mu <- 0.5
frac <-0.6
numbsim<-2
age<-2

# Simulation is conditioned on 10 final tips
sim.genespeciestree(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac, 0)

# Simulation is conditioned on 10 final tips and tree age 2
sim.genespeciestree(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac, age)</pre>
```

sim.genetree

sim.genetree: Simulating coalescent gene trees.

# **Description**

sim.genetree simulates a gene tree assuming the coalescent with coalescent rate being 1. The method returns summary statistics of the gene tree.

# Usage

```
sim.genetree(n, numbsim)
```

## **Arguments**

n Number of extant sampled tips.numbsim Number of trees to simulate.

## Value

statistics

For each simulated gene tree the following statistics are returned: "Colless", "s", "Sackin", "cherries".

# Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

## References

T. Stadler, J. Degnan, N. Rosenberg. Manuscript.

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#### **Examples**

```
n<-10
numbsim<-2
sim.genetree(n, numbsim)</pre>
```

sim.gsa.taxa

sim.gsa.taxa: Sampling trees on n tips from bigger trees.

# **Description**

sim.gsa.taxa samples trees on n tips (using the GSA approach, see references) from trees with m tips where m>n, given the m-tip trees are simulated under the simple sampling approach (i.e. simulating until first m»n tips are reached or the tree is extinct). The TreeSim methods to simulate n-tip trees, sim.bd.taxa and sim.rateshift.taxa, are implemented such that sim.gsa.taxa is not necessary. sim.gsa.taxa is needed for post processing of trees generated NOT in TreeSim: if the aim is to simulate trees with n co-existing tips, then typically simulators stop once the first time n co-existing lineages are reached. However, due to death, we can observe n tips later (e.g. n+1 lineages followed by death leads n lineages). sim.gsa.taxa produces an appropriate set of n-tip trees where the input are m-tip trees with m»n and the m-tip trees are simulated under these typical simulators.

sim.gsa.taxa works for m-tip trees generated under a model where: (i) the number of tips eventually tends to zero or stays bigger than n and (ii) birth / death rate changes do not depend on the time between the change and the present - e.g. one cannot model a mass extinction event 1 million years BEFORE the present. But one can model a mass extinction event 1 million years AFTER the origin of the tree. The package TreeSimGM uses sim.gsa.taxa to obtain n-tip trees.

## Usage

```
sim.gsa.taxa(treearray, n, frac = 1, sampling = 1, complete = TRUE)
```

#### **Arguments**

Array of trees with a fixed number of tips.

Number of tips in sampled trees.

Relevant when complete = FALSE: The actual number of tips is n/frac, but only n tips are included (incomplete sampling). When complete = TRUE: We set frac = 1.

sampling

Parameter determining how close the returned trees in treearray are to the "true" distribution. The higher 'sampling', the closer the output trees to the 'true' distribution. Default is 40. Higher values of sampling return fewer output trees meaning a larger input treearray is needed.

complete If TRUE, the tree with the extinct lineages is returned. If FALSE, the extinct

lineages are suppressed.

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#### Value

treearray

Array of sampled trees with n extant sampled tips. Note that the number of trees in the output is significantly smaller than the number of trees in the input (in order to ensure correct tree sampling).

#### Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

## References

K. Hartmann, D. Wong, T. Stadler. Sampling trees from evolutionary models. Syst. Biol., 59(4): 465-476, 2010.

T. Stadler. Simulating trees on a fixed number of extant species. Syst. Biol., 60: 676-684, 2011.

#### See Also

sim.bd.age, sim.bd.taxa, sim.rateshift.taxa, birthdeath.tree

## **Examples**

```
##
# First 100 trees on 9 tips under a birth-death process are generated.
# Then trees on 5 species are sampled from these 100 trees using the GSA
# (see references).
# You can easily simulate trees on m species with the simple sampling
# approach (see references) under a variety of models. Then use the
# provided GSA algorithm to get a correct sample of trees on n<<m species:
m<-9
n<-5
numbsim<-100
lambda <- 2.0
mu <- 0.5

t<-sim.bd.taxa(m,numbsim,lambda,mu)
t2<-sim.gsa.taxa(t,n)</pre>
```

sim.rateshift.taxa

sim.rateshift.taxa: Simulating trees incorporating mass extinction events and rate shifts.

## **Description**

sim.rateshift.taxa simulates trees on n species under the constant rate birth-death process. At user-specified points in the past, the rates can shift. Further, mass extinction events can be incorporated. The method further allows for incomplete sampling, i.e. only a fixed fraction of all tips is included in the sampled tree. The tree is conditioned to have n tips after sampling.

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# Usage

sim.rateshift.taxa(n, numbsim, lambda, mu, frac, times, complete = TRUE, K=0, norm = TRUE)

#### **Arguments**

n Number of extant sampled tips.numbsim Number of trees to simulate.

lambda Vector of speciation rates, the rate in entry i is the speciation rate prior (ancestral)

to time times[i].

mu Vector of extinction rates, the rate in entry i is the extinction rate prior (ancestral)

to time times[i].

frac Vector of proportion of species surviving mass extinction event. Entry i corre-

sponds to the mass extinction at time times[i]. If frac[i]=1, only rate shift but no

mass extinction at time times[i].

times Vector of mass extinction and rate shift times. Time is 0 today and increasing

going backwards in time. Specify the vector as times[i]<times[i+1]. times[1]=0

(today).

complete If TRUE, the tree including the extinct lineages and non-sampled lineages is

returned (so the tree has round(n/frac[1]) extant tips). If FALSE, the extinct

lineages and non-sampled lineages are suppressed.

K If K>0, then a density-dependent speciation rate = lambda\*(1-numberspecies/K)

is used. Only works currently for mu=0.

norm If norm = TRUE the simulations are exact. If norm = FALSE tree is always

returned once N=0 in Stadler 2011, p.678, point (7).

#### Value

out List of numbsim simulated trees with n extant sampled tips.

# Author(s)

Tanja Stadler

## References

T. Stadler. Simulating trees on a fixed number of extant species. Syst. Biol., 60: 676-684, 2011.

## See Also

sim.bd.age, sim.bd.taxa, sim.gsa.taxa, birthdeath.tree

## **Examples**

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