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cdlei

The life expectancy improvement with a cure distribution for a cause of death.

Description

In many circumstances, to increase in life expectancy when a certain cause of death is eliminated is sought, but this is usually done by taking the cause out of consideration fully, which is unrealistic. Here, we incorporate a probability distribution for the cure of the cause over time, to more accurately predict the increase in life expectancy at each age.

Usage

cdlei(age, qtau, qhiv, k, d)

Arguments

| | |
|------|--|
| age | age |
| qtau | vector of probabilities of death by all causes at each age |
| qhiv | vector of probabilities of death by HIV at each age |
| k | cure probability parameter |
| d | index |

Value

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| cdlei | cause-deleted life expectancy |
| qx | probability of death at age x |
| px | probability of survival at age x |
| tpx | probability an x year old survives to age x+t |
| sumtpx | sum of tpx |
| Fk | probability of curve |

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| pxx | probability of survival at age x, using cure probability |
| tpxx | probability of surviving t years after age x, using cure probability |
| sumtpxx | cumulative sum of tpx |
| df | data frame |

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Examples

```
data(lifeData)
res <- cdlei(lifeData$age, lifeData$qttau, lifeData$qhiv, 0.02, 100000)
str(res)
res$cdlei
```

Fk *Curve Probability function*

Description

A simple discrete-time function accounting for the probability that HIV will be cured by time t. Assume the curve function begins at age 0.

Usage

```
Fk(age, k)
```

Arguments

| | |
|-----|----------------------------|
| age | age of person |
| k | cure probability parameter |

Value

| | |
|----|----------------------------|
| Fk | curve probability function |
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Examples

```
data(lifeData)
Fk(lifeData$age, 0.02)
```

lifeData

HIV-related deaths from Colorado, USA, between 2000-2012.

Description

Input data matrix consists of the probabilities of death from all causes, and by HIV only, for ages 0 to 103 (inclusive).

Usage

```
data("lifeData")
```

Format

A data frame with 104 observations on the following 3 variables.

age a numeric vector
qtau a numeric vector
qhiv a numeric vector

Source

Data source: Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Examples

```
data(lifeData)
str(lifeData)
```

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