

# Package ‘rshift’

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**Description** Contains a variety of functions, based around regime shift analysis of paleoecological data.

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Rodionov() from Rodionov (2004) <[doi:10.1029/2004GL019448](https://doi.org/10.1029/2004GL019448)>

Lanzante() from Lanzante (1996) <[doi:10.1002/\(SICI\)1097-0088\(199611\)16:11%3C1197::AID-JOC89%3E3.0.CO;2-L](https://doi.org/10.1002/(SICI)1097-0088(199611)16:11%3C1197::AID-JOC89%3E3.0.CO;2-L)>

Hellinger\_trans from Numerical Ecology, Legendre & Legendre (ISBN 9780444538680)

rolling\_autoc from Liu, Gao & Wang (2018) <[doi:10.1016/j.scitotenv.2018.06.276](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.scitotenv.2018.06.276)>

Sample data sets lake\_data & lake\_RSI processed from Bush, Silman & Urrego (2004) <[doi:10.1126/science.1090795](https://doi.org/10.1126/science.1090795)>.

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### *absolute\_to\_percentage*

*Converts absolute abundance data to a percentage of total abundance for each site*

#### Description

Converts absolute abundance data to a percentage of total abundance for each site

#### Usage

```
absolute_to_percentage(data, col, site)
```

#### Arguments

- data            The dataframe to be used.
- col            The column that change is being measured on.
- site            The column containing the site of each sample.

#### Value

The ‘data’ dataframe with an added ‘percentage’ column.

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<code>Hellinger_trans</code>	<i>Hellinger transform</i>
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**Description**

Hellinger transforms data (Legendre and Legendre, Numerical Ecology)

**Usage**

```
Hellinger_trans(data, col, site)
```

**Arguments**

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|-------------------|--|
| <code>data</code> | The dataframe to be used.                      |
| <code>col</code>  | The column that change is being measured on.   |
| <code>site</code> | The column containing the site of each sample. |

**Value**

The ‘data’ dataframe with an added ‘hellinger\_trans\_vals’ column.

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<code>lake_data</code>	<i>DCA-ordinated pollen data from Lake Consuelo</i>
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**Description**

A dataset containing pre-processed DCA-ordinated data from Bush, Silman & Urrego (2004) <doi:10.1126/science.1090795>

**Usage**

```
data(lake_data)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 39 rows and 2 variables

**Details**

- DCA1 - DCA values for each timepoint from the raw dataset.
- Age - timepoint of each sample that has been DCA-ordinated.

lake\_RSI

*DCA-ordinated pollen data from Lake Consuelo with RSI values***Description**

A dataset containing pre-processed DCA-ordinated data from Bush, Silman & Urrego (2004) <doi:10.1126/science.1090795>  
This data has been processed using Rodionov(lake\_data, "DCA1", "Age", l=5, merge=TRUE)

**Usage**

```
data(lake_RSI)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 39 rows and 3 variables

**Details**

- DCA1 - DCA values for each timepoint from the raw dataset.
- Age - timepoint of each sample that has been DCA-ordinated.
- RSI - Regime Shift Index (see docs for Rodionov()) for each timepoint.

Lanzante

*Lanzante L-test***Description**

performs the L-method for detection of regime shifts (Lanzante, 1996)

**Usage**

```
Lanzante(data, col, time, p = 0.05, merge = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>data</code>	The dataframe to be used.
<code>col</code>	The column we are measuring change on.
<code>time</code>	The column containing time units (e.g. age of a subsample)
<code>p</code>	The largest p-value you want to check regime shifts for. Defaults to p = 0.05.
<code>merge</code>	Sets the result to be either a regime-shift only table (if FALSE), or an addition to the original table (if TRUE)

**Value**

If merge = FALSE (default), produces a 2-column table of time (the time value for each regime shift) and p (the p-value for each regime shift). If merge = TRUE, returns the original dataset with an extra p-value column, giving the p-value for each time unit - 0 for non-shift years.

**Examples**

```
Lanzante(lake_data, "DCA1", "Age")
Lanzante(lake_data, "DCA1", "Age", p=0.10, merge=TRUE)
```

Rodionov

*Rodionov (2004)'s STARS algorithm***Description**

performs STARS analysis (Rodionov, 2004) on a dataset

**Usage**

```
Rodionov(data, col, time, l, prob = 0.95, startrow = 1, merge = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

data	The dataframe to be used.
col	The column we are measuring change on.
time	The column containing time units (e.g. age of a subsample)
l	The cut-off length of a regime; affects sensitivity (see Rodionov, 2004)
prob	The p-value for significance of a regime shift. Defaults to p = 0.05.
startrow	What row the analysis starts at. Defaults to 1.
merge	Sets the result to be either a regime-shift only table (if FALSE), or an addition to the original table (if TRUE)

**Value**

If merge = FALSE (default), produces a 2-column table of time (the time value for each regime shift) and RSI (the regime shift index for each regime shift). If merge = TRUE, returns the original dataset with an extra RSI column, giving the regime shift index for each time unit - 0 for non-shift years.

**Examples**

```
Rodionov(lake_data, "DCA1", "Age", l=5)
Rodionov(lake_data, "DCA1", "Age", l=5, prob=0.99, startrow=2, merge=TRUE)
```

<code>rolling_autoc</code>	<i>Rolling autocorrelation</i>
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### Description

finds lag-1 autocorrelation in a rolling window; can be used to predict resilience (Liu, Gao, & Wang, 2018)

### Usage

```
rolling_autoc(data, col, 1)
```

### Arguments

<code>data</code>	The dataframe that will be used.
<code>col</code>	The column we are measuring change on.
<code>1</code>	The time interval (no. of columns) used in the autocorrelation.

### Value

A table of rolling lag-1 autocorrelation values.

<code>RSI_graph</code>	<i>Regime Shift Index graph</i>
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### Description

creates two graphs, one of data and one of the RSI, as seen in Rodionov (2004)

### Usage

```
RSI_graph(data, col, time, rsi)
```

### Arguments

<code>data</code>	The dataframe that will be used.
<code>col</code>	The column we are measuring change on.
<code>time</code>	The column containing time units (e.g. age of a subsample)
<code>rsi</code>	The column containing RSI values (for best visualisation use Rodionov() with merge=TRUE)

### Value

Two graphs, one on top of the other; one of col against time and one of RSI against time.

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**Examples**

```
RSI_graph(lake_RSI, "DCA1", "Age", "RSI")
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