Package 'RFIF'

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Type Package

Title Fast Iterative Filtering (FIF) with Portable FFT Backend

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Description Provides an R interface to a C implementation of Fast Iterative Filtering (FIF)
for decomposing a univariate signal into intrinsic mode functions (IMFs) and a residual.
The package uses Fast Fourier Transform library FFTW, if found. If not, it provides
instructions to install it for your OS. This is recommended, as R's internal fft(), while
avoiding external FFT dependencies, is two orders of magnitude slower.

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rfif   *Fast Iterative Filtering (C backend)*

Description

Decompose a univariate signal into Intrinsic Mode Functions (IMFs) using the vendored C implementation of Fast Iterative Filtering (FIF).

Usage

```
rfif(x)
```

Arguments

x   Numeric vector (signal).

Value

A list with components:

- `imfs`: numeric matrix with one IMF per row (rows = IMFs; columns = time).
- `residual`: numeric vector of length `length(x)`.
- `nimf`: integer number of IMFs.

Examples

```
t <- seq(0, 1, length.out = 1024)
x <- sin(2*pi*5*t) + 0.5*sin(2*pi*20*t)
res <- rfif(x)
recon <- if (res$nimf > 0) colSums(res$imfs) + res$residual else res$residual
max(abs(x - recon))
```

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