

# Package ‘caffsim’

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caffConcTime	<i>Create a dataset of the concentration-time curve of single oral administration of caffeine</i>
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## Description

caffConcTime will create a dataset of the concentration-time curve

## Usage

```
caffConcTime(Weight, Dose, N = 20)
```

## Arguments

Weight	Body weight (kg)
Dose	Dose of single caffeine (mg)
N	The number of simulated subjects

## Value

The dataset of concentration and time of simulated subjects

## See Also

<https://asancpt.github.io/caffsim>

## Examples

```
caffConcTime(Weight = 20, Dose = 200, N = 20)
caffConcTime(20, 200)
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caffConcTimeMulti	<i>Create a dataset of the concentration-time curve of multiple dosing of caffeine</i>
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**Description**

caffConcTimeMulti will create a dataset of the concentration-time curve of multiple oral administrations of caffeine

**Usage**

```
caffConcTimeMulti(Weight, Dose, N = 20, Tau = 8, Repeat = 4)
```

**Arguments**

Weight	Body weight (kg)
Dose	Dose of single caffeine (mg)
N	The number of simulated subjects
Tau	The interval of multiple dosing (hour)
Repeat	The number of dosing

**Value**

The dataset of concentration and time of simulated subjects of multiple dosing

**See Also**

<https://asancpt.github.io/caffsim>

**Examples**

```
caffConcTimeMulti(Weight = 20, Dose = 200, N = 20, Tau = 8, Repeat = 4)  
caffConcTimeMulti(20, 200)
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caffDescstat	<i>Calculate descriptive statistics of simulated PK parameters</i>
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**Description**

caffDescstat will calculate descriptive statistics of simulated PK parameters

**Usage**

```
caffDescstat(caffPkparamData)
```

**Arguments**

caffPkparamData  
data frame generated by caffPkparam function

**Value**

The descriptive statistics of pharmacokinetic parameters

**See Also**

<https://asancpt.github.io/caffsim>

**Examples**

```
caffDescstat(caffPkparam(20,500))
caffDescstat(caffPkparamMulti(20,500))
caffDescExample <- cbind(caffDescstat(caffPkparam(20,500)),
                        caffDescstat(caffPkparam(50,500))[,2])
colnames(caffDescExample)[2:3] <- c('20 kg', '50 kg')
caffDescExample
```

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caffOverdose	<i>Calculate a duration of plasma caffeine concentration over specified toxic limits</i>
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**Description**

caffOverdose calculates a time duration of plasma caffeine concentration over specified toxic limits (40 mg/L or 80 mg/L)

**Usage**

```
caffOverdose(caffConcTimeData)
```

**Arguments**

caffConcTimeData  
data frame containing concentration-time data

**Value**

descriptive statistics of duration of toxic concentrations

**See Also**

<https://asan.shinyapps.io/caff/>

**Examples**

```
caffOverdose(caffConcTime(Weight = 20, Dose = 200, N = 20))  
caffOverdose(caffConcTimeMulti(Weight = 20, Dose = 200, N = 20, Tau = 8, Repeat = 4))
```

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caffPkparam	<i>Create a dataset for simulation of single dose of caffeine</i>
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**Description**

caffPkparam will create a dataset for simulation of single dose of caffeine

**Usage**

```
caffPkparam(Weight, Dose, N = 20)
```

**Arguments**

Weight	Body weight (kg)
Dose	Dose of single caffeine (mg)
N	The number of simulated subjects

**Value**

The dataset of pharmacokinetic parameters of subjects after single caffeine dose following multivariate normal

**See Also**

<https://asancpt.github.io/caffsim>

**Examples**

```
caffPkparam(Weight = 20, Dose = 200, N = 20)  
caffPkparam(20, 500)
```

caffPkparamMulti      *Create a dataset for simulation of multiple dose of caffeine*

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**Description**

caffPkparamMulti will create a dataset for simulation of multiple dose of caffeine

**Usage**

```
caffPkparamMulti(Weight, Dose, N = 20, Tau = 8)
```

**Arguments**

Weight	Body weight (kg)
Dose	Dose of multiple caffeine (mg)
N	The number of simulated subjects
Tau	The interval of multiple dosing (hour)

**Value**

The dataset of pharmacokinetic parameters of subjects after multiple caffeine dose following multivariate normal

**See Also**

<https://asancpt.github.io/caffsim>

**Examples**

```
caffPkparamMulti(Weight = 20, Dose = 200, N = 20, Tau = 8)  
caffPkparamMulti(20,500)
```

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caffPlot      *Create concentration-time curve after single dose of caffeine*

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**Description**

caffPlot will create concentration-time curve after single dose of caffeine

**Usage**

```
caffPlot(caffConcTimeData, log = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

caffConcTimeData      data frame of concentration-time dataset having column names Subject, Time, and Conc (case-sensitive)

log                    y axis log

**Value**

The concentration-time curve

**See Also**

<https://asancpt.github.io/caffsim>

**Examples**

```
caffPlot(caffConcTime(Weight = 20, Dose = 200, N = 20))
```

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caffPlotMulti              *Create concentration-time curve after multiple doses of caffeine*

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**Description**

caffPlotMulti will create concentration-time curve after multiple doses of caffeine

**Usage**

```
caffPlotMulti(caffConcTimeMultiData, log = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

caffConcTimeMultiData      data frame of concentration-time dataset having column names Subject, Time, and Conc (case-sensitive)

log                    y axis log

**Value**

The concentration-time curve

**See Also**

<https://asancpt.github.io/caffsim>

**Examples**

```
caffPlotMulti(caffConcTimeMulti(Weight = 20, Dose = 200, N = 20, Tau = 8, Repeat = 4))
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caffShiny	<i>Run shiny app to interactively simulate plasma caffeine concentration.</i>
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**Description**

caffShiny runs an internal shiny app Caffeine Concentration Predictor in order to interactively simulate plasma caffeine concentration.

**Usage**

```
caffShiny()
```

**See Also**

<https://asan.shinyapps.io/caff/>

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UnitTable	<i>Unit data of PK parameters</i>
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**Description**

A dataset containing information regarding unit data of pharmacokinetic parameters

**Usage**

```
UnitTable
```

**Format**

A data frame with 16 rows and 2 variables:

**Parameters** Abbreviated pharmacokinetic parameters

**Parameter** Pharmacokinetic parameters in full name

**See Also**

<https://asancpt.github.io/caffsim>

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