

Package ‘createLogicalPCM’

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Type Package

Title Create Logical Pairwise Comparison Matrix for the Analytic Hierarchy Process

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Description Create Pairwise Comparison Matrices for use in the Analytic Hierarchy Process. The Pairwise Comparison Matrix created will be a logical matrix, which unlike a random comparison matrix, is similar to what a rational decision maker would create on the basis of a preference vector for the alternatives considered.

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Description

Creates a logical pairwise comparison matrix for the Analytic Hierarchy Process such as would be created by a rational decision maker based on a relative vector of preferences for the alternatives involved. Choices of the pairwise comparison ratios are from the Fundamental Scale and simulate a reasonable degree of error. The algorithm is modified from a paper by Bose, A [2022], doi: [10.1002/mcda.1784](https://doi.org/10.1002/mcda.1784)

Usage

```
createLogicalPCM(ord, prefVec = rep(NA, ord))
```

Arguments

ord	The desired order of the Pairwise Comparison Matrix
prefVec	The preference vector of length as the order of the input matrix ' @return A Logical Pairwise Comparison Matrix

Examples

```
lPCM <- createLogicalPCM(3,c(1,2,3));  
lPCM <- createLogicalPCM(5,c(0.25,0.4,0.1,0.05,0.2));
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