

Package ‘gglorenz’

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annotate_ineq	<i>Annotate ggplot2 chart with inequality metric</i>
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Description

Adds text annotation to chart with any inequality measure from `ineq::ineq`. Inequality measures include Gini, RS, Atkinson, Theil, Kol, var, square.var, entropy.

Usage

```
annotate_ineq(  
  data_ineq,  
  x = 0.1,  
  y = 0.95,  
  decimals = 2,  
  measure_ineq = "Gini",  
  sep_ineq = ": ",  
  ...  
)
```

Arguments

<code>data_ineq</code>	Data to calculate the inequality metric on.
<code>x</code>	annotation x-axis position, defaults to 0.1.
<code>y</code>	annotation y-axis position, defaults to 0.95.
<code>decimals</code>	number of decimals to show, defaults to 2.
<code>measure_ineq</code>	Name of measure to use; defaults to Gini.
<code>sep_ineq</code>	text separator between annotation label and value.
<code>...</code>	any additional parameters to <code>ggplot2::annotate()</code> .

References

[Gini coefficient from Wikipedia](#)

Examples

```
library(gglorenz)  
  
ggplot(billionaires, aes(TNW)) +  
  stat_lorenz() +  
  annotate_ineq(billionaires$TNW)  
  
ggplot(billionaires, aes(TNW)) +  
  stat_lorenz(desc = TRUE) +  
  geom_abline(linetype = "dashed") +  
  theme_bw() +
```

```
annotate_ineq(billionaires$TNW, measure_ineq = "RS", color = "red",
              family = theme_get()$text[["family"]],
              size = theme_get()$text[["size"]] / 2,
              fontface = "italic")
```

billionaires

Billionaires data

Description

Contains 500 billionaires' name, country, industry, and total net worth. The data is collected in Feb. 8, 2018.

Usage

```
billionaires
```

Format

An object of class `tbl_df` (inherits from `tbl`, `data.frame`) with 500 rows and 6 columns.

Source

<https://www.bloomberg.com/billionaires/>

gglorencz

gglorencz: Plotting Lorenz Curve with ggplot2

Description

The package provides statistical transformations for plotting empirical ordinary Lorenz curve and generalized Lorenz curve.

Author(s)

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stat_lorenz	<i>Values of Ordinary Lorenz Curve</i>
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Description

Provides ordinary Lorenz curve values for line plots

Usage

```
stat_lorenz(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  geom = "path",
  position = "identity",
  ...,
  desc = FALSE,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

mapping	Set of aesthetic mappings created by <code>aes()</code> or <code>aes_()</code> . If specified and <code>inherit.aes = TRUE</code> (the default), it is combined with the default mapping at the top level of the plot. You must supply mapping if there is no plot mapping.
data	The data to be displayed in this layer. There are three options: If <code>NULL</code> , the default, the data is inherited from the plot data as specified in the call to <code>ggplot()</code> . A <code>data.frame</code> , or other object, will override the plot data. All objects will be fortified to produce a data frame. See <code>fortify()</code> for which variables will be created. A function will be called with a single argument, the plot data. The return value must be a <code>data.frame</code> , and will be used as the layer data. A function can be created from a formula (e.g. <code>~ head(.x, 10)</code>).
geom	which geom to use; defaults to "path".
position	Position adjustment, either as a string, or the result of a call to a position adjustment function.
...	Other arguments passed on to <code>layer()</code> . These are often aesthetics, used to set an aesthetic to a fixed value, like <code>colour = "red"</code> or <code>size = 3</code> . They may also be parameters to the paired geom/stat.
desc	If <code>FALSE</code> , the default, the population is arranged in ascending order along the x-axis. If <code>TRUE</code> , the population is arranged in descending order.
show.legend	logical. Should this layer be included in the legends? <code>NA</code> , the default, includes if any aesthetics are mapped. <code>FALSE</code> never includes, and <code>TRUE</code> always includes. It can also be a named logical vector to finely select the aesthetics to display.

`inherit.aes` If FALSE, overrides the default aesthetics, rather than combining with them. This is most useful for helper functions that define both data and aesthetics and shouldn't inherit behaviour from the default plot specification, e.g. `borders()`.

References

[Lorenz curve from Wikipedia](#)

Examples

```
library(gglorenz)

ggplot(billionaires, aes(TNW)) +
  stat_lorenz()

ggplot(billionaires, aes(TNW)) +
  stat_lorenz(desc = TRUE) +
  coord_fixed() +
  geom_abline(linetype = "dashed") +
  theme_minimal()
```

stat_lorenz_generalized

Values of Generalized Lorenz Curve

Description

Provides generalized Lorenz curve values for line plots

Usage

```
stat_lorenz_generalized(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  geom = "path",
  position = "identity",
  ...,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

`mapping` Set of aesthetic mappings created by `aes()` or `aes_()`. If specified and `inherit.aes` = TRUE (the default), it is combined with the default mapping at the top level of the plot. You must supply `mapping` if there is no plot mapping.

data	<p>The data to be displayed in this layer. There are three options:</p> <p>If NULL, the default, the data is inherited from the plot data as specified in the call to <code>ggplot()</code>.</p> <p>A <code>data.frame</code>, or other object, will override the plot data. All objects will be fortified to produce a data frame. See <code>fortify()</code> for which variables will be created.</p> <p>A function will be called with a single argument, the plot data. The return value must be a <code>data.frame</code>, and will be used as the layer data. A function can be created from a formula (e.g. <code>~ head(.x, 10)</code>).</p>
geom	which geom to use; defaults to "path".
position	Position adjustment, either as a string, or the result of a call to a position adjustment function.
...	Other arguments passed on to <code>layer()</code> . These are often aesthetics, used to set an aesthetic to a fixed value, like <code>colour = "red"</code> or <code>size = 3</code> . They may also be parameters to the paired geom/stat.
show.legend	logical. Should this layer be included in the legends? NA, the default, includes if any aesthetics are mapped. FALSE never includes, and TRUE always includes. It can also be a named logical vector to finely select the aesthetics to display.
inherit.aes	If FALSE, overrides the default aesthetics, rather than combining with them. This is most useful for helper functions that define both data and aesthetics and shouldn't inherit behaviour from the default plot specification, e.g. <code>borders()</code> .

References

[Lorenz curve from Wikipedia](#)

Examples

```
library(gglorenz)

ggplot(billionaires, aes(TNW)) +
  stat_lorenz_generalized()
```

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