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## Examples

```
OwenT(2, 0.5)
OwenT(2, 0.5, fun = "mOwenT") # modified arctangent series (default)
OwenT(2, 0.5, fun = "tOwenT") # tetrachoric series
OwenT(2, 0.5, fun = "vOwenT") # Vasicek's series

rho <- 0.6
a <- rho/sqrt(1 - rho^2)
OwenT(0.3, a)
OwenT(0.3, a, fun = "tOwenT")
OwenT(c(-1, 0.5, 4), a, fun = "vOwenT")

OwenT(2, c(-1, -0.5, 0, 0.5, 1), fun = "vOwenT")

Phi2xy(2, 1.3, 0.5)
Phi2xy(-2, 0.5, -0.3, fun = "tOwenT")
Phi2xy(c(1, 2, -1.5), c(-1, 1, 2.3), 0.5, fun = "vOwenT")
Phi2xy(1, 2, c(-1, -0.5, 0, 0.5, 1))
Phi2xy(c(1, 2), c(-1, 3), c(-0.5, 0.8))
```

## Description

Computes Owen's T function using the modified Euler's arctangent series, tetrachoric series or Vasicek's series.

## Usage

```
OwenT(h, a, opt = TRUE, fun = c("mOwenT", "tOwenT", "vOwenT"))
```

## Arguments

<code>h</code>	Numeric scalar or vector.
<code>a</code>	Numeric scalar or vector.
<code>opt</code>	If TRUE, an optimized calculation is performed.
<code>fun</code>	The name of the internal function being used.

## Details

If `h` and `a` are both vectors, they must be of the same length. If one of `h` and `a` is a vector and the other is a scalar, the latter is replicated to the length of the former. The calculation is performed component-wise.

The parameter `fun` specifies which series is used:

**“mOwenT”:** modified Euler's arctangent series (default).

**“tOwenT”:** tetrachoric series.

**“vOwenT”:** Vasicek’s series.

The opt parameter enables checking the results in the submitted article and may be dropped later.

If fun = "mOwenT" and opt = TRUE, the external arctangent function is used, otherwise all necessary values are calculated on the fly, but usually more iterations are needed.

If fun = "tOwenT" or fun = "vOwenT", and opt = TRUE, then the parameters transformation is performed when it makes sense, which significantly reduces the number of iterations.

## Value

The value of computed function is returned, scalar or vector. The attribute ‘nIter’ of returned value means the number of iterations.

## Note

Function is ready to work with the **Rmpfr** package, which enables using arbitrary precision numbers instead of double precision ones. Assuming **Rmpfr** is loaded, it is sufficient to be called with parameters ‘h’ and ‘a’, which have class ‘mpfr’ and the same precision.

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## See Also

[Phi2xy](#)

## Examples

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rho <- 0.6
a <- rho/sqrt(1 - rho^2)
OwenT(0.3, a)
OwenT(0.3, a, fun = "tOwenT")

```

```

OwenT(c(-1, 0.5, 4), a, fun = "vOwenT")

OwenT(2, c(-1, -0.5, 0, 0.5, 1), fun = "vOwenT")

function (h, a, opt = TRUE, fun = c("mOwenT", "tOwenT", "vOwenT"))
{
  chkArgs1(h = h, a = a, opt = opt)
  if (length(h) < length(a))
    h <- rep(h, length(a))
  if (length(a) < length(h))
    a <- rep(a, length(h))
  z <- h
  n <- rep(0, length(z))
  z[a == 0] <- 0
  z[is.na(a)] <- NA
  i <- a != 0 & !is.na(a)
  if (any(i)) {
    h <- h[i]
    a <- a[i]
    ph <- pnorm(h)
    fun <- match.arg(fun)
    if (fun == "mOwenT")
      j <- abs(a) > 1
    if (fun == "tOwenT")
      j <- opt & abs(a) > 1
    if (fun == "vOwenT")
      j <- opt & abs(a) < 1
    pah <- h
    if (any(j))
      pah[j] <- pnorm(a[j] * h[j])
    pah[is.nan(pah)] <- 0
    w <- eval(call(fun, h, a, ph, pah, opt))
    z[i] <- w
    n[i] <- attr(w, "nIter")
  }
  attr(z, "nIter") <- n
  return(z)
}

```

**Description**

Computes the bivariate normal integral  $\text{Phi2}(x, y, \rho)$ .

**Usage**

```
Phi2xy(x, y, rho, opt = TRUE, fun = c("mOwenT", "tOwenT", "vOwenT"))
```

## Arguments

x	Numeric scalar or vector.
y	Numeric scalar or vector.
rho	Numeric scalar or vector.
opt	If TRUE, an optimized calculation is performed.
fun	The name of the internal function being used.

## Details

The parameter ‘rho’ (or at least one of its components) must be from the interval [-1,1].

Vector parameters must be of the same length, and any scalar parameters are replicated to the same length. The calculation is performed component-wise.

The parameter fun specifies which series is used:

“**mOwenT**”: modified Euler’s arctangent series (default).

“**tOwenT**”: tetrachoric series.

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The opt parameter enables checking the results in the submitted article and may be dropped later.

If fun = "mOwenT" and opt = TRUE, the external arctangent function is used, otherwise all necessary values are calculated on the fly, but usually more iterations are needed.

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## Value

The value of computed function is returned, scalar or vector. The attribute ‘nIter’ of returned value means the number of iterations.

## Note

Function is ready to work with the **Rmpfr** package, which enables using arbitrary precision numbers instead of double precision ones. Assuming **Rmpfr** is loaded, it is sufficient to be called with parameters ‘x’, ‘y’ and ‘rho’, which have class ‘mpfr’ and the same precision.

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**See Also**[OwenT](#)**Examples**

```

Phi2xy(2, 1.3, 0.5)
Phi2xy(-2, 0.5, -0.3, fun = "tOwenT")
Phi2xy(c(1, 2, -1.5), c(-1, 1, 2.3), 0.5, fun = "vOwenT")
Phi2xy(1, 2, c(-1, -0.5, 0, 0.5, 1))
Phi2xy(c(1, 2), c(-1,3), c(-0.5, 0.8))

function (x, y, rho, opt = TRUE, fun = c("mOwenT", "tOwenT",
                                         "vOwenT"))
{
  chkArgs2(x = x, y = y, rho = rho, opt = opt)
  fun <- match.arg(fun)
  sgn <- function(x) {
    y <- sign(x)
    y[y == 0] <- 1
    return(y)
  }
  frx <- function(x, y, rho) {
    rx <- (y - rho * x)/(x * sqrt(1 - rho^2))
    rx[is.nan(rx)] <- 0
    return(-abs(rx) * sgn(y - rho * x) * sgn(x))
  }
  fpxr <- function(r, x) {
    u <- r * x
    j <- !is.nan(u)
    if (fun == "mOwenT")
      j <- j & abs(r) > 1
    if (fun == "tOwenT")
      j <- j & opt & abs(r) > 1
    if (fun == "vOwenT")
      j <- j & opt & abs(r) < 1
    u[j] <- pnorm(u[j])
    u[is.nan(u)] <- 0
    return(u)
  }
  fz <- function(x, y, rho, rx, ry, px, py) {
    n <- rep(0, length(x))
    i <- rho != 0 & abs(rho) < 1 & (x != 0 | y != 0)
    z <- x
    if (any(!i)) {
      z[rho == 0] <- px[rho == 0] * py[rho == 0]
      z[rho == +1] <- pmin(px[rho == +1], py[rho == +1])
      z[rho == -1] <- pmax(px[rho == -1] + py[rho == -1] -
                                1, 0)
      j <- rho != 0 & abs(rho) < 1
      if (any(j))
        z[j] <- 1/4 + asin(rho[j])/(2 * pi)
    }
  }
}

```

```

if (any(i)) {
  prx <- fprx(rx[i], x[i])
  pry <- fprx(ry[i], y[i])
  zz <- eval(call(fun, c(x[i], y[i]), c(rx[i], ry[i]),
    c(px[i], py[i]), c(prx, pry), opt, TRUE))
  n[i] <- attr(zz, "nIter")
  z[i] <- (px[i] + py[i])/2 + zz
  j <- i & (x * y < 0 | x * y == 0 & x + y < 0)
  z[j] <- z[j] - 1/2
}
attr(z, "nIter") <- n
return(z)
}
dim <- max(length(x), length(y), length(rho))
if (isa(x, "mpfr")) {
  pi <- Rmpfr::Const("pi", Rmpfr::getPrec(x))
  z <- mpfrArray(NA, dim = dim, precBits = Rmpfr::getPrec(x))
}
else z <- array(NA, dim = dim)
n <- array(0, dim = dim)
px <- pnorm(x)
py <- pnorm(y)
if (length(x) < dim)
  x <- rep(x, dim)
if (length(y) < dim)
  y <- rep(y, dim)
if (length(rho) < dim)
  rho <- rep(rho, dim)
if (length(px) < dim)
  px <- rep(px, dim)
if (length(py) < dim)
  py <- rep(py, dim)
k <- !is.na(rho) & abs(rho) <= 1
x <- x[k]
y <- y[k]
rho <- rho[k]
px <- px[k]
py <- py[k]
q <- (x^2 - 2 * rho * x * y + y^2)/(2 * (1 - rho^2))
phi <- exp(-q)/(2 * pi * sqrt(1 - rho^2))
phi[is.nan(phi)] <- 0
i <- phi > 1
j <- rho[i] < 0
n1 <- length(rho[i])
n2 <- length(rho) - n1
dim <- 2 * n1 + n2
if (isa(x, "mpfr"))
  xx <- mpfrArray(0, dim = dim, precBits = Rmpfr::getPrec(x))
else xx <- rep(0, dim)
yy <- xx
rr <- xx
pxx <- xx
pyy <- xx

```

```

if (n1 > 0) {
  r <- rho[i]
  u <- x[i]
  v <- y[i] * sgn(r)
  w <- (u - v)/sqrt(2 * (1 - abs(r)))
  r <- -sqrt((1 - abs(r))/2)
  i1 <- 1:(2 * n1)
  xx[i1] <- c(w, -w)
  yy[i1] <- c(v, u)
  rr[i1] <- c(r, r)
  pw <- pnorm(w)
  pv <- (1 - sgn(rho[i]))/2 + sgn(rho[i]) * py[i]
  pxx[i1] <- c(pw, 1 - pw)
  pyy[i1] <- c(pv, px[i])
}
if (n2 > 0) {
  i2 <- (2 * n1 + 1):(2 * n1 + n2)
  xx[i2] <- x[!i]
  yy[i2] <- y[!i]
  rr[i2] <- rho[!i]
  pxx[i2] <- px[!i]
  pyy[i2] <- py[!i]
}
rx <- frx(xx, yy, rr)
ry <- frx(yy, xx, rr)
zz <- fz(xx, yy, rr, rx, ry, pxx, pyy)
nn <- attr(zz, "nIter")
if (n1 > 0) {
  s <- zz[1:n1] + zz[(n1 + 1):(2 * n1)]
  s[j] <- px[i][j] - s[j]
  z[k][i] <- s
  n[k][i] <- nn[1:n1] + nn[(n1 + 1):(2 * n1)]
}
if (n2 > 0) {
  z[k][!i] <- zz[i2]
  n[k][!i] <- nn[i2]
}
attr(z, "nIter") <- n
return(z)
}

```

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