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### Description

Given Taylor series coefficients  $a_n$  from  $n = 0$  up to  $n = T$ , the function will calculate the Padé  $[L/M]$  approximant coefficients so long as  $L + M \leq T$ .

### Usage

Pade(L, M, A)

### Arguments

L	Order of Padé numerator
M	Order of Padé denominator
A	vector of Taylor series coefficients, starting at $x^0$

## Details

As the Taylor series expansion is the “best” polynomial approximation to a function, the Padé approximants are the “best” rational function approximations to the original function. The Padé approximant often has a wider radius of convergence than the corresponding Taylor series, and can even converge where the Taylor series does not. This makes it very suitable for computer-based numerical analysis.

The  $[L/M]$  Padé approximant to a Taylor series  $A(x)$  is the quotient

$$\frac{P_L(x)}{Q_M(x)}$$

where  $P_L(x)$  is of order  $L$  and  $Q_M(x)$  is of order  $M$ . In this case:

$$A(x) - \frac{P_L(x)}{Q_M(x)} = \mathcal{O}(x^{L+M+1})$$

When  $q_0$  is defined to be 1, there is a unique solution to the system of linear equations which can be used to calculate the coefficients.

The function accepts a vector  $A$  of length  $T + 1$ , composed of the  $a_n$  of the truncated Taylor series

$$A(x) = \sum_{j=0}^T a_j x^j$$

and returns a list of two elements,  $Px$  and  $Qx$ , the Padé numerator and denominator coefficients respectively, as long as  $L + M \leq T$ .

## Value

Pade returns a list with two entries:

$Px$	Coefficients of the numerator polynomial starting at $x^0$ .
$Qx$	Coefficients of the denominator polynomial starting at $x^0$ .

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## References

Baker, George Allen (1975) *Essentials of Padé Approximants* Academic Press. ISBN 978-0-120-74855-6

## See Also

This package provides similar functionality to the pade function in the **pracma** package. However, it does not allow computation of coefficients beyond the supplied Taylor coefficients and it expects its input and provides its output in ascending—instead of descending—order.

See the **minimaxApprox** package for polynomial and rational minimax approximations to functions.

**Examples**

```
A <- 1 / factorial(0:10) ## Taylor sequence for e^x up to x^{10} around x_0 = 0
Z <- Padé(5, 5, A)
print(Z) ## Padé approximant of order [5 / 5]
x <- -.01 ## Test value
Actual <- exp(x) ## Proper value
print(Actual, digits = 16)
Estimate <- sum(Z[[1L]] * x ^ (seq_along(Z[[1L]]) - 1)) /
  sum(Z[[2L]] * x ^ (seq_along(Z[[2L]]) - 1))
print(Estimate, digits = 16) ## Approximant value
all.equal(Actual, Estimate)
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