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**psinib**

*Distribution of Sum of Independent Non-Identical Binomial Random Variables*

**Description**

Density, distribution function, quantile function, and random number generation for the sum of independent non-identical binomial random variables

**Usage**

```
psinib(q, size, prob, lower.tail = TRUE, log.p = FALSE)

dsinib(x, size, prob, log = FALSE)

rsinib(n, size, prob)

qsinib(p, size, prob)
```

**Arguments**

<b>size</b>	integer vector of number of trials (see detail).
<b>prob</b>	numeric vector of success probabilities (see detail).
<b>lower.tail</b>	logical; if TRUE, probabilities are $P[S \leq s]$ , otherwise, $P[S > s]$ .
<b>x, q</b>	integer vector of quantiles.
<b>log, log.p</b>	logical; if TRUE, probabilities p are given as log(p).
<b>n</b>	numeric scalar to indicate number of observations.
<b>p</b>	numeric vector of probabilities.

**Details**

Suppose S is a random variable formed by summing R independent non-identical random variables  $X_r, r = 1, \dots, R$ .

$$S = \sum_{r=1}^R X_r$$

**size** and **prob** should both be vectors of length R. The first elements of **size** and **prob** specifies  $X_1$ , the second elements specifies  $X_2$ , so on and so forth. The probability  $F(S)$  is calculated using Daniels' second-order continuity-corrected saddlepoint approximation. The density  $p(S)$  is calculated using second-order saddlepoint mass approximation with Butler's normalization.

**Value**

`qsinib` gives the cumulative distribution of sum of independent non-identical random variables.

**Source**

See Eisinga et al (2012) Saddlepoint approximations for the sum of independent non-identically distributed binomial random variables. Available from <http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/stan.12002/full>

**Examples**

```
# Calculating the density and probability:  
size <- as.integer(c(12, 14, 4, 2, 20, 17, 11, 1, 8, 11))  
prob <- c(0.074, 0.039, 0.095, 0.039, 0.053, 0.043, 0.067, 0.018, 0.099, 0.045)  
q <- x <- as.integer(seq(1, 19, 2))  
dsinib(x, size, prob)  
psinib(q, size, prob)  
  
# Generating random samples:  
rsinib(100, size, prob)  
  
# Calculating quantiles:  
p <- psinib(q, size, prob)  
qsinib(p, size, prob)
```

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