# Package 'piecenorms'

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Title Calculate a Piecewise Normalised Score Using Class Intervals

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**Description** Provides an implementation of piecewise normalisation techniques useful when dealing with the communication of skewed and highly skewed data.

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#### Description

piecenorms has been built to calculate normalised data piecewise using class intervals. This is useful in communication of highly skewed data.

#### Details

For highly skewed data, the package classInt provides a series of options for selecting class intervals. The classInts can be used as the breaks for calculating the piecewise normalisation function piecenorm. The function also allows the user to select their own breaks manually.

For any call to piecenorm, the user provides a vector of observations, a vector of breaks and a direction for the normalisation. The data is then cut into classes and normalised within its class.

Number of Bins:

n = length(brks) - 1

Normalisation Class Intervals:

$$\left(\frac{i-1}{n}, \frac{i}{n}\right] \forall i \in \{1:n\}$$

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#### See Also

Useful links:

- https://github.com/david-hammond/piecenorms
- Report bugs at https://github.com/david-hammond/piecenorms/issues

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#### Description

Get piecewse normalised values from a vector of observations

#### Usage

piecenorm(obs, breaks, polarity = 1)

#### piecenorm

## Arguments

obs	A vector of observations.
breaks	The breaks to normalise to.
polarity	Which direction should the normalisation occur.

# Value

Vector of normalised observations

## Examples

```
obs <- exp(1:10)
breaks <- c(min(obs), 8, 20, 100, 1000, 25000)
y <- piecenorm(obs, breaks)
plot(obs, y, type = 'l',
xlab = "Original Values",
ylab = "Normalised Values")</pre>
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