Package 'fucom'

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car in 2018 (<doi:10.3390/sym10090393>). The goal of the method is to determine the weights of criteria such that the deviation from full consistency is minimized. Users provide a character vector specifying the ranking of each criterion accord-

ing to its significance, starting from the criterion expected to have the high-

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est weight to the least significant one. Additionally, users provide a numeric vector specify-
      ing the priority values for each criterion. The comparison is made with respect to the first-
      ranked (most significant) criterion. The function returns the optimized weights for each crite-
      rion (summing to 1), the comparative priority (Phi) values, the mathematical transitivity condi-
      tion (w) value, and the minimum deviation from full consistency (DFC).
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Usage

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fucom_method(criteria_rank, criteria_priority, DFC_threshold = 0.025)
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Arguments

criteria_rank A character vector specifying the rank of each criterion.
criteria_priority

A numeric vector specifying the priority values of each criterion.

DFC_threshold A numeric value specifying the threshold for the deviation from full consistency (DFC). It must be a positive number and less than or equal to 0.025. Default is

0.025.

Value

A list containing:

weights A numeric vector of the optimized weights for each criterion, summing to 1.

Phi A numeric vector of comparative priority (Phi) values.

w A numeric vector of the condition of mathematical transitivity (w) values.

DFC The minimum deviation from full consistency (DFC) value.

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Examples

```
criteria_rank <- c("Criterion 1", "Criterion 2", "Criterion 3",
   "Criterion 4", "Criterion 5", "Criterion 6", "Criterion 7", "Criterion 8")
criteria_priority <- c(1, 1, 1, 2, 4, 4, 4)
results <- fucom_method(criteria_rank, criteria_priority)
results$weights
results$Phi
results$W
results$DFC</pre>
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