# vignette Survival Times

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first we make sure we have the uptodate package

```
remotes::install_github("GidiusVanDeKamp/PlasmodeSim")
```

#### survival times

In this part we will show how to simulate new survivaltimes. For simulating new censored survival times we need more than one probability, we use the baselinehazard, stored in the a plpModel, we also need a model for the censoring.

## Loading the plpData

The first step is to load the data where we will simulate new outcomes for. here we use the package eunomia for a accessting some data. then we pick the settings for the data we want to use, we call this data the plpData.

```
connectionDetails <- Eunomia::getEunomiaConnectionDetails()</pre>
# create the database
Eunomia::createCohorts(
  connectionDetails = connectionDetails,
  cdmDatabaseSchema = 'main',
  cohortDatabaseSchema = 'main',
  cohortTable = 'cohort'
## Creating cohort: Celecoxib
## Creating cohort: Diclofenac
##
## Creating cohort: GiBleed
##
## Creating cohort: NSAIDs
##
## Cohorts created in table main.cohort
##
     cohortId
                    name
## 1
           1 Celecoxib
## 2
            2 Diclofenac
            3
                 GiBleed
## 3
## 4
                  NSAIDs
##
## 1
        A simplified cohort definition for new users of celecoxib, designed specifically for Eunomia.
        A simplified cohort definition for new users ofdiclofenac, designed specifically for Eunomia.
## 3 A simplified cohort definition for gastrointestinal bleeding, designed specifically for Eunomia.
## 4
           A simplified cohort definition for new users of NSAIDs, designed specifically for Eunomia.
##
     count
## 1
     1844
## 2
       850
## 3
       479
## 4 2694
```

```
# Points PatientLevelPredictionPackage to the Eunomia database
# Tells Eunomia to extract the cohort stored with id = 4 as the target cohort
\# and cohort with id = 3 as the outcome cohort. The other settings (...Schema)
# tell the database where to look for the target and the outcome cohorts
databaseDetails <- PatientLevelPrediction::createDatabaseDetails(</pre>
  connectionDetails = connectionDetails,
  cdmDatabaseId = "eunomia",
  cdmDatabaseSchema = 'main',
  cdmDatabaseName = 'Eunomia',
  cohortDatabaseSchema = 'main',
  cohortTable = 'cohort',
  target = 4,
 outcomeDatabaseSchema = 'main',
 outcomeTable = 'cohort',
 outcomeId = 3,
  cdmVersion = 5
)
# Use ?FeatureExtraction::createCovariateSettings to see what the options are
# There are a lot...
covariateSettings <- FeatureExtraction::createCovariateSettings(</pre>
  useDemographicsGender = TRUE,
  useDemographicsAgeGroup = TRUE,
  useConditionGroupEraLongTerm = TRUE,
 useDrugGroupEraLongTerm = TRUE,
 endDays = -1,
  longTermStartDays = -365
restrictPlpDataSettings <- PatientLevelPrediction::createRestrictPlpDataSettings(
  studyStartDate = '20000101',
  studyEndDate = '20200101',
 firstExposureOnly = TRUE,
  washoutPeriod = 30
# issue with studyStartDate/studyEndDate
restrictPlpDataSettings <- PatientLevelPrediction::createRestrictPlpDataSettings(
  firstExposureOnly = TRUE,
  washoutPeriod = 30
plpData <- PatientLevelPrediction::getPlpData(</pre>
 databaseDetails = databaseDetails,
  covariateSettings = covariateSettings,
  restrictPlpDataSettings = restrictPlpDataSettings
```

```
## Warning: The 'oracleTempSchema' argument is deprecated. Use 'tempEmulationSchema' instead.
```

##

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```
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.

## Constructing features on server
## |
## Fetching data from server
## Fetching data took 0.359 secs
```

#### Defining a training set.

Most of the time we split the dataset into training and a test set. For this purpose we have the function MakeTraingSet.

```
populationSettings <- PatientLevelPrediction::createStudyPopulationSettings(
  binary = TRUE,
  includeAllOutcomes = FALSE,
 firstExposureOnly = FALSE,
  washoutPeriod = 180,
  removeSubjectsWithPriorOutcome = FALSE,
  priorOutcomeLookback = 99999,
  requireTimeAtRisk = TRUE,
  minTimeAtRisk = 1,
  riskWindowStart = 1,
  startAnchor = 'cohort start',
 riskWindowEnd = 7300,
  endAnchor = 'cohort start'
)
executeSettings <- PatientLevelPrediction::createExecuteSettings(</pre>
  runSplitData = TRUE,
  runSampleData = FALSE,
  runfeatureEngineering = FALSE,
 runPreprocessData = TRUE,
 runModelDevelopment = TRUE,
  runCovariateSummary = TRUE
splitSettings <- PatientLevelPrediction::createDefaultSplitSetting(</pre>
 testFraction = 0.25,
  trainFraction = 0.75,
 splitSeed = 123,
 nfold = 3,
 type = 'stratified'
sampleSettings <- PatientLevelPrediction::createSampleSettings(</pre>
  type = 'none'
)
featureEngineeringSettings <-</pre>
  PatientLevelPrediction::createFeatureEngineeringSettings(
  type = 'none'
preprocessSettings <- PatientLevelPrediction::createPreprocessSettings(</pre>
 minFraction = 0,
 normalize = TRUE,
  removeRedundancy = TRUE
```

```
plpData = plpData,
  executeSettings = executeSettings,
  populationSettings = populationSettings,
  splitSettings = splitSettings,
  sampleSettings = sampleSettings,
  preprocessSettings = preprocessSettings,
 featureEngineeringSettings = featureEngineeringSettings,
  outcomeId = 3
## Outcome is 0 or 1
## seed: 123
## Creating a 25% test and 75% train (into 3 folds) random stratified split by class
## Data split into 656 test cases and 1974 train cases (658, 658, 658)
## Fold 1 658 patients with 120 outcomes - Fold 2 658 patients with 120 outcomes - Fold 3 658 patients
## 103 covariates in train data
## Test Set:
## 656 patients with 119 outcomes
## Removing 2 redundant covariates
## Normalizing covariates
```

## Fold 1 658 patients with 120 outcomes - Fold 2 658 patients with 120 outcomes - Fold 3 658 patients

#### Fitting the model

## Train Set:

## Test Set:

## Tidying covariates took 0.596 secs

## 101 covariates in train data

## 656 patients with 119 outcomes

We pick the desired model by setting the modelsettings. Then we can run the function fitModelWithCensoring. This function fits two models one with censoring and one with out the censoring. It stored these models in a list.

```
modelSettings <- PatientLevelPrediction::setCoxModel()

fitCensor <- PlasmodeSim::fitModelWithCensoring(
   Trainingset = TrainingSet$Train,
   modelSettings = modelSettings
)</pre>
```

```
## Running Cyclops
## Done.
## GLM fit status: OK
## Creating variable importance data frame
## Prediction took 0.171 secs
## Running Cyclops
## Done.
## GLM fit status: OK
## Creating variable importance data frame
## Prediction took 0.144 secs
```

TrainingSet <- PlasmodeSim::MakeTraingSet(</pre>

#### Generating new outcomes times

now that we have our model with the censoring, we can simulate new data. We call the function simulateSurvivaltimesWithCensoring

```
NewOutcomes <- PlasmodeSim::simulateSurvivaltimesWithCensoring(
  censorModel = fitCensor,
  plpData = plpData,
 population = TrainingSet$Train$labels,
 populationSettings = populationSettings,
 numberToSimulate = 10
)
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.177 secs
## Prediction took 0.248 secs
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.172 secs
## Prediction took 0.265 secs
head(NewOutcomes)
##
    rowId survivalTime outcomeCount
## 1 425 6096
## 2 1557
                 7293
                                  0
                 2024
## 3 2066
                                  0
                 1329
## 4 664
                                  0
## 5
     48
                  5593
                                  0
## 6 299
                   18
                                  1
newdata <- PlasmodeSim::simulateSurvivaltimes(</pre>
 plpModel = fitCensor$outcomesModel,
 plpData = plpData,
 numberToSimulate = 10,
 population = TrainingSet$Train$labels,
 populationSettings = populationSettings
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.193 secs
## Prediction took 0.282 secs
head(newdata)
##
    rowId outcome
## 1 2536
             7300
## 2 1882
             7300
## 3 1494 7300
## 4 1609
             7300
## 5 911
             7300
## 6 2610
             7300
```

#### Defining an unfitted model

```
# makeCoxModel.
plpModel <- fitCensor$outcomesModel</pre>
coeff <- plpModel$model$coefficients</pre>
survival <- plpModel$model$baselineSurvival$surv</pre>
times <- plpModel$model$baselineSurvival$time</pre>
unfittedmodel <- PlasmodeSim::makeCoxModel(</pre>
  coefficients = coeff,
  baselinehazard = survival,
 timesofbaselinhazard = times,
  featureEngineering = NULL # = NULL is the standart setting.
)
newdata <- PlasmodeSim::simulateSurvivaltimes(</pre>
  plpModel = unfittedmodel,
  plpData = plpData,
  numberToSimulate = 10,
  population = TrainingSet$Train$labels,
  populationSettings = populationSettings
```

## Prediction took 0.201 secs

```
head(newdata)
```

```
## rowId outcome
## 1 17 18
## 2 1783 7300
## 3 2600 7300
## 4 964 7300
## 5 30 81
## 6 1182 7300
```

#### Defining an unfitted model with censoring

```
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.185 secs
## Prediction took 0.272 secs
## Prediction took 0.192 secs
head(NewOutcomes)
    rowId survivalTime outcomeCount
## 1 1393
                   71
               36
7300
7300
                  36
## 2 1363
                                  0
                                  0
## 3 485
## 4 769
## 5 244
                  30
                                0
## 6 614
                  7300
Adjusting the BaselineSurvival
adjustedModel <- PlasmodeSim::AdjustBaselineSurvival(</pre>
 plpModel = plpModel,
 TrainingSet = TrainingSet$Train,
 plpData = plpData,
 populationSettings = populationSettings,
 timeTofixat = 3592,
 proptofixwith = 0.87,
 intervalSolution= c(-100,100)
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.201 secs
## Prediction took 0.245 secs
NewOutcomes <- PlasmodeSim::simulateSurvivaltimesWithCensoring(</pre>
 censorModel = list(censorModel = fitCensor$outcomesModel,
                    outcomesModel = adjustedModel),
 plpData = plpData,
 population = TrainingSet$Train$labels,
 populationSettings = populationSettings,
 numberToSimulate = 2000
## Prediction took 0.2 secs
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.182 secs
## Prediction took 0.299 secs
head(NewOutcomes)
```

## rowId survivalTime outcomeCount

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## 1 2367

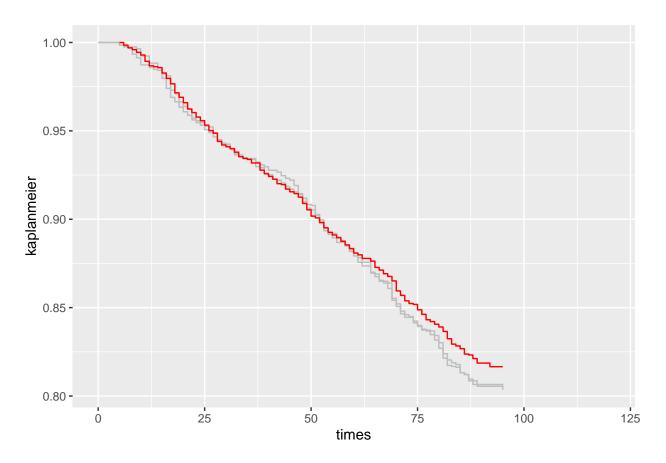
```
## 2 404 33 1
## 3 1501 14 1
## 4 1545 19 1
## 5 1942 0 1
## 6 1862 18 1
```

### Plotting Kaplan Meier estimates

the function kaplanMeierPlot visualised the kamplanmeier estimate of a given dataset. It works with ggplot. we can easily compare the simulated data sets with the real dataset by putting them in one plot. For the true data set we set the colour to red.

```
NewOutcomes <- PlasmodeSim::simulateSurvivaltimesWithCensoring(</pre>
  censorModel = fitCensor,
  plpData = plpData,
 population = TrainingSet$Train$labels,
 populationSettings = populationSettings,
 numberToSimulate = 1974
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.2 secs
## Prediction took 0.255 secs
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.183 secs
## Prediction took 0.256 secs
NewOutcomes2 <- PlasmodeSim::simulateSurvivaltimesWithCensoring(</pre>
  censorModel = fitCensor,
 plpData = plpData,
  population = TrainingSet$Train$labels,
 populationSettings = populationSettings,
  numberToSimulate = 1974
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.195 secs
## Prediction took 0.255 secs
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates and normalizing
## Removing infrequent and redundant covariates covariates and normalizing took 0.205 secs
## Prediction took 0.27 secs
ggplot2::ggplot()+
  PlasmodeSim::KaplanMeierPlot( NewOutcomes )+
  PlasmodeSim::KaplanMeierPlot( NewOutcomes2 )+
  PlasmodeSim::KaplanMeierPlot( TrainingSet$Train$labels, colour = 'red' )+
  ggplot2::xlim(c(0,120))
## Warning: Removed 499 rows containing missing values ('geom_step()').
## Warning: Removed 497 rows containing missing values ('geom_step()').
```

## Warning: Removed 790 rows containing missing values ('geom\_step()').



## possible extencions

Here is a list of future extentions to make the package more usefull:

- The runPlasmode should have a working analysisId, analysisName and logsettings, like runPlp has.
- one could extend the fitmodel by adding an option for a differen model for the censoring.
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