# Package 'DeepGS'

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Description
The R package 'DeepGS' can be used to perform genomic selection (GS), which is a promis-
ing breeding strategy in plants and animals. DeepGS predicts phenotypes using genome-
wide genotypic markers with an advanced machine learning technique (deep learning). The ef-
fectiveness of DeepGS has been demonstrated in predicting eight phenotypic traits on a popul
tion of 2000 Iranian bread wheat (Triticum aestivum) lines from the wheat gene bank of the Ir
ternational Maize and Wheat Improvement Center (CIMMYT).

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cvSampleIndex	Generate Sample Indices for Training Sets and Testing Sets
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## **Description**

This function generates indices for samples in training and testing sets for performing the N-fold cross validation experiment.

## Usage

```
cvSampleIndex(sampleNum, cross = 5, seed = 1, randomSeed = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

sampleNum The number of samples needed to be partitioned into training and testing sets.

cross The fold of cross validation.

seed An integer used as the seed for data partition. The default value is 1.

randomSeed Logical variable, default FALSE.

## Value

A list and each element including \$trainIdx \$testIdx and \$cvIdx

\$trainIdx The index of training samples.

\$testIdx The index of testing samples.

\$cvIdx The cross validation index.

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run
## Load example data ##
data(wheat_example)
## 5-fold cross validation
b <- cvSampleIndex(sampleNum = 2000,cross = 5,seed = 1)
## End (Not run)</pre>
```

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meanNDCG	Calculate mean Normalied Doscounted Cumulative Gain	

#### **Description**

This function calculates the mean normalied doscounted cumulative gain(meanNDCG) value for evaluting the prediction performance of a genomic selection prediction model in selecting top k individuals with high breeding value.

## Usage

```
meanNDCG(realScores, predScores, topK = 10)
```

#### **Arguments**

realScores A numeric vector is the real breeding values of the validation individual for a

trait.

predScores A numeric vector or matrix is the prediction breeding value predicted by ge-

nomic selection model of the individuals.

topK A numeric vector is the number of excellent individuals.

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run
refer_value <- runif(100)
pred_value <- sin(refer_value) + cos(refer_value)
meanNDCG(realScores = refer_value, predScores = pred_value, topK = 10)
## End (Not run)</pre>
```

predict\_GSModel

## Description

Predict trait values using trained deep learning genomic selection prediction model.

#### Usage

```
predict_GSModel(GSModel, testMat, imageSize)
```

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#### **Arguments**

GSModel Trained prediction model obtained from the DeepGSModel function.

testMat A genotype matrix(T \* M; T individuals, M markers)

imageSize (String)this gives a "i \* j" image format that the (M x1)markers informations of

each individual will be encoded.

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train\_GSModel Build a genomic selection prediction model using the deep learning technique

## **Description**

The function applies the deep convolutional neural network to build a prediction model for genomic selection

#### Usage

```
train_GSModel(trainMat, trainPheno, imageSize, cnnFrame, device_type,
  gpuNum = "max", eval_metric = "mae", num_round = 10,
  array_batch_size = 128, learning_rate = 0.01, momentum = 0.9, wd = 0,
  randomseeds = NULL, initializer_idx = 0.01, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

trainMat A genotype matrix(N x M; N individuals,M markers)

trainPheno Vector (N \* 1) of phenotype.

imageSize (String)this gives a "i \* j" image format that the (M x1)markers informations of

each individual will be encoded.

cnnFrame A list containing the following element for convolutional neural network (CNN)

framework:

- conv\_kernel: A vector(K \* 1) gives convolutional kernel sizes(width x height) to filter image matrix for K convolutional layers,respectively.
- conv\_num\_filter: A vector(K \* 1) gives number of convolutional kernels for K convolutional layers,respectively.
- pool\_act\_type: A vector(K \* 1) gives types of active function will define outputs of K convolutional layers which will be an input of corresponding pool layer, respectively. It include "relu", "sigmoid", "softrelu" and "tanh".
- pool\_type: Character, K \* 1) types of K pooling layers select from "avg", "max", "sum",respectively.
- pool\_kernel: (Character, K \* 1) K pooling kernel sizes(width x height) for K pooling layers.

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• pool\_stride: (Character, K \* 1)strides for K pooling kernels.

• fullayer\_num\_hidden: Numeric, H \* 1) number of hidden neurons for H full connected layers, respectively. the last full connected layer's number of hidden neurons must is one.

• fullayer\_act\_type: Numeric, (H-1) \* 1) selecting types of active function from "relu", "sigmoid", "softrelu" and "tanh" for full connected layers.

device\_type Selecting "cpu" or "gpu" device to construct predict model.

gpuNum (Integer) number of GPU devices, if using multiple GPU(gpuNum > 1), the

parameter momentum must greater than 0.

eval\_metric (String) A approach for evaluating the performance of training process, it in-

clude "mae", "rmse" and "accuracy", default "mae".

num\_round (Integer) The number of iterations over training data to train the model, default=10.

array\_batch\_size

(Integer) it defines number of samples that going to be propagated through the

network for each update weight, default 128.

learning\_rate The learn rate for training process.

momentum (Float, $0\sim1$ ) Momentum for moving average, default 0.9.

wd (Float,0~1) weight decay,default 0.

randomseeds set the seed used by mxnet device-specific random number. generatiors

initializer idx

The initialization scheme for parameters.

... Parameters for construncting neural networks used in mxnet.

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## **Examples**

```
data(wheat_example)
Markers <- wheat_example$Markers</pre>
y <- wheat_example$y</pre>
cvSampleList <- cvSampleIndex(length(y),10,1)</pre>
#### cross validation set
cvIdx <- 1
trainIdx <- cvSampleList[[cvIdx]]$trainIdx</pre>
testIdx <- cvSampleList[[cvIdx]]$testIdx</pre>
# ############################ set DeepGS paramater
conv_kernel <- c("4*4","5*5") ## convolution kernels (fileter shape)</pre>
conv_num_filter <- c(20,28) ## number of filters</pre>
pool_act_type <- c("relu","relu") ## active function for next pool</pre>
pool_type <- c("max","max") ## Max pooling shape</pre>
pool_kernel <- c("2*2","2*2") ## pooling shape</pre>
pool_stride <- c("2*2","2*2") ## number of pool kernerls</pre>
fullayer_num_hidden <- c(56,1)</pre>
fullayer_act_type <- c("sigmoid")</pre>
cnnFrame <- list(conv_kernel =conv_kernel,conv_num_filter = conv_num_filter,</pre>
```

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Run a examples for an in-development function.

#### **Description**

A list, involve:

- Marker: A matrix(599 \* 1225), each row represent 1225 markers information for one individuals
- y: The real phenotype value for each individual.

## Usage

data(wheat\_example)

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