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ADMM algorithm for weighted classification

## **Description**

Implement an ADMM algorithm to optimize the weighted classificiation loss.

### Usage

ADMM(X,ybar,Weight,Covariate=NULL,r,srow,scol,lambda=0,rho.ini=1)

## **Arguments**

X A list of predictor matrices.

ybar A vector of shifted response variables.

Weight Classification weight.

Covariate Additional covariate including intercept. Covariate = NULL does not include

covariate.

r A rank of coefficient matrix to be fitted.

srow The number of zero rows in coefficient matrix.

scol The number of zero columns in coefficient matrix.

lambda Lagrangian multiplier.

rho.ini Initial step size.

## Value

The returned object is a list of components.

intercept - The estimated intercept of the classifier.

P\_row - The left-singular vectors of the coefficient matrix.

P\_col - The right-singular vectors of the coefficient matrix.

obj - Trajectory of weighted classification loss values over iterations.

iter - The number of iterations.

fitted - A vector of fitted values from estimated classifier.

B - The estimated coefficient matrix of the classifier.

## References

Lee, C., Li, L., Zhang, H., and Wang, M. (2021). Nonparametric Trace Regression via Sign Series Representation. *arXiv preprint arXiv:2105.01783*.

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#### **Examples**

**ASSIST** 

Aggregation of structured sign series for trace regression (ASSIST)

## Description

Implement ASSIST based on ADMM algorithm.

## Usage

```
ASSIST(X,y,X_new=NULL,r,sparse_r,sparse_c,H=10,lambda=0,rho.ini=0.1,min,max)
```

### **Arguments**

Χ	A list of predictor matrices.
У	A vector of response variables.
X_new	A list of new matrices at which predictions are to made. X_new = NULL is regarded as X_new = X.
r	A rank of sign representable function to be fitted.
sparse_r	The number of zero rows in coefficient matrix.
sparse_c	The number of zero columns in coefficient matrix.
Н	Resoution parameter.
lambda	Lagrangian multiplier.
rho.ini	Initial step size.
min	Minimum value of the response variables
max	Maximum value of the response variables.

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#### Value

The returned object is a list of components.

B\_est - An array of which slices are the estimated coefficient matrix at each level.

fitted - The estimated responses at the predictor Xnew.

sign\_fitted - A matrix of which rows are the sign of responses shifted by each level.

#### References

Lee, C., Li, L., Zhang, H., and Wang, M. (2021). Nonparametric Trace Regression via Sign Series Representation. *arXiv preprint arXiv:2105.01783*.

#### **Examples**

```
for(i in 1:10){
X[[i]] = matrix(runif(4,-1,1),nrow = 2,ncol = 2)
B = runif(2,-1,1)%*%t(runif(2,-1,1))
y = NULL; signal = NULL
for(i in 1:10){
signal = c(signal,sum(X[[i]]*B))
y = c(y,sum(X[[i]]*B)+rnorm(1,sd = 0.1))
res =ASSIST(X, y, r = 1, sparse_r = 0, sparse_c = 0, min = min(y), max = max(y))
mean(abs(res$fitted-signal))
####### Generate new matrices at which predictions are to made #
X_{new} = list()
for(i in 1:10){
 X_{new}[[i]] = matrix(runif(4,-1,1),nrow = 2,ncol = 2)
y_new = NULL
for(i in 1:10){
 y_new = c(y_new, sum(X_new[[i]]*B))
res =ASSIST(X, y, X_{new}, r = 1, sparse_r = 0, sparse_c = 0, min = min(y), max = max(y))
mean(abs(res$fitted-y_new))
```

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### **Description**

Implement a CNN with two hidden layers and ReLu activation.

#### Usage

```
CNN(X,y,X_new,plot.figure = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

X A list of predictor matrices.y Binary response variable.

X\_new A list of new matrices at which predictions are to made.

plot.figure Option for plotting trajectory of accuracy over epochs.

#### Value

The returned object is a list of components.

prob - The estimated probabilities of the binary response at the predictors Xnew.

class - The estimated binary response at the predictors Xnew.

history - The trajectory of accuracy over epochs.

acc - The classification accuracy on test data.

Lasso Logistic probability model via penalized maximum likelihood

## Description

Fit a logistic probability model based on Lasso penalty

## Usage

```
Lasso(xvec,y,xnew,lambda)
```

## **Arguments**

xvec An input matrix. Each row is a vectorized predictor.

y Binary response variable.

xnew Matrix of new values at which predictions are to made.

lambda The regularization penalty.

#### Value

The returned object is a list of components.

B\_est - The estimated coefficient matrix of linear predictor.

prob - The estimated probabilities of the binary response at the predictors xnew.

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