## SKAT Package

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#### 1 Overview

SKAT package has functions to 1) test an association between a SNP set and continuous/binary phenotypes and 2) to compute power/sample size for future sequence association studies.

# 2 Testing an association between a SNP set and outcome phenotypes.

### 2.1 Example Dataset

An example dataset (SKAT.example) has a genotype matrix (Z) of 2000 individuals and 67 SNPs, vectors of continuous (y.c) and binary (y.b) phenotypes, and a covariates matrix (X).

```
> library(SKAT)
> data(SKAT.example)
> names(SKAT.example)

[1] "Z" "X" "y.c" "y.b"
> attach(SKAT.example)
```

To test an association, SKAT\_Null\_Model function should be first used to estimate parameters and to obtain residuals under the null model of no associations. And then, SKAT function can be used to get p-values.

```
> # continuous trait
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(y.c ~ X, out_type="C")
> SKAT(Z, obj)$p.value
[1] 0.002877041
> # dichotomous trait
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(y.b ~ X, out_type="D")
> SKAT(Z, obj)$p.value
```

```
[1] 0.1401991
```

>

When the trait is binary and the sample size is small, SKAT can produce conservative results. We developed a moment matching adjustment method that adjusts the asymptotic null distribution by estimating empirical variance and kurtosis. By default, SKAT ( >= ver 0.7) will conduct a small sample adjustment when the sample size < 2000. In the following code, we only use 200 samples to run SKAT.

```
> IDX<-c(1:100,1001:1100)
> # With-adjustment
> obj.s<-SKAT_Null_Model(y.b[IDX] ~ X[IDX,],out_type="D")
Sample size (non-missing y and X) = 200, which is < 2000. The small sample adjustment is approximately separately separately separately separately.</pre>
> SKAT(Z[IDX,], obj.s, kernel = "linear.weighted")$p.value

[1] 0.1322255
>
```

If you don't want to use the adjustment, please set Adjustment=FALSE in the SKAT\_Null\_Model function.

```
> # Without-adjustment
> obj.s<-SKAT_Null_Model(y.b[IDX] ~ X[IDX,],out_type="D", Adjustment=FALSE)
> SKAT(Z[IDX,], obj.s, kernel = "linear.weighted")$p.value
[1] 0.147093
```

We recently developed efficient resampling methods to compute p-values for binary traits, and the methods are implemented in SKATBinary function. When you use this function, Adjustment=TRUE in SKAT\_Null\_Model is not necessary. Implemented methods are 1) Efficient resampling (ER); 2) ER with adaptive resampling (ER.A); 3) Quantile adjusted moment matching (QA); 4) Moment matching adjustment (MA); 5) No adjustment (UA); and 6) Hybrid. "Hybrid" (default method) selects a method based on the total minor allele count (MAC), the number of individuals with minor alleles (m), and the degree of case-control imbalance.

```
> # default hybrid approach
> out<-SKATBinary(Z[IDX,], obj.s, kernel = "linear.weighted")
> out$p.value
[1] 0.1352503
```

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#### 2.2 Assign weights for each SNP

It is assumed that rarer variants are more likely to be causal variants with large effect sizes. To incorporate this assumption, the linear weighted kernel uses a weighting scheme and is formulated as ZWWZ', where Z is a genotype matrix, and  $W = diag\{w_1, \ldots, w_m\}$  is a weight matrix. In the previous examples, we used the default beta(1,25) weight,  $w_i = dbeta(p_i, 1, 25)$ , where dbeta is a beta density function, and  $p_i$  is a minor allele frequency (MAF) of SNP i. You can use different parameters for the beta weight by changing the weights beta parameter. For example, if you want to use Madsen and Browning weight, use weight.beta=c(0.5,0.5).

```
> SKAT(Z, obj, kernel = "linear.weighted", weights.beta=c(0.5,0.5))$p.value
[1] 0.4931639
```

You can make your own weight vector and use it for the weighting. For the logistic weight, we provide a function to generate the weight.

```
> # Shape of the logistic weight
>

> MAF<-1:1000/1000
> W<-Get_Logistic_Weights_MAF(MAF, par1=0.07, par2=150)
> par(mfrow=c(1,2))
> plot(MAF,W,xlab="MAF",ylab="Weights",type="l")
> plot(MAF[1:100],W[1:100],xlab="MAF",ylab="Weights",type="l")
> par(mfrow=c(1,2))
> # Use logistic weight
> weights<-Get_Logistic_Weights(Z, par1=0.07, par2=150)
> SKAT(Z, obj, kernel = "linear.weighted", weights=weights)$p.value

[1] 0.3293643
```

#### 2.3 Combined Test of burden test and SKAT

A test statistic of the combined test is

$$Q_{\rho} = (1 - \rho)Q_S + \rho Q_B,$$

where  $Q_S$  is a test statistic of SKAT, and  $Q_B$  is a score test statistic of the burden test. You can specify  $\rho$  value using the r.corr parameter (default: , r.corr=0).

```
> #rho=0
> SKAT(Z, obj, r.corr=0)$p.value
[1] 0.1401991
```

```
> #rho=0.9
> SKAT(Z, obj, r.corr=0.9)$p.value
[1] 0.06031026
> #rho=1, burden test
> SKAT(Z, obj, r.corr=1)$p.value
[1] 0.06095529
```

If method="optimal.adj", SKAT-O method is performed, which computes p-values with eight different values of  $\rho=(0,0.1^2,0.2^2,0.3^2,0.4^2,0.5^2,0.5,1)$  and uses the minimum p-value as a test statistic. If you want to use the original implementation of SKAT-O, use method="optimal". We recommend to use "optimal.adj", since it has a better type I error control.

```
> #Optimal Test
> SKAT(Z, obj, method="optimal.adj")$p.value
[1] 0.1008976
>
```

#### 2.4 Combined test of rare and common variants

If you want to test combined effects of common and rare variants, you can use SKAT\_CommonRare function.

```
> # Combined sum test (SKAT-C and Burden-C)
>
> SKAT_CommonRare(Z, obj)$p.value

[1] 0.2238025
> SKAT_CommonRare(Z, obj, r.corr.rare=1, r.corr.common=1)$p.value

[1] 0.1546374
> # Adaptive test (SKAT-A and Burden-A)
>
> SKAT_CommonRare(Z, obj, method="A")$p.value

[1] 0.4372293
> SKAT_CommonRare(Z, obj, r.corr.rare=1, r.corr.common=1, method="A")$p.value

[1] 0.1548059
```

The detailed description of each method can be found in the following reference.

Ionita-Laza, I.\*, Lee, S.\*, Makarov, V., Buxbaum, J. Lin, X. (2013). Sequence kernel association tests for the combined effect of rare and common variants. *American Journal of Human Genetics*, in press.

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#### 2.5 Imputing missing genotypes.

If there are missing genotypes, SKAT automatically imputes them based on Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium. You can choose either "random" or "fixed" imputation (default="fixed"). The "random" imputation generates binomial $(2,p_i)$  random numbers to impute missing values, where  $p_i$  is the MAF of SNP i calculated from non-missing genotypes, and the "fixed" imputation uses the mean genotype value,  $2p_i$ , to impute missing values.

```
> # Assign missing
> Z1<-Z
> Z1[1,1:3]<-NA
> # random imputation
> SKAT(Z1,obj,impute.method = "random")$p.value
[1] 0.1401991
> # fixed imputation
> SKAT(Z1,obj,impute.method = "fixed")$p.value
[1] 0.1401982
```

#### 2.6 Resampling

SKAT package provides functions to carry out resampling to compute empirical p-values and to control family wise error rate. Two different resampling methods are implemented. "bootstrap" conducts the parametric bootstrap to resample residuals from  $H_0$  with considering covariates. When there is no covariate, "bootstrap" is equivalent to the permutation. "perturbation" perturbs the residuals by multiplying standard normal random variables. The default method is "bootstrap". From ver 0.7, we do not provide the "perturbation" method.

```
> # parametric boostrap.
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(y.b ~ X, out_type="D", n.Resampling=5000,
+ type.Resampling="bootstrap")
> # SKAT p-value
> re<- SKAT(Z, obj, kernel = "linear.weighted")
> re$p.value # SKAT p-value
```

```
[1] 0.1401991
> Get_Resampling_Pvalue(re) # get resampling p-value
$p.value
[1] 0.1361728

$is_smaller
[1] FALSE
```

When there are many genes/SNP sets to test, resampling methods can be used to control family-wise error rate. You can find an example in the next section.

#### 2.7 Plink Binary format files

SKAT package can use plink binary format files for genome-wide data analysis. To use plink files, plink bed, bim and fam files, and your own setid file that contains information of SNP sets are needed. Example files can be found on the SKAT/MetaSKAT google group page.

```
> # To run this code, first download and unzip example files
Generate SSD file
> # Create the MW File
> File.Bed<-"./Example1.bed"
> File.Bim<-"./Example1.bim"
> File.Fam<-"./Example1.fam"</pre>
> File.SetID<-"./Example1.SetID"
> File.SSD<-"./Example1.SSD"
> File.Info<-"./Example1.SSD.info"
> # To use binary ped files, you have to generate SSD file first.
> # If you already have a SSD file, you do not need to call this function.
> Generate_SSD_SetID(File.Bed, File.Bim, File.Fam, File.SetID, File.SSD, File.Info)
Check duplicated SNPs in each SNP set
No duplicate
1000 Samples, 10 Sets, 984 Total SNPs
[1] "SSD and Info files are created!"
```

Now you can open SSD and Info file and run SKAT. After finishing it, you must call close function to clse SSD file.

```
> FAM<-Read_Plink_FAM(File.Fam, Is.binary=FALSE)
> y<-FAM$Phenotype</pre>
```

```
> # To use a SSD file, please open it first. After finishing using it, you must close it.
> SSD.INFO<-Open_SSD(File.SSD, File.Info)
1000 Samples, 10 Sets, 984 Total SNPs
Open the SSD file
> # Number of samples
> SSD.INFO$nSample
[1] 1000
> # Number of Sets
> SSD.INFO$nSets
[1] 10
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(y ~ 1, out_type="C")
> out<-SKAT.SSD.All(SSD.INFO, obj)
> out
$results
    SetID
              P.value N.Marker.All N.Marker.Test
1 GENE_01 0.77747880
                        94
2 GENE_02 0.06245208
                               84
                                              84
3 GENE_03 0.38416582
                               108
                                             108
4 GENE_04 0.46179268
                               101
                                             101
5 GENE_05 0.18548863
                               103
                                             103
6 GENE_06 0.93255760
                                94
                                              94
7 GENE_07 0.18897220
                               104
                                             104
8 GENE_08 0.73081683
                               96
                                              96
9 GENE_09 0.67366458
                               100
                                             100
10 GENE_10 0.40310682
                               100
                                             100
$P.value.Resampling
NULL
attr(,"class")
[1] "SKAT_SSD_ALL"
  If you have a plink covariate file, you can use Read_Plink_FAM_Cov file to
read both FAM and covariate files.
> File.Cov<-"./Example1.Cov"</pre>
> FAM_Cov<-Read_Plink_FAM_Cov(File.Fam, File.Cov, Is.binary=FALSE)
```

> # First 5 rows
> FAM\_Cov[1:5,]

```
FID IID PID MID Sex Phenotype
                                           X1 X2
                       1 0.679793 1.0297614
1 FID454
               0
                   0
                                               1
2 FID977
                       1 0.836566 0.1846235
3 FID462
               0
                     1 -0.408388 -0.6141158
           1
4 FID958
           1
                      1 -0.522305 -2.0226759
               0
                     1 -0.328300 -0.8213776
5 FID668
           1
> # Run with covariates
> X1 = FAM_Cov$X1
> X2 = FAM\_Cov$X2
> y<-FAM_Cov$Phenotype
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(y ~ X1 + X2, out_type="C")</pre>
> out<-SKAT.SSD.All(SSD.INFO, obj)
> out
$results
     SetID
              P.value N.Marker.All N.Marker.Test
1 GENE_01 0.77771227
                                94
                                84
                                              84
2 GENE_02 0.06157071
  GENE_03 0.39818504
                               108
                                             108
4 GENE_04 0.46548442
                               101
                                             101
5 GENE_05 0.18981516
                               103
                                             103
6 GENE_06 0.94073952
                                94
                                              94
7 GENE_07 0.18779019
                               104
                                             104
8 GENE_08 0.74559501
                                96
                                              96
9 GENE_09 0.66573796
                               100
                                             100
10 GENE_10 0.40204308
                               100
                                             100
$P.value.Resampling
NULL
```

attr(,"class") [1] "SKAT\_SSD\_ALL"

SetID

To use custom weight, you need to make a weight file and read it using "Read\_SNP\_WeightFile" function. The weight file should have two columns, SNP ID and weight values. The output object of "Read\_SNP\_WeightFile" can be used as a parameter in SKAT.SSD functions

```
> # Custom weight
> # File: Example1_Weight.txt
> obj.SNPWeight<-Read_SNP_WeightFile("./Example1_Weight.txt")
> out<-SKAT.SSD.All(SSD.INFO, obj, obj.SNPWeight=obj.SNPWeight)
> out
$results
              P.value N.Marker.All N.Marker.Test
```

```
1 GENE_01 0.77771227
                                94
                                              94
2 GENE_02 0.06157071
                                84
                                              84
3 GENE_03 0.39818504
                               108
                                              108
4 GENE_04 0.46548442
                               101
                                              101
5 GENE_05 0.18981516
                               103
                                             103
6 GENE_06 0.94073952
                                94
                                              94
7 GENE_07 0.18779019
                                             104
                               104
8 GENE_08 0.74559501
                                96
                                              96
9 GENE_09 0.66573796
                               100
                                             100
10 GENE_10 0.40204308
                               100
                                             100
```

\$P.value.Resampling
NULL

```
attr(,"class")
[1] "SKAT_SSD_ALL"
```

The output object of SKAT.SSD.All has an output dataframe object "results". You can save it using write table function.

```
> output.df = out$results
> write.table(output.df, file="./save.txt", col.names=TRUE, row.names=FALSE)
>
```

If more than one gene/SNP sets are to be tested, you should adjust for multiple testing to control for family-wise error rate. It can be done bonferroni correction. If gene/SNP sets are correlated, however, this approach can be conservative. Alternatively, you can directly control family wise error rate (FWER) using the resampling method. Example code is given in following.

```
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(y ~ 1, out_type="C", n.Resampling=1000, type.Resampling="bootstrap")
> out<-SKAT.SSD.All(SSD.INFO, obj)
> # No gene is significant with controling FWER = 0.05
> Resampling_FWER(out,FWER=0.05)
$result
NULL
```

\$n

[1] 0

\$ID NULL

> # 1 gene is significnat with controling FWER = 0.5

> Resampling\_FWER(out,FWER=0.5)

```
$result
             P.value N.Marker.All N.Marker.Test
    SetID
2 GENE_02 0.06245208
                               84
$n
[1] 1
$ID
[1] 2
   "SKAT.SSD.OneSet" or "SKAT.SSD.OneSet_SetIndex" functions can be used
to test a single gene/SNP set. Alternatively, you can obtain a genotype matrix
using "Get_Genotypes_SSD" function and then run SKAT.
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(y ~ 1, out_type="C")</pre>
> # test the second gene
> id<-2
> SetID<-SSD.INFO$SetInfo$SetID[id]
> SKAT.SSD.OneSet(SSD.INFO,SetID, obj)$p.value
[1] 0.06245208
> SKAT.SSD.OneSet_SetIndex(SSD.INFO,id, obj)$p.value
[1] 0.06245208
> # test the second gene with the logistic weight.
> Z<-Get_Genotypes_SSD(SSD.INFO, id)
> weights = Get_Logistic_Weights(Z, par1=0.07, par2=150)
> SKAT(Z, obj, weights=weights)$p.value
[1] 0.7227001
>
   SKAT_CommonRare function also can be used with SSD files.
> # test all genes in SSD file
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(y ~ X1 + X2, out_type="C")</pre>
> out<-SKAT_CommonRare.SSD.All(SSD.INFO, obj)
> out
$results
     SetID
              P.value N.Marker.All N.Marker.Test N.Marker.Rare N.Marker.Common
1 GENE_01 0.70833804
                                94
                                               94
                                                             0
2 GENE_02 0.01961982
                                                               0
                                                                               84
                                84
                                               84
3 GENE_03 0.53912934
                                108
                                                               0
                                              108
                                                                              108
```

101

101

0

101

4 GENE\_04 0.34134633

```
5 GENE_05 0.20548007
                                103
                                               103
                                                               0
                                                                              103
                                 94
                                                               0
                                                                               94
6 GENE_06 0.92017774
                                                94
7 GENE_07 0.24712642
                                104
                                               104
                                                               0
                                                                              104
8 GENE_08 0.66303494
                                 96
                                                96
                                                               0
                                                                               96
9 GENE_09 0.66044604
                                100
                                               100
                                                               0
                                                                              100
10 GENE_10 0.30882075
                                                               0
                                100
                                               100
                                                                              100
```

\$P.value.Resampling
NULL

```
attr(,"class")
[1] "SKAT_SSD_ALL"
>
```

After finishing, please close the SSD file.

> Close\_SSD()

Close the opened SSD file: /private/var/folders/zs/nf\_6qpd12r1dm4v3y2y298fr0000gn/T/RtmppuoN

#### 2.8 Plink Binary format files: SKATBinary

SKATBinary functions can be used with plink formatted files. This section shows example code. Example plink files can be found on the SKAT/MetaSKAT google group page.

```
> # File names
> File.Bed<-"./SKATBinary.example.bed"
> File.Bim<-"./SKATBinary.example.bim"
> File.Fam<-"./SKATBinary.example.fam"
> File.Cov<-"./SKATBinary.example.cov"
> File.SetID<-"./SKATBinary.example.SetID"
> File.SSD<-"./SKATBinary.example.SSD"
> File.Info<-"./SKATBinary.example.SSD.info"
> # Generate SSD file, and read fam and cov files
> # If you already have a SSD file, you do not need to call this function.
> Generate_SSD_SetID(File.Bed, File.Bim, File.Fam, File.SetID, File.SSD, File.Info)
Check duplicated SNPs in each SNP set
No duplicate
2000 Samples, 30 Sets, 340 Total SNPs
[1] "SSD and Info files are created!"
> FAM<-Read_Plink_FAM_Cov(File.Fam, File.Cov, Is.binary=TRUE, cov_header=FALSE)
> # open SSD files
> SSD.INFO<-Open_SSD(File.SSD, File.Info)
```

```
2000 Samples, 30 Sets, 340 Total SNPs
Open the SSD file
> # No adjustment is needed
> obj<-SKAT_Null_Model(Phenotype ~ COV1 + COV2, out_type="D", data=FAM, Adjustment=FALSE)
> out.skat<-SKATBinary.SSD.All(SSD.INFO, obj, method="SKAT")
> # SKAT-0
> out.skato<-SKATBinary.SSD.All(SSD.INFO, obj, method="SKATO")
> # First 5 variant sets, SKAT
> out.skat$results[1:5,]
           P.value N.Marker.All N.Marker.Test MAC m Method.bin
                                                                          MAP
      1 0.92753378
                             11
                                            11 18 17
                                                              ER 2.512149e-07
2
      2 0.24947578
                              2
                                             2
                                                 3 3
                                                              ER 3.544808e-02
                              7
                                            7 19 19
3
      3 0.60706345
                                                              ER 3.312382e-08
      4 0.08566388
                             11
                                           11 19 18
                                                              ER 6.640864e-08
      5 0.63625247
                                               18 18
                                                              ER 2.721199e-07
>
  The effective number of tests and QQ plots can be obtained using the mini-
> # Effective number of test is smaller than 30 (number of variant sets)
```

mum achievable p-values (MAP).

```
> # Use SKAT results
> Get_EffectiveNumberTest(out.skat$results$MAP, alpha=0.05)
[1] 28
> # QQ plot
> QQPlot_Adj(out.skat$results$P.value, out.skat$results$MAP)
```

#### Power/Sample Size calculation. 3

#### Dataset 3.1

SKAT package provides a haplotype dataset (SKAT.haplotypes) which contains a haplotype matrix of 10,000 haplotypes over 200kb region (Haplotype), and a dataframe with informations of each SNP. These haplotypes were simulated using a calibrated coalescent model with mimicking linkage disequilibrium structure of European ancestry. If you don't have any haplotype information, please use this dataset to compute power/sample size.

```
> data(SKAT.haplotypes)
> names(SKAT.haplotypes)
[1] "Haplotype" "SNPInfo"
> attach(SKAT.haplotypes)
```

#### 3.2 Power/Sample Size calculation

1. Subregion length = 3k bp

SKAT package provides functions to compute the power/sample size for future sequence association studies. The following example uses the haplotypes in SKAT.haplotypes with the following parameters.

```
2. Causal percent = 20\%
  3. Negative percent = 20\%
  4. For continuous traits, \beta = c|log_{10}(MAF)| (BetaType = "Log") with \beta = 2
     at MAF = 10^{-4}
  5. For binary traits, log(OR) = c |log_{10}(MAF)| (OR.Type = "Log") with OR
     = 2 at MAF = 10^{-4}, and 50% of samples are cases and 50% of samples
     are controls
> set.seed(500)
> out.c<-Power_Continuous(Haplotype,SNPInfo$CHROM_POS, SubRegion.Length=5000,
+ Causal.Percent= 20, N.Sim=10, MaxBeta=2,Negative.Percent=20)
[1] "10/10"
> out.b<-Power_Logistic(Haplotype,SNPInfo$CHROM_POS, SubRegion.Length=5000,
+ Causal.Percent= 20, N.Sim=10 ,MaxOR=7, Negative.Percent=20)
[1] "10/10"
> out.c
$Power
          0.01
                    0.001
                               1e-06
500 0.5601495 0.4507543 0.2745436
1000 0.6983510 0.6372979 0.4477310
1500 0.7393476 0.6978347 0.5840998
2000 0.7741144 0.7169529 0.6649380
2500 0.8041370 0.7386689 0.6938517
3000 0.8224103 0.7660432 0.6997755
3500 0.8349515 0.7896737 0.7015918
4000 0.8484832 0.8037123 0.7049269
4500 0.8647970 0.8109526 0.7122846
5000 0.8834324 0.8165985 0.7253563
$R.sq
[1] 0.0693529
attr(,"class")
[1] "SKAT_Power"
```

## \$Power 0.001 0.01 1e-06 500 0.3894872 0.2757429 0.1330505 1000 0.5888308 0.4573657 0.2436726 1500 0.7021843 0.5859396 0.3485361 2000 0.7763091 0.6650800 0.4668508 2500 0.8234240 0.7280271 0.5483447 3000 0.8516985 0.7775865 0.5943673 3500 0.8718116 0.8108489 0.6269605 4000 0.8899993 0.8317031 0.6603647 4500 0.9081573 0.8464714 0.6968862 5000 0.9262225 0.8594656 0.7324297 attr(,"class") [1] "SKAT\_Power" > Get\_RequiredSampleSize(out.c, Power=0.8) $\alpha = 1.00e-02$ [1] 2431.102 $\alpha = 1.00e-03$ [1] 3867.782

> Get\_RequiredSampleSize(out.b, Power=0.8)

```
[1] 2251.417

$`alpha = 1.00e-03`

[1] 3336.919

$`alpha = 1.00e-06`

[1] "> 5000"
```

\$`alpha = 1.00e-06`
[1] "> 5000"

 $\alpha = 1.00e-02$ 

> out.b

In this example, N.Sim=10 was used to get results quickly. When you do the power calculation, please increase it to more than 100. When BetaType = "Log" or OR.Type = "Log", the effect size of continuous trait and the log odds ratio of binary traits are  $c|log_{10}(MAF)|$ , where c is determined by Max\_Beta or Max\_OR. For example, c = 2/4 = 0.5 when the Max\_Beta = 2. In this case,

a causal variant with MAF=0.01 has  $\beta=1$ . For binary traits, c=log(7)/4=0.486 with MAX\_OR=7. And thus, a causal variant with MAF=0.01 has log OR = 0.972.

If you consider non-zero r.corr  $(\rho)$  values to compute the power, Power\_Continuous\_R or Power\_Logistic\_R functions can be used instead. Since they use slightly different method to compute power, power estimates from Power\_Continuous\_R and Power\_Logistic\_R can be slightly different from estimates from Power\_Continuous and Power\_Logistic although r.corr=0.

If you want to computer the power of SKAT-O by estimating the optimal r.corr, use r.corr=2. The estimated optimal r.corr is

$$r.corr = p_1^2 (2p_2 - 1)^2,$$

where  $p_1$  is the proportion of nonzero  $\beta$ s, and  $p_2$  is the proportion of negative (or positive)  $\beta$ s among the non-zero  $\beta$ s.

```
> set.seed(500)
> out.c<-Power_Continuous_R(Haplotype,SNPInfo$CHROM_POS, SubRegion.Length=5000,
+ Causal.Percent= 20, N.Sim=10, MaxBeta=2,Negative.Percent=20, r.corr=2)
[1] "10/10"</pre>
```

> out.c

#### \$Power

```
      0.01
      0.001
      1e-06

      500
      0.5584048
      0.4465557
      0.2700370

      1000
      0.6980094
      0.6374870
      0.4403217

      1500
      0.7367947
      0.6977547
      0.5830013

      2000
      0.7707641
      0.7148115
      0.6664808

      2500
      0.8032711
      0.7341910
      0.6946357

      3000
      0.8253110
      0.7606592
      0.6998229

      3500
      0.8407660
      0.7863270
      0.7011542

      4000
      0.8569269
      0.8038311
      0.7035340

      4500
      0.8759197
      0.8137950
      0.7089662

      5000
      0.8968032
      0.8214246
      0.7192218
```

\$R.sq

[1] 0.0693529

\$r.corr [1] 0.0144

attr(,"class")
[1] "SKAT\_Power"

> Get\_RequiredSampleSize(out.c, Power=0.8)

```
$`alpha = 1.00e-02`
[1] 2449.686

$`alpha = 1.00e-03`
[1] 3890.566

$`alpha = 1.00e-06`
[1] "> 5000"
>
```