

Package ‘BigKnn’

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Title Large Scale K-Nearest Neighbor Classifier using the Lucene Search Engine

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Description A large scale k-nearest neighbor classifier using the Lucene search engine.

SystemRequirements Java version 8 or higher (<https://www.java.com/>)

Imports rJava,
Andromeda (>= 0.3.0),
dplyr,
rlang

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buildKnn	<i>Build a K-nearest neighbor (KNN) classifier</i>
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Description

buildKnn loads data from two Andromeda tables, and inserts them into a KNN classifier.

Usage

```
buildKnn(outcomes, covariates, indexFolder, overwrite = TRUE)
```

Arguments

outcomes	An Andromeda table containing the outcomes with predefined columns (see below).
covariates	An Andromeda table containing the covariates with predefined columns (see below).
indexFolder	Path to a local folder where the KNN classifier index can be stored.
overwrite	Automatically overwrite if an index already exists?

Details

These columns are expected in the outcome object:

rowId	(integer)	Row ID is used to link multiple covariates (x) to a single outcome (y)
y	(real)	The outcome variable

These columns are expected in the covariates object:

rowId	(integer)	Row ID is used to link multiple covariates (x) to a single outcome (y)
covariateId	(integer)	A numeric identifier of a covariate
covariateValue	(real)	The value of the specified covariate

Value

Nothing

buildKnnFromPlpData	<i>Build a K-nearest neighbor (KNN) classifier from a plpData object</i>
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Description

Build a K-nearest neighbor (KNN) classifier from a plpData object

Usage

```
buildKnnFromPlpData(
  plpData,
  population,
  indexFolder,
  overwrite = TRUE,
  cohortId = NULL,
  outcomeId = NULL
)
```

Arguments

plpData	An object of type plpData.
population	The population.
indexFolder	Path to a local folder where the KNN classifier index can be stored.
overwrite	Automatically overwrite if an index already exists?
cohortId	The ID of the specific cohort for which to fit a model.
outcomeId	The ID of the specific outcome for which to fit a model.

predictKnn

Predict using a K-nearest neighbor (KNN) classifier

Description

predictKnn uses a KNN classifier to generate predictions.

Usage

```
predictKnn(
  cohorts,
  covariates,
  indexFolder,
  k = 1000,
  weighted = TRUE,
  threads = 1
)
```

Arguments

cohorts	An Andromeda table containing the cohorts with predefined columns (see below).
covariates	An Andromeda table containing the covariates with predefined columns (see below).
indexFolder	Path to a local folder where the KNN classifier index can be stored.
k	The number of nearest neighbors to use to predict the outcome.
weighted	Should the prediction be weighted by the (inverse of the) distance metric?
threads	Number of parallel threads to used for the computation.

Details

These columns are expected in the covariates object:

rowId	(integer)	Row ID is used to link multiple covariates (x) to a single outcome (y)
covariateId	(integer)	A numeric identifier of a covariate
covariateValue	(real)	The value of the specified covariate

This column is expected in the covariates object:

rowId	(integer)	Row ID is used to link multiple covariates (x) to a single outcome (y)
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Value

A data.frame with two columns:

rowId	(integer)	Row ID is used to link multiple covariates (x) to a single outcome (y)
prediction	(real)	A number between 0 and 1 representing the probability of the outcome

predictKnnUsingPlpData

Create predictive probabilities using KNN.

Description

Create predictive probabilities using KNN.

Usage

```
predictKnnUsingPlpData(
  plpData,
  population,
  indexFolder,
  k = 1000,
  weighted = TRUE,
  threads = 10
)
```

Arguments

plpData	An object of type plpData as generated using getDbPlpData.
population	The population to predict for.
indexFolder	Path to a local folder where the KNN classifier index is be stored.
k	The number of nearest neighbors to use to predict the outcome.
weighted	Should the prediction be weighed by the (inverse of the) distance metric?
threads	Number of parallel threads to used for the computation.

Details

Generates predictions for the population specified in plpData.

Value

The value column in the result data.frame is: logistic: probabilities of the outcome, poisson: Poisson rate (per day) of the outcome, survival: hazard rate (per day) of the outcome.

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