Panel Data - Regression trees with Random Effects for Panel Data

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library(REEMtree)
## Warning: package 'REEMtree' was built under R version 3.5.1
## Loading required package: nlme
## Loading required package: rpart
library(prediction)
## Warning: package 'prediction' was built under R version 3.5.1
library(sqldf)
## Warning: package 'sqldf' was built under R version 3.5.1
## Loading required package: gsubfn
## Loading required package: proto
## Loading required package: RSQLite
library(stringr)
## Warning: package 'stringr' was built under R version 3.5.1
library(ggplot2)
## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 3.5.1
library(dplyr)
## Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 3.5.1
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
## The following object is masked from 'package:nlme':
##
##
       collapse
```

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## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
## filter, lag

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
## intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

library(gridExtra)

## Warning: package 'gridExtra' was built under R version 3.5.1

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## Attaching package: 'gridExtra'

## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
## combine
```

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Load data, scaling of variables

```
SessData <- na.omit(read.csv(file="usersessions-avgbase.csv", header=TRUE, row.names = NULL, sep="|")[,
SessData$session_dt <- as.Date(SessData$session_dt,format= "%Y-%m-%d")
SessData$session_num <- as.numeric(SessData$session_start)</pre>
SessData$id <- as.numeric(str_replace_all(SessData$userid, 'user_', ''))</pre>
SessData$session_num_scale <- scale(SessData$session_num)
SessData$previous_duration_scale <- scale(SessData$previous_duration)
SessData$absence_time_scale <- scale(SessData$absence_time)</pre>
SessData$session_length_mvavg_scale <- scale(SessData$session_length_mvavg)
SessData$session_length_mvavg_time_scale <- scale(SessData$session_length_mvavg_time)
SessData$session_length_mvavg_30_scale <- scale(SessData$session_length_mvavg_30)
SessData$session_length_log <- log(SessData$session_length)
SessData$session_num_log <- log(SessData$session_num)</pre>
SessData$avg_base_log <- log(SessData$avg_base)</pre>
SessData$previous_duration_log <- log(SessData$previous_duration)</pre>
SessData$absence_time_log <- log(SessData$absence_time)</pre>
SessData$session_length_mvavg_log <- log(SessData$session_length_mvavg)
SessData$session_length_mvavg_time_log <- log(SessData$session_length_mvavg_time)
SessData$session_length_mvavg_30_log <- scale(SessData$session_length_mvavg_30)
```

Looping for clustering - 0 cluster is for the full data

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df_train <- subset(SessData, session_dt < "2009-04-01")</pre>
df_test <- subset(SessData, session_dt >= "2009-04-01")
mae_baseline <- mean(abs(df_test$session_length-df_test$avg_base))</pre>
mae_baseline_log <- mean(abs(df_test$session_length_log-df_test$avg_base_log))
mae_pred <- 'NA'</pre>
rmse_pred <- 'NA'</pre>
mdl_reemtree <-REEMtree(session_length~session_length_mvavg_time+session_length_mvavg_30+previous_durat
mdl_reemtree_scale <-REEMtree(session_length~session_length_mvavg_time_scale+session_length_mvavg_30_sc
mdl_reemtree_log <-REEMtree(session_length_log~session_length_mvavg_time_log+session_length_mvavg_30_log
predval <- predict.REEMtree(mdl_reemtree, df_test, id = df_test$userid, EstimateRandomEffects = TRUE)</pre>
predval_scale <- predict.REEMtree(mdl_reemtree_scale, df_test, id = df_test$userid, EstimateRandomEffec
predval_log <- predict.REEMtree(mdl_reemtree_log, df_test, id = df_test$userid, EstimateRandomEffects =</pre>
mae_pred <- mean(abs(df_test$session_length-predval))</pre>
rmse_pred<-sqrt(mean(abs(df_test$session_length-predval)^2))</pre>
mae_pred_scale <- mean(abs(df_test$session_length-predval_scale))</pre>
rmse_pred_scale <-sqrt(mean(abs(df_test$session_length-predval_scale)^2))</pre>
mae_pred_log <- mean(abs(df_test$session_length_log-predval_log))</pre>
rmse_pred_log <-sqrt(mean(abs(df_test$session_length_log-predval_log)^2))</pre>
cat(' MAE ', mae_pred/mae_baseline)
## MAE 0.8204726
cat(' Scale MAE ', mae_pred_scale/mae_baseline)
## Scale MAE 0.8162514
cat(' Log MAE ', mae_pred_log/mae_baseline_log)
## Log MAE 0.8517013
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