

# Package ‘mmit’

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**Title** Max Margin Interval Trees

**Description** Fast  $O(P N \log N)$  algorithm for learning a regression tree with interval censored output data.

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`compute_optimal_costs` *compute optimal costs*

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## Description

Compute vector of optimal prediction and cost.

## Usage

```
compute_optimal_costs(target.mat, margin, loss = "hinge")
```

## Arguments

<code>target.mat</code>	n x 2 matrix of limits.
<code>margin</code>	numeric scalar, margin size parameter.
<code>loss</code>	character scalar, hinge or square.

## Value

data.frame with columns `moves` (number of times the pointer was moved for each data point, sum of upper and lower limit moves), `pred` (predicted output value that achieves minimum cost), `cost` (minimum cost value).

## Author(s)

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## Examples

```
library(mmit)
target.mat <- rbind(
  c(-1, Inf),
  c(-2, 3),
  c(-Inf, 1))
compute_optimal_costs(target.mat, 0)
compute_optimal_costs(target.mat, 2)
```

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`mmif`*Random Forest of Max Margin Interval Tree*

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## Description

Learning a random forest of Max Margin Interval Tree.

## Usage

```
mmif(target.mat, feature.mat, max_depth = Inf, margin = 0, loss = "hinge",  
      min_sample = 1, n_trees = 10,  
      n_features = ceiling(ncol(feature.mat)^0.5))
```

## Arguments

<code>target.mat</code>	The response variable of the model
<code>feature.mat</code>	a data frame containing the feature variables in the model.
<code>max_depth</code>	The maximum depth of each tree
<code>margin</code>	margin hyperparameter
<code>loss</code>	The type of loss; ("hinge", "square")
<code>min_sample</code>	The minimum number of samples required to partition a leaf in a tree
<code>n_trees</code>	The number of trees in the ensemble (forest)
<code>n_features</code>	The number of features to be used to train each tree

## Value

List of trees containing each tree in the random forest.

## Author(s)

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## Examples

```
library(mmit)  
  
target.mat <- rbind(  
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),  
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))  
  
feature.mat <- rbind(  
  c(1,0,0), c(1,1,0), c(1,2,0),  
  c(1,3,0), c(1,4,0), c(1,5,0))  
  
colnames(feature.mat) <- c("a", "b", "c")  
feature.mat <- data.frame(feature.mat)
```

```
trees <- mmif(target.mat, feature.mat, margin = 2.0)
```

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mmif.cv	<i>Cross-validation for model selection with Random Forests of Max Margin Interval Trees</i>
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## Description

Performing grid search to select the best hyperparameters of mmif via cross-validation.

## Usage

```
mmif.cv(target.mat, feature.mat, param_grid, n_folds = 3, scorer = NULL)
```

## Arguments

target.mat	The response variable of the model
feature.mat	A data frame containing the feature variables in the model.
param_grid	A list with values to try for each hyperparameter (max_depth, margin, min_sample, loss, n_trees, n_features).
n_folds	The number of folds for k-fold cross-validation
scorer	The function used to calculate the cross-validation score (e.g., mse, zero_one_loss)

## Value

The best score, best model (trained with best parameters), best parameters, and list of all parameter values with cross validation score.

## Author(s)

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## Examples

```
library(mmit)

target.mat <- rbind(
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))

feature.mat <- rbind(
  c(1,0,0), c(1,1,0), c(1,2,0),
  c(1,3,0), c(1,4,0), c(1,5,0))

colnames(feature.mat) <- c("a", "b", "c")
feature.mat <- data.frame(feature.mat)
```

```

param_grid <- NULL
param_grid$max_depth <- c(Inf, 4, 3)
param_grid$margin <- c(2, 3, 5)
param_grid$min_sample <- c(2, 5, 10)
param_grid$loss <- c("hinge")
param_grid$n_trees <- c(10, 20, 30)
param_grid$n_features <- c(ceiling(ncol(feature.mat)**0.5))

result <- mmif.cv(target.mat, feature.mat, param_grid, scorer = mse)

```

mmif.predict

*Predictions with random forests of Max Margin Interval Trees***Description**

Predictions with random forests of Max Margin Interval Trees

**Usage**

```
mmif.predict(forest, test_feature.mat = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

forest	Ensemble of MMITs
test_feature.mat	A data frame containing the features of the examples for which predictions must be computed.

**Value**

Predictions Average output of each tree in the forest

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```

library(mmit)

target.mat <- rbind(
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))

feature.mat <- rbind(
  c(1,0,0), c(1,1,0), c(1,2,0),
  c(1,3,0), c(1,4,0), c(1,5,0))

```

```
colnames(feature.mat) <- c("a", "b", "c")
feature.mat <- data.frame(feature.mat)

forest <- mmif(target.mat, feature.mat)
pred <- mmif.predict(forest, feature.mat)
```

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mmit

*The Max Margin Interval Tree*


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## Description

Learning a regression tree for censored data.

## Usage

```
mmit(target.mat, feature.mat, max_depth = Inf, margin = 0, loss = "hinge",
      min_sample = 1)
```

## Arguments

target.mat	The response variable of the model
feature.mat	a data frame containing the feature variables in the model.
max_depth	The maximum depth criteria
margin	margin parameters
loss	The type of loss; ("hinge", "square")
min_sample	The minimum number of sample required

## Value

The learned regression tree as an object of class party.

## Author(s)

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## Examples

```
library(mmit)
target.mat <- rbind(
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))

feature.mat <- rbind(
  c(1,0,0), c(1,1,0), c(1,2,0),
  c(1,3,0), c(1,4,0), c(1,5,0))
```

```
colnames(feature.mat) <- c("a", "b", "c")
feature.mat <- data.frame(feature.mat)
```

```
out <- mmit(target.mat, feature.mat)
```

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mmit.cv

*The Cross Validation of Max Margin Interval Tree*


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## Description

Performing grid search to select the best parameters via cross validation on the a regression tree for censored data.

## Usage

```
mmit.cv(target.mat, feature.mat, param_grid, n_folds = 3, scorer = NULL,
        pruning = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

target.mat	The response variable of the model
feature.mat	a data frame containing the feature variables in the model.
param_grid	the list of paramaters
n_folds	The number of folds
scorer	The Loss calculation function
pruning	Boolean whether pruning is to be done or not.

## Value

The list consist of best score, best tree, best parameters and list of all parameter values with cross validation score .

## Author(s)

Toby Dylan Hocking, Alexandre Drouin, Torsten Hothorn, Parismita Das

## Examples

```
library(mmit)
target.mat <- rbind(
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))

feature.mat <- rbind(
  c(1,0,0), c(1,1,0), c(1,2,0),
```

```

c(1,3,0), c(1,4,0), c(1,5,0))

colnames(feature.mat) <- c("a", "b", "c")
feature.mat <- data.frame(feature.mat)

param_grid <- NULL
param_grid$max_depth <- c(Inf, 4, 3)
param_grid$margin <- c(2, 3, 5)
param_grid$min_sample <- c(2, 5, 10)
param_grid$loss <- c("hinge")

result <- mmit.cv(target.mat, feature.mat, param_grid, scorer = mse)

```

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mmit.predict

*The Predict Function for Max Margin Interval Tree*


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## Description

Fits the new data into the MMIT model to give prediction values

## Usage

```
mmit.predict(tree, newdata = NULL, perm = NULL)
```

## Arguments

tree	The Max Margin Interval Tree obtained from "mmit()"
newdata	an optional data frame containing the testing data which is to be predicted.
perm	an optional character vector of variable names.

## Value

The learned regression tree as an object of class party.

## Author(s)

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## Examples

```

library(mmit)
target.mat <- rbind(
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))

feature.mat <- rbind(
  c(1,0,0), c(1,1,0), c(1,2,0),
  c(1,3,0), c(1,4,0), c(1,5,0))

```



```
colnames(feature.mat) <- c("a", "b", "c")
feature.mat <- data.frame(feature.mat)

tree <- mmit(target.mat, feature.mat)

pred <- mmit.predict(tree)
```

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`mmit.pruning`*The Pruned Max Margin Interval Tree*

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**Description**

Pruning the regression tree for censored data.

**Usage**

```
mmit.pruning(tree)
```

**Arguments**

`tree`                      The fitted tree using "mmit()" function

**Value**

The learned regression tree as an object of class party.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
library(mmit)
target.mat <- rbind(
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))

feature.mat <- rbind(
  c(1,0,0), c(1,1,0), c(1,2,0),
  c(1,3,0), c(1,4,0), c(1,5,0))

colnames(feature.mat) <- c("a", "b", "c")
feature.mat <- data.frame(feature.mat)

tree <- mmit(target.mat, feature.mat)

pruned_tree <- mmit.pruning(tree)
```

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`mse`*The Mean Square Error*

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**Description**

Metric for mean square error calculation.

**Usage**

```
mse(y_true, y_pred)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y_true</code>	The actual response variable of the model
<code>y_pred</code>	The predicted response value of the model

**Value**

A numeric value which signifies the error quantity.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
library(mmit)
y_true <- rbind(
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))

y_pred <- c(0.5, 2, 0, 1.5, 3.5, 2.5)

out <- mse(y_true, y_pred)
```

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`zero_one_loss`*The Zero One Loss*

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**Description**

Metric for error calculation where the function gives zero value inside the interval else one.

**Usage**

```
zero_one_loss(y_true, y_pred)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y_true</code>	The actual response variable of the model
<code>y_pred</code>	The predicted response value of the model

**Value**

A numeric value which signifies the error quantity.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
library(mmit)
y_true <- rbind(
  c(0,1), c(0,1), c(0,1),
  c(2,3), c(2,3), c(2,3))

y_pred <- c(0.5, 2, 0, 1.5, 3.5, 2.5)

out <- zero_one_loss(y_true, y_pred)
```

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