Softwares for two-stage sample design

Comparison of performance

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In [1]:
        results <- as.data.frame(list(Variable = rep(NA,24),</pre>
                                       Package = rep(NA, 24),
                                       Unit = rep(NA, 24),
                                       Units = rep(NA, 24))
In [2]:
         load("pop.RData")
         str(pop)
        'data.frame': 2258507 obs. of 13 variables:
         $ region : Factor w/ 3 levels "north","center",..: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
$ province : Factor w/ 6 levels "north_1","north_2",..: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
         : Factor w/ 963018 levels "H1", "H10", "H100", ...: 1 1 1 2 3 3 3 1114
         $ id_hh
         $ id_ind : int 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
$ stratum : Factor w/ 24 100 7
        1114 ...
                      : Factor w/ 24 levels "1000","2000",..: 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 1
         $ stratum_label: chr "north_1_6" "north_1_6" "north_1_6" "north_1_6" ...
         $ sex : int 1 2 1 2 1 1 2 2 1 1 ...
                       : Factor w/ 8 levels "(0,14]","(14,24]",..: 3 7 8 5 4 6 6 4 4 1 ...
         $ cl_age
         $ active
                       : num 110111110...
         $ income_hh : num 30488 30488 30488 21756 29871 ...
         $ unemployed : num 0000000000...
         $ inactive
                        : num 0010000001...
```

1. PractTools

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In [3]: library(PracTools)

In [4]: # Probabilities of inclusion I stage
    pp <- as.numeric(table(pop$municipality))/nrow(pop)</pre>
```

Variable: income_hh

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results[1,2] <- "PractTools"
results[1,3] <- "PSU"
results[1,4] <- round(des1$m.opt)
results[2,1] <- "income_hh"
results[2,2] <- "PractTools"
results[2,3] <- "SSU"
results[2,4] <- round(des1$m.opt*des1$n.opt)</pre>
```

B2: 0.0407589298607924 **W2:** 0.795386737128669 **unit relvar:** 0.836017657056984 **B2+W2:** 0.836145666989461 **k:** 1.0001531186948 **delta:** 0.0487462071142995

```
C1 = 130

C2 = 1

delta = 0.04874621

unit relvar = 0.8360177

k = 1.000153

cost = 25499.72

m.opt = 141.4

n.opt = 50.4

CV = 0.02
```

unit relvar: 7126.56

Variable: active

```
In [6]:
          bw <- BW2stagePPS(pop$active,</pre>
                              psuID=pop$municipality)
          des2 <- clusOpt2(C1=180,
                            C2=1,
                            delta=bw[6],
                            unit.rv=bw[3],
                            k=bw[5],
                            CV0=0.03,
                            tot.cost=NULL,
                            cal.sw=2)
          des2
          sample size <- des2$m.opt*des2$n.opt</pre>
          sample size
          results[3,1] <- "active"</pre>
          results[3,2] <- "PractTools"</pre>
          results[3,3] <- "PSU"
          results[3,4] <- round(des2$m.opt)</pre>
          results[4,1] <- "active"
          results[4,2] <- "PractTools"</pre>
          results[4,3] <- "SSU"
          results[4,4] <- round(des2$m.opt*des2$n.opt)</pre>
```

B2: 0.0341600294082881 **W2:** 0.486132985345657 **unit relvar:** 0.520186300252101 **B2+W2:** 0.520293014753945 **k:** 1.000205146698 **delta:** 0.0656553681091469

```
C1 = 180

C2 = 1

delta = 0.06565537

unit relvar = 0.5201863

k = 1.000205

cost = 11214.18

m.opt = 48.6
```

n.opt = 50.6 CV = 0.03

unit relvar: 2459.16

Variable: inactive

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In [7]:
          # Third variable (inactive)
          bw <- BW2stagePPS(pop$inactive,</pre>
                               psuID=pop$municipality)
          des3 <- clusOpt2(C1=5,</pre>
                             C2=1,
                             delta=bw[6],
                             unit.rv=bw[3],
                             k=bw[5],
                             CV0=0.03,
                             tot.cost=NULL,
                             cal.sw=2)
          des3
          sample_size <- des3$m.opt*des3$n.opt</pre>
          sample_size
          results[5,1] <- "inactive"</pre>
          results[5,2] <- "PractTools"</pre>
          results[5,3] <- "PSU"
          results[5,4] <- round(des3$m.opt)</pre>
          results[6,1] <- "inactive"</pre>
          results[6,2] <- "PractTools"</pre>
          results[6,3] <- "SSU"</pre>
          results[6,4] <- round(des3$m.opt*des3$n.opt)</pre>
```

B2: 0.00747592548050322 **W2:** 3.58642740200959 **unit relvar:** 3.59308625918809 **B2+W2:**

3.59390332749009 **k:** 1.00022740013544 **delta:** 0.00208016877452412

```
C1 = 5

C2 = 1

delta = 0.002080169

unit relvar = 3.593086

k = 1.000227

cost = 4840.099

m.opt = 89.7

n.opt = 49

CV = 0.03

unit relvar: 4395.3
```

Variable: unemployed

```
des4
sample_size <- des4$m.opt*des4$n.opt
sample_size
results[7,1] <- "unemployed"
results[7,2] <- "PractTools"
results[7,3] <- "PSU"
results[7,4] <- round(des4$m.opt)
results[8,1] <- "unemployed"
results[8,2] <- "PractTools"
results[8,3] <- "SSU"
results[8,4] <- round(des4$m.opt*des4$n.opt)</pre>
```

B2: 0.889005285809302 **W2:** 6.14659063073452 **unit relvar:** 7.03424949497764 **B2+W2:**

7.03559591654382 **k:** 1.00019140941292 **delta:** 0.126358207087882

```
C1 = 350

C2 = 1

delta = 0.1263582

unit relvar = 7.034249

k = 1.000191

cost = 161905.3

m.opt = 405.6

n.opt = 49.2

CV = 0.05
```

unit relvar: 19955.52

2.R2BEAT

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In [9]: library(R2BEAT)

Caricamento del pacchetto richiesto: devtools

Caricamento del pacchetto richiesto: usethis

Caricamento del pacchetto richiesto: sampling

Caricamento del pacchetto richiesto: glue
```

Variable: income_hh

```
In [10]:
           # FIRST VARIABLE : income_hh
           ## Precision constraints
           cv <- as.data.frame(list(DOM=c("DOM1"),</pre>
                                      CV1=c(0.02))
           ## Prepare inputs for allocation
           samp_frame <- pop</pre>
           samp_frame$one <- 1</pre>
           id_PSU <- "municipality"</pre>
           id_SSU <- "id_ind"</pre>
           strata_var <- "one"</pre>
           target_vars <- c("income_hh")</pre>
           deff var <- "stratum"</pre>
           domain var <- "one"
           delta = 1 # households = survey units
           minimum <- 50  # minimum number of SSUs to be interviewed in each selected PSU
           deff sugg <- 1.5 # suggestion for the deff value
           inp1 <- prepareInputToAllocation1(samp_frame,</pre>
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id_PSU,
                                  id_SSU,
                                  strata var,
                                  target_vars,
                                  deff_var,
                                  domain var,
                                  minimum,
                                  delta,
                                  deff_sugg)
 inp1$rho
 ## -----
 ## Allocation
 alloc1 <- beat.2st(stratif = inp1$strata,</pre>
                   errors = cv,
                   des_file = inp1$des_file,
                   psu_file = inp1$psu_file,
                   rho = inp1$rho,
                   deft start = NULL,
                   effst = inp1$effst,
                   minPSUstrat = 2,
                   minnumstrat = 2)
 PSUs <- select_PSU(alloc1,plot=F)</pre>
 results[9,1] <- "income_hh"</pre>
 results[9,2] <- "R2BEAT"
 results[9,3] <- "PSU"
 results[9,4] <- PSUs$PSU_stats$PSU[nrow(PSUs$PSU_stats)]</pre>
 results[10,1] <- "income_hh"
 results[10,2] <- "R2BEAT"
 results[10,3] <- "SSU"
 results[10,4] <- PSUs$PSU_stats$SSU[nrow(PSUs$PSU_stats)]</pre>
Calculating strata...
Computations are being done on population data
Number of strata: 1
... of which with only one unit: 0
Calculating rho in strata...
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A data.frame: 1 × 3 STRATUM RHO_AR1 RHO_NAR1

	<fct></fct>	<dbl></dbl>	<dbl></dbl>				
	1	1	0.0487536	59			
	iterations	PSU_SR	PSU NSR	PSU	Total	SSU	
1	0	0	6)	0	2089	
2	1	8	32		40	5645	
3	2	31	62		93	4652	
4	3	21	58	}	79	4980	

Variable: active

Stratum 1

```
strata_var,
                                    target_vars,
                                    deff var,
                                    domain_var,
                                    minimum,
                                    delta,
                                    deff_sugg)
 inp2$rho
 ## ----
 ## Allocation
 alloc2 <- beat.2st(stratif = inp2$strata,</pre>
                    errors = cv,
                    des_file = inp2$des_file,
                    psu_file = inp2$psu_file,
                    rho = inp2$rho,
                    deft_start = NULL,
                    effst = inp2$effst,
                    minPSUstrat = 2,
                    minnumstrat = 2)
 PSUs <- select_PSU(alloc2,plot=F)</pre>
 results[11,1] <- "active"
 results[11,2] <- "R2BEAT"
 results[11,3] <- "PSU"
 results[11,4] <- PSUs$PSU_stats$PSU[nrow(PSUs$PSU_stats)]</pre>
 results[12,1] <- "active"
 results[12,2] <- "R2BEAT"</pre>
 results[12,3] <- "SSU"</pre>
 results[12,4] <- PSUs$PSU_stats$SSU[nrow(PSUs$PSU_stats)]</pre>
Calculating strata...
Computations are being done on population data
Number of strata: 1
... of which with only one unit: 0
Calculating rho in strata...
```

```
Stratum 1
        A data.frame: 1 × 3
```

STRATUM RHO AR1 RHO NAR1

	<fct></fct>	<dbl></dbl>	<dbl></dbl>		>		
	1	1	1 0.06566887		7		
	iterations	PSU_SR	PSU	NSR	PSU	Total	SSU
1	0	0		0		0	578
2	1	0		12		12	2436
3	2	11		34		45	1822
4	3	6		30		36	1978
5	4	7		30		37	1936

Variable: inactive

```
In [12]:
           ## Precision constraints
           cv <- as.data.frame(list(DOM=c("DOM1"),</pre>
                                      CV1=c(0.03))
           ## Prepare inputs for allocation
           target vars <- c("inactive")</pre>
           inp3 <- prepareInputToAllocation1(samp_frame,</pre>
                                               id_PSU,
                                               id_SSU,
                                               strata_var,
                                               target_vars,
                                               deff_var,
```

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domain_var,
                                  minimum,
                                  delta,
                                  deff_sugg)
 inp3$rho
 ## -----
 ## Allocation
 alloc3 <- beat.2st(stratif = inp3$strata,</pre>
                   errors = cv,
                   des file = inp3$des file,
                   psu_file = inp3$psu_file,
                   rho = inp3$rho,
                   deft_start = NULL,
                   effst = inp3$effst,
                   minPSUstrat = 2,
                   minnumstrat = 2)
 PSUs <- select PSU(alloc3,plot=F)</pre>
 results[13,1] <- "inactive"
 results[13,2] <- "R2BEAT"
 results[13,3] <- "PSU"
 results[13,4] <- PSUs$PSU_stats$PSU[nrow(PSUs$PSU_stats)]</pre>
 results[14,1] <- "inactive"</pre>
 results[14,2] <- "R2BEAT"
 results[14,3] <- "SSU"
 results[14,4] <- PSUs$PSU_stats$SSU[nrow(PSUs$PSU_stats)]</pre>
Calculating strata...
Computations are being done on population data
Number of strata: 1
... of which with only one unit: 0
Calculating rho in strata...
Stratum 1
       A data.frame: 1 × 3
STRATUM RHO_AR1 RHO_NAR1
            <dbl>
                        <dbl>
    <fct>
            1 0.002080643
  iterations PSU_SR PSU NSR PSU Total SSU
                      0 0 3986
54 68 4244
         0 0
           1
                 14
```

Variable: unemployed

```
In [13]:
          ## Precision constraints
           cv <- as.data.frame(list(DOM=c("DOM1"),</pre>
                                     CV1=c(0.05))
           ## Prepare inputs for allocation
           target_vars <- c("unemployed")</pre>
           inp4 <- prepareInputToAllocation1(samp_frame,</pre>
                                               id PSU,
                                               id SSU,
                                               strata_var,
                                               target_vars,
                                               deff var,
                                               domain_var,
                                               minimum,
                                               delta,
                                               deff_sugg)
           inp4$rho
           ## ----
```

```
## Allocation
alloc4 <- beat.2st(stratif = inp4$strata,</pre>
                   errors = cv,
                   des_file = inp4$des_file,
                   psu file = inp4$psu file,
                   rho = inp4\$rho,
                   deft_start = NULL,
                   effst = inp4$effst,
                   minPSUstrat = 2,
                   minnumstrat = 2)
PSUs <- select_PSU(alloc4,plot=F)</pre>
results[15,1] <- "unemployed"</pre>
results[15,2] <- "R2BEAT"
results[15,3] <- "PSU"
results[15,4] <- PSUs$PSU_stats$PSU[nrow(PSUs$PSU_stats)]</pre>
results[16,1] <- "unemployed"</pre>
results[16,2] <- "R2BEAT"
results[16,3] <- "SSU"
results[16,4] <- PSUs$PSU_stats$SSU[nrow(PSUs$PSU_stats)]</pre>
```

Calculating strata...

Computations are being done on population data

Number of strata: 1 ... of which with only one unit: 0 Calculating rho in strata... Stratum 1

A data.frame: 1×3 STRATUM RHO_AR1 RHO_NAR1

<fct> <dbl> <dbl> 1 0.1263824

	iterations	PSU_SR	PSU NSR	PSU	Total	SSU
1	0	0	0		0	2811
2	1	11	40		51	14386
3	2	75	114		189	9074
4	3	45	88		133	10552
5	4	51	98		149	10198

3.samplesize4surveys

Variable: income_hh

```
In [16]:
           # First variable (income hh)
           a1 <- ss2s4m(N = nrow(pop)),
                  mu = mean(pop$income_hh),
                  sigma = sd(pop$income_hh),
                  \# conf = 0.95,
                  delta = 0.02 * 1.96,
                  M = PSU
                  to = 50,
                  rho = rho_income_hh)
           a1[50,]
           results[16,4] <- alloc4$iterations[nrow(alloc4$iterations),5]</pre>
           results[17,1] <- "income hh"
           results[17,2] <- "samplesize4surveys"</pre>
           results[17,3] <- "PSU"
           results[17,4] <- a1[50,2]
           results[18,1] <- "income_hh"</pre>
           results[18,2] <- "samplesize4surveys"</pre>
           results[18,3] <- "SSU"
           results[18,4] <- a1[50,4]
```

Variable: active

```
In [17]:  # Second variable (active)
    a2 <- ss2s4p(N = nrow(pop),
        P = as.numeric(table(pop$active))[2]/nrow(pop),
        # conf = 0.95,
        delta = 0.03 * 1.96,
        M = PSU,
        to = 50,
        rho = rho_active)
    a2[50,]
    results[19,1] <- "active"
    results[19,2] <- "samplesize4surveys"
    results[19,3] <- "PSU"</pre>
```

```
results[19,4] <- a2[50,2]
results[20,1] <- "active"
results[20,2] <- "samplesize4surveys"
results[20,3] <- "SSU"
results[20,4] <- a2[50,4]
```

Variable: inactive

```
In [18]:
           a3 <- ss2s4p(N = nrow(pop)),
                   P = as.numeric(table(pop$inactive))[2]/nrow(pop),
                   \# conf = 0.95,
                   delta = 0.03 * 1.96,
                   M = PSU,
                   to = 50,
                   rho = rho_inactive)
           a3[50,]
           results[21,1] <- "inactive"</pre>
           results[21,2] <- "samplesize4surveys"</pre>
           results[21,3] <- "PSU"
           results[21,4] <- a3[50,2]
           results[22,1] <- "inactive"</pre>
           results[22,2] <- "samplesize4surveys"</pre>
           results[22,3] <- "SSU"</pre>
           results[22,4] <- a3[50,4]
```

Variable: unemployed

```
In [19]:
           # Fourth variable (unemployed)
           a4 \leftarrow ss2s4p(N = nrow(pop),
                   P = as.numeric(table(pop$unemployed))[2]/nrow(pop),
                   \# conf = 0.95,
                   delta = 0.05 * 1.96,
                   M = PSU,
                   to = 50,
                   rho = rho_unmployed)
           a4[50,]
           results[23,1] <- "unemployed"</pre>
           results[23,2] <- "samplesize4surveys"</pre>
           results[23,3] <- "PSU"
           results[23,4] <- a4[50,2]
           results[24,1] <- "unemployed"</pre>
           results[24,2] <- "samplesize4surveys"</pre>
           results[24,3] <- "SSU"
           results[24,4] <- a4[50,4]
```

```
        Deff
        nl
        m
        n2s

        <dbl>
        <dbl><int>
        <dbl>

        50
        7.19274
        402
        50
        20058
```

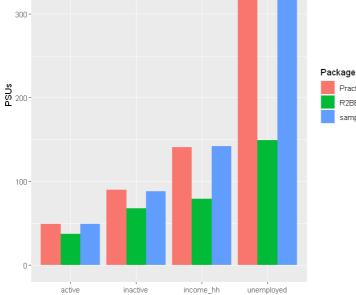
4. Plotting results

PSUs by variable and package

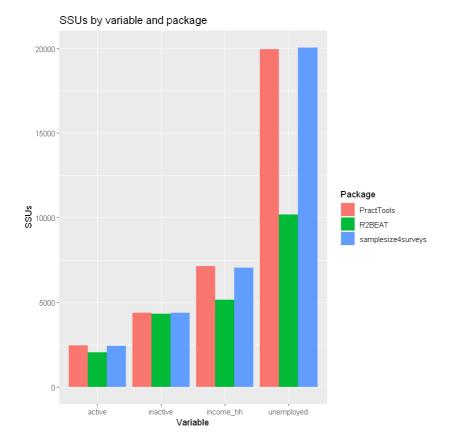
```
In [20]:
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PractTools R2BEAT samplesize4surveys

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Variable



In []: