# Some Examples of sivipm Use

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## 1 Brief description of the sivipm package

The **sivipm** R package computes total and individual sensitivity indices, significant components, and confidence intervals for the total sensitivity indices.

- The total and individual sensitivity indices are calculated using a method based on the VIP of the PLS regression, proposed by J.P. Gauchi ([Gauchi et all (2010)], [Gauchi (2012)], [Gauchi (2015)]).
- The Q2 are calculated either by the S. Wold's rule, the rule used in the SIMCA software ([SIMCA Software]) or by the Miller's formulae ([Lazraq et all (2003)]) more adapted to big datasets.
- The significant components are calculated from the Q2 of each response variable and from the cumulated Q2 (SIMCA rule), and and by the Lazraq & Cléroux test ([Lazraq and Cléroux (2001)]).
- The confidence intervals for the total sensitivity indices are determined by the bootstrap method.

The syntax of the package functions is given in the on-line help pages. Some examples of use are given here.

### 2 Data

The observed inputs and outputs must be stored in data-frames.

Input dataset may be,

- either, raw dataset. The number of columns is then the number of X-inputs,
- or transformed dataset. The number of columns is then the number of monomials in the polynomial. Each column is the value of a monomial calculated on non provided X-inputs.

Output dataset, or response variable, must be stored in a data-frame with one or several columns. The response can be uni or multivariate.

Missing values are accepted. However, if there are missing values and the response is multivariate, then it is not possible to compute the significant components.

Categorical variables must be transformed into indicator variables before processing analysis:

- if the variable has more than 2 categories, it must be split into as many 0/1 indicator variables as distinct categories;
- if it has two categories, set -1 on the lines corresponding to the first category, +1 on the lines corresponding to the second one (or vice versa);
- if it has one category only, the dataset is then not accepted.

The function factorsplit can be used to do this transformation: it creates a data-frame where the *factors* are split or changed into numeric variables.

## 2.1 Example of a raw dataset: cornell0

<code>cornellO</code> is an example of raw dataset. The data-frame contains seven input variables, followed by one response variable ([Kettaneh-Wold (1992)]).

Distillation	Reformat	NaphthaT	${\tt NaphthaC}$	Polymer	Alkylat	${\tt Gasoline}$	Y
0.00	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.74	0.03	98.7
0.00	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.74	0.04	97.8
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.12	0.74	0.04	96.6
0.00	0.49	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.37	0.02	92.0
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.62	0.12	0.18	0.08	86.6
0.00	0.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.37	0.01	91.2
0.17	0.27	0.10	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.08	81.9
0.17	0.19	0.10	0.38	0.02	0.06	0.08	83.1
0.17	0.21	0.10	0.38	0.00	0.06	0.08	82.4
0.17	0.15	0.10	0.38	0.02	0.10	0.08	83.2
0.21	0.36	0.12	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.06	81.4
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.55	0.00	0.37	0.08	88.1

Creation of the input data-frame, XCornellO, and the output data-frame, YCornellO:

```
> library(sivipm, lib.loc="/home/maiage/abouvier/sivipcheck")
> XCornell0 <- cornell0[,1:7] # inputs
> YCornell0 <- as.data.frame( cornell0[,8]) # output
> dimnames(YCornell0)[[2]] <- "Y"</pre>
```

#### 2.2 Example of a transformed dataset: XY180

XY180 is an example of transformed dataset<sup>1</sup>. The data-frame contains 160 columns. The first ones are the values of 158 monomials calculated on 18 inputs and the two last are the response variables.

```
> X180 <- XY180[,1:158]
> Y180 <- XY180[, 159:160]
> dimnames(Y180)[[2]]=c("Y1", "Y2")
```

## 3 Polynomial

The polynomial can be described,

- either, by a character vector,
- or be chosen among a list of standard types.

Note. The first monomials must always be the X-input variables.

From the input data-frame and its polynomial description, an object of class polyX<sup>2</sup> has to be created before processing the calculations. The following sections illustrate the way of creating a polyX object.

#### 3.1 When the provided data are "raw" data

#### 3.1.1 Polynomial described by a character vector

The polynomial can be described by a character vector, whose each element codes a monomial. The variables are identified either by their names or by their numbers. The character "\*" (asterisk) denotes interaction between variables.

For example, we create the following polynomial of maximal degree equal to 3:

```
x1 + x2 + x3 + x4 + x5 + x6 + x7 + x1*x3 + x2*x2 + x2*x4 + x3*x4 + x5*x5 + x6*x6 + x7*x7*x7
```

where xi is the X-input number i.

It is described by the following character vector, where the variables are identified by their numbers:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This dataset is provided by S. Lefebvre (ONERA, Palaiseau, France) and described in [Gauchi (2015)].

<sup>2</sup>polyX class which contains the polynomial description in a list structure and in an indi-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>polyX: class which contains the polynomial description in a list structure and in an indicator matrix, and the transformed data, calculated on the raw data, if necessary.

We could have identified the variables by their names as well:

The function **vect2polyX** creates the **polyX** object:

```
> PCornellO <- vect2polyX (XCornellO, monomials)
```

#### 3.1.2 Polynomial of standard type

The function  $\mathbf{crpolyX}$  can be used to generated three types of standard polynomials:

- full: complete polynomial with all the terms of degree less or equal to the maximal degree. Example with 2 variables and degree 3:  $x_1 + x_2 + x_1^2 + x_2 * x_1 + x_2^2 + x_1^3 + x_2 * x_1^2 + x_2^2 * x_1 + x_2^3$
- power: only power terms of degree less or equal to the maximal degree. Example with 2 variables and degree 3:  $x_1 + x_2 + x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_1^3 + x_2^3$
- interact: only interactions of degree less or equal to the maximal degree. Example with 2 variables and degree 3:  $x_1+x_2+x_2*x_1+x_2*x_1^2+x_2^2*x_1$

Note. The first monomials are always the X-input variables.

For example, we create a polynomial composed with the power terms of degree less or equal to 2 on the 3 first variables of XCornellO:

```
> PCornellObis <- crpolyX(XCornellO[,1:3], 2, type="power")
> options(width=60) # set display width to avoid line truncation
> print(PCornellObis, all=TRUE)

Distillation + Reformat + NaphthaT + Distillation*Distillation +
Reformat*Reformat + NaphthaT*NaphthaT
Polynomial description using variable numbers:
1 + 2 + 3 + 1*1 + 2*2 + 3*3
Polynomial degree: 2
Number of monomials: 6
Number of variables: 3
Number of observations: 12
```

## 3.2 When the provided data are transformed data

The functions which create a polyX object from transformed data and, respectively from a character vector, and from a standard type of polynomial, are vect2PolyXT, and crpolyXT.

#### 3.2.1 Polynomial described by a character vector

The transformed data-frame X180 (see Section 2.2) is the result of the calculation of 158 monomials on 18 X-inputs.

1. The polynomial is described by a character vector. Here, the variables are identified by their numbers:

```
Pexp <- as.character(1:18)
>
> for (i in 1:13) {
    Pexp \leftarrow c(Pexp, paste(i,"*",i, sep=""))
+ }
> for (i in 1:13) {
  Pexp <- c(Pexp, paste(i,"*",i, "*",i, sep=""))</pre>
+ }
> for (i in 1:12) {
    for (j in (i+1):13) {
       Pexp <- c(Pexp, paste(i,"*",j, sep=""))
+ }
> for (i in 1:18) {
      if (i != 15)
      Pexp <- c(Pexp, paste("15*",i,sep=""))</pre>
+
> for (i in 16:18) {
      for (j in 9:11) {
        Pexp <- c(Pexp, paste(i, "*", j,sep=""))</pre>
+
+ }
> Pexp \leftarrow c(Pexp, c("13*16"), c("13*17"), c("13*18"),
                c("14*16"), c("14*17"), c("14*18"),
               c("14*9"), c("14*10"), c("12*14"), c("2*14"))
```

2. We create the polyX object, by using the vect2polyXT function. The names of the 18 inputs must be explicitly provided, because, unlike the raw data case, they cannot be deduced from the column names of the input data-frame.

```
> varnames180 <- c("ALTI", "MACH", "POWERS", "EAI", "CAP",
+ "YAW", "ROLL", "PITCH", "VIS", "RH",
+ "TA", "HBASE", "HOUR", "MODEL", "CLOUDS",
+ "IHAZE1", "IHAZE2", "IHAZE3")
> PX180 <- vect2polyXT(varnames180, X180, Pexp)
```

## 3.2.2 Polynomial of a standard type

For illustrative purpose, we suppose that the data-frame X180 is the result of the calculation of a polynomial of maximal degree 2 made up of the power terms. As this polynomial has 36 monomials only, the extra columns of X180 are ignored.

```
> PX180bis <- crpolyXT(varnames180, X180, 2, type="power")
> summary(PX180bis)
```

```
ALTI + MACH + POWERS + EAI + CAP + YAW + ROLL + PITCH + VIS +
RH + TA + HBASE + HOUR + MODEL + CLOUDS + IHAZE1 + IHAZE2 +
IHAZE3 + ALTI*ALTI + MACH*MACH + POWERS*POWERS + EAI*EAI + CAP*CAP +
YAW*YAW + ROLL*ROLL + PITCH*PITCH + VIS*VIS + RH*RH + TA*TA +
HBASE*HBASE + HOUR*HOUR + MODEL*MODEL + CLOUDS*CLOUDS + IHAZE1*IHAZE1 +
IHAZE2*IHAZE2 + IHAZE3*IHAZE3
Polynomial description using variable numbers:
1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7 + 8 + 9 + 10 + 11 + 12 + 13 + 14 +
15 + 16 + 17 + 18 + 1*1 + 2*2 + 3*3 + 4*4 + 5*5 + 6*6 + 7*7 +
8*8 + 9*9 + 10*10 + 11*11 + 12*12 + 13*13 + 14*14 + 15*15 +
16*16 + 17*17 + 18*18
Polynomial degree: 2
Number of monomials: 36
Number of observations: 18
Number of observations: 180
```

## 4 Polynomials handling

## 4.1 Binding polynomials

To put together the monomials of several polynomials calculated on the same dataset of inputs, use the bind method.

Example with the dataset XCornello:

1. Creation of the first polynomial: a polynomial of degree 2, with the power terms only, calculated on the variables 3 and 4 of the data-frame XCornello. Note that the unit monomials, those equal to the X-inputs, must always be included.

```
> P1 <- crpolyX(XCornellO[, 3:4], 2, type="power")
> print(P1, all=TRUE)

NaphthaT + NaphthaC + NaphthaT*NaphthaT + NaphthaC*NaphthaC
Polynomial description using variable numbers:
1 + 2 + 1*1 + 2*2
Polynomial degree: 2
Number of monomials: 4
Number of variables: 2
Number of observations: 12
```

2. Creation of the second polynomial which only contains the interactions.

```
> P2 <- vect2polyX(XCornellO[, 3:4], c("1", "2", "1*2"))
> print(P2, all=TRUE)

NaphthaT + NaphthaC + NaphthaT*NaphthaC
Polynomial description using variable numbers:
1 + 2 + 1*2
Polynomial degree: 2
Number of monomials: 3
```

```
Number of variables: 2
Number of observations: 12
```

3. Put together the monomials of these two polynomials:

```
> P3 <- bind(P1, P2)
> print(P3, all=TRUE)

NaphthaT + NaphthaC + NaphthaT*NaphthaT + NaphthaC*NaphthaC +
NaphthaT*NaphthaC
Polynomial description using variable numbers:
1 + 2 + 1*1 + 2*2 + 1*2
Polynomial degree: 2
Number of monomials: 5
Number of variables: 2
Number of observations: 12
```

**Note.** The duplicated monomials are removed.

### 4.2 Removing monomials from a polynomial

The function takeoff removes monomials from a polyX object.

#### Example:

```
> P2 <- takeoff(P, c("Distillation*Reformat", "Reformat*Reformat"))
```

Note. Taking off the monomials equal to the X-inputs is not accepted.

## 5 Calculations

# 5.1 Individual and total sensitivity indices, significant components

The function **sivipm** is the main function of the package. It calculates the individual and total sensitivity indices and the significant components. Its arguments are the response data-frame and the polyX object. Its options are:

- nc, the number of components (2 by default);
- options, a vector to limit what is returned. Valid values are:
  - "fo.isivip", to return first order individual sensitivity indices,
  - "tsivip", to return total sensitivity indices,
  - "simca" and "lazraq", to return the significant components calculated by the SIMCA software rule ([SIMCA Software]) and by the Lazraq and Cléroux test ([Lazraq and Cléroux (2001)]), respectively. Threshold of these tests is 0.05.

(all is returned by default);

- graph, for drawing a graph of the total sensitivity indices (FALSE by default);
- alea to insert a random variable (FALSE by default) (see Section 5.2);
- output to return intermediate results (none by default) (see Section 5.3).

The returned value is an object of class sivip whose non-null slots depend on what has been required. These slots are :

- $\bullet$  when the vector options includes "fo.isivip":
  - fo.isivip, the first order individual sensitivity indices
  - fo.isivip.percent, the sorted percentages of the first order individual sensitivity indices
- when the vector options includes "tsivip":
  - tsivip, the total sensitivity indices
  - tsivip.percent, the sorted percentages of the total sensitivity indices
- when the vector options includes "simca" or "lazraq":
  - simca.signifcomponents or lazraq.signifcomponents, boolean vectors whose values are TRUE for the significant components
- when the option alea is set (see Section 5.2):
  - monosignif, a boolean vector whose values are TRUE for the significant monomials

- correlatea, the correlation between the outputs and the random variable
- when the option output is set:
  - output, a list of intermediate results (see Section 5.3).

The function **getNames**, applied on an object of class sivip, returns the names of the non-null slots.

Example with the response dataset YCornellO (see Section 2.1) and the polyX object PCornellO (see Section 3.1.1):

```
> res <- sivipm(YCornellO, PCornellO, nc=10, graph= TRUE)
```

- > # Get the names of the A components
- > getNames(res)

#### \*\*\* Names of the slots:

fo.isivip fo.isivip.percent tsivip tsivip.percent simca.signifcomponents lazraq.signi

- > # Display all the results
- > print(res, all=TRUE)

#### fo.isivip

Distillation	Reformat	NaphthaT	NaphthaC
0.087939379	0.006049118	0.088147537	0.066914506
Polymer	Alkylat	Gasoline	
0.037371483	0.127487898	0.067563383	

## fo.isivip.percent

Alkylat	NaphthaT	Distillation	Gasoline
26.478705	18.307876	18.264643	14.032633
NaphthaC	Polymer	Reformat	
13.897864	7.761901	1.256377	

#### tsivip

Distillation	Reformat	NaphthaT	NaphthaC
0.17366732	0.10664095	0.26149630	0.24027001
Polymer	Alkylat	Gasoline	
0.07884904	0.25375385	0.14440597	

#### tsivip.percent

NaphthaT	Alkylat	NaphthaC	${\tt Distillation}$
20.768783	20.153855	19.082930	13.793154
Gasoline	Reformat	Polymer	
11.469134	8.469728	6.262416	

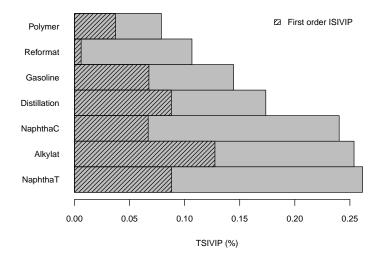
#### simca.signifcomponents

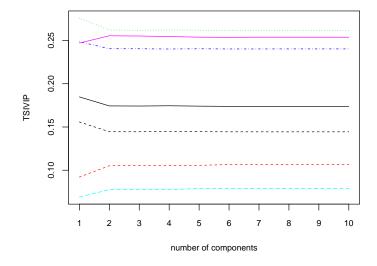
Y

- c1 TRUE
- c2 TRUE
- c3 FALSE

c4 FALSE
c5 TRUE
c6 TRUE
c7 TRUE
c8 TRUE
c9 TRUE
c10 FALSE

lazraq.signifcomponents
c1 c2 c3 c4 c5 c6 c7 c8 c9 c10
TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE





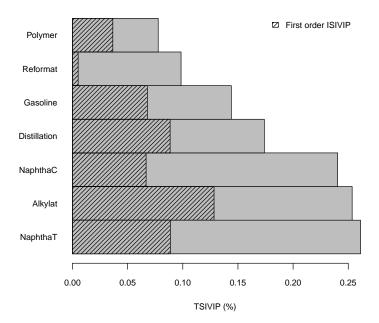
# 5.2 Add an alea in the computation of the total sensitivity indices

When the option **alea** is set, a uniform random variable is inserted into the computation of the total sensitivity indices. Comparison can then be made of its indices with the ones of the other variables. The non significant monomials, — those for which the individual sensitivity indices is less or equal than the one of the random variable — are excluded from the total sensitivity indices calculation. The correlation between the outputs and the random variable is returned.

Example with the response dataset YCornellO (see Section 2.1) and the polyX object PCornellO (see Section 3.1.1):

```
> set.seed(403)
> res <- sivipm(YCornellO, PCornellO, nc=2, alea=TRUE,
                 graph=TRUE, options=c("fo.isivip","tsivip"))
 summary(res)
fo.isivip.percent
     Alkylat
                 NaphthaT Distillation
                                             Gasoline
   26.628529
                 18.415535
                              18.367281
                                            14.079782
    NaphthaC
                  Polymer
                               Reformat
   13.850142
                 7.589189
                               1.069541
tsivip.percent
    NaphthaT
                   Alkylat
                               NaphthaC Distillation
   20.906132
                              19.245952
                 20.295555
                                            13.923293
    Gasoline
                 Reformat
                                Polymer
                               6.222351
   11.526923
                 7.879793
monosignif
              Distillation
                                               Reformat
                       TRUE
                                                  FALSE
                                               NaphthaC
                   NaphthaT
                       TRUE
                                                   TRUE
                    Polymer
                                                Alkylat
                       TRUE
                                                   TRUE
                   Gasoline
                                 Distillation*NaphthaT
                       TRUE
                                                   TRUE
         Reformat*Reformat
                                     Reformat*NaphthaC
                                                   TRUE
         NaphthaT*NaphthaC
                                        Polymer*Polymer
                       TRUE
                                                   TRUE
           Alkylat*Alkylat Gasoline*Gasoline*Gasoline
                       TRUE
                                                   TRUE
correlalea
              Y
```

[1,] -0.2123951



#### 5.3 Ask for more results

The expert user can require additional results by setting the option output. Detailed explanations of these results can be found in [Gauchi et all (2010)], [Gauchi (2012)] and [Gauchi (2015)].

output is a character vector whose valid values are:

- isivip: to return all the individual sensitivity indices
- betaNat: to return betaNat (natural  $\beta$ ) and betaNat0 ( $\beta$  coefficient)
- VIP: to return VIP and VIPind
- Q2: to return Q2, and Q2cum
- PLS: to return PLS results: mweights, weights, x.scores, x.loadings, y.scores, y.loadings, cor.tx, cor.ty, expvar, X.hat, Y.hat

Example with the response dataset YCornellO (see Section 2.1) and the polyX object PCornellO (see Section 3.1.1).

```
> res <- sivipm(YCornellO, PCornellO, nc=2, output= c("betaNat", "PLS"))
> getNames(res)

*** Names of the slots:
fo.isivip fo.isivip.percent tsivip tsivip.percent simca.signifcomponents lazraq.signi
*** The slot 'output' is a list with components:
[1] "betaNat" "betaNatO" "PLS"
```

```
*** The component 'output$PLS' is a list with components:

[1] "betaCR" "mweights" "x.scores" "x.loadings"

[5] "y.scores" "y.loadings" "weights" "cor.tx"

[9] "cor.ty" "expvar" "x.hat" "y.hat"
```

## 5.4 Computation Y by Y

To compute the total sensitivity indices for each response variable successively, use the R function **apply**.

Example with the two-columns data-frame Y180:

```
> 1180 <- apply(Y180, 2, sivipm, PX180, nc=2, options="tsivip")
> names(1180)

[1] "Y1" "Y2"
> getNames(1180$Y1)

*** Names of the slots:
tsivip tsivip.percent
> getNames(1180$Y2)

*** Names of the slots:
tsivip tsivip.percent
```

## 5.5 When there are missing values

When there are missing values, it is not possible to calculate the significant components by the SIMCA software rule.

It is possible by the Lazraq and Cléroux test, if the response is univariate only.

To illustrate, we created the data-frame cornell1 from cornell0 by introducing some missing values. lazraq.signifcomponents are calculated:

```
> X <- cornell1[,1:7]
> Y <-as.data.frame( cornell1[,8])
> polyXm <- vect2polyX (X, monomials)
> res <- sivipm(Y, polyXm, nc=8, options="lazraq")
> print(res, all=TRUE)

lazraq.signifcomponents
    c1    c2    c3    c4    c5    c6    c7    c8
TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE
```

### 5.6 When there is no polynomial description

The polynomial description is only required to calculate the total sensitivity indices. It can be omitted to compute the individual sensitivity indices of each column of the input dataset, and the significant components.

For example, we calculate the first order individual sensitivity indices of all the columns of the transformed dataset XY180, without having to describe the polynomial:

#### 5.7 When the dataset is big

When the dataset is big, it is advised to set the option fast of the sivipm function. Then, the Q2 and relative results are calculated from the Miller's formulae ([Lazraq et all (2003)]) more adapted to big datasets.

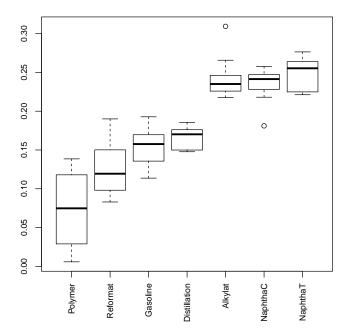
```
> resbis <- sivipm(Y180, b, nc=2, fast=TRUE, options="fo.isivip")</pre>
```

# 5.8 Confidence intervals for the total sensitivity indices by a bootstrap method

The function sivipboot calculates confidence intervals for the total sensitivity indices. Its arguments are the response data-frame, the polyX object, and the number of bootstrap loops. Its options are nc, the required number of components (2 by default), alpha, the test threshold (0.05 by default), and graph for a boxplot of the results. The option fast (see 5.7) is also available. In the following example, confidence intervals are calculated in ten bootstrap loops:

> sivipboot(YCornellO, PCornellO, B=10 , nc=4, alpha=0.05, graph=TRUE)

```
IC.inf IC.sup
Distillation 0.147709256 0.1854368
Reformat 0.082951362 0.1900557
NaphthaT 0.221228476 0.2764461
NaphthaC 0.181112141 0.2577898
Polymer 0.005790846 0.1385232
Alkylat 0.217641106 0.3093869
Gasoline 0.113681952 0.1927613
```



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