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Implementation of common Bayesian models

Description

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factor_analysis

Runs gibbs sampler for a factor model.

Description

The model is as follows:

$$y_i = \Lambda \eta_i + \epsilon_i$$

$$\epsilon_i \sim N_p(0, \Sigma)$$

where $\Sigma = \text{diag}(\sigma_1^2, ..., \sigma_p^2)$.

See Joyee Ghosh & David B. Dunson (2009) Default Prior Distributions and Efficient Posterior Computation in Bayesian Factor Analysis, Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics, 18:2, 306-320, DOI: 10.1198/jcgs.2009.07145 for conditional posteriors.

Usage

```
factor_analysis <- function(
   Y,
   k,
   niter = 1000,
   shape_psi = 1/2,
   rate_psi = 1/2,
   shape_sigma2 = 1,
   rate_sigma2 = 0.2,
   nonzero_structure = NULL)</pre>
```

Arguments

Y n by p matrix k number of factors

niter number of iterations for the gibbs sampler to run. shape_psi shape parameter for psi. Can be a scalar or a k vector

rate_psi rate parameter for psi. Can be a k vector shape_sigma2 shape parameter for sigma2. Can be a p vector rate_sigma2 rate parameter for sigma2. Can be a p vector nonzero_structure

A boolean p x k matrix. If the i, jth spot is TRUE, then λ_{ij} is free. If the i, jth spot is FALSE, then λ_{ij} is zero. If not set, then a lower triangular matrix is used.

Value

sigma An niter x p matrix of posterior values
eta An niter x n x k array of posterior values
lambda An niter x p x k array of posterior values

factor_analysis_with_regression

Runs gibbs sampler for a factor model with regression on the factors.

Description

The model is as follows:

$$y_i = \alpha + \Lambda \eta_i + \epsilon_i,$$

$$\eta_i = Bx_i + \delta_i$$

$$\epsilon_i \sim N_p(0, \tau^{-1})$$

$$\delta_i \sim N_k(0, I)$$

```
where \tau = \operatorname{diag}(\tau_1, ..., \tau_p).
```

See Joyee Ghosh & David B. Dunson (2009) Default Prior Distributions and Efficient Posterior Computation in Bayesian Factor Analysis, Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics, 18:2, 306-320, DOI: 10.1198/jcgs.2009.07145.

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Usage

```
factor_analysis_with_regression <- function(
   Y,
   X,
   k,
   niter = 1,
   shape_psi = 1/2,
   rate_psi = 1/2,
   shape_tau = 1,
   rate_tau = 0.2,
   coef_multiplier = 10,
   nonzero_structure = NULL)</pre>
```

Arguments

Υ n by p matrix Χ n by f matrix k number of factors niter number of iterations for the gibbs sampler to run. shape parameter for psi. Can be a scalar or a k vector shape_psi rate_psi rate parameter for psi. Can be a k vector shape parameter for sigma2. Can be a p vector shape_tau rate parameter for sigma2. Can be a p vector rate_tau

A boolean p x k matrix. If the i, jth spot is TRUE, then λ_{ij} is free. If the i, jth spot is FALSE, then λ_{ij} is zero. If not set, then a lower triangular matrix is used.

Value

alpha	An niter x p matrix of posterior values
lambda	An niter x p x k array of posterior values
tau	An niter x p matrix of posterior values
eta	An niter x n x k array of posterior values
В	An niter x k x f array of posterior values

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Description

The model is as follows:

$$y_i = \Lambda \eta_i + \epsilon_i$$

$$\epsilon_i \sim N_p(0, \Sigma)$$

```
where \Sigma = \text{diag}(\sigma_1^2, ..., \sigma_p^2).
```

See Bhattacharya, Anirban, and David B. Dunson. 'Sparse Bayesian infinite factor models.' Biometrika (2011): 291-306.

Usage

```
factor_infinite <- function(
    Y,
    k_star,
    niter = 1000,
    a_sig = 1,
    b_sig = 1,
    rho = 3,
    a1 = 1,
    a2 = 3)</pre>
```

Arguments

Υ	n by p matrix
k_star	number of factors to cut off at
niter	number of iterations for the gibbs sampler to run.
a_sig	shape hyper parameter for the σ^2
b_sig	shape hyper parameter for the σ^2
rho	hyper parameter
a1	hyper parameter
a2	hyper parameter

Value

sigma2 An niter x p matrix of posterior values

lambda An niter x p x k_star array of posterior values

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gibbs

Gibbs Sampler Skeleton

Description

This function provides the common skeleton used in all gibbs sampler: set initial values and then for as many iterations as needed, sample conditional posteriors of each of the parameters

Usage

```
gibbs <- function(
  niter,
  init,
  hypers,
  known_data,
  conditional_samplers,
  iter_argname = "iter",
  ignore = c())</pre>
```

Arguments

niter number of iterations to run sampler

init A list of initial values to start the sampler. The list must be named and the names

must correspond to the names in conditional_samplers.

hypers A list of hyper values. This is passed into the conditional samplers as needed.

known_data A list of data that is passed into the conditional samplers.

conditional_samplers

A list of functions. Each function is a sampler for each of the parameters. The

list must be named and the names must correspond to the names in init.

iter_argname The conditional samplers may choose to take iter_argname as a function argu-

ment. For example, if the conditional sampler is only to perform a sample every

so many iterations.

ignore A vector of parameter names to not store and return.

Details

This function returns a list of arrays. Each element is the set of samples generated for the corresponding parameter.

```
# Do a gibbs sampling for an AR(1) model:
# y_t = phi*y_{t-1} + eps_t
# eps_t ~ normal(0, s2a)
# phi ~ I_[-1,1](phi)*N(0,1)
# s2a ~ inv_gamma(a, b)
```

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```
# doing a grid sample along n_grid points; the prior
# is a truncated normal(0, 1)
sample_phi = function(y, s2a, n_grid = 1000)
 T = length(y)
 log_prob = function(phi)
    - 0.5/s2a*(
    sum((y[2:T] - phi*y[1:(T-1)])^2)) - 0.5*phi^2
  }
  xs = seq(-0.999, 0.999, length.out = n_grid)
 prob = exp(sapply(xs, log_prob))
  sample(xs, 1, prob = prob)
}
# s2a has a inv gamma (a, b) prior; using conjugacy
sample_s2a = function(y, phi, a, b)
 T = length(y)
  1/rgamma(1,
    shape = a + T/2,
    rate = b + 0.5*sum((y[2:T] - c(phi)*y[1:(T-1)])^2))
}
n = 1000
niter = 500
ret = gibbs(
 niter,
                      = list(s2a = 1, phi = 0),
  init
                      = list(a = 0, b = 0),
 hypers
 known_data
                = list(y = rnorm(n)),
 conditional_samplers = list(s2a = sample_s2a, phi = sample_phi),
                      = "s2a")
 ignore
plot(ret$phi)
```

horseshoe_regression Gibbs Sampler for Horseshoe Regression

Description

The horseshoe regression model is given by

$$[y_i|x_i, \beta, \sigma] \sim N(x_i^t \beta, \sigma^2), i = 1, ..., n,$$
$$[\beta_j|\sigma, \lambda_j] \sim N(0, \sigma^2 \lambda_j^2),$$
$$[\lambda_j|A] \sim C^+(0, A),$$

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$$A \sim Uniform(0, 10),$$

$$p(\sigma^2) \propto \frac{1}{\sigma^2}.$$

The half-Cauchy parameter expansion is used; given by

$$[\eta_j|\gamma_j] \sim Gamma(\frac{1}{2},\gamma_j),$$

$$[\gamma_j] \sim Gamma(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{A^2}).$$

Let $\eta_j=\lambda_j^{-2},$ $\tau_A=A^{-2},$ $au=\frac{1}{\sigma^2}$ and $\Lambda=diag(\eta_1,...,\eta_p)$. The full conditionals are given by:

$$\begin{split} [\beta|Y,X,\eta,\tau] &\sim \mathcal{N}((X'X+\Lambda)^{-1}X'Y,\tau^{-1}(X'X+\Lambda)^{-1}), \\ [\eta_j|\beta_j,\gamma_j,\tau] &\sim \exp(\frac{\tau\beta_j^2}{2}+\gamma_j), \\ [\gamma_j|\eta_j,\tau_A] &\sim \exp(\eta_j+\tau_A), \\ [\tau_A|\gamma] &\sim \operatorname{Gamma}(\frac{p-1}{2},\sum\gamma_i)\operatorname{I}_{(\frac{1}{100},\infty)}, \\ [\tau|Y,X,\beta,\eta] &\sim \operatorname{Gamma}(\frac{n+p}{2},\frac{(y-X\beta)'(y-X\beta)+\beta'\Lambda\beta}{2}). \end{split}$$

Usage

Arguments

Y n by 1

X n by p predictor matrix

niter number of gibbs sampling iterations

Details

This function returns the generated parameters from the gibbs sampling markov chain.

Value

beta An niter x p matrix
lambda An niter x p matrix
sigma An niter x 1 matrix

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Examples

```
# Load the data
prostate.data = "https://web.stanford.edu/~hastie/ElemStatLearn/datasets/prostate.data"
prostate = read.table(file = prostate.data, sep="", header = TRUE)
# Training data:
prostate_train = prostate[which(prostate$train),-10]
# Testing data:
prostate_test = prostate[which(!prostate$train),-10]
# Response:
y = prostate_train$lpsa
# Center and scale the data:
y = scale(y)
# And the predictors
X = scale(prostate_train[,names(prostate_train) != "lpsa"])
gibbs_hs <- horseshoe_regression(y, X, niter=10000)
shrinkage_regression_plot(gibbs_hs$beta, y, X)</pre>
```

mat_apply

mat apply

Description

Apply a function to each element in an input and return an arbitrary dimensioned array.

Usage

```
mat_apply <- function(vec, fun)</pre>
```

Arguments

vec vector of inputs fed into fun

fun a function to call for each input of vec

Details

This function returns an array with first dimension of length(vec) provided length(vec) > 1—the first dimension indexes over the length(vec) outputs.

```
# returns a 10 x 3 x 3 array. ret[i,,] contains i*diag(3).
ret <- mat_apply(1:10, function(i){ i*diag(3) })</pre>
```

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meanAlong

meanAlong

Description

Take the mean along a chosen dimension of an arbitrarily dimensioned array.

Usage

```
meanAlong <- function(x, along)</pre>
```

Arguments

x An n dimensional array

along the dimension of x to sum along

Details

The method of the source code came from Hadley Wickham: # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/14500707/select-along-one-of-n-dimensions-in-array

This function returns an n-1 dimensional array that is the result of the mean along the along dimension.

Examples

```
nx = 3
ny = 3
nz = 3
x = array(1:(nx*ny*nz), dim = c(nx, ny, nz))
print(x)
meanAlong(x, 3)
```

metropolis

Metropolis MCMC

Description

The metropolis algorithm is a special case of the metropolis-hastings algorithm, namely where the proposal distribution is symmetric.

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Usage

```
metropolis <- function(
  rproposal,
  prob,
  niter,
  init,
  log_prob = FALSE)</pre>
```

Arguments

rproposal rproposal(previous_val) generates a value from the proposal distribution
prob prob(val_proposed)/prob(val_t_minus_1) forms the acceptance probability
niter number of iterations to perform
init vector of initial values
log_prob whether or not prob function specifies log probabilities

Details

This function returns a niter x d matrix of values where d is the dimension of init and the dimension of each element from rproposal. The returned matrix contains all generated values of the metropolis walk.

Examples

```
vals <- metropolis(
  rproposal = function(val){ rnorm(1, mean = val, sd = 1){} },
  prob = posterior_prob,
  niter = 10000,
  init = 0)

library(coda)
plot(as.mcmc(vals))</pre>
```

plackett_luce

Gibbs Sampler for posterior plackett luce parameters

Description

The prior on each parameter is given by a gamma distribution.

The parameter expansion is given by Caron, Francois, and Arnaud Doucet. "Efficient Bayesian inference for generalized Bradley

STerry models." Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics 21.1 (2012): 174-196.

Usage

```
plackett_luce <- function(
  rank_matrix,
  shape = 1,
  rate = 1,
  niter = 1000)</pre>
```

Arguments

rank_matrix n by p matrix of integers ranging from 1,...,k where $k = max(rank_matrix,$

na.rm=TRUE). Each row may contain NA values provided that at least 2 values of each row are not NA. The same integer can appear in each row of the

rank matrix as well.

shape scalar or k vector specifying prior shape parameter over pl parameters scalar or k vector specifying prior rate parameter over pl parameters

niter number of gibbs sampling iterations

Details

This function returns a niter x k matrix of the gibbs sampler.

Examples

```
library(coda)

vals <- rplackett_luce(100, vs = c(100, 1, 1))
post_vals <- plackett_luce(vals)
plot(as.mcmc(post_vals))</pre>
```

probit_horseshoe_regression

Gibbs Sampler for Probit Regression with Horseshoe Prior

Description

The probit regression model with horseshoe prior is given by

$$y_i|\pi_i \sim Bernoulli(\pi_i),$$

$$\pi_i = \Phi(x_i^t\beta),$$

$$[\beta_j|\lambda_j] \sim N(0, \lambda_j^2), j = 2, ..., p,$$

$$p(\beta_1) \propto 1,$$

$$[\lambda_j|A] \sim C^+(0, A), j = 2, ..., p,$$

$$A \sim Uniform(0, 10).$$

where Φ is given by the gaussian CDF.

The implemented parameter-expanded model is given by

$$y_i^* = x_i^t \beta + \epsilon_i,$$

$$\epsilon_i \sim N(0, 1),$$

$$y_i = I(y_i^* > 0).$$

The half-Cauchy parameter expansion is also used; given by

$$[\eta_j|\gamma_j] \sim Gamma(\frac{1}{2},\gamma_j),$$

 $[\gamma_j] \sim Gamma(\frac{1}{2},\frac{1}{A^2})$

and $\eta_j=\lambda_j^{-2},$ $au_A=A^{-2},$ The full conditionals are given by:

$$[y_i^*|y_i,\beta,X] \sim sgn(y_i,y_i^*)N(x_i^t\beta,1)$$

where sqn is 1 if both arguments are of the same sign and zero otherwise,

$$\begin{split} [\beta|Y^*,X,\eta] &\sim \mathcal{N}(Q^{-1}l,Q^{-1}) \end{split}$$
 where $Q = X'X + diag(0,1/\eta_2,...,1/\eta_p)$ and $l = X'Y^*,$
$$[\eta_j|\beta_j,\gamma_j] \sim \exp(\frac{\beta_j^2}{2} + \gamma_j), \\ [\gamma_j|\eta_j,\tau_A] &\sim \exp(\eta_j + \tau_A), \\ [\tau_A|\gamma] &\sim \mathrm{Gamma}(\frac{p-2}{2},\sum \gamma_i)\mathrm{I}_{(\frac{1}{100},\infty)}. \end{split}$$

Usage

```
probit_horseshoe_regression <- function(
  Y,
  X,
  niter,
  init = NULL)</pre>
```

Arguments

Y n by 1 vector of ones and zeros
 X n by p predictor matrix, where p > 1 and the first column of X is all 1.
 niter number of gibbs sampling iterations
 init Initial starting values for beta. If NULL, beta is set to zero.

Details

This function returns a niter x p matrix of values where p is the second dimension of the predictor matrix X. The returned matrix contains all generated values of the gibbs sampling markov chain.

```
print("TODO")
```

probit_regression

probit_regression

Gibbs Sampler for Probit Regression

Description

The probit regression model is given by

$$y_i | \pi_i \sim Bernoulli(\pi_i),$$

 $\pi_i = \Phi(x_i^t \beta),$
 $\beta_i \sim N(0, A^2).$

where Φ is given by the gaussian CDF.

The implemented parameter-expanded model is given by

$$y_i^* = x_i^t \beta + \epsilon_i,$$

$$\epsilon_i \sim N(0, 1),$$

$$y_i = I(y_i^* > 0).$$

The full conditional distributions are given by

$$[\beta|y,y^*,X]\sim N(Q^{-1}l,Q^{-1})$$
 where $Q=X^tX+A^{-2}I$ and $l=X^ty^*,$
$$[y_i^*|y_i,\beta,X]\sim sgn(y_i,y_i^*)N(x_i^t\beta,1)$$

where sqn is 1 if both arguments are of the same sign and zero otherwise.

If A is a vector, $Q = X^t X + diag(A)$. A flat prior on the intercept at position 1 is thus given by A = c(Inf, rep(3, p)).

Usage

```
probit_regression <- function(
   Y,
   X,
   niter,
   A = 3,
   init = NULL)</pre>
```

Arguments

Y	n by 1 vector of ones and zeros
X	n by p predictor matrix
niter	number of gibbs sampling iterations
A	A parameter. The default value is chosen to provide a reasonable range of π . If A is a vector, then different variances are given for each intercept.
init	Initial starting values for beta. If NULL, beta is set to zero.

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Details

This function returns a niter x p matrix of values where p is the second dimension of the predictor matrix X. The returned matrix contains all generated values of the gibbs sampling markov chain.

Examples

```
library(LearnBayes)
library(s525)

data(donner)
y = donner$survival
X = cbind(1, donner$age, donner$male)
niter <- 2000
gibbs_results <- probit_regression(y, X, niter)</pre>
```

ridge_regression

Gibbs Sampler for Ridge Regression

Description

The ridge regression model coeffecients are given by

$$\arg\min_{\beta} \parallel Y - X\beta \parallel^2 + \lambda \parallel \beta \parallel^2.$$

This is the implementation of the bayesian interpretation. Namely,

$$[y_i|x_i,\beta,\tau] \sim N(x_i^t\beta,\tau^{-1}), i = 1, ..., n,$$
$$[\beta|\eta] \sim N(0,\eta^{-1}I),$$
$$\tau \sim Gamma(\frac{1}{100},\frac{1}{100}),$$
$$\sigma_{\beta} \sim unif(0,A)$$

where A = 1000 and $\tau = \frac{1}{\sigma_{\beta}^2}$.

Usage

```
ridge_regression <- function(
  Y,
  X,
  niter = 10000)</pre>
```

Arguments

Y n by 1

X n by p predictor matrix

niter number of gibbs sampling iterations

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Details

This function returns the generated parameters from the gibbs sampling markov chain.

Value

beta An niter by p matrix
sigma An niter by 1 matrix
sigma_beta An niter by 1 matrix

Examples

```
# Load the data
prostate.data = "https://web.stanford.edu/~hastie/ElemStatLearn/datasets/prostate.data"
prostate = read.table(file = "prostate.data", sep="", header = TRUE)
# Training data:
prostate_train = prostate[which(prostate$train),-10]
# Testing data:
prostate_test = prostate[which(!prostate$train),-10]
# Response:
y = prostate_train$lpsa
# Center and scale the data:
y = scale(y)
# And the predictors
X = scale(prostate_train[,names(prostate_train) != "lpsa"])
gibbs_ridge <- ridge_regression(y, X, niter=10000)
shrinkage_regression_plot(gibbs_ridge$beta, y, X, main = "Ridge Prior")</pre>
```

rnorm_qinv_l

Sample from multivariate normal distribution

Description

Sample from multivariate normal distribution with mean $Q^{-1}l$ and covariance matrix Q^{-1} .

Usage

```
rnorm_qinv_1 <- function(
  n,
  Q,
  1)</pre>
```

Arguments

```
n number of elements to generate
```

Q p by p precision matrix.

p by 1 vector

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Details

The algorithm is as follows

- 1. Cholesky decomposition of Q into LL^t .
- 2. Sample z from rnorm(p). Let y = Lz + l.
- 3. Solve for x in $LL^tx = y$ and return.

Value

beta An p x 1 vector

An p x 1 vector if n = 1 otherwise a n by p matrix

rplackett_luce

Generate random permutations from a plackett luce distribution

Description

The plackett luce model assigns a probability distribution over permutations.

Usage

```
rplackett_luce <- function(n, vs)</pre>
```

Arguments

n number of permutations to generate

vs k vector of probabilities; need not be scaled to sum to 1

Details

This function returns a n x k matrix where each row is a permutationn generated from plackett luce distributionn with parameters given by vs.

```
library(coda)

vals <- rplackett_luce(100, vs = c(100, 1, 1))
post_vals <- plackett_luce(vals)
plot(as.mcmc(post_vals))</pre>
```

rpost_regression_coef Generate posterior for regression coefecients

Description

Generate a $N(\mu, \Sigma)$ random variable where

$$\Sigma = (X^t X + D^{-1})^{-1},$$

$$\mu = \Sigma X^t \alpha.$$

The algorithm is $O(np^2)$; for large p it performs fast.

Usage

```
rpost_regression_coef <- function(
   X,
   D,
   alpha,
   u = NULL)</pre>
```

Arguments

```
X n by p matrix D p by p matrix alpha n by 1 vector u Optional. If specified, don't generate u \sim N(0,D).
```

Details

The algorithm is from

Bhattacharya, Anirban, Antik Chakraborty, and Bani K. Mallick. "Fast sampling with Gaussian scale mixture priors in high-dimensional regression." Biometrika (2016): asw042.

The algorithm is as follows:

- 1. Sample $u \sim N(0, D), d \sim N(0, I_n)$
- 2. Set v = Xu + d
- 3. Solve $(XDX^t + I_n)w = (\alpha v)$
- 4. Return $\beta = u + DX^t w$

Value

beta An p x 1 vector

```
shrinkage_regression_plot
```

Plot the MC chain of regression coeffecients compared to OLS.

Description

Plot the MC chain of regression coeffecients comparet to OLS using 95% HPD confidence intervals.

Usage

```
horseshoe_regression_plot <- function(
  beta,
  Y,
  X,
  main = "Horseshoe Prior",
  ylim = NULL)</pre>
```

Arguments

beta	n x p MCMC chain of beta coeffecients.
Υ	Y values used to generate beta; used as input to OLS regression
Χ	X values used to generate beta; used as input to OLS regression
main	Title of the plot
ylim	y range of plot

```
# Load the data
prostate.data = "https://web.stanford.edu/~hastie/ElemStatLearn/datasets/prostate.data"
prostate = read.table(file = "prostate.data", sep="", header = TRUE)
# Training data:
prostate_train = prostate[which(prostate$train),-10]
# Testing data:
prostate_test = prostate[which(!prostate$train),-10]
# Response:
y = prostate_train$lpsa
# Center and scale the data:
y = scale(y)
# And the predictors
X = scale(prostate_train[,names(prostate_train) != "lpsa"])
gibbs_hs <- horseshoe_regression(y, X, niter=10000)
shrinkage_regression_plot(gibbs_hs$beta, y, X)</pre>
```

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Description

Sum along a chosen dimension of an arbitrarily dimensioned array.

Usage

```
sumAlong <- function(x, along)</pre>
```

Arguments

x An n dimensional array along the dimension of x to sum along

Details

The method of the source code came from Hadley Wickham: # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/14500707/select-along-one-of-n-dimensions-in-array

This function returns an n-1 dimensional array that is the result of summing along the along dimension.

```
nx = 3
ny = 3
nz = 3
x = array(1:(nx*ny*nz), dim = c(nx, ny, nz))
print(x)
sumAlong(x, 3)
```

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