# Package 'ClusterBootstrap'

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clusbootglm Fit (generalized) linear models with the cluster bootstrap
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#### **Description**

Perform a (generalized) linear model with the cluster bootstrap for analysis of clustered data.

## Usage

```
clusbootglm(model, data, clusterid, family = gaussian, B = 5000,
  confint.level = 0.95, no_cores = 1)
```

#### **Arguments**

model (generalized) linear model to be fitted with the cluster bootstrap. data dataframe that contains the data.

clusterid variable in data that identifies the clusters. family currently, only Gaussian is supported.

B number of bootstrap samples.

confint.level level of confidence interval.

no\_cores number of CPU cores to be used.

#### **Details**

Some useful methods for the obtained clusboot class object are summary.clusboot, coef.clusboot and plot.clusboot.

## Value

clusbootglm produces an object of class "clusboot", containing the following relevant components:

 ${\tt coefficients} \qquad A \ matrix \ of \ B \ rows, \ containing \ the \ parameter \ estimates \ for \ all \ bootstrap \ samples.$ 

Returns the n\*B matrix, of which each column represents a bootstrap sample; each value in a column represents a unit of subjectid

lm. coefs Parameter estimates from a single (generalized) linear model.

boot.coefs Mean values of the paramater estimates, derived from the bootstrap coefficients.

boot.sds Standard deviations of cluster bootstrap parameter estimates.

ci.level User defined confidence interval level.

percentile.interval

Confidence interval based on percentiles, given the user defined confidence interval level.

parametric.interval

Confidence interval based on lm. coefs and column standard deviations of coefficients, given the user defined confidence interval level.

BCa.interval Confidence interval based on percentiles with bias correction and acceleration, given the user defined confidence interval level.

failed.bootstrap.samples

When there are bootstrap samples that returned errors (e.g., convergence errors), their sample numbers are listed here.

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(opposites)
clusbootglm(SCORE~Time*COG,data=opposites,clusterid=opposites$Subject)
## End(Not run)
```

clusbootmatrix

Extract matrix with bootstrap samples

## Description

Obtain a matrix containing the clusterid values for the bootstrap samples in a clusboot object.

## Usage

```
clusbootmatrix(object, whichsample = "all")
```

# Arguments

object of class clusboot, created with the clusbootglm function.

which sample "all" for the complete bootstrap matrix, "failed" for bootstrap samples that re-

turned NAs, or a vector of values for specific bootstrap samples.

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(opposites)
cbglm.1 <- clusbootglm(SCORE~Time*COG,data=opposites,clusterid=opposites$Subject)
clusbootmatrix(cbglm.1, whichsample=c(1:5))
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

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clusbootsample

Create data for specified bootstrap sample

## **Description**

Returns the full data frame for a specified bootstrap sample

## Usage

```
clusbootsample(object, samplenr)
```

## **Arguments**

object of class clusboot, created with the clusbootglm function.
samplenr sample number for which the data frame should be created

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(opposites)
cbglm.1 <- clusbootglm(SCORE~Time*COG,data=opposites,clusterid=opposites$Subject)
clusbootsample(cbglm.1, samplenr=1)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

coef.clusboot

Obtain coefficients from cluster bootstrap object

## **Description**

Obtain coefficients from cluster bootstrap object

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'clusboot'
coef(object, type = "bootstrap", ...)
```

## **Arguments**

object cluster bootstrap model.

type type of coefficient (bootstrap of GLM).

... other arguments.

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(opposites)
cbglm.1 <- clusbootglm(SCORE~Time*COG,data=opposites,clusterid=opposites$Subject)
coef(cbglm.1, type="bootstrap")
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

opposites

Opposites naming data

## Description

The opposites dataframe consists of 144 observations within 36 individuals that completed an inventory that assesses their performance on a timed cognitive task called "opposites naming".

The dataset does not contain the empirical data within 35 individuals from the experiment by Willett (1988), but a simulation based on the multilevel model from Singer & Willett (2003) within 36 individuals.

## Usage

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## Format

the following variables are available:

- Subject: subject indicator
- Time: a time variable ranging 0-3
- COG: cognitive skill, measured once (at time=0)
- SCORE: score on opposites naming task

## References

- Willett, J.B. (1988). Questions and answers in the measurement of change. In: E. Rothkopf (Ed.), *Review of research in education (1988-89)* (pp. 345-422). Washington, DC: American Educational Research Association.
- Singer, J.D., & Willett (2003). Applied longitudinal data analysis. Modeling change and event occurence. NY: Oxford University Press, Inc.

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plot.clusboot

Plot confidence intervals of cluster bootstrap

## **Description**

Plot confidence intervals of cluster bootstrap

## Usage

```
## $3 method for class 'clusboot'
plot(x, interval.type = "percentile",
    show.intercept = FALSE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

x object of class clusboot.

interval.type which confidence interval should be used. Choose par for parametric, per for

percentile, or BCa for BCa interval.

show.intercept plot estimate and confidence interval of the intercept.

... other arguments.

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(opposites)
cbglm.1 <- clusbootglm(SCORE~Time*COG,data=opposites,clusterid=opposites$Subject)
plot(cbglm.1,interval.type="BCa")
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

summary.clusboot

Summarize cluster bootstrap output

## Description

Summarize cluster bootstrap output

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'clusboot'
summary(object, interval.type = "BCa", ...)
```

# Arguments

object cluster bootstrap object.

interval.type which confidence interval should be used. Options are parametric, percentile

and BCa intervals.

... other arguments.

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# Examples

```
## Not run:
data(opposites)
cbglm.1 <- clusbootglm(SCORE~Time*COG,data=opposites,clusterid=opposites$Subject)
summary(cbglm.1, interval.type="percentile")
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

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