

PyRFB

A complete framework for the Bayesian joint inversion of teleseismic converted waves arrival times and polarities.

Receiver Functions Bayesian Inversion (RFB) is a tool written in Python to probabilistically invert teleseismic converted wave arrival times and polarities on the transverse component. It uses the Python package [PyRaySum](#) to compute synthetic receiver functions for the forward model.

Installation and requirements

You will need a Python environment with the module [PyRaySum](#). I strongly recommend creating a custom conda environment where PyRaySum can be installed along with its dependencies. I define here a minimal environment for running PyRFB:

```
conda create -n prs python=3.8 fortran-compiler obspy pandas seaborn
cmcrmeri -c conda-forge
```

```
conda activate prs
```

```
pip install pyraysum
```

Then, you can download PyRFB code from github and add its location to your PATH variable:

```
export PATH="$PATH:/absolute/path/to/PyRFB/"
```

Usage and documentation

0. Input data

Arrival times and polarities need to be organized in 4 files:

- pick_time.csv : arrival times
- pick_time_error.csv : arrival times uncertainties
- pick_polarity.csv : polarities
- pick_polarity_error.csv : polarities uncertainties

The nomenclature for phases is based on PyRaySum

For non picked values, put NaN

```
rfb_i_gen_input.py
```

With every command, you can use `-h` to have help about the usage of the command.

1. Generate structure

Create working directories, copy the data and create a config file (rfbi.ini):

```
rfb_i_make_wkdir.py wkdir datadir  
cd wkdir
```

2. Initiate

Initiate the earth model (number of layers and target parameters). You will need to change the `parameters_inversion.csv` file.

```
rfb_i_init_invstruct.py n_layers target_parameters
```

Check that `parameters_inversion.csv` is correct.

```
rfb_i_check_invstruct.py
```

3. Initiate

Select Metropolis or adaptative Metropolis algorithm and add parameters to config file. You will need to change the inversion and sampling parameters in the config file.

```
rfb_i_init_inversion.py sampling_method
```

4. Plotting data

Plot inversion data:

```
rfb_i_plot_data.py
```

5. Run the inversion

Run the inversion:

```
rfb_i_invert.py
```

6. Plotting inversion results

Finally, you can plot the results of the inversion. It will create figures ...

```
rfb_i_plot_inv.py
```

Contact

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Contributing

All constructive contributions are welcome, e.g. bug reports, discussions or suggestions for new features.