# **MS LDA Package Documentation**

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lda\_original

Run LDA as in the Blei 2003 paper

## Description

Run LDA as in the Blei 2003 paper

# Usage

```
lda_original(docs, K, max_iter = 50, thresh = NULL, seed = NULL)
lda_original_par(
  docs,
 max_iter = 50,
  thresh = NULL,
  seed = NULL,
  cores = NULL
)
lda_noalpha(
 docs,
 Κ,
 max_iter = 50,
 thresh = NULL,
 seed = NULL,
 cores = NULL,
  alpha = NULL
)
```

#### **Arguments**

docs

a list containing all the documents, with the vocabulary encoded e.g. docs[[1]] = c(1, 5, 2) would represent the word indices from a pre-defined vocabulary

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K	the number of topics to look for
max_iter	the maximum number of EM iterations to run
thresh	if you want to set a specific threshold for L convergence, if NULL it's defined as 0.01 percent of the previous value
seed	if you want a reproducible result you can set a seed, if NULL the topic distributions are initialised from K random documents,
cores	number of cores to run the E-step in parallel, if NULL all detected cores are used
alpha	if you want to set the exchangeable Dirichlet parameter for theta, if NULL a default value of 1/K is used

#### Value

A list of all parameters

# **Functions**

• lda\_original\_par: Runs E-step in parallel

• lda\_noalpha: Alpha is fixed

lda\_reshaped Run LDA adapted to use a count matrix

#### **Description**

Run LDA adapted to use a count matrix

## Usage

```
lda_reshaped(
   N,
   K,
   max_iter = 50,
   thresh = NULL,
   seed = NULL,
   cores = NULL,
   alpha = NULL
)
```

#### **Arguments**

N matrix of word counts

K the number of topics to look for

max\_iter the maximum number of EM iterations to run

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thresh	if you want to set a specific threshold for L convergence, if NULL it's defined as 0.01 percent of the previous value
seed	if you want a reproducible result you can set a seed, if NULL the topic distributions are initialised from K random documents,
cores	number of cores to run the E-step in parallel, if NULL all detected cores are used
alpha	if you want to set the exchangeable Dirichlet parameter for theta, if NULL a default value of 1/K is used

#### Value

A list of all parameters

lda\_smoothed Run LDA adapted to use a count matrix

## Description

Run LDA adapted to use a count matrix

# Usage

```
lda_smoothed(
   N,
   K,
   max_iter = 50,
   thresh = NULL,
   seed = NULL,
   cores = NULL,
   alpha = NULL,
   eta = NULL,
   NMF = FALSE
)
```

## Arguments

N	matrix of word counts
K	the number of topics to look for
max_it	the maximum number of EM iterations to run
thresh	if you want to set a specific threshold for L convergence, if NULL it's defined as $0.01$ percent of the previous value
seed	if you want a reproducible result you can set a seed, if NULL the topic distributions are initialised from K random documents,
cores	number of cores to run the E-step in parallel, if NULL all detected cores are used

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alpha	if you want to set the exchangeable Dirichlet parameter for theta, if NULL a default value of 1/K is used
eta	if you want to set the exchangeable Dirichlet parameter for beta, if NULL a default value of $1/K$ is used
NMF	logical indicating if lambda should be initialised using non-negative matrix factorisation, if EALSE it is generated using K random documents

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