# Package 'BIGf90'

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Description  This package provides R functions to run several BLUPf90 modules. Along with an R function to run K-fold crossvalidation for univariate analyses through blupf90+.  The output table from the K-fold crossvalidation function calculates accuracy as cor(y,ebv^) and cor(y*,ebv^) along with bias of ebvs calculated as reg(y,ebv.) You will need to create the .par file to feed into Renumf90 manually. Once this is done, there are functions to run Renumf90, Blupf90+, Predictf90, Gibbsf90+ and Postgibbsf90.  If you need to learn how to use the blupf90 suite of programs refer to nce.ads.uga.edu/wiki/doku.php?id=start. Please remember to cite Blupf90 appropriately along with this package.		
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bf90\_cv

Run K-fold cross-validation analysis (CVA)

## **Description**

This function runs a K-fold cross-validation analysis (CVA) using blupf90 modules.

# Usage

```
bf90_cv(
  path_2_execs,
  missing_value_code,
  random_effect_col,
  h2,
  num_runs,
  num_folds,
  output_table_name,
  renf90_ped_name
)
```

#### Arguments

path\_2\_execs path to a folder that holds all blupf90 executables that ill be used (blupf90+,predictf90). This field should be in quotes "".

missing\_value\_code

code used in the .par file after OPTION MISSING to indicate missing phenotype, if this option is no use, this value must be 0.

random\_effect\_col

Column where random effect is located, found under RANDOM\_GROUP in the

renf90.par file.

h2 estimate of narow-sense heritabilty. This value is use to calculate accuracy of

ebvs

num\_runs Number of independent cross-valdation runs to be performed.

num\_folds Number of folds to be generated within each independent run.

output\_table\_name

Name of the final tab-separated out-up file. This field should be in quotes "".

renf90\_ped\_name

Name of pedigree file generated by renumf90. This field should be in quotes "".

# **Details**

This function sets up and runs a K-fold cross-validation analysis (CVA) using blupf90+ and predictf90. The function run\_renumf90 needs to be used beforehand to process a .par file created by the user. This function calculates 2 accuracy estimates: correlation between raw phenotypes and ebvs divided by the square-root of narrow sense heritabilty and correlation between corrected phenotypes and ebvs along with bias estimations calculated as the regression of the phenotypes on the ebvs.

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#### Value

a tab-separated file that includes accuracy and bias estimates of ebvs.

## **Examples**

```
## Example for a CVA with 5 independent runs dividing the data in 10 folds.
# bf90_cv(path_2_execs = "/Users/johndoe/Desktop/bf90_execs/",
       missing_value_code = -999,
       random_effect_col= 3,
#
#
      h2 = 0.5
      num_runs = 5,
#
       num_folds = 10,
       output_table_name = "example_run",
       renf90_ped_name = "renadd03.ped")
#The function will output the file "example_run" with a layout:
# Metric Run Value
# y-ebv_correlation run 1 0.038
# y-ebv_correlation run 2 0.053
# y-ebv_correlation run 3 0.112
# y-ebv_correlation run 4 0.075
# y-ebv_correlation run 5 0.089
# y*-ebv_correlation run 1 0.947
# y*-ebv_correlation run 2 0.964
# y*-ebv_correlation run 3 0.893
# y*-ebv_correlation run 4 0.883
# y*-ebv_correlation run 5 0.939
# bias run 1 0.085
# bias run 2 0.117
# bias run 3 0.262
# bias run 4 0.164
# bias run 5 0.189
# y-ebv_average_corr 0.074
# y*-ebv_accuracy 0.925
```

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# verage\_bias 0.163

Clean solutions

# y\_corrected\_accuracy (yraw\_average\_corr/sqrt(h2)) 0.105

# Description

This function cleans and formats BLUP solutions.

## Usage

```
clean_solutions(random_effect_col, solutions_output_name)
```

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## **Arguments**

```
random_effect_col
```

Column where random effect is located, found under RANDOM\_GROUP in the renf90.par file.

```
solutions_output_name
```

name for the output file. This field should be in quotes "".

#### **Details**

This function cleans and formats the raw solutions file produced by blupf90+ by removing the solutions to all effects other than the random effect (ebvs). I also matches the processed ID assigned by renumf90 to the original ID for each individual tested producing a interpretable output file with two columns: ID and EBV.

#### Value

a tab-separated file that includes the original id and ebv for all individuals for which an EBV was produced.

#### **Examples**

```
## Example
clean_solutions(3,
"my_clean_ebvs")
```

run\_blup

Run blupf90+

## **Description**

This function runs blupf90+ using a pre-processed parameter file called renf90.par.

# Usage

```
run_blup(path_2_execs)
```

# Arguments

path\_2\_execs path to a folder that holds the renumf90 executable. This field should be in quotes "".

#### **Details**

This function runs blupf90+ using a parameter file named renf90.par. Since this function depends only on the renf90.par parameter file, the only input needed from the user is a path where the blupf90+ executable is located.

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## **Examples**

```
## Example
# run_blup(path_2_execs = "/Users/johndoe/Desktop/bf90_execs/")
```

run\_gibbs Run gibbsf90+

# Description

This function runs gibbsf90+.

# Usage

```
run_gibbs(path_2_execs, gibbs_iter, gibbs_burn, gibbs_keep)
```

# Arguments

path_2_execs	path to a folder that holds the renumf90 executable. This field should be in quotes "".
gibbs_iter	number of samples in the Gibbs sampler.
gibbs_burn	number of samples to be discarded at the begining of the Gibbs sampler
gibbs_keep	the interval to save samples (thinning). Entering a 1 means all samples are kept.

## **Details**

This function runs gibbsf90+ using input from the user and a renf90.par file. This function is written to use a renf90.par parameterfile, therefore the function run\_renumf90 needs to be used beforehand to process a .par file created by the user. The user will have to enter the number of samples in the MCMC chain, the number of samples to burn and the number used to thin samples.

# **Examples**

```
## Example

# run_gibbs( path_2_execs = "/Users/johndoe/Desktop/bf90_execs/",
# gibbs_iter = 250000,
# gibbs_burn = 20000
# gibbs_keep = 1)
```

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run\_postgibbs

Run postgibbsf90

# Description

This function runs postgibbsf90 using the renf90.par file used to run gibbsf90+

# Usage

```
run_postgibbs(path_2_execs, postgibbs_burn, postgibbs_keep)
```

## **Arguments**

```
path_2_execs path to a folder that holds the renumf90 executable. This field should be in quotes "".

postgibbs_burn number of samples to be discarded at the begining of the Gibbs sampler postgibbs_keep the interval to save samples (thinning). Entering a 1 means all samples are kept.#'
```

#### **Details**

This function runs postgibbsf90 to provide diagnostic statistics, posterior means and standard deviations for analyses performed through gibbsf90+. This function is written to run using the same renf90.par file used with run\_gibbs and its output files are be the standard output files produced by postgibbsf90. The user will have to enter the number of samples to burn and the number used to thin samples.

#### **Examples**

```
## Example
# run_postgibbs( path_2_execs = "/Users/johndoe/Desktop/bf90_execs/",
# postgibbs_burn =1,
# postgibbs_keep = 100)
```

run\_predict

Run predictf90

#### **Description**

This function runs predict90.

## Usage

```
run_predict(path_2_execs)
```

### **Arguments**

```
path_2_execs path to a folder that holds the renumf90 executable. This field should be in quotes "".
```

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#### **Details**

This function runs predictf90 using a pre-processed parameter file called renf90.par to calculate adjusted phenotypes. This function is written to use a renf90.par file and a solutions file. Therefore run\_renum and run\_blup should be ran before using this function. The output files are be the standard output files produced by predictf90

## **Examples**

```
## Example
# run_predict(path_2_execs = "/Users/johndoe/Desktop/bf90_execs/")
```

run\_renum

Run renumf90

## **Description**

This function runs renumf90.

## Usage

```
run_renum(path_2_execs, raw_par_file)
```

#### Arguments

```
path_2_execs path to a folder that holds the renumf90 executable. This field should be in quotes "".

raw_par_file name of the .par file that will be processed. This field should be in quotes "".
```

# Details

This function runs renumf90 to process the raw parameter(.par) file to be used with the blupf90 suite of programs. The outputs will be the standard output files produced by renumf90.

#### **Examples**

```
## Example
# run_renum(path_2_execs = "/Users/johndoe/Desktop/bf90_execs/",
    raw_par_file = "weight_2022_no_cov_cv.par")
```