

# Package ‘iForm’

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**Type** Package

**Title** Forward Selection Under Marginality Principle

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**Description** Extended variable selection approaches to jointly model main and interaction effects from high-dimensional data.

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**LazyData** TRUE

**RoxygenNote** 6.0.1.9000

**Suggests** knitr, rmarkdown

**VignetteBuilder** knitr

**NeedsCompilation** no

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*Interaction Screening for Ultra-High Dimensional Data*

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**Arguments**

formula	an object of class "formula" (or one that can be coerced to that class): a symbolic description of the model to be fitted. The details of model specification are given under 'Details'.
data	data.frame of your data with the response and all p predictors
strong	logical TRUE to use strong heredity or FALSE to use weak heredity (default TRUE)
higher_order	logical TRUE indicating to include order-3 interactions in the search (default FALSE)

**Details**

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**Value**

a summary of the linear model returned after the selection procedure

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iformselect	<i>Inner workings for different selections under different higher-orders and strength of marginality.</i>
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**Arguments**

x	design matrix of predictors
y	response variable
p	the size of the predictor set
n	the size of the number of observations
candidate	the current candidate set of predictors to select from
solution	the current set of predictors already selected
model	the set of predictors to use in the final model

<code>bic</code>	the cutoff value for determining the model set
<code>step</code>	the step in the iteration currently on
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