overview result variables

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basic structure (or results)

This document provides an overview over all result variables from models fitted to the data.

```
# general collection of parameter values
source("setParameters.R") # import parameter values
# all result files in this folder
resFolder <- paste0("results/finalResults")</pre>
# there are separate result files depending on ...
\# ... N = number of observations in the training data
# ... pTrash = number of "trash" predictors (without association to the outcome)
# .. reliability = amount of measurement error in the predictors (i.e., reliability)
# separation of these result files due to different data sets (raw data)
length(setParam$dgp$N) * length(setParam$dgp$pTrash) * length(setParam$dgp$reliability)
## [1] 18
condGrid <- expand.grid(N = setParam$dgp$N,</pre>
```

pTrash = setParam\$dgp\$pTrash,

```
reliability = setParam$dgp$reliability)
(condN_pTrash <- paste0("N", condGrid$N,</pre>
                        "_pTrash", condGrid$pTrash,
                       "_rel", condGrid$reliability))
##
   [1] "N100_pTrash10_rel0.6" "N300_pTrash10_rel0.6"
                                                         "N1000_pTrash10_rel0.6"
   [4] "N100_pTrash50_rel0.6"
                                "N300_pTrash50_rel0.6"
                                                         "N1000_pTrash50_rel0.6"
## [7] "N100_pTrash10_rel0.8"
                                "N300_pTrash10_rel0.8"
                                                         "N1000_pTrash10_rel0.8"
## [10] "N100_pTrash50_rel0.8"
                                "N300 pTrash50 rel0.8"
                                                         "N1000_pTrash50_rel0.8"
## [13] "N100_pTrash10_rel1"
                                "N300_pTrash10_rel1"
                                                         "N1000_pTrash10_rel1"
## [16] "N100_pTrash50_rel1"
                                "N300_pTrash50_rel1"
                                                         "N1000_pTrash50_rel1"
# thus, for each model there are 18 different data sets
# model x N x pTrash x rel = 3 * 18
modelVec = c("ENETw", "ENETwo", "GBM")
# additionally, there are different conditions withon each data set (results and raw data)
# every simulated combination of R^2 and the distribution of linear and interaction effect strength
# results are within the same results file due to identical raw data that these results are based on
      ... reason: predictor matrices are identical; only y is different for these simulated conditions
length(setParam$dgp$Rsquared) * length(setParam$dgp$percentLinear)
## [1] 9
setParam$dgp$condLabel
## [1] "R20.2lin_inter0.5_0.5" "R20.5lin_inter0.5_0.5" "R20.8lin_inter0.5_0.5"
## [4] "R20.2lin inter0.8 0.2" "R20.5lin inter0.8 0.2" "R20.8lin inter0.8 0.2"
## [7] "R20.2lin_inter0.2_0.8" "R20.5lin_inter0.2_0.8" "R20.8lin_inter0.2_0.8"
# this is what idxCondLabel in every results matrix refers to
GBM
dataGBM <- readRDS(pasteO(resFolder, "/resultsModelGBM_N100_pTrash10_rel0.6.rds"))</pre>
names (dataGBM)
                             "performTestStats"
                                                  "performPerSample"
## [1] "performTrainStats"
## [4] "pvi"
                             "interStrength"
                                                  "selectionPerSample"
performTrainStats
average model performance on train data (M, SD, SE)
  • Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE)
  • explained variance (R2)
  • Mean Absolute Error (MAE)
... for model training
```

SE idxCondLabel

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head(dataGBM[["performTrainStats"]])

Rsquared 0.4920534 0.1485967 0.004696693

0.8405980 0.1338975 0.004232097

RMSE

```
## MAE
           0.6654320 0.1094446 0.003459213
## RMSE
           0.9111951 0.1763371 0.005573483
                                                      2
## Rsquared 0.5849742 0.1438278 0.004545962
                                                      2
           0.7129608 0.1393026 0.004402933
                                                      2
## MAE
dim(dataGBM[["performTrainStats"]])
## [1] 27 4
unique(rownames(dataGBM[["performTrainStats"]]))
## [1] "RMSE"
                  "Rsquared" "MAE"
length(unique(rownames(dataGBM[["performTrainStats"]]))) * length(setParam$dgp$condLabels)
## [1] 27
performTestStats
average model performance on test data (M, SD, SE)
  • Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE)
  • explained variance (R2)
  • Mean Absolute Error (MAE)
... for model testing
head(dataGBM[["performTestStats"]])
                                            SE idxCondLabel
##
                               SD
## RMSE_test 1.11019484 0.03632734 0.0011481974
## Rsq_test 0.03279288 0.01820744 0.0005754822
1
## RMSE_test 1.33652742 0.03926786 0.0012411384
                                                          2
                                                          2
## Rsq_test 0.13733325 0.03495652 0.0011048699
## MAE_test 1.05341541 0.03235678 0.0010227000
dim(dataGBM[["performTestStats"]])
## [1] 27 4
unique(rownames(dataGBM[["performTestStats"]]))
## [1] "RMSE_test" "Rsq_test" "MAE_test"
length(unique(rownames(dataGBM[["performTestStats"]]))) * length(setParam$dgp$condLabels)
## [1] 27
performPerSample
test and train model performance for every sample seperately
head(dataGBM[["performPerSample"]])
##
       RMSE_train Rsq_train MAE_train RMSE_test
                                                  Rsq_test MAE_test idxCondLabel
## [1,] 0.8571109 0.5169028 0.6766980 1.114232 0.04834497 0.8878258
## [2,] 0.8205897 0.5174764 0.6620355 1.097997 0.03274074 0.8712258
                                                                                1
## [3,] 0.8928365 0.5877287 0.7235196 1.100334 0.02855933 0.8702007
                                                                                1
## [4,] 0.9596363 0.3683726 0.7189861 1.075575 0.05106747 0.8575467
                                                                                1
```

[5,] 0.7625454 0.6364275 0.6012461 1.089215 0.04472461 0.8685576

pvi

permutation variable importance from the iml package

Molnar C, Bischl B, Casalicchio G (2018). "iml: An R package for Interpretable Machine Learning." JOSS, 3(26), 786. https://doi.org/10.21105/joss.00786.

- model agnostic statistic
- calculated with the FeatureImp-function
- the factor by which the model's prediction error increases when the feature is shuffled
- high values signify high importance of the predictor
- importance values of 1 signifies irrelevance of the predictor for prediction

head(dataGBM[["pvi"]])

```
##
        idxCondLabel sample pviRank pviValue
## [1,] "1"
                     "1"
                            "Var4" "1.23666581887633"
## [2,] "1"
                     "1"
                             "Var1" "1.13699423859367"
## [3,] "1"
                     "1"
                             "Var10" "1.13375985233702"
                     "1"
                            "Var3" "1.12232590776119"
## [4,] "1"
                             "Var14" "1.08192613931664"
## [5,] "1"
                     "1"
                     "1"
                                    "1.06037299689272"
## [6,] "1"
                             "Var5"
dim(dataGBM[["pvi"]])
## [1] 126000
# dimensions depend on number of trash predictors
(setParam$dgp$pTrash[1] + length(setParam$dgp$linEffects)) *
  length(setParam$dgp$condLabels) * setParam$dgp$nTrain
## [1] 126000
# pviRank = feature
# pviValue = importance
```

interStrength

H-statistic to quantify/evaluate predictive value of interactions

Friedman, J. H., & Popescu, B. E. (2008). Predictive learning via rule ensembles. Section 8.1

- model agnostic statistic
- only for variables with simulated main effects otherwise interaction strength is overestimated
- see also Greenwell et al. (2018) and Henninger et al. (2023)
- does feature interact with any other feature?

- The interaction strength between two features is the proportion of the variance of the 2-dimensional partial dependence function that is not explained by the sum of the two 1-dimensional partial dependence functions.
- intereaction strength between 0 (no interaction) and 1 (all of variation of the predicted outcome depends on a given interaction)

```
 \begin{tabular}{ll} * & pd(ij) = interaction partial dependence of variables $i$ and $j$ \\ * & pd(i) = partial dependence of variable $i$ \\ * & pd(j) = partial dependence of variable $j$ \\ * & upper = sum(pd(ij) - pd(i) - pd(j)) \\ * & lower = variance(pd(ij)) \\ * & rho = upper / lower \\ \end{tabular}
```

- partial dependence of the interaction relative to partial dependence of the main effects; thus, for variables without simulated effects the overall interaction strength might be as high as for variables with actually simulated interactions only because these variables do have main effects as well (see also Greenwell et al. (2018) and Henninger et al. (2023))
- across variables comparison of overall interaction strength is meaningsless

head(dataGBM[["interStrength"]])

```
##
        idxCondLabel sample var
                                    feature
                                                  interaction
## [1,] "1"
                      "1"
                             "Var1" "Var13: Var1" "2.58853105069788e-16"
## [2,] "1"
                      "1"
                             "Var1" "Var8: Var1" "2.43397575335057e-16"
                      "1"
                             "Var1" "Var11: Var1" "2.4158144694548e-16"
  [3,] "1"
                      "1"
                                                  "2.20163707840716e-16"
  [4,] "1"
                             "Var1" "Var7:Var1"
                      "1"
                             "Var1" "Var12: Var1" "2.06138534384012e-16"
## [5,] "1"
                      "1"
## [6.] "1"
                             "Var1" "Var14: Var1" "1.8246850778026e-16"
dim(dataGBM[["interStrength"]])
```

```
## [1] 467458 5
```

selectionPerSample

save cross-validated tuning parameters from each sample

```
head(dataGBM[["selectionPerSample"]])
```

```
##
         \verb|shrinkage| max_depth| \verb|min_child_weight| Nrounds | idxCondLabel|
## [1,]
              0.101
                                                            50
                                                   10
                                                                             1
                               1
## [2,]
                               2
              0.051
                                                   10
                                                            50
                                                                             1
              0.051
                               2
## [3,]
                                                   5
                                                            50
                                                                             1
## [4,]
              0.051
                               1
                                                   10
                                                            50
                                                                             1
## [5,]
              0.051
                               3
                                                   10
                                                            50
                                                                             1
## [6,]
                                                            50
              0.051
                               1
                                                   5
                                                                             1
dim(dataGBM[["selectionPerSample"]])
```

```
1 10
```

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ENET

[1] 9000

We fitted elastic net regression with and without every possible interaction term. The results structure is exactly the same for both result sets.

```
## ENETw
dataENETw <- readRDS(pasteO(resFolder, "/resultsModelENETw_N100_pTrash10_rel0.6.rds"))</pre>
## ENETwO
dataENETwo <- readRDS(paste0(resFolder, "/resultsModelENETwo_N100_pTrash10_rel0.6.rds"))</pre>
names(dataENETw)
## [1] "performTrainStats"
                             "performTestStats"
                                                    "performPerSample"
## [4] "pvi"
                             "estBeta"
                                                    "estBetaFull"
## [7] "varSelection"
                             "selectionPerSample"
names(dataENETwo)
## [1] "performTrainStats"
                             "performTestStats"
                                                    "performPerSample"
## [4] "pvi"
                             "estBeta"
                                                    "estBetaFull"
## [7] "varSelection"
                             "selectionPerSample"
```

performTrainStats

average model performance on train data (M, SD, SE)

- Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE)
- explained variance (R2)
- Mean Absolute Error (MAE)
- ... for model training

head(dataENETw[["performTrainStats"]])

```
SE idxCondLabel
##
                    М
                              SD
## RMSE
            0.9670660 0.1454180 0.004596224
## Rsquared 0.2910277 0.2490249 0.007870923
                                                         1
## MAE
            0.7692498 0.1190301 0.003762183
                                                         1
                                                         2
## RMSE
            1.0022261 0.1612174 0.005095593
## Rsquared 0.5405313 0.1852564 0.005855394
                                                         2
            0.7890151 0.1300499 0.004110483
                                                         2
dim(dataENETw[["performTrainStats"]])
```

[1] 27 4

performTestStats

average model performance on test data (M, SD, SE)

- Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE)
- explained variance (R2)
- Mean Absolute Error (MAE)
- ... for model testing

head(dataENETw[["performTestStats"]])

```
## RMSE_test 1.10263468 0.02481480 0.0007843209 1
## Rsq_test 0.02213517 0.02425250 0.0007665483 1
## MAE_test 0.87071628 0.02042927 0.0006457074 1
## RMSE_test 1.33461596 0.04376299 0.0013832157 2
```

```
## Rsq_test 0.14148427 0.05673306 0.0017931607 2
## MAE_test 1.04895230 0.03009674 0.0009512669 2
dim(dataENETw[["performTestStats"]])
## [1] 27 4
```

performPerSample

test and train model performance for every sample seperately

head(dataENETw[["performPerSample"]])

```
##
        RMSE_train Rsq_train MAE_train RMSE_test
                                                   Rsq_test MAE_test idxCondLabel
         1.0762868 0.2443216 0.8517423 1.077085 0.05250888 0.8501188
## [1,]
## [2,]
        0.9441997 0.3898368 0.7628229
                                        1.087213 0.02633052 0.8635293
                                                                                  1
## [3,]
         1.1907412 0.0000000 0.9762181 1.101580 0.00000000 0.8659799
                                                                                  1
         0.5655483 0.8190477 0.4250905
                                        1.219698 0.01328528 0.9672027
                                                                                  1
## [4,]
         1.0808131 0.0000000 0.8825165
                                        1.101316 0.00000000 0.8664454
## [5,]
                                                                                  1
## [6,]
        0.9529803 0.5484472 0.7327433
                                       1.070776 0.06456348 0.8498249
                                                                                  1
dim(dataENETw[["performPerSample"]])
```

```
## [1] 9000 7
```

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head(dataENETw[["pvi"]])

```
##
        idxCondLabel sample pviRank
                                             pviValue
                      "1"
## [1,] "1"
                              "Var4"
                                             "1.05477050968387"
        "1"
                      "1"
                                             "1.04583579177207"
## [2,]
                              "Var1"
##
   [3,]
        "1"
                      "1"
                              "Var3.Var11"
                                             "1.0260267536791"
                      "1"
                              "Var13.Var14" "1.01718570837662"
   [4,] "1"
  [5,] "1"
                      "1"
                                             "1"
                              "Var2"
                      "1"
                                             "1"
## [6,] "1"
                              "Var3"
dim(dataENETw[["pvi"]])
```

```
## [1] 945000 4
```

estBeta

average estimated coefficients (M, SD, SE)

- for all variables in the model (including trash variables)
- additionally for all possible interactions (including trash variables)

• variables which are not selected by ENET were removed from mean calculation: coefficients that are exactly zero (i.e., not selected) are replaced by "NA"

```
head(dataENETw[["estBeta"]])
##
                                          SE idxCondLabel
                             SD
## Var1 0.0208080600 0.03340722 0.0010559011
## Var2 0.0197902244 0.03203341 0.0010124792
## Var3 0.0210069338 0.03182349 0.0010058445
## Var4 0.0220472227 0.03359157 0.0010617279
## Var5 0.0001194359 0.01357104 0.0004289396
                                                         1
## Var6 0.0003863555 0.01529530 0.0004834383
                                                         1
dim(dataENETw[["estBeta"]])
## [1] 945
length(setParam$dgp$condLabels) *
  (setParam$dgp$nModelPredictors[1] + # all interactions
     length(setParam$dgp$linEffects) + setParam$dgp$pTrash[1]) # linear predictors and trash variables
## [1] 945
```

estBetaFull

estimated coefficients

• variables which are not selected by ENET were removed: coefficients that are exactly zero (i.e., not selected) are replaced by "NA"

```
dataENETw[["estBetaFull"]][1:6, 1:6]
                s0
                            s0 s0
                                            s0 s0
                                                           s0
## Var1 0.05481151 0.009517774 NA 0.063830756 NA 0.11493200
## Var2
                NA 0.137207531 NA 0.096537206 NA
## Var3
                NA 0.001589884 NA 0.024171376 NA 0.03289980
                            NA NA 0.084299523 NA 0.03106650
## Var4 0.09449719
## Var5
                            NA NA -0.009350175 NA
## Var6
                NA
                            NA NA -0.043384310 NA 0.02830189
dim(dataENETw[["estBetaFull"]])
## [1] 945 1000
# conditions x {variables, interactions} in rows
# samples in columns
length(setParam$dgp$condLabels) *
  (setParam$dgp$nModelPredictors[1] + # all interactions
     length(setParam$dgp$linEffects) + setParam$dgp$pTrash[1]) # linear predictors and trash variables
```

varSelection

[1] 945

- How frequently are linear predictors or interactions kept in the model?
 - frequency of variable selection
 - relative frequency

head(dataENETw[["varSelection"]]) ## nSelection percSelection idxCondLabel ## Var1 413 41.3 387 38.7 ## Var2 1 ## Var3 423 42.3 1 ## Var4 410 41.0 1 ## Var5 145 14.5 1 ## Var6 147 14.7 1 dim(dataENETw[["varSelection"]]) ## [1] 945

selectionPerSample

• nLin: how many of the linear effects are recovered?

conditions x {variables, interactions} in rows

- nInter: how many of the interaction effects are recovered?
- all.T1F0: every simulated effect selected in model?
- nOthers: only simulated effects selected (i.e., every other predictor is not selected!)
- final ENET tuning parameters (alpha & lambda) for every sample

head(dataENETw[["selectionPerSample"]])

##		nLin	nInter	all.T1F0	nOthers	alpha	lambda	${\tt idxCondLabel}$	
##	[1,]	2	0	0	2	0.2631579	0.7602339	1	
##	[2,]	3	1	0	11	0.1578947	0.8803410	1	
##	[3,]	0	0	0	0	0.7368421	0.6490058	1	
##	[4,]	4	4	1	97	0.0000000	0.6322021	1	
##	[5,]	0	0	0	0	0.7368421	0.5789930	1	
##	[6,]	3	4	0	29	0.1052632	0.8280816	1	
din	ı(data	aENET	J[["sele	ectionPer	Sample"]])			

```
## [1] 9000 7
```

rows: every sample in every condition