Rcdm Package Demo

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Installation

To install the package from the source code, Rcpp and RcppArmadillo are re- quired. If you have not installed Rcpp and RcppArmadillo packages, run:

```
install.packages(c("Rcpp", "RcppArmadillo"))
```

Then, install the package either by the command:

```
install.packages("Rcdm_0.1-0.tar.gz", repos = NULL, type = "source")
```

or if you are using RStudio go to "Packages - Install - Install from" and choose "Package Archive File" then Browse the File and klick Install. Alternatively your can install Rcdm directly from GitHub:

```
install.packages("devtools") # if you have not installed devools
devtools::install_github("mphili/cdm")
```

Rcdm currently depends on Rcpp, Matrix, limSolve and gtools packages, that need to be installed on your system.

```
install.packages(c("Rcpp", "Matrix", "limSolve", "gtools"))
```

Fitting a GDINA model

```
library("Rcdm")
```

Load your own data or use the data example from the pks package:

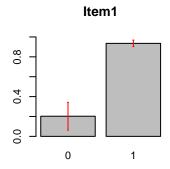
```
# install.packages("pks")
data("probability", package = "pks")
# reduce to 12 items from the first test
items <- sprintf("b1%.2i", 1:12)</pre>
resp <- probability[, items]</pre>
resp <- resp[complete.cases(resp),]</pre>
qmat <- t(read.table(header = FALSE, text = "</pre>
 0 1 0 0 1
                       1
                            0 0
                                     0 1
     0
          0 1
                   0
                        0
                            0
                                 0
                                     1 1
                                                   1
 0
                                              1
                          1
 1
    0 0 0 1
                        1
                                 1
                                     1 0
                                            1
                                                   1
    0 1 0
                   0
                               1
                                   0
                                        0
                                              0 1
 0
                        0
                          1
"))
colnames(qmat) <- c("cp", "id", "pb", "un")</pre>
rownames(qmat) <- colnames(resp)</pre>
```

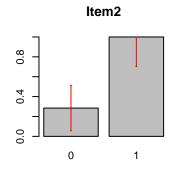
Fit a GDINA model using the Rcdm package:

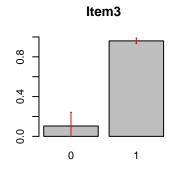
```
mGDINA <- gdina(resp, qmat)
```

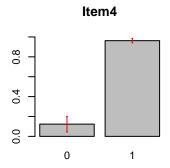
Plot the estimated conditional response probabilities:

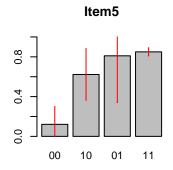
```
plot(mGDINA)
```

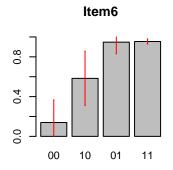


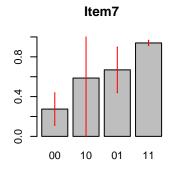


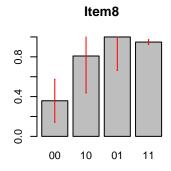


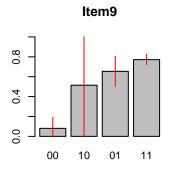


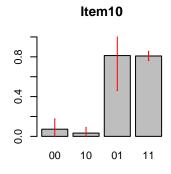


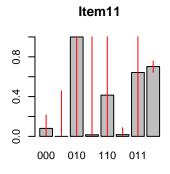


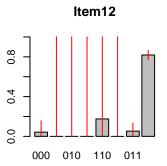












Analyzing the Result

Parameter Estimates

Extract the estimates of the item parameters:

mGDINA\$dj

```
## $b101
    d_0
## 0.2026237 0.7328790
##
## $b102
##
      d_0
                d_1
## 0.2845926 0.7154054
##
## $b103
##
      d_0
## 0.1043282 0.8561985
##
## $b104
##
       d_0
## 0.1231026 0.8395613
##
## $b105
                           d_2
        d_0
                  d_1
   0.1209243 \quad 0.5015454 \quad 0.6894077 \ -0.4617671
##
## $b106
        d_0
                  d_1
                           d_2
##
   ##
## $b107
##
                  d_1
                             d_2
   ##
##
  $b108
##
        d_0
                  d_1
                           d_2
##
   0.3582082 \quad 0.4501938 \quad 0.6417898 \quad -0.5016836
##
## $b109
         d_0
                    d_1
                              d_2
                                        d_12
   ##
##
## $b110
##
         d_0
                    d_1
                              d_2
##
   0.07219741 -0.03921185 0.74069189 0.03489225
##
## $b111
##
         d_0
                    d_1
                              d_2
                                    d_3
                                                  d_12
##
   0.08022087 \ -0.08021887 \ \ 0.91977713 \ -0.06451234 \ -0.50500065 \ \ 0.08168869
##
        d_23
                  d_123
##
  -0.29302834 0.56309866
##
```

```
## $b112

## d_0 d_1 d_2 d_3 d_12 d_13

## 0.04242436 -0.04242236 -0.04242236 -0.04242236 0.21772990 0.04242236

## d_23 d_123

## 0.09498799 0.54806811
```

Extract the estimates of the latent class distribution

mGDINA\$pa

```
0000
                        1000
                                     0100
                                                   0010
## 8.118021e-02 1.222217e-02 5.123528e-03 1.949008e-02 1.064277e-02
           1100
                        1010
                                     1001
                                                   0110
## 9.999996e-07 9.999996e-07 4.669068e-02 9.999996e-07 1.821362e-03
           0011
                        1110
                                     1101
                                                   1011
                                                                0111
## 3.593686e-03 2.728925e-03 1.150701e-02 1.149323e-01 3.068450e-02
           1111
## 6.593798e-01
```

Extract the estimates of the response probabilities:

mGDINA\$pj

```
## $b101
##
           0
## 0.2026237 0.9355027
##
## $b102
##
           0
## 0.2845926 0.9999990
##
## $b103
           0
## 0.1043282 0.9605268
##
## $b104
##
           0
## 0.1231026 0.9626639
## $b105
          00
                    10
## 0.1209243 0.6224697 0.8103320 0.8501103
##
## $b106
          00
                    10
## 0.1392815 0.5833885 0.9476719 0.9541663
##
## $b107
          00
                    10
                               01
                                         11
## 0.2745512 0.5866198 0.6690054 0.9397380
##
## $b108
```

```
00
                    10
                               01
## 0.3582082 0.8084021 0.9999990 0.9485082
## $b109
##
           00
                      10
                                  01
## 0.08063802 0.51464876 0.65419391 0.77206717
##
## $b110
##
           00
                       10
                                  01
                                              11
## 0.07219741 0.03298556 0.81288930 0.80856969
## $b111
                                                                    101
##
          000
                     100
                                 010
                                            001
                                                        110
## 0.08022087 0.00000100 0.99999900 0.01570852 0.41477848 0.01717834
          011
                     111
## 0.64245732 0.70202515
##
## $b112
##
          000
                     100
                                 010
                                            001
                                                        110
## 0.04242436 0.00000100 0.00000100 0.00000100 0.17530953 0.00000100
##
          011
                      111
## 0.05256762 0.81836563
```

Get a nice table that contains the estimates of the item parameters:

coef(mGDINA)

```
##
          item itemno
                        rule
                              0.20262371
## d_0
          b101
                    1 G-DINA
## d_1
          b101
                    1 G-DINA
                              0.73287898
## d_01
          b102
                    2 G-DINA
                              0.28459258
## d_11
          b102
                    2 G-DINA
                              0.71540542
## d_02
          b103
                    3 G-DINA
                              0.10432823
## d 14
          b103
                    3 G-DINA
                              0.85619854
## d_03
                    4 G-DINA
                              0.12310264
         b104
## d 15
          b104
                    4 G-DINA
                              0.83956128
## d_04
          b105
                    5 G-DINA
                              0.12092427
## d_16
          b105
                    5 G-DINA
                              0.50154544
## d_2
                    5 G-DINA 0.68940769
          b105
## d_12
          b105
                    5 G-DINA -0.46176715
## d_05
          b106
                    6 G-DINA
                             0.13928146
## d_17
          b106
                    6 G-DINA
                              0.44410707
## d_21
          b106
                    6 G-DINA 0.80839046
## d_121
                    6 G-DINA -0.43761267
         b106
                             0.27455117
## d_06
          b107
                    7 G-DINA
## d_18
          b107
                    7 G-DINA 0.31206864
## d_22
          b107
                    7 G-DINA 0.39445421
## d_122
         b107
                    7 G-DINA -0.04133606
## d_07
          b108
                    8 G-DINA
                             0.35820825
## d_19
          b108
                    8 G-DINA 0.45019381
## d_24
          b108
                    8 G-DINA 0.64178975
                    8 G-DINA -0.50168364
## d_124
         b108
                    9 G-DINA 0.08063802
## d_08
          b109
```

```
## d_110 b109
                   9 G-DINA 0.43401073
## d_25
         b109
                   9 G-DINA 0.57355589
## d 125
         b109
                   9 G-DINA -0.31613747
## d_09
         b110
                  10 G-DINA 0.07219741
## d_111 b110
                  10 G-DINA -0.03921185
## d 26
         b110
                  10 G-DINA 0.74069189
## d 126 b110
                  10 G-DINA 0.03489225
## d_010 b111
                  11 G-DINA 0.08022087
## d_112 b111
                  11 G-DINA -0.08021887
## d_27
         b111
                  11 G-DINA 0.91977713
## d_3
         b111
                  11 G-DINA -0.06451234
## d_127 b111
                  11 G-DINA -0.50500065
## d_13
                  11 G-DINA 0.08168869
         b111
## d_23
         b111
                  11 G-DINA -0.29302834
## d_123 b111
                  11 G-DINA 0.56309866
## d_011 b112
                  12 G-DINA 0.04242436
## d_113 b112
                  12 G-DINA -0.04242236
## d 28
         b112
                  12 G-DINA -0.04242236
                  12 G-DINA -0.04242236
## d_31
         b112
## d_128 b112
                  12 G-DINA 0.21772990
## d_131 b112
                  12 G-DINA 0.04242236
## d_231 b112
                  12 G-DINA 0.09498799
## d 1231 b112
                  12 G-DINA 0.54806811
```

Standard Errors

Compute the (correct) variance covariance matrix of all model parameters:

```
v0 <- vcov(mGDINA)
```

Compute the (incorrect) variance covariance matrix by ignoring the skill parameters:

```
v1 <- vcov(mGDINA, type = "partial")
```

Compute the (incorrect) variance covariance matrix by item-wise computation of the information matrix:

```
v2 <- vcov(mGDINA, type = "itemwise")</pre>
```

Standard errors for the item parameters

```
cbind("full (correct)" = sqrt(diag(v0))[seq(1, 2*nrow(qmat))],
    "partial (incorrect)" = sqrt(diag(v1)),
    "itemwise (incorrect)" = sqrt(diag(v2)))
```

```
##
         full (correct) partial (incorrect) itemwise (incorrect)
   [1,]
             0.07121171
                                                       0.05217388
##
                                 0.06518312
   [2,]
##
             0.07279614
                                 0.06718363
                                                       0.05464946
##
   [3,]
                                 0.08626799
                                                      0.06796940
             0.11612098
##
  [4,]
             0.17182358
                                 0.09082291
                                                      0.07200665
  [5,]
##
             0.07021230
                                 0.05737784
                                                      0.04947524
##
  [6,]
             0.07127242
                                 0.05879708
                                                      0.05108984
```

```
[7,]
##
             0.04012112
                                  0.03712668
                                                         0.03196255
             0.04161989
##
    [8,]
                                  0.03877674
                                                        0.03398180
##
    [9,]
             0.09022412
                                  0.08127162
                                                        0.05204203
## [10,]
             0.15288442
                                  0.14595823
                                                         0.11984529
## [11,]
             0.24267117
                                  0.17271489
                                                         0.10754958
## [12,]
             0.30099310
                                  0.21197154
                                                        0.15516515
## [13.]
             0.11624850
                                  0.07362337
                                                        0.05860907
                                                        0.12465630
## [14,]
             0.18365387
                                  0.15544856
## [15,]
             0.13378764
                                  0.09471415
                                                         0.08028801
## [16,]
             0.19781948
                                  0.16807885
                                                        0.13786396
## [17,]
             0.08273508
                                  0.07972691
                                                        0.06892772
## [18,]
             0.38165644
                                  0.23151316
                                                         0.19463657
## [19,]
             0.14913728
                                  0.14203399
                                                        0.12228028
## [20,]
                                                        0.22077888
             0.40243539
                                  0.26098010
## [21,]
                                                        0.07466451
             0.11027818
                                  0.10202863
## [22,]
             0.23194382
                                  0.21088713
                                                         0.17283776
## [23,]
             0.21392272
                                  0.13561825
                                                        0.10649104
## [24,]
             0.31876822
                                  0.23353762
                                                         0.18993072
## [25,]
             0.07121171
                                  0.05117352
                                                        0.03965984
## [26,]
             0.07279614
                                  0.33093551
                                                         0.21983244
## [27,]
             0.11612098
                                  0.09225305
                                                        0.08007924
## [28,]
             0.17182358
                                  0.34467225
                                                        0.23263022
## [29,]
             0.07021230
                                  0.04495428
                                                        0.03709611
## [30.]
             0.07127242
                                  0.05504762
                                                         0.04790852
## [31,]
             0.04012112
                                  0.17987668
                                                        0.11732563
## [32,]
             0.04161989
                                  0.18640738
                                                        0.12498224
## [33,]
             0.09022412
                                                         0.04556542
                                  0.05686949
## [34,]
             0.15288442
                                  0.16883727
                                                         0.14127159
## [35,]
             0.24267117
                                  1.17855729
                                                        0.58522110
## [36,]
             0.30099310
                                                        0.13230816
                                  0.17203164
## [37,]
             0.11624850
                                  1.34215412
                                                        0.73703531
## [38,]
             0.18365387
                                  0.26305703
                                                        0.20132970
## [39,]
             0.13378764
                                  1.18352783
                                                        0.59909999
## [40,]
             0.19781948
                                  1.34629442
                                                         0.75301474
## [41,]
             0.08273508
                                  0.04349507
                                                         0.03255495
## [42,]
             0.38165644
                                  1.28860960
                                                        0.66098386
## [43,]
             0.14913728
                                  0.47840854
                                                        0.37345415
## [44,]
             0.40243539
                                  0.27081987
                                                        0.21384399
## [45,]
                                  1.81386396
             0.11027818
                                                         1.28479053
## [46,]
             0.23194382
                                  1.51520043
                                                        0.93376039
## [47,]
             0.21392272
                                  0.55708288
                                                         0.43506161
## [48,]
             0.31876822
                                  1.98297735
                                                         1.44835048
```

Standard errors for the parameter estimates of the latent class distribution

```
sqrt(diag(v1))[-seq(1, 2*nrow(qmat))]
```

```
## [1] 0.05117352 0.33093551 0.09225305 0.34467225 0.04495428 0.05504762

## [7] 0.17987668 0.18640738 0.05686949 0.16883727 1.17855729 0.17203164

## [13] 1.34215412 0.26305703 1.18352783 1.34629442 0.04349507 1.28860960

## [19] 0.47840854 0.27081987 1.81386396 1.51520043 0.55708288 1.98297735
```

Confidence intervals

Confidence intervals for the intem parameters using the correct computation of the standard errors:

confint(mGDINA, alpha = 0.05)

##		itemno	lower	upper
##	b101.d_0	1	0.063051317	0.34219611
##	b101.d_1	1	0.590201164	0.87555680
##	b102.d_0	2	0.056999643	0.51218552
##	b102.d_1	2	0.378637393	1.05217344
##	b103.d_0	3	-0.033285348	0.24194181
##	b103.d_1	3	0.716507162	0.99588991
##	b104.d_0	4	0.044466697	0.20173858
##	b104.d_1	4	0.757987789	0.92113478
##	b105.d_0	5	-0.055911749	0.29776029
##	b105.d_1	5	0.201897496	0.80119339
##	b105.d_2	5	0.213780936	1.16503445
##	b105.d_12	5	-1.051702786	0.12816849
##	b106.d_0	6	-0.088561417	0.36712434
##	b106.d_1	6	0.084152099	0.80406205
##	b106.d_2	6	0.546171496	1.07060942
##	b106.d_12	6	-0.825331729	-0.04989362
##	b107.d_0	7	0.112393391	0.43670894
##	b107.d_1	7	-0.435964239	1.06010151
##	b107.d_2	7	0.102150511	0.68675791
##	b107.d_12	7	-0.830094927	0.74742281
##	b108.d_0	8	0.142066992	0.57434950
##	b108.d_1	8	-0.004407718	0.90479533
##	b108.d_2	8	0.222508928	1.06107058
##	b108.d_12	8	-1.126457865	0.12309059
##	b109.d_0	9	-0.026767989	0.18804404
##	b109.d_1	9	-0.361300942	1.22932240
##	b109.d_2	9	0.378491204	0.76862057
##	b109.d_12	9	-1.136093436	0.50381850
##	b110.d_0	10	-0.030869172	0.17526400
##	b110.d_1	10	-0.162227099	0.08380339
##	b110.d_2	10	0.375569476	1.10581429
##	b110.d_12	10	-0.342500140	0.41228464
##	b111.d_0	11	-0.052037188	0.21247892
##	b111.d_1	11	-0.555819291	0.39538156
##	b111.d_2	11	-9.697870384	11.53742465
##	b111.d_3	11	-3.266888533	3.13786385
##	b111.d_12	11	-11.345357072	10.33535576
##	_	11	-3.225420402	3.38879778
##	_	11	-11.487323073	10.90126640
##	_	11	-10.845750188	11.97194751
##	_	12	-0.070306683	0.15515541
##	_	12		4.22649313
##	_	12		4.11356509
##	_	12		1.17193143
##	_	12		7.47923079
##	b112.d_13	12		6.19252451
##	b112.d_23	12	-3.859605176	4.04958115

Item-level fit

Item-level comparison of saturated and reduced models (de la Torre, 2013):

gdina_wald(mGDINA)

```
##
                  W value df
                                Pr(>W)
## b101 1.000000
                       NA NA
                                    NA
## b102 1.000000
                       NA NA
                                    NA
## b103 1.000000
                       NA NA
                                    NA
## b104 1.000000
                       NA NA
                                    NA
## b105 2.000000 14.529871 2 0.0006996 ***
## b106 2.000000 38.464606 2 4.441e-09 ***
## b107 2.000000 7.259821 2 0.0265186 *
## b108 2.000000 9.369927 2 0.0092331 **
## b109 2.000000 33.230430 2 6.083e-08 ***
## b110 2.000000 18.538968 2 9.426e-05 ***
## b111 3.000000 7.210987 6 0.3017754
## b112 3.000000 0.046081 6 0.9999980
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

Fit indices

[1] 4977.977

```
logLik(mGDINA)

## 'log Lik.' -2425.988 (df=63)

BIC(mGDINA)

## [1] 5243.999

AIC(mGDINA)
```

Fitting Reduced Models

```
Fit the reduced DINA model
```

```
mDINA <- gdina(resp, qmat, rule = "DINA")</pre>
Fit the reduced DINO model
```

```
mDINO <- gdina(resp, qmat, rule = "DINO")</pre>
```

Fit the reduced ACDM

```
mACDM <- gdina(resp, qmat, rule = "ACDM")</pre>
```

Model comparisons

Compare (non-nested) models

```
AIC(mDINA, mDINO, mACDM, mGDINA)
```

```
## df AIC
## mDINA 39 5035.778
## mDINO 39 5204.394
## mACDM 49 4949.977
## mGDINA 63 4977.977
```

BIC(mDINA, mDINO, mACDM, mGDINA)

```
## mDINA 39 5200.459
## mDINO 39 5369.075
## mACDM 49 5156.883
## mGDINA 63 5243.999
```

compare (nested) models

```
anova(mDINA, mACDM, mGDINA)
```

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## Analysis of Variance Table
##
##
     Npar logLik
                            BIC Df Deviance Pr(>Chi)
                     AIC
## m1
       39 -2478.9 5035.8 5200.5
## m2
       49 -2426.0 4950.0 5156.9 10
                                     105.8
                                             <2e-16 ***
## m3
       63 -2426.0 4978.0 5244.0 14
                                      0.0
                                                  1
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(mDINO, mACDM, mGDINA)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Npar logLik AIC BIC Df Deviance Pr(>Chi)
## m1 39 -2563.2 5204.4 5369.1
## m2 49 -2426.0 4950.0 5156.9 10 274.42 <2e-16 ***
## m3 63 -2426.0 4978.0 5244.0 14 0.00 1
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## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1</pre>
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