LMM_NvS

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Changes

• 1/28/25: loading data

```
library(lme4)

## Loading required package: Matrix

library(dplyr)

## Attaching package: 'dplyr'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':

## filter, lag

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':

## intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

library(ggplot2)
```

Load Data

```
# File from github
filepath = "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/shabanm2/Utqiagvik/pca-25/Analysis_Ready_Data/"
df <- read.csv(paste0(filepath, "daily_2022_2024.csv"))
df <- df %>% select(-X) %>% select(-X.1)
df$Date <- as.POSIXct(df$date, format="%Y-%m-%d")
df <- df %>% filter(windspeed != -888.88) %>% filter(winddir != -888.88)
```

Select and Transform Data

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North vs South
```

TNHA:

North = TNHA-SC

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South = TNHA-SA
SSMH:
North = SSMH-SB
South = SSMH-SA
BEO (Control): does not have different aspects
nvs <- df %>% filter(fullname == "TNHA-SA" | fullname == "TNHA-SC" | fullname == "SSMH-SB" | fullname =
# filter out data from before data collection
# filter to get only depth of 10cm for now
df_10cm <- nvs %>% filter(grounddepth == 8) %>% filter(Date >= "2022-06-19")
```

Fit LMM

solar

```
lmm0 <- lmer(groundtemp ~ airtemp + vwc + solar + windspeed + aspect + (1|site), data = df_10cm)</pre>
summary(lmm0)
## Linear mixed model fit by REML ['lmerMod']
## Formula: groundtemp ~ airtemp + vwc + solar + windspeed + aspect + (1 |
##
      site)
##
     Data: df_10cm
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 10927.7
##
## Scaled residuals:
      Min
               1Q Median
                               3Q
                                      Max
## -3.7941 -0.4783 0.0118 0.5160 7.8222
## Random effects:
## Groups Name
                        Variance Std.Dev.
## site
             (Intercept) 0.05909 0.2431
## Residual
                        6.46800 2.5432
## Number of obs: 2317, groups: site, 2
##
## Fixed effects:
                Estimate Std. Error t value
## (Intercept) -0.3345152 0.2573161 -1.300
               0.6739394 0.0087078 77.394
## airtemp
               3.6543524 0.5076261
## VWC
                                      7.199
## solar
              -0.0051227 0.0009276 -5.523
## windspeed
               0.1069898 0.0632437
                                      1.692
## aspectSouth 1.1278163 0.1159095
                                      9.730
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
             (Intr) airtmp vwc
                                   solar wndspd
              0.494
## airtemp
## VWC
              -0.586 - 0.664
              -0.306 -0.287 0.130
```

```
## windspeed
               -0.355 -0.123 0.151 0.076
## aspectSouth -0.368 -0.177 0.296 -0.160 0.233
lmm1 <- lmer(groundtemp ~ airtemp + vwc + solar + aspect + (1|site), data = df_10cm)</pre>
summary(lmm1)
## Linear mixed model fit by REML ['lmerMod']
## Formula: groundtemp ~ airtemp + vwc + solar + aspect + (1 | site)
##
      Data: df_10cm
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 10926.9
## Scaled residuals:
##
       Min
                10 Median
                                       Max
## -3.8346 -0.4751 0.0114 0.5207 7.8056
##
## Random effects:
##
   Groups
            Name
                         Variance Std.Dev.
             (Intercept) 0.05317 0.2306
##
   site
   Residual
                         6.47347 2.5443
## Number of obs: 2317, groups: site, 2
##
## Fixed effects:
##
                 Estimate Std. Error t value
## (Intercept) -0.1796726 0.2343280
                                      -0.767
## airtemp
                0.6758010
                           0.0086438
                                      78.183
## VWC
                3.5232102
                           0.5019738
                                       7.019
                           0.0009253
## solar
               -0.0052399
                                      -5.663
## aspectSouth 1.0820043 0.1127689
                                       9.595
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##
               (Intr) airtmp vwc
                                    solar
                0.499
## airtemp
               -0.592 -0.658
## VWC
               -0.307 -0.281 0.121
## solar
## aspectSouth -0.322 -0.154 0.271 -0.183
coef(lmm1)
## $site
##
        (Intercept) airtemp
                                            solar aspectSouth
                                 VWC
## SSMH -0.02520229 0.675801 3.52321 -0.00523987
                                                     1.082004
## TNHA -0.33414284 0.675801 3.52321 -0.00523987
                                                     1.082004
##
## attr(,"class")
## [1] "coef.mer"
```

It seems like there is not too much of a difference between the two sites, but there is still presence of a difference as shown by the two different intercepts for SSMH vs TNHA.

Graphing linear models: Random effects have different intercepts, and the fixed effects have different slopes

```
coeffs = coef(lmm1)$site
```

Table Output

```
library(stargazer)
##
## Please cite as:
Hlavac, Marek (2022). stargazer: Well-Formatted Regression and Summary Statistics Tables.
## R package version 5.2.3. https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=stargazer
stargazer(lmm1, type = "html",
   digits = 3,
   star.cutoffs = c(0.05, 0.01, 0.001),
   digit.separator = "")
##
## </td
## 
## groundtemp
## <td style="text-align:left"
## (0.009)
## 
## vwc3.523<sup>***</sup>
## (0.502)
## 
## (0.001)
## 
## aspectSouth1.082<sup>***</sup>
## (0.113)
## 
\label{thm:constant} \parbox{$^{td}=$} text-align:left">Constant
## (0.234)
## <tr>
## style="text-align:left"
## Log Likelihood-5463.442
## Akaike Inf. Crit.10940.880
## Bayesian Inf. Crit.10981.120
## <td style="text-align:left"
##
```