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calculate_AUC	Function that produces Area Under the Curve(AUC) property for a
	single individual in a particular group, for a specific metabolite

Description

Function that produces Area Under the Curve(AUC) property for a single individual in a particular group, for a specific metabolite

Usage

```
calculate_AUC(f, upperbound)
```

Arguments

f function that returns the prediction of a metabolite concentration, for a single

individual in a particular group

upperbound Numeric value that serves as the upperbound of integration

Value

AUC for this metabolite, in a particular group for a single individual

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(cubature)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
modify.df <- data.frame(
    ID = rep(sprintf("%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
    Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
    Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
    Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
    BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1),
    Concentration = NA
)
for (i in 1:10) {
    for (d in 1:3) {
        C0 <- runif(1, 10, 15)  # initial concentration</pre>
```

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```
k \leftarrow runif(1, 0.1, 0.3) # decay rate constant
   modify.df$Concentration[modify.df$ID == sprintf("%02d", i) & modify.df$Diet == d] <-</pre>
   C0 * exp(-k * modify.df$Time[modify.df$ID == sprintf("%02d", i) & modify.df$Diet == d])
}
}
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
model <- gammaFunction(</pre>
  modify.df,
  covariates,
  time_grp_inter = FALSE,
return_ml_model = FALSE, include_grp = TRUE
test_data <- modify.df %>%
  filter(Diet == 1 & ID == "04") %>%
  select(-c("Concentration", "ID", "Diet"))
f_dat = modify.df %>%
  filter(Diet == 1 & ID == "04") %>%
  select(-Concentration)
f <- generate_f_function(</pre>
  data = f_dat,
  model = model,
  grp_var = 1,
  grp_name = "Diet",
  ID = "04",
  ref = 1
AUC <- calculate_AUC(f, 9)
AUCInf <- calculate_AUC(f, Inf)
```

calculate_Cmax

Function that produces Cmax property for a single individual in a particular group, for a specific metabolite

Description

Function that produces Cmax property for a single individual in a particular group, for a specific metabolite

Usage

```
calculate_Cmax(data, model, grp_var, ID, grp_name = "Diet", Tmax)
```

Arguments

data Data frame containing columns Group(factor); ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive:

numeric); other individiual characteristics covariates (exlcluding other forms of

'Time')

model Fitted model for the metabolite in question

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grp_var Value of the grouping variable

ID Subject ID

grp_name Name of the grouping variable. Default is 'Diet'

Tmax for this metabolite, in a particular group for a single individual

Value

Cmax for this metabolite, in a particular group for a single individual

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

Examples

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(rootSolve)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
 Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
 Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
 Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
 BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1),
 Concentration = round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2)
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
model <- gammaFunction(</pre>
 df,
 covariates,
 time_grp_inter = FALSE,
 return_ml_model = FALSE,
 include_grp = TRUE
 )[[1]]
test_data = df %>% filter(Diet == 1 & ID == "02") %>% select(-c("Concentration", "ID", "Diet"))
Tmax <- calculate_Tmax(data = test_data, model, grp_var = 1, ID = "02", grp_name = 'Diet', ref = 1)</pre>
Cmax <- calculate_Cmax(data = test_data, model, grp_var = 1, ID = "02", grp_name = "Diet", Tmax)</pre>
```

calculate_half_life Function that produces Half-life property for a single individual in a particular group, for a specific metabolite

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Description

Function that produces Half-life property for a single individual in a particular group, for a specific metabolite

Usage

```
calculate_half_life(f, Tmax, Cmax)
```

Arguments

f function that returns the prediction of a metabolite concentration, for a single individual in a particular group

Tmax property of a metabolite, for a single individual in a particular group

Cmax Cmax property of a metabolite, for a single individual in a particular group

Value

Half-life for this metabolite, in a particular group for a single individual

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(rootSolve)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
modify.df <- data.frame(</pre>
  ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
  Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
  Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
  Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
  BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1),
  Concentration = NA
)
for (i in 1:10) {
 for (d in 1:3) {
   C0 <- runif(1, 10, 15)
                              # initial concentration
   k \leftarrow runif(1, 0.1, 0.3) # decay rate constant
   modify.df$Concentration[modify.df$ID == sprintf("%02d", i) & modify.df$Diet == d] <-</pre>
    C0 * exp(-k * modify.df$Time[modify.df$ID == sprintf("%02d", i) & modify.df$Diet == d])
 }
}
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
```

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```
model <- gammaFunction(</pre>
  modify.df,
  covariates,
  time_grp_inter = FALSE,
  return_ml_model = FALSE,
  include\_grp = TRUE
  )[[1]]
test_data = modify.df %>%
  filter(Diet == 1 & ID == "03") %>%
  select(-c("Concentration", "ID", "Diet"))
Tmax <- calculate_Tmax(data = test_data, model, grp_var = 1, ID = "03", grp_name = 'Diet', ref = 1)</pre>
Cmax <- calculate_Cmax(data = test_data, model, grp_var = 1, ID = "03", grp_name = "Diet", Tmax)</pre>
f_dat = modify.df %>% filter(Diet == 1 & ID == "03") %>% select(-Concentration)
f <- generate_f_function(</pre>
  data = f_dat,
  model = model,
  grp\_var = 1,
  grp_name = "Diet",
  ID = "03",
  ref = 1)
half_life <- calculate_half_life(f, Tmax, Cmax)</pre>
```

calculate_Tmax

Function that produces Tmax property for a single individual in a particular group, for a specific metabolite

Description

Function that produces Tmax property for a single individual in a particular group, for a specific metabolite

Usage

```
calculate_Tmax(data, model, grp_var, ID, grp_name = "Diet", ref = 1)
```

Arguments

data	Data frame containing columns Group(factor); ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive: numeric); other individiual characteristics covariates(excluding other forms of 'Time')
model	Fitted model for the metabolite in question
grp_var	Value of the grouping variable
ID	Subject ID
grp_name	Name of the grouping variable. Default is 'Diet'
ref	numeric or character. The reference level for the grouping variable, as a factor

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Value

Tmax for this metabolite, in a particular group for a single individual

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

Examples

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(rootSolve)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
 Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
 Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
 Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
 BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1),
 Concentration = round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2)
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
model <- gammaFunction(</pre>
 df,
 covariates,
 time_grp_inter = FALSE,
 return_ml_model = FALSE,
 include\_grp = TRUE
test_data = df %>% filter(Diet == 1 & ID == "01") %>% select(-c("Concentration", "ID", "Diet"))
Tmax <- calculate_Tmax(data = test_data, model, grp_var = 1, ID = "01", grp_name = 'Diet', ref = 1)</pre>
```

diffGrpResponse

Function that produces a summary table for coefficient estimates, their p-values and LRT p-values for every metabolite in the dataframe

Description

Function that produces a summary table for coefficient estimates, their p-values and LRT p-values for every metabolite in the dataframe

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Usage

```
diffGrpResponse(
    df,
    met_vec,
    covariates,
    time_terms = c("Time", "log(Time)"),
    grp = "Diet",
    random_formula = ~1 + Time | ID/Diet,
    correlation_formula = corSymm(form = ~Time | ID/Diet),
    weights = varIdent(form = ~1 | Time)
)
```

Arguments

Data frame containing columns Group(numeric or character); ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive: numeric); other Time terms (numeric); other individual characteristics covariates; as well columns of metabolite concentrations

met_vec Vector of metabolite names

covariates Vector containing the names of the "ID" covariate, grouping covariate and other

covariates excluding any "Time" covariates

time_terms Vector that contains all additional form of the covariate 'Time" (including the

'Time' covariate), and must contain 'log(Time)', other forms also include I(Time^2)

and I(Time^3);

grp Grouping variable;

random_formula Random effects formula for the model, nested effects of Diet within ID (could

also add random slope for 'Time');

correlation_formula

Correlation formula. Default is autorgressive but can accommodate other forms

such as unstructured covariance or exponential covariance;

weights specify a variance function that models heteroscedasticity

Value

Data frame that contains the coefficient estimates, their corresponding p-values; LRT p-values for Time-Group interactions (for every 'Time' term); LRT p-values for Group and Time-Group interactions (for every 'Time' term); as well as the fitted models for each metabolite

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

Examples

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
  Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
  Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
  Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
  BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1)
metvar <- paste0("met", 1:10)</pre>
concentration_data <- replicate(10, round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2))</pre>
colnames(concentration_data) <- metvar[1:10]</pre>
df <- cbind(df, as.data.frame(concentration_data))</pre>
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
result <- diffGrpResponse(df, metvar, covariates)[[1]]</pre>
summary(result)
```

diffGrpResponse_parallel

Parallelized version of diffGrpResponse()

Description

Parallelized version of diffGrpResponse()

Usage

```
diffGrpResponse_parallel(
    df,
    met_vec,
    covariates,
    time_terms = c("Time", "log(Time)"),
    grp = "Diet",
    random_formula = ~1 + Time | ID/Diet,
    correlation_formula = corSymm(form = ~Time | ID/Diet),
    weights = varIdent(form = ~1 | Time)
)
```

Arguments

Data frame containing columns Group(numeric or character); ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive: numeric); other Time terms (numeric); other individual characteristics covariates; as well columns of metabolite concentrations

met_vec Vector of metabolite names

	covariates	Vector containing the names of the "ID" covariate, grouping covariate and other covariates excluding any "Time" covariates
	time_terms	Vector that contains all additional form of the covariate 'Time" (including the 'Time' covariate), and must contain ' $log(Time)$ ', other forms also include I(Time^2) and I(Time^3);
	grp	Grouping variable;
	random_formula	Random effects formula for the model, nested effects of Diet within ID (could also add random slope for 'Time');
correlation_formula		
		Correlation formula. Default is autorgressive but can accommodate other forms such as unstructured covariance or exponential covariance;
	weights	specify a variance function that models heteroscedasticity

Value

Data frame that contains the coefficient estimates, their corresponding p-values; LRT p-values for Time-Group interactions (for every 'Time' term); LRT p-values for Group and Time-Group interactions (for every 'Time' term); as well as the fitted models for each metabolite

Note

This function uses parallel processing via the 'future.apply' package. To enable parallel execution, runs the following before calling this function:

library(future.apply) plan(multisession, workers = parallel::detectCores() - 1)

You only need to set the plan once per session.

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
df <- data.frame(
   ID = rep(sprintf("%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
   Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
   Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
   Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
   BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1)
)
metvar <- paste0("met", 1:10)
concentration_data <- replicate(10, round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2))
colnames(concentration_data) <- metvar[1:10]</pre>
```

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```
df <- cbind(df, as.data.frame(concentration_data))
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")
library(future.apply)
plan(multisession, workers = parallel::detectCores() - 1)
result <- diffGrpResponse(df, metvar, covariates)[[1]]
summary(result)</pre>
```

gammaFunction

Implementation of the novel non-linear mixed-effects model based on gamma function form with nested covariance structure where random effects are specified for each Diet level within each subject (ID), capturing within-subject correlation across dietary conditions. to identify metabolites that responds to time differentially across dietary groups

Description

Implementation of the novel non-linear mixed-effects model based on gamma function form with nested covariance structure where random effects are specified for each Diet level within each subject (ID), capturing within-subject correlation across dietary conditions. to identify metabolites that responds to time differentially across dietary groups

Usage

```
gammaFunction(
  data,
  covariates,
  time_terms = c("Time", "log(Time)"),
  grp = "Diet",
  random_formula = ~1 + Time | ID/Diet,
  correlation_formula = corSymm(form = ~Time | ID/Diet),
  weights = varIdent(form = ~1 | Time),
  time_grp_inter = TRUE,
  return_ml_model = FALSE,
  include_grp
)
```

Arguments

data	Data frame that contains the 'ID' column along with all covariates as well as concentration column, named 'Concentration', for a single metabolite
covariates	Vector containing the names of the "ID" covariate, grouping covariate and other covariates excluding any "Time" covariates
time_terms	Vector that contains all additional form of the covariate 'Time" (including the 'Time' covariate), and must contain 'log(Time)', other forms also include I(Time^2) and I(Time^3);
grp	Grouping variable;

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random_formula Random effects formula for the model, nested effects of Diet within ID (could also add random slope for 'Time');

correlation_formula

Correlation formula. Default is autorrgressive but can accommodate other forms such as unstructured covariance or exponential covariance;

specify a variance function that models heteroscedasticity

time_grp_inter Boolean value that indicates if the model should include interactions terms of

'time terms' with 'Group';

return_ml_model

weights

Boolean value that indicates if the model should fit "ML" model as well as

"REML" model(default)

include_grp boolean value to indicate whether or not 'grp' should be included in the model

construction

Value

mixed effects models for a single metabolites: one with REML, the other with ML

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
 Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
 Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
 Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
 BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1),
 Concentration = round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2)
)
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
model <- gammaFunction(</pre>
 df,
 covariates,
 random_formula = ~ 1 | ID/Diet,
 correlation_formula = corAR1(form = ~ Time | ID/Diet),
 weights = NULL,
 include_grp = TRUE)[[1]]
summary(model)
```

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generatePlot	Function that generate plots for metabolite models

Description

Function that generate plots for metabolite models

Usage

```
generatePlot(
  graph,
  df,
  met_vec,
  covariates,
  grp = "Diet",
  models,
  save_path = NULL
)
```

Arguments

graph	character string, 'None' by default. If not 'None, in addition to returning models, produces pdf file of graphs based on the specific value of 'graph'.
df	Data frame containing columns Group(factor); ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive: numeric); other Time terms (numeric); other individidual characteristics covariates; as well columns of metabolite concentrations
met_vec	the vector of metabolite names
covariates	Vector containing the names of the "ID" covariate, grouping covariate and other covariates excluding any "Time" covariates;
grp	is the grouping variable;
models	a list of fitted non-linear mixed effects metabolite models
save_path	location where the pdf file will be saved; default is NULL, i.e. pdf is saved to a temporary location

Value

A pdf file for fitted concentation curves that is saved to a user provided file location; otherwise saved to a temporary location

References

```
Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr
```

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

generate_f_function

Examples

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
require(patchwork)
require(scales)
 df <- data.frame(</pre>
  ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
  Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
  Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
  Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
  BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1)
)
metvar <- paste0("met", 1:10)</pre>
concentration_data <- replicate(10, round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2))</pre>
colnames(concentration_data) <- metvar[1:10]</pre>
df <- cbind(df, as.data.frame(concentration_data))</pre>
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
mods <- generate_models(df = df, met_vec = metvar, covariates = covariates, graph = 'None')</pre>
generatePlot(
  graph = "individual_separated",
  df = df,
  met_vec = metvar,
  covariates = covariates,
  grp = "Diet",
 models = mods,
  save_path = NULL
```

generate_f_function Function

Function produce predictions from the model

Description

Function produce predictions from the model

Usage

```
generate_f_function(data, model, grp_var, grp_name = "Diet", ID, ref = 1)
```

Arguments

data	Data frame containing columns Group(factor); ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive: numeric); other individiual characteristics covariates (excluding other forms of 'Time')
model	Fitted model for the metabolite in question
grp_var	Value of the grouping variable

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```
grp_name Name of the grouping variable. Default is 'Diet'

ID Subject ID

ref reference group
```

Value

f function that produces the prediction from this model for a specific individual in a specific group

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
modify.df <- data.frame(</pre>
  ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
  Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
  Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
  Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
  BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1),
  Concentration = NA
)
for (i in 1:10) {
 for (d in 1:3) {
   C0 <- runif(1, 10, 15)
                               # initial concentration
   k \leftarrow runif(1, 0.1, 0.3) # decay rate constant
   modify.df$Concentration[modify.df$ID == sprintf("%02d", i) & modify.df$Diet == d] <-
    \texttt{C0} * \exp(-\texttt{k} * \texttt{modify.df\$Time[modify.df\$ID} == \texttt{sprintf("\%02d", i) \& modify.df\$Diet} == \texttt{d]}) 
}
}
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
model <- gammaFunction(</pre>
  modify.df,
  covariates,
  time_grp_inter = FALSE,
  return_ml_model = FALSE,
  include\_grp = TRUE
 )[[1]]
test_data = modify.df %>%
  filter(Diet == 1 & ID == "04") %>%
  select(-c("Concentration", "ID", "Diet"))
f_dat = modify.df %>% filter(Diet == 1 & ID == "04") %>% select(-Concentration)
f <- generate_f_function(</pre>
  data = f_{dat}
  model = model,
  grp_var = 1,
  grp_name = "Diet",
  ID = "04",
  ref = 1
```

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Function that produces a fitted gamma model for each metabolite

Description

Function that produces a fitted gamma model for each metabolite

Usage

```
generate_models(
    df,
    met_vec,
    covariates,
    time_terms = c("Time", "log(Time)"),
    grp_name = "Diet",
    random_formula = ~1 + Time | ID/Diet,
    correlation_formula = corSymm(form = ~Time | ID/Diet),
    weights = varIdent(form = ~1 | Time),
    graph = "None",
    save_path = NULL
)
```

Arguments

df	Data frame containing columns	Group(factor); ID(subject II	D: character); Time(positive:

numeric); other Time terms (numeric); other individidual characteristics covari-

ates; as well columns of metabolite concentrations

met_vec the vector of metabolite names

covariates Vector containing the names of the "ID" covariate, grouping covariate and other

covariates excluding any "Time" covariates

time_terms is the vector that contains all additional form of the covariate 'Time" (including

the 'Time' covariate), and must contain 'log(Time)', other forms also include

I(Time^2) and I(Time^3);

grp_name is the grouping variable;

random_formula is the random effects formula for the model, nested effects of Diet within ID

(could also add random slope for 'Time');

correlation_formula

is the correlation formula. Default is autorgressive but can accommodate other

forms such as unstructured covariance or exponential covariance;

weights specify a variance function that models heteroscedasticity;

graph character string, 'None' by default. If not 'None, in addition to returning models,

produces pdf file of graphs based on the specific value of 'graph'.

save_path location where the pdf file will be saved; default is NULL, i.e. pdf is saved to a

temporary location

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Value

List that contains fitted models for each metabolite and a pdf file for fitted concentation curves.

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

Examples

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
 df <- data.frame(</pre>
  ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
  Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
  Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
  Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
  BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1)
)
metvar <- paste0("met", 1:10)</pre>
concentration_data <- replicate(10, round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2))</pre>
colnames(concentration_data) <- metvar[1:10]</pre>
df <- cbind(df, as.data.frame(concentration_data))</pre>
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
mods <- generate_models(</pre>
  df = df,
 met_vec = metvar,
  covariates = covariates,
  graph = 'None',
  save_path = NULL)
```

 ${\tt grpResp2Time}$

Function that produces a summary table for coefficient estimates, their p-values and LRT p-values for every metabolite in the dataframe, for a single Group

Description

Function that produces a summary table for coefficient estimates, their p-values and LRT p-values for every metabolite in the dataframe, for a single Group

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Usage

```
grpResp2Time(
  df,
  met_vec,
  covariates,
  time_terms = c("Time", "log(Time)"),
  grp = "Diet",
  random_formula = ~1 | ID,
  correlation_formula = corAR1(form = ~Time | ID),
  weights = NULL
)
```

Arguments

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d†	Data frame confaming	information for	r a single group	containing columns grp;
u i	Data Haine containing	minormation for	a single group,	containing coraining grp,

ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive: numeric); other Time terms (numeric); other individual characteristics covariates; as well columns of metabolite con-

centrations

met_vec Vector of metabolite names

covariates Vector containing the names of the "ID" covariate, grouping covariate and other

covariates excluding any "Time" covariates

time_terms Vector that contains all additional form of the covariate 'Time" (including the

'Time' covariate), and must contain 'log(Time)', other forms also include I(Time^2)

and I(Time^3);

grp Grouping variable (should be a single valued column);

random_formula Random effects formula for the model, within ID (could also add random slope

for 'Time');

correlation_formula

Correlation formula. Default is autorgressive but can accommodate other forms

such as unstructured covariance or exponential covariance;

weights specify a variance function that models heteroscedasticity

Value

Data frame that contains the coefficient estimates, their corresponding p-values as well as LRT p-values for 'Time' terms

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

Examples

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
  Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
  Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
  Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
  BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1)
metvar <- paste0("met", 1:10)</pre>
concentration_data <- replicate(10, round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2))</pre>
colnames(concentration_data) <- metvar[1:10]</pre>
df <- cbind(df, as.data.frame(concentration_data))</pre>
df_single_diet <- subset(df, Diet == 1)</pre>
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
result_SD <- grpResp2Time(df_single_diet, metvar, covariates)[[1]]</pre>
summary(result_SD)
```

grpResp2Time_parallel Vectorized version of grpRes2Time()

Description

Vectorized version of grpRes2Time()

Usage

```
grpResp2Time_parallel(
   df,
   met_vec,
   covariates,
   time_terms = c("Time", "log(Time)"),
   grp = "Diet",
   random_formula = ~1 | ID,
   correlation_formula = corAR1(form = ~Time | ID),
   weights = NULL
)
```

Arguments

df

Data frame containing information for a single group, containing columns grp; ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive: numeric); other Time terms (numeric); other individual characteristics covariates; as well columns of metabolite concentrations

met_vec

Vector of metabolite names

	covariates	Vector containing the names of the "ID" covariate, grouping covariate and other covariates excluding any "Time" covariates
	time_terms	Vector that contains all additional form of the covariate 'Time" (including the 'Time' covariate), and must contain ' $\log(\text{Time})$ ', other forms also include I(Time^2) and I(Time^3);
	grp	Grouping variable (should be a single valued column);
	random_formula	Random effects formula for the model, within ID (could also add random slope for 'Time');
correlation_formula		
		Correlation formula. Default is autorgressive but can accommodate other forms such as unstructured covariance or exponential covariance;
	weights	specify a variance function that models heteroscedasticity

Value

Data frame that contains the coefficient estimates, their corresponding p-values as well as LRT p-values for 'Time' terms

Note

This function uses parallel processing via the 'future.apply' package. To enable parallel execution, runs the following before calling this function:

library(future.apply) plan(multisession, workers = parallel::detectCores() - 1)

You only need to set the plan once per session.

References

Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
require(nlme)
df <- data.frame(
   ID = rep(sprintf("%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
   Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
   Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
   Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
   BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1)
)
metvar <- paste0("met", 1:10)
concentration_data <- replicate(10, round(runif(270, 5, 15), 2))
colnames(concentration_data) <- metvar[1:10]
df <- cbind(df, as.data.frame(concentration_data))</pre>
```

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```
df_single_diet <- subset(df, Diet == 1)
covariates <- c("ID","Diet", "Age", "BMI")
library(future.apply)
plan(multisession, workers = parallel::detectCores() - 1)
result_SD <- grpResp2Time_parallel(df_single_diet, metvar, covariates)[[1]]
summary(result_SD)</pre>
```

pk_calculation Function that returns a data frame for Tmax, Cmax, half-life, AUC and AUCInf for metabolites

Description

Function that returns a data frame for Tmax, Cmax, half-life, AUC and AUCInf for metabolites

Usage

```
pk_calculation(df, met_vec, models, grp_name = "Diet", covariates, ref = 1)
```

Arguments

df	Data frame containing columns Group(factor); ID(subject ID: character); Time(positive: numeric); other individiual characteristics covariates (exlcluding other forms of 'Time')
met_vec	Vector of metabolite names
models	Fitted models for all metabolites of interest
grp_name	Name of the grouping variable
covariates	Vector containing the names of the "ID" covariate, grouping covariate and other covariates excluding any "Time" covariates
ref	reference level for the grouping variable. could be numeric or character

Value

Data frame with the pharmacokinetic properties of each metabolite

References

```
Wickham, H. (2022). dplyr: A Grammar of Data Manipulation. R package version 1.0.10. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=dplyr
```

Pinheiro, J. C., & Bates, D. M. (2022). nlme: Linear and Nonlinear Mixed Effects Models. R package version 3.1-153. Available at: https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=nlme

pk_calculation

```
require(gammaFuncModel)
require(dplyr)
df <- data.frame(</pre>
ID = rep(sprintf("\%02d", 1:10), each = 9 * 3),
 Time = rep(rep(1:9, each = 3), 10),
 Diet = as.factor(rep(1:3, times = 9 * 10)),
 Age = rep(sample(20:70, 10, replace = TRUE), each = 9 * 3),
BMI = round(rep(runif(10, 18.5, 35), each = 9 * 3), 1)
metvar <- paste0("met", 1:10)</pre>
n_rows <- nrow(df)</pre>
concentration_data <- sapply(1:10, function(m) {</pre>
shape \leftarrow runif(1, 2, 5)
 scale <- runif(1, 1, 3)</pre>
rgamma(n_rows, shape = shape, scale = scale)
})
colnames(concentration_data) <- metvar</pre>
df <- cbind(df, as.data.frame(concentration_data))</pre>
covariates <- c("ID", "Diet", "Age", "BMI")</pre>
mods <- generate_models(df = df, met_vec = metvar, covariates = covariates, graph = 'None')</pre>
result <- pk_calculation(</pre>
  df = df,
  met_vec = metvar,
 models = mods,
  grp_name = "Diet",
  covariates = covariates
```

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