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#### **Examples**

```
time=c(2,6,9,24,48,72,96)
deg=c(20,33,46,55,66,72,76)
data5=data.frame(time,deg)
nlsfit(data5, model=12)
```

nlsfit

Fit nonlinear models

## Description

The function fit some nonlinear models

## Usage

```
nlsfit(data, model = 1, start = c(a = 1, b = 1, c = 1, d = 1, e = 1))
```

## Arguments

data data is a data.frame

The first column should contain the treatments (explanatory variable) and the remaining columns the response variables.

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```
define the model
model
                                                                           1 = "y \sim a + b * x" linear
                                                                          2 = "y\sim a+b*x+c*x^2" quadratic
                                                                          3 = "y \sim a + b * (x - c) * (x <= c)" linear plateau
                                                                          4 = "y \sim (a + b * x + c * I(x^2)) * (x <= -0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4
                                                                          -0.5 * b/c)" quadratic plateau
                                                                          5 = \text{"ifelse}(x) = d,(a-c*d) + (b+c)*x, a+b*x" two linear
                                                                          6 = "y \sim a * exp(b * x)" exponential
                                                                          7 = \text{"y} \sim a*(1+b*(\exp(-c*x)))^{-1}\text{"logistic"}
                                                                          8 = "y \sim a*(1-b*(exp(-c*x)))^3" \text{ van bertalanffy}
                                                                          9 = "y \sim a*(1-b*(exp(-c*x)))" brody
                                                                           10 = "y \sim a \exp(-b \exp(-c x)") gompertz
                                                                           11 = \text{"y} \sim (a*x^b)*exp(-c*x)" lactation curve
                                                                           12 = "y \sim a + b * (1 - \exp(-c * x))" ruminal degradation curve
                                                                           13 = \text{"y} \sim (a/(1+\exp(2-4*c*(x-e)))) + (b/(1+\exp(2-4*d*(x-e))))" logistic bi-compartmental
                                                                           start iterations values of model
start
```

#### Value

Returns coefficients of the models, t test for coefficients, R squared, adjusted R squared, AIC, BIC and the maximum (or minimum) values of y and critical point of x

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#### See Also

nls, nls2

### **Examples**

```
# data represent weights of an Angus cow at ages from 8 to 108 months (Kaps and Lamberson, 2009)

weight=c(280,340,430,480,550,580,590,600,590,600)

age=c(8,12,24,36,48,60,72,84,96,108)

data1=data.frame(age, weight)

# linear
nlsfit(data1, model=1)

# quadratic
```

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```
nlsfit(data1, model=2)
# linear plateau
nlsfit(data1, model=3)
# quadratic plateau
nlsfit(data1, model=4)
# two linear
nlsfit(data1, model=5, start=c(250,6,2,50))
# exponential
nlsfit(data1, model=6, start=c(250,0.05))
# logistic
nlsfit(data1, model=7, start=c(600,4,0.05))
# van bertalanffy
nlsfit(data1, model=8, start=c(600,2,0.05))
# brody
nlsfit(data1, model=9, start=c(600,4,0.05))
# gompertz
nlsfit(data1, model=10, start=c(600,4,0.05))
# describe the growth of Zagorje turkeys (Kaps and Lamberson, 2009)
weight=c(44,66,100,150,265,370,455,605,770)
age=c(1,7,14,21,28,35,42,49,56)
data2=data.frame(age,weight)
# two linear
nlsfit(data2, model=5, start=c(25,6,10,20))
# using segmented regression to estimate a plateau
# the requirement for the methionine will be estimated measurements of gain of turkey poults
#(Kaps and Lamberson, 2009)
methionine=c(80,85,90,95,100,105,110,115,120)
gain=c(102,115,125,133,140,141,142,140,142)
data3=data.frame(methionine, gain)
# linear
nlsfit(data3, model=1)
# quadratic
nlsfit(data3, model=2)
```

```
# linear plateau
nlsfit(data3, model=3)
# quadratic plateau
nlsfit(data3, model=4)
# lactation curve
milk=c(25,24,26,28,30,31,27,26,25,24,23,24,22,21,22,20,21,19,
18, 17, 18, 18, 16, 17, 15, 16, 14)
 days=c(15,15,15,75,75,75,135,135,135,195,195,195,255,255,255,
315, 315, 315, 375, 375, 375, 435, 435, 435, 495, 495, 495)
 data4=data.frame(days,milk)
nlsfit(data4, model=11, start=c(16,0.25,0.004))
# ruminal degradation
time=c(2,6,9,24,48,72,96)
deg=c(20,33,46,55,66,72,76)
data5=data.frame(time,deg)
nlsfit(data5, model=12)
# logistic bi-compartmental (gas production)
time=c(0,12,24,36,48,60,72,84,96,108,120,144,168,192)
gas=c(0.002,3.8,8,14.5,16,16.5,17,17.4,17.9,18.1,18.8,
19,19.2,19.3)
data6=data.frame(time,gas)
nlsfit(data6, model=13, start=c(19,4,0.025,0.004,5))
```

nlsplot

Plot nonlinear models

## Description

The function plot some nonlinear models

## Usage

```
nlsplot(data, model = 1, start = c(a = 1, b = 1, c = 1, d = 1, e = 1), xlab = "Explanatory Variable", ylab = "Response Variable", position = 1)
```

### **Arguments**

data is a data.frame

The first column should contain the treatments (explanatory variable) and the

remaining columns the response variables.

model define the model

 $1 = "y\sim a+b*x"$  linear

 $2 = "y\sim a+b*x+c*x^2"$  quadratic

 $3 = "y \sim a + b * (x - c) * (x <= c)"$  linear plateau

 $4 = "y \sim (a + b * x + c * I(x^2)) * (x \le -0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4 * c))) * (x > 0.5 * b/c) + (a + I(-b^2/(4$ 

-0.5 \* b/c)" quadratic plateau

 $5 = \text{"ifelse}(x \ge d, (a-c*d) + (b+c)*x, a+b*x)$ " two linear

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 $9 = "y \sim a*(1-b*(exp(-c*x)))"$  brody

 $10 = \text{"y} \sim a \exp(-b \exp(-c x))$ " gompertz

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start start iterations values of model

xlab names of variable x ylab names of variable y

position position of equation in the graph

top=1

bottomright=2 bottom=3 bottomleft=4

left=5

topleft=6 (default)

topright=7 right=8 center=9

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