# ${\bf Package~'ModelMatrixModel'}$

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Description  The model.matrix() function in R is convenient for transforming training dataset for modeling.  But it does not save any parameter used in transformation, so it is hard to apply the same transformation to test dataset or new dataset. This package is created to solve the problem.	
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ModelMatrixModel() function

#### **Description**

This function transforms a data.frame to matrix (or sparse matrix) based on a r formula. The mean different from model.matrix() function is that it outputs a class stored with the transformed matrix, as well as the transforming parameters which can be applied to new data.

#### Usage

```
ModelMatrixModel(
  rformula,
  data,
  sparse = TRUE,
  center = FALSE,
  scale = FALSE,
  remove_1st_dummy = FALSE,
  verbose = FALSE
```

## Arguments

rformula a formula, e.g. formula(" $\sim 1+x1+x2$ ")," $\sim 1+x1+x2$ ",or  $\sim 1+x1+x2$  . Note the

interpreting of the formula might be different slightly from model.matrix function. In model.matrix(),intercept column will be included in output matrix with or without "1" in the formula. But in ModelMatrixModel(),intercept column will be included in output matrix only when "1" is present. Moreover "0" or "."

in the formula will be ignored.

data a data.frame.

sparse boolean, if TRUE return a sparse matrix, i.e. a "dgCMatrix" class.

center boolean, if center the output.
scale boolean, if scale the output.

remove\_1st\_dummy

boolean, if remove the first dummy variable in one hot key transformation.

verbose boolean, if print out progress.

## **Details**

see vignettes.

## Value

A ModelMatrixModel class, which includes the transformed matrix and the transforming parameters.

#### **Examples**

```
predict.ModelMatrixModel
```

predict() function

#### **Description**

This function transforms new data based on transforming parameters from a ModelMatrixModel object

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ModelMatrixModel'
predict(object, data, handleInvalid = "keep", verbose = FALSE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

object a ModelMatrixModel object.

data a data.frame.

handleInvalid a string, 'keep' or 'error'. In dummy variable transformation, if categorical vari-

able has a factor level that is unseen before, 'keep' will keep the record, output

dummy variables will be all zero.

verbose boolean, if print out progress.

... other parameters.

#### Value

A ModelMatrixModel class, which includes the transformed matrix and the necessary transforming parameters copied from input object.

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