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DiceEval-package      *Metamodels*

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## Description

Construction and evaluation of metamodels.

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## Details

This package is dedicated to the construction of metamodels. A validation procedure is also proposed using usual criteria (RMSE, MAE etc.) and cross-validation procedure. Moreover, graphical tools help to choose the best value for the penalty parameter of a stepwise or a PolyMARS model. Another routine is dedicated to the comparison of metamodels.

## Note

This work was conducted within the frame of the DICE (Deep Inside Computer Experiments) Consortium between ARMINES, Renault, EDF, IRSN, ONERA and TOTAL S.A. (<http://emse.dice.fr/>).

Functions [gam](#), [mars](#) and [polymars](#) are required for the construction of metamodels. [km](#) provides Kriging models.

## Author(s)

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## See Also

[modelFit](#), [modelPredict](#), [crossValidation](#) and [modelComparison](#)

Different space-filling designs can be found in the DiceDesign package and we refer to the DiceKriging package for the construction of kriging models. This package takes part of a toolbox implemented during the Dice consortium.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
rm(list=ls())
# A 2D example
Branin <- function(x1,x2) {
  x1 <- 1/2*(15*x1+5)
  x2 <- 15/2*(x2+1)
  (x2 - 5.1/(4*pi^2)*(x1^2) + 5/pi*x1 - 6)^2 + 10*(1 - 1/(8*pi))*cos(x1) + 10
}
# A 2D uniform design with n points in [-1,1]^2
n <- 50
X <- matrix(runif(n*2,-1,1),ncol=2,nrow=n)
Y <- Branin(X[,1],X[,2])
Z <- (Y-mean(Y))/sd(Y)

# Construction of a PolyMARS model with a penalty parameter equal to 2
library(polyspline)
modPolyMARS <- modelFit(X,Z,type = "PolyMARS",gcv=2.2)

# Prediction and comparison between the exact function and the predicted one
xtest <- seq(-1, 1, length= 21)
ytest <- seq(-1, 1, length= 21)
Zreal <- outer(xtest, ytest, Branin)
Zreal <- (Zreal-mean(Y))/sd(Y)
Zpredict <- modelPredict(modPolyMARS,expand.grid(xtest,ytest))
m <- min(floor(Zreal),floor(Zpredict))
M <- max(ceiling(Zreal),ceiling(Zpredict))
persp(xtest, ytest, Zreal, theta = 30, phi = 30, expand = 0.5,
col = "lightblue",main="Branin function",zlim=c(m,M),
ticktype = "detailed")

persp(xtest, ytest, matrix(Zpredict,nrow=length(xtest),
ncol=length(ytest)), theta = 30, phi = 30, expand = 0.5,
col = "lightblue",main="PolyMARS Model",zlab="Ypredict",zlim=c(m,M),
ticktype = "detailed")
```

```
# Comparison of models
modelComparison(X,Y,type=c("Linear", "StepLinear", "PolyMARS", "Kriging"),
formula=Y~X1+X2+X1:X2+I(X1^2)+I(X2^2),penalty=log(dim(X)[1]), gcv=4)

# see also the demonstration example in dimension 5 (source: IRSN)
demo(IRSN5D)

## End(Not run)
```

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crossValidation      *K-fold Cross Validation*

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### Description

This function calculates the predicted values at each point of the design and gives an estimation of criterion using K-fold cross-validation.

### Usage

```
crossValidation(model, K)
```

### Arguments

|       |  |
|-------|--|
| model | an output of the modelFit function. This argument is the initial model fitted with all the data. |
| K     | the number of groups into which the data should be split to apply cross-validation               |

### Value

A list with the following components:

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| Ypred   | a vector of predicted values obtained using K-fold cross-validation at the points of the design |
| Q2      | a real which is the estimation of the criterion R2 obtained by cross-validation                 |
| folds   | a list which indicates the partitioning of the data into the folds                              |
| RMSE_CV | <a href="#">RMSE</a> by K-fold cross-validation (see more details below)                        |
| MAE_CV  | <a href="#">MAE</a> by K-fold cross-validation (see more details below)                         |

In the case of a Kriging model, other components to test the robustness of the procedure are proposed:

|       |  |
|-------|--|
| theta | the range parameter theta estimated for each fold,                             |
| trend | the trend parameter estimated for each fold,                                   |
| shape | the estimated shape parameter if the covariance structure is of type powerexp. |

The principle of cross-validation is to split the data into  $K$  folds of approximately equal size  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_K$ . For  $k = 1$  to  $K$ , a model  $\hat{Y}^{(-k)}$  is fitted from the data  $\cup_{j \neq k} A_j$  and this model is validated on the fold  $A_k$ . Given a criterion of quality  $L$  (here,  $L$  could be the RMSE or the MAE criterion), the "evaluation" of the model consists in computing :

$$L_k = \frac{1}{n/K} \sum_{i \in A_k} L(y_i, Y^{(-k)}(x_i)).$$

The cross-validation criterion is the mean of the  $K$  criterion:  $L_{CV} = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K L_k$ .

The Q2 criterion is defined as:  $Q2 = R2(Y, Y_{pred})$  with  $Y$  the response value and  $Y_{pred}$  the value fit by cross-validation.

### Note

When  $K$  is equal to the number of observations, *leave-one-out* cross-validation is performed.

### Author(s)

D. Dupuy

### See Also

[R2](#), [modelFit](#), [MAE](#), [RMSE](#), [foldsComposition](#), [testCrossValidation](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
rm(list=ls())
# A 2D example
Branin <- function(x1,x2) {
  x1 <- x1*15-5
  x2 <- x2*15
  (x2 - 5/(4*pi^2)*(x1^2) + 5/pi*x1 - 6)^2 + 10*(1 - 1/(8*pi))*cos(x1) + 10
}

# Linear model on 50 points
n <- 50
X <- matrix(runif(n*2),ncol=2,nrow=n)
Y <- Branin(X[,1],X[,2])
modLm <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "Linear",formula=Y~X1+X2+X1:X2+I(X1^2)+I(X2^2))
R2(Y,modLm$model$fitted.values)
crossValidation(modLm,K=10)$Q2

# kriging model : gaussian covariance structure, no trend, no nugget effect
# on 16 points
n <- 16
X <- data.frame(x1=runif(n),x2=runif(n))
Y <- Branin(X[,1],X[,2])
mKm <- modelFit(X,Y,type="Kriging",formula=~1, covtype="powexp")
K <- 10
```

```

out <- crossValidation(mKm, K)
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
plot(c(0,1:K),c(mKm$model@covariance@range.val[1],out$theta[,1]),
     xlab=' ',ylab='Theta1')
plot(c(0,1:K),c(mKm$model@covariance@range.val[2],out$theta[,2]),
     xlab=' ',ylab='Theta2')
plot(c(0,1:K),c(mKm$model@covariance@shape.val[1],out$shape[,1]),
     xlab=' ',ylab='p1',ylim=c(0,2))
plot(c(0,1:K),c(mKm$model@covariance@shape.val[2],out$shape[,2]),
     xlab=' ',ylab='p2',ylim=c(0,2))
par(mfrow=c(1,1))

## End(Not run)

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dataIRSN5D

*5D benchmark from nuclear criticality safety assessments*


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## Description

Nuclear criticality safety assessments are based on an optimization process to search for safety-penalizing physical conditions in a given range of parameters of a system involving fissile materials. In the following examples, the criticality coefficient (namely k-effective or keff) models the nuclear chain reaction trend:

- keff > 1 is an increasing neutrons production leading to an uncontrolled chain reaction potentially having deep consequences on safety,
- keff = 1 means a stable neutrons population as required in nuclear reactors,
- keff < 1 is the safety state required for all unused fissile materials, like for fuel storage.

Besides its fissile materials geometry and composition, the criticality of a system is widely sensitive to physical parameters like water density, geometrical perturbations or structure materials (like concrete) characteristics. Thereby, a typical criticality safety assessment is supposed to verify that k-effective cannot reach the critical value of 1.0 (in practice the limit value used is 0.95) for given hypothesis on these parameters.

The benchmark system is an assembly of four fuel rods contained in a reflecting hull. Regarding criticality safety hypothesis, the main parameters are the uranium enrichment of fuel (namely "e", U235 enrichment, varying in [0.03, 0.07]), the rods assembly geometrical characteristics (namely "p", the pitch between rods, varying in [1.0, 2.0] cm and "l", the length of fuel rods, varying in [10, 60] cm), the water density inside the assembly (namely "b", varying in [0.1, 0.9]) , and the hull reflection characteristics (namely "r", reflection coefficient, varying in [0.75, 0.95]).

In this criticality assessment, the MORET (Fernex et al., 2005) Monte Carlo simulator is used to estimate the criticality coefficient of the fuel storage system using these parameters (among other) as numerical input,. The output k-effective is returned as a Gaussian density which standard deviation is setup to be negligible regarding input parameters sensitivity.

## Usage

```
data(dataIRSN5D)
```

**Format**

a data frame with 50 observations (lines) and 6 columns. Columns 1 to 5 correspond to the design of experiments for the input variables ("b","e","p","r" and "I") and the last column the value of the output "keff".

**Author(s)**

Y. Richet

**Source**

IRSN (Institut de Radioprotection et de Sûreté Nucléaire)

**References**

Fernex F., Heulers L, Jacquet O., Miss J. and Richet Y. (2005) *The MORET 4B Monte Carlo code - New features to treat complex criticality systems*, M&C International Conference on Mathematics and Computation Supercomputing, Reactor Physics and Nuclear and Biological Application, Avignon, 12/09/2005

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 MAE

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*Mean Absolute Error*


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**Description**

The mean of absolute errors between real values and predictions.

**Usage**

MAE(Y, Ypred)

**Arguments**

Y                    a real vector with the values of the output  
 Ypred                a real vector with the predicted values at the same inputs

**Value**

a real which represents the mean of the absolute errors between the real and the predicted values:

$$MAE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n |Y(x_i) - \hat{Y}(x_i)|$$

where  $x_i$  denotes the points of the experimental design,  $Y$  the output of the computer code and  $\hat{Y}$  the fitted model.

**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**See Also**other quality criteria as [RMSE](#) and [RMA](#).**Examples**

```
X <- seq(-1,1,0.1)
Y <- 3*X + rnorm(length(X),0,0.5)
Ypred <- 3*X
MAE(Y,Ypred)
```

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 modelComparison

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*Comparison of different types of metamodels*


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**Description**

modelComparison fits different metamodels and returns R2 and RMSE criteria relating to each.

**Usage**

```
modelComparison(X,Y, type="all",K=10,test=NULL,...)
```

**Arguments**

|      |   |
|------|---|
| X    | a data.frame containing the design of experiments   |
| Y    | a vector containing the response variable   |
| type | a vector containing the type of models to compare.<br>The default value is "all"=c("Linear","StepLinear","Additive","PolyMARS","MARS","Kriging")                                    |
| K    | the number of folds for cross-validation (default value is set at 10)   |
| test | a data.frame containing the design and the response of a test set when available, the prediction criteria will be evaluated on the test design (default corresponds to no test set) |
| ...  | according to the type argument, parameters can be specified (for example, formula and penalty for a stepwise procedure)   |

**Value**

A list containing two fields if the argument test equal NULL and three fields otherwise :

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| Learning | R2 and RMSE criteria evaluated from learning set,      |
| CV       | Q2 and RMSE_CV criteria using K-fold cross-validation, |
| Test     | R2 and RMSE criteria on the test set.                  |

A graphical tool to compare the value of the criteria is proposed.



**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**See Also**[modelFit](#) and [crossValidation](#)**Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(dataIRSN5D)
X <- dataIRSN5D[,1:5]
Y <- dataIRSN5D[,6]
data(testIRSN5D)
library(gam)
library(mda)
library(polyspline)
crit <- modelComparison(X,Y, type="all",test=testIRSN5D)

crit2 <- modelComparison(X,Y, type=rep("StepLinear",5),test=testIRSN5D,
penalty=c(1,2,5,10,20),formula=Y~.^2)

## End(Not run)
```

modelFit

*Fitting metamodels***Description**

modelFit is used to fit a metamodel of class lm, gam, mars, polymars or km.

**Usage**

```
modelFit (X,Y, type, ...)
```

**Arguments**

|      |   |
|------|---|
| X    | a data.frame containing the design of experiments |
| Y    | a vector containing the response variable         |
| type | represents the method used to fit the model:      |

|              |                |
|--------------|----------------|
| "Linear"     | linear model,  |
| "StepLinear" | stepwise,      |
| "Additive"   | gam,           |
| "MARS"       | mars           |
| "PolyMARS"   | polymars       |
| "Kriging"    | kriging model. |

... corresponds to the parameter(s) of the model. The list of the needed arguments for each type of models is given below:

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| "Linear"     | formula (see <a href="#">formulaLm</a> ), |
| "StepLinear" | formula<br>penalty parameter,             |
| "Additive"   | formula (see <a href="#">formulaAm</a> ), |
| "MARS"       | degree,                                   |
| "PolyMARS"   | gcv criteria.                             |
| "Kriging"    | formula<br>covtype                        |

### Value

A list with the following components:

|       |   |
|-------|---|
| X     | a data frame representing the design of experiments |
| Y     | a vector representing the response                  |
| type  | the type of metamodel                               |
| model | a fitted model of the specified class               |

and the value of the parameter(s) depending on the fitted model.

### Author(s)

D. Dupuy

### See Also

[modelPredict](#)

### Examples

```
# A 2D example
Branin <- function(x1,x2) {
  x1 <- x1*15-5
  x2 <- x2*15
  (x2 - 5/(4*pi^2)*(x1^2) + 5/pi*x1 - 6)^2 + 10*(1 - 1/(8*pi))*cos(x1) + 10
}
# a 2D uniform design and the value of the response at these points
X <- matrix(runif(24),ncol=2,nrow=12)
Z <- Branin(X[,1],X[,2])
Y <- (Z-mean(Z))/sd(Z)

# construction of a linear model
modLm <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "Linear",formula=Y~X1+X2+X1:X2+I(X1^2)+I(X2^2))
summary(modLm$model)

## Not run:
```

```

# construction of a stepwise-selected model
modStep <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "StepLinear",penalty=log(dim(X)[1]),
formula=Y~X1+X2+X1:X2+I(X1^2)+I(X2^2))
summary(modStep$model)

# construction of an additive model
library(gam)
modAm <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "Additive",formula=Y~s(X1)+s(X2))
summary(modAm$model)

# construction of a MARS model of degree 2
library(mda)
modMARS <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "MARS",degree=2)
print(modMARS$model)

# construction of a PolyMARS model with a penalty parameter equal to 1
library(pol spline)
modPolyMARS <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "PolyMARS",gcv=1)
summary(modPolyMARS$model)

# construction of a Kriging model
modKm <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "Kriging")
str(modKm$model)

## End(Not run)

```

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|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| modelPredict | <i>Prediction at newdata for a fitted metamodel</i> |
|--------------|---|

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## Description

modelPredict computes predicted values based on the model given in argument.

## Usage

```
modelPredict(model,newdata)
```

## Arguments

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| model   | a fitted model obtained from modelFit   |
| newdata | a matrix (or a data frame) which represents the predictor values at which the fitted values will be computed. |

## Value

a vector of predicted values, obtained by evaluating the model at newdata.

## Author(s)

D. Dupuy

**See Also**[modelFit](#)**Examples**

```

X <- seq(-1,1,l=21)
Y <- 3*X + rnorm(21,0,0.5)
# construction of a linear model
modLm <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "Linear",formula="Y~.")
print(modLm$model$coefficient)

## Not run:
# illustration on a 2-dimensional example
Branin <- function(x1,x2) {
x1 <- 1/2*(15*x1+5)
x2 <- 15/2*(x2+1)
(x2 - 5.1/(4*pi^2)*(x1^2) + 5/pi*x1 - 6)^2 + 10*(1 - 1/(8*pi))*cos(x1) + 10
}
# A 2D uniform design with 20 points in [-1,1]^2
n <- 20
X <- matrix(runif(n*2,-1,1),ncol=2,nrow=n)
Y <- Branin(X[,1],X[,2])
Z <- (Y-mean(Y))/sd(Y)

# Construction of a Kriging model
mKm <- modelFit(X,Z,type = "Kriging")

# Prediction and comparison between the exact function and the predicted one
xtest <- seq(-1, 1, length= 21)
ytest <- seq(-1, 1, length= 21)
Zreal <- outer(xtest, ytest, Branin)
Zreal <- (Zreal-mean(Y))/sd(Y)
Zpredict <- modelPredict(mKm,expand.grid(xtest,ytest))

z <- abs(Zreal-matrix(Zpredict,nrow=length(xtest),ncol=length(ytest)))
contour(xtest, xtest, z,30)
points(X,pch=19)

## End(Not run)

```

**Description**

This function fits a PolyMARS model for different values of the penalty parameter and compute criteria.

**Usage**

```
penaltyPolyMARS(X, Y, test=NULL, graphic=FALSE, K=10,
  Penalty=seq(0, 5, by=0.2))
```

**Arguments**

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| X       | a data.frame containing the design of experiments   |
| Y       | a vector containing the response variable   |
| test    | a data.frame containing the design and the response of a test set when available, the prediction criteria will be computed for the test data (default corresponds to no test set) |
| graphic | if TRUE the values of the criteria are represented  |
| K       | the number of folds for cross-validation (by default, K=10)   |
| Penalty | a vector containing the values of the penalty parameter   |

**Value**

A data frame containing

|    |  |
|----|--|
| a  | the values of the penalty parameter            |
| R2 | the R2 criterion evaluated on the learning set |
| m  | the size of the selected model                 |

If a test set is available the last row is

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| R2test | the R2 criterion evaluated on the test set |
|--------|--|

If no test set is available, criteria computed by K-corss-validation are provided:

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| Q2      | the Q2 evaluated by cross-validation (by default, K=10) |
| RMSE CV | RMSE computed by cross-validation                       |

Note that the penalty parameter could be chosen by minimizing the value of the RMSE by cross-validation.

**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**See Also**

[modelFit](#), [R2](#) and [crossValidation](#)

**Examples**

```
data(dataIRSN5D)
X <- dataIRSN5D[,1:5]
Y <- dataIRSN5D[,6]
data(testIRSN5D)
library(polspine)
Crit <- penaltyPolyMARS(X, Y, test=testIRSN5D[, -7], graphic=TRUE)
```

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R2 *Multiple R-Squared*

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**Description**

Coefficient of determination  $R^2$

**Usage**

R2(Y, Ypred)

**Arguments**

Y a real vector with the values of the output  
Ypred a real vector with the predicted values at the same inputs

**Value**

$$R2 = 1 - \frac{SSE}{SST}$$

where  $SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y(x_i) - \hat{Y}(x_i))^2$  is the residual sum of squares

and  $SST = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y(x_i) - \bar{Y})^2$  is the total sum of squares.

Note that the order of the input argument is important.

**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**Examples**

```
X <- seq(-1, 1, 0.1)
Y <- 3*X + rnorm(length(X), 0, 0.5)
Ypred <- 3*X
print(R2(Y, Ypred))
```

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|                |                       |
|----------------|-----------------------|
| residualsStudy | <i>Plot residuals</i> |
|----------------|-----------------------|

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**Description**

residualsStudy analyzes the residuals of a model: a plot of the residuals against the index, a plot of the residuals against the fitted values, the representation of the density and a normal Q-Q plot.

**Usage**

```
residualsStudy(model)
```

**Arguments**

model            a fitted model obtained from modelFit

**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**See Also**

[modelFit](#) and [modelPredict](#)

**Examples**

```
data(dataIRSN5D)
X <- dataIRSN5D[,1:5]
Y <- dataIRSN5D[,6]
library(gam)
modAm <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "Additive",formula=formulaAm(X,Y))
residualsStudy(modAm)
```

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|     |  |
|-----|--|
| RMA | <i>Relative Maximal Absolute Error</i> |
|-----|--|

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**Description**

Relative Maximal Absolute Error

**Usage**

```
RMA(Y, Ypred)
```

**Arguments**

Y                    a real vector with the values of the output  
Ypred                a real vector with the predicted values at the same inputs

**Value**

The RMA criterion represents the maximum of errors between exact values and predicted one:

$$RMA = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} \frac{|Y(x_i) - \hat{Y}(x_i)|}{\sigma_Y}$$

where  $Y$  is the output variable,  $\hat{Y}$  is the fitted model and  $\sigma_Y$  denotes the standard deviation of  $Y$ .

The output of this function is a list with the following components:

|           |  |
|-----------|--|
| max.value | the value of the RMA criterion   |
| max.data  | an integer $i$ indicating the data $x^i$ for which the RMA is reached    |
| index     | a vector containing the data sorted according to the value of the errors |
| error     | a vector containing the corresponding value of the errors                |

**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**See Also**

other validation criteria as [MAE](#) or [RMSE](#).

**Examples**

```
X <- seq(-1,1,0.1)
Y <- 3*X + rnorm(length(X),0,0.5)
Ypred <- 3*X
print(RMA(Y,Ypred))

# Illustration on Branin function
Branin <- function(x1,x2) {
  x1 <- x1*15-5
  x2 <- x2*15
  (x2 - 5/(4*pi^2)*(x1^2) + 5/pi*x1 - 6)^2 + 10*(1 - 1/(8*pi))*cos(x1) + 10
}
X <- matrix(runif(24),ncol=2,nrow=12)
Z <- Branin(X[,1],X[,2])
Y <- (Z-mean(Z))/sd(Z)

# Fitting of a Linear model on the data (X,Y)
modLm <- modelFit(X,Y,type = "Linear",formula=Y~X1+X2+X1:X2+I(X1^2)+I(X2^2))

# Prediction on a grid
u <- seq(0,1,0.1)
Y_test_real <- Branin(expand.grid(u,u)[,1],expand.grid(u,u)[,2])
Y_test_pred <- modelPredict(modLm,expand.grid(u,u))
Y_error <- matrix(abs(Y_test_pred-(Y_test_real-mean(Z)))/sd(Z),length(u),length(u))
contour(u, u, Y_error,45)
Y_pred <- modelPredict(modLm,X)
out <- RMA(Y,Y_pred)
```



```
for (i in 1:dim(X)[1]){
  points(X[out$index[i],1],X[out$index[i],2],pch=19,col='red',cex=out$error[i]*10)
}
```

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**RMSE***Root Mean Squared Error*

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**Description**

The root of the Mean Squared Error between the exact value and the predicted one.

**Usage**

```
RMSE(Y, Ypred)
```

**Arguments**

**Y** a real vector with the values of the output  
**Ypred** a real vector with the predicted values

**Value**

a real which represents the root of the mean squared error between the target response  $Y$  and the fitted one  $\hat{Y}$ :

$$\text{RMSE} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y(x_i) - \hat{Y}(x_i))^2}.$$

**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**See Also**

other validation criteria as [MAE](#) or [RMA](#)

**Examples**

```
X <- seq(-1,1,0.1)
Y <- 3*X + rnorm(length(X),0,0.5)
Ypred <- 3*X
print(RMSE(Y,Ypred))
```

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| stepEvolution | <i>Evolution of the stepwise model</i> |
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**Description**

Graphical representation of the selected terms using stepwise procedure for different values of the penalty parameter.

**Usage**

```
stepEvolution(X,Y,formula,P=1:7,K=10,test=NULL,graphic=TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| X       | a data.frame containing the design of experiments   |
| Y       | a vector containing the response variable   |
| formula | a formula for the initial model   |
| P       | a vector containing different values of the penalty parameter for which a stepwise selected model is fitted     |
| K       | the number of folds for the cross-validation procedure  |
| test    | an additional data set on which the prediction criteria are evaluated (default corresponds to no test data set) |
| graphic | if TRUE the values of the criteria are represented  |

**Value**

a list with the different criteria for different values of the penalty parameter. This list contains:

|         |  |
|---------|--|
| penalty | the values for the penalty parameter             |
| m       | size m of the selected model for each value in P |
| R2      | the value of the R2 criterion for each model     |

According to the value of the test argument, other criteria are calculated:

- a. If a test set is available, R2test contains the value of the R2 criterion on the test set
- b. If no test set is available, the Q2 and the RMSE computed by cross-validation are done.

**Note**

Plots are also available. A tabular represents the selected terms for each value in P.

The evolution of the R2 criterion, the evolution of the size m of the selected model and criteria on the test set or by K-folds cross-validation are represented.

These graphical tools can be used to select the best value for the penalty parameter.

**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**See Also**

step procedure for linear models.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(dataIRSN5D)
design <- dataIRSN5D[,1:5]
Y <- dataIRSN5D[,6]
out <- stepEvolution(design,Y,formulaLm(design,Y),P=c(1,2,5,10,20,30))

## End(Not run)
```

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testCrossValidation *Test the robustness of the cross-validation procedure*

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**Description**

This function calculates the estimated K-fold cross-validation for different values of K.

**Usage**

```
testCrossValidation(model,Kfold=c(2,5,10,20,30,40,dim(model$data$X)[1]),N=10)
```

**Arguments**

|       |  |
|-------|--|
| model | a fitted model from modelFit   |
| Kfold | a vector containing the values to test (default corresponds to 2,5,10,20,30,40 and the number of observations for leave-one-out procedure) |
| N     | an integer given the number of times the K-fold cross-validation is performed for each value of K  |

**Value**

a matrix of all the values obtained by K-fold cross-validation

**Note**

For each value of K, the cross-validation procedure is repeated N times in order to get an idea of the dispersion of the Q2 criterion and of the RMSE by K-fold cross-validation.

**Author(s)**

D. Dupuy

**See Also**[crossValidation](#)**Examples**

```
## Not run:
rm(list=ls())
# A 2D example
Branin <- function(x1,x2) {
  x1 <- x1*15-5
  x2 <- x2*15
  (x2 - 5/(4*pi^2)*(x1^2) + 5/pi*x1 - 6)^2 + 10*(1 - 1/(8*pi))*cos(x1) + 10
}
# a 2D uniform design and the value of the response at these points
n <- 50
X <- matrix(runif(n*2),ncol=2,nrow=n)
Y <- Branin(X[,1],X[,2])

mod <- modelFit(X,Y,type="Linear",formula=formulaLm(X,Y))
out <- testCrossValidation(mod,N=20)

## End(Not run)
```

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testIRSN5D

*A set of test data*

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**Description**

These test data correspond to the five-dimensional case provided by the IRSN detailed in [dataIRSN5D](#).

**Usage**

```
data(testIRSN5D)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 324 rows representing the number of observations and 6 columns: the first five corresponding to the input variables ("b", "e", "p", "r" and "l") and the last to the response Keff.

**Source**

IRSN (Institut de Radioprotection et de Sûreté Nucléaire)

**See Also**[dataIRSN5D](#)

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