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Description Dominance analysis is a method that allows to compare the relative importance of predictors in multiple regression models: ordinary least squares, generalized linear models, hierarchical linear models, beta regression and dynamic linear models. The main principles and methods of dominance analysis are described in Budescu, D. V. (1993) <doi:10.1037/0033-2909.114.3.542> and Azen, R., & Budescu, D. V. (2003) <doi:10.1037/1082-989X.8.2.129> for ordinary least squares regression. Subsequently, the extensions for multivariate regression, logistic regression and hierarchical linear models were described in Azen, R., & Budescu, D. V. (2006) <doi:10.3102/10769986031002157>, Azen, R., & Traxel, N. (2009) <doi:10.3102/1076998609332754> and Luo, W., & Azen, R. (2013) <doi:10.3102/1076998612458319>, respectively.

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dominanceanalysis-package

Dominance analysis for general, generalized and mixed linear models

Description

The dominanceanalysis package allows to perform the dominance analysis for multiple regression models, such as OLS (univariate and multivariate), GLM and HLM. The dominance analysis on this package is performed by [dominanceAnalysis](#) function. To perform bootstrap procedures you should use [bootDominanceAnalysis](#) function. For both, standard `print` and `summary` functions are provided.

Main Features

- Provides complete, conditional and general dominance analysis for `lm` (univariate and multivariate), `lmer` and `glm` (`family=binomial`) models.
- Covariance / correlation matrixes could be used as input for OLS dominance analysis, using `lmWithCov` and `mlmWithCov` methods, respectively.
- Multiple criteria can be used as fit indices, which is useful especially for HLM.

About Dominance Analysis

Dominance analysis is a method developed to evaluate the importance of each predictor in the selected regression model: "one predictor is 'more important than another' if it contributes more to the prediction of the criterion than does its competitor at a given level of analysis." (Azen & Budescu, 2003, p.133).

The original method was developed for OLS regression (Budescu, 1993). Later, several definitions of dominance and bootstrap procedures were provided by Azen & Budescu (2003), as well as adaptations to Generalized Linear Models (Azen & Traxel, 2009) and Hierarchical Linear Models (Luo & Azen, 2013).

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See Also

[dominanceAnalysis](#) , [bootDominanceAnalysis](#)

Examples

```
# Basic dominance analysis

data(longley)
lm.1<-lm(Employed~,longley)
da<-dominanceAnalysis(lm.1)
print(da)
summary(da)
plot(da,which.graph='complete')
plot(da,which.graph='conditional')
plot(da,which.graph='general')
```

```

# Dominance analysis for HLM

library(lme4)
x1<-rnorm(1000)
x2<-rnorm(1000)
g<-gl(10,100)
g.x<-rnorm(10)[g]
y<-2*x1+x2+g.x+rnorm(1000, sd=0.5)
lmm1<-lmer(y~x1+x2+(1|g))
lmm0<-lmer(y~(1|g))
da.lmm<-dominanceAnalysis(lmm1, null.model=lmm0)
print(da.lmm)
summary(da.lmm)

# GLM analysis

x1<-rnorm(1000)
x2<-rnorm(1000)
x3<-rnorm(1000)
y<-runif(1000)<(1/(1+exp(-(2*x1+x2+1.5*x3))))
glm.1<-glm(y~x1+x2+x3, family="binomial")
da.glm<-dominanceAnalysis(glm.1)
print(da.glm)
summary(da.glm)

# Bootstrap procedure

da.boot<-bootDominanceAnalysis(lm.1,R=1000)
summary(da.boot)

da.glm.boot<-bootDominanceAnalysis(glm.1,R=200)
summary(da.glm.boot)

```

averageContribution *Retrieve average contribution of each predictor in a dominance analysis.*

Description

Retrieve the average contribution for each predictor. Is calculated averaging all contribution by level. The average contribution defines general dominance.

Usage

```
averageContribution(da.object, fit.functions = NULL)
```

Arguments

- da.object dominanceAnalysis object
- fit.functions name of the fit indices to retrieve. If NULL, all fit indices will be retrieved

Value

a list. Key corresponds to fit-index and the value is vector, with average contribution for each variable

See Also

Other retrieval methods: [contributionByLevel\(\)](#), [dominanceBriefing\(\)](#), [dominanceMatrix\(\)](#), [getFits\(\)](#)

Examples

```
data(longley)
da.longley<-dominanceAnalysis(lm(Employed~,longley))
averageContribution(da.longley)
```

bootAverageDominanceAnalysis

Bootstrap average values for Dominance Analysis

Description

Bootstrap average values and correspond standard errors for each predictor in the dominance analysis. Those values are used for general dominance.

Usage

```
bootAverageDominanceAnalysis(
  object,
  R,
  constants = c(),
  terms = NULL,
  fit.functions = "default",
  null.model = NULL,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

- object lm, glm or lmer model
- R number on bootstrap resamples
- constants vector of predictors to remain unchanged between models. i.e. vector of variables not subjected to bootstrap analysis.

<code>terms</code>	vector of terms to be analyzed. By default, obtained from the model
<code>fit.functions</code>	list of functions which provides fit indices for model. See <code>fit.functions</code> param in <code>dominanceAnalysis</code> function.
<code>null.model</code>	only for linear mixed models, null model against to test the submodels. i.e. only random effects, without any fixed effect.
<code>...</code>	Other arguments provided to lm or lmer (not implemented yet).

Details

Use `summary()` to get a nice formatted data.frame object.

Examples

```
lm.1<-lm(Employed~,longley)
da.ave.boot<-bootAverageDominanceAnalysis(lm.1,R=1000)
summary(da.ave.boot)
```

`bootDominanceAnalysis` *Bootstrap analysis for Dominance Analysis*

Description

Bootstrap procedure as presented on Azen and Budescu (2003). Provides the expected level of dominance of predictor X_i over X_j , as the degree to which the pattern found on sample is reproduced on the bootstrap samples. Use `summary()` to get a nice formatted data.frame

Usage

```
bootDominanceAnalysis(
  x,
  R,
  constants = c(),
  terms = NULL,
  fit.functions = "default",
  null.model = NULL,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	lm, glm or lmer model
<code>R</code>	number on bootstrap resamples
<code>constants</code>	vector of predictors to remain unchanged between models. i.e. vector of variables not subjected to bootstrap analysis.

<code>terms</code>	vector of terms to be analyzed. By default, obtained from the model
<code>fit.functions</code>	list of functions which provides fit indices for model. See <code>fit.functions</code> param in dominanceAnalysis function.
<code>null.model</code>	only for linear mixed models, null model against to test the submodels. i.e. only random effects, without any fixed effect.
<code>...</code>	Other arguments provided to lm or lmer (not implemented yet).

Examples

```
lm.1<-lm(Employed~,longley)
da.boot<-bootDominanceAnalysis(lm.1,R=1000)
summary(da.boot)
```

`contributionByLevel` *Retrieve average contribution by level for each predictor*

Description

Retrieve the average contribution by level for each predictor in a dominance analysis. The average contribution defines conditional dominance.

Usage

```
contributionByLevel(da.object, fit.functions = NULL)
```

Arguments

<code>da.object</code>	dominanceAnalysis object
<code>fit.functions</code>	name of the fit indices to retrieve. If NULL, all fit indices will be retrieved

Value

a list. Key corresponds to fit-index and the value is a matrix, with contribution of each variable by level

See Also

Other retrieval methods: [averageContribution\(\)](#), [dominanceBriefing\(\)](#), [dominanceMatrix\(\)](#), [getFits\(\)](#)

Examples

```
data(longley)
da.longley<-dominanceAnalysis(lm(Employed~,longley))
contributionByLevel(da.longley)
```

da.betareg.fit	<i>Provides fit indices for betareg models.</i>
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Description

Nagelkerke and Estrella are not provided because are designed for discrete dependent variables. Cox and Snell is preferred and pseudo- R^2 should be preferred, because McFadden's index could be negative.

Usage

```
da.betareg.fit(data, link.betareg, ...)
```

Arguments

data	complete data set
link.betareg	link function for the mean model. By default, logit.
...	ignored

Value

A function described by [using-fit-indices](#). You could retrieve following indices:

- r2.pseudo Provided by betareg by default
- r2.m McFadden(1974)
- r2.cs Cox and Snell(1989).

References

- Cox, D. R., & Snell, E. J. (1989). *The analysis of binary data* (2nd ed.). London, UK: Chapman and Hall.
- Estrella, A. (1998). A new measure of fit for equations with dichotomous dependent variables. *Journal of Business & Economic Statistics*, 16(2), 198-205. doi: 10.1080/07350015.1998.10524753.
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See Also

Other fit indices: [da.dynlm.fit\(\)](#), [da.glm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmWithCov.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmerMod.fit\(\)](#), [da.mlmWithCov.fit\(\)](#)

da.dynlm.fit *Provides coefficient of determination for dynlm models.*

Description

Uses R^2 (coefficient of determination) as fit index

Usage

```
da.dynlm.fit(data, ...)
```

Arguments

data	complete data set containing the variables in the model
...	ignored

Value

A function described by [using-fit-indices](#) description for interface

See Also

Other fit indices: [da.betareg.fit\(\)](#), [da.glm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmWithCov.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmerMod.fit\(\)](#), [da.mlmWithCov.fit\(\)](#)

da.glm.fit *Provides fit indices for GLM models.*

Description

Functions only available for logistic regression, based on Azen and Traxel(2009).

Usage

```
da.glm.fit(data, family.glm, ...)
```

Arguments

data	complete data set
family.glm	family for glm method. Use 'binomial' for logistic regression.
...	ignored

Details

Check [daRawResults](#).

Value

A function described by [using-fit-indices](#). You could retrieve following indices

`r2.m` McFadden(1974)

`r2.cs` Cox and Snell(1989). Use with caution, because don't have 1 as upper bound

`r2.n` Nagelkerke(1991), that corrects the upper bound of Cox and Snell(1989) index

`r2.e` Estrella(1998)

References

- Azen, R. and Traxel, N. (2009). Using Dominance Analysis to Determine Predictor Importance in Logistic Regression. *Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics*, 34 (3), 319-347. doi:10.3102/1076998609332754.
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- Estrella, A. (1998). A new measure of fit for equations with dichotomous dependent variables. *Journal of Business & Economic Statistics*, 16(2), 198-205. doi: 10.1080/07350015.1998.10524753
- McFadden, D. (1974). Conditional logit analysis of qualitative choice behavior. In P. Zarembka (Ed.), *Frontiers in econometrics* (pp. 104-142). New York, NY: Academic Press.

See Also

Other fit indices: `da.betareg.fit()`, `da.dynlm.fit()`, `da.lm.fit()`, `da.lmWithCov.fit()`, `da.lmerMod.fit()`, `da.mlWithCov.fit()`

Examples

```
x1<-rnorm(1000)
x2<-rnorm(1000)
x3<-rnorm(1000)
y<-factor(runif(1000) > exp(x1+x2+x3)/(1+exp(x1+x2+x3)))
df.1=data.frame(x1,x2,x3,y)
da.glm.fit(data=df.1)("names")
da.glm.fit(data=df.1, family.glm='binomial')(y~x1)
```

`da.lm.fit`

Provides coefficient of determination for lm models.

Description

Uses R^2 (coefficient of determination) as fit index

Usage

`da.lm.fit(data, ...)`

Arguments

data	complete data set containing the variables in the model
...	ignored

Value

A function described by [using-fit-indices](#) description for interface

See Also

Other fit indices: [da.betareg.fit\(\)](#), [da.dynlm.fit\(\)](#), [da.glm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmWithCov.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmerMod.fit\(\)](#), [da.mlmWithCov.fit\(\)](#)

Examples

```
x1<-rnorm(1000)
x2<-rnorm(1000)
y <-x1+x2+rnorm(1000)
df.1=data.frame(y=y,x1=x1,x2=x2)
da.lm.fit(df.1)("names")
da.lm.fit(df.1)(y~x1)
```

da.lmerMod.fit

Provides fit indices for hierarchical linear models, based on Luo and Azen (2013).

Description

Provides fit indices for hierarchical linear models, based on Luo and Azen (2013).

Usage

```
da.lmerMod.fit(data, null.model, ...)
```

Arguments

data	complete data set containing the variables in the model
null.model	needed for HLM models
...	ignored

References

- Luo, W., & Azen, R. (2012). Determining Predictor Importance in Hierarchical Linear Models Using Dominance Analysis. *Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics*, 38(1), 3-31. doi:10.3102/1076998612458319

See Also

Other fit indices: [da.betareg.fit\(\)](#), [da.dynlm.fit\(\)](#), [da.glm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmWithCov.fit\(\)](#), [da.mlWithCov.fit\(\)](#)

da.lmWithCov.fit	<i>Provides coefficient of determination for linear models, using covariance/correlation matrix.</i>
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Description

Uses R^2 (coefficient of determination) See [lmWithCov](#)

Usage

```
da.lmWithCov.fit(base.cov, ...)
```

Arguments

base.cov	variance/covariance matrix
...	ignored

See Also

Other fit indices: [da.betareg.fit\(\)](#), [da.dynlm.fit\(\)](#), [da.glm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmerMod.fit\(\)](#), [da.mlWithCov.fit\(\)](#)

da.mlWithCov.fit	<i>Provides coefficient of determination for multivariate models.</i>
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Description

Provides coefficient of determination for multivariate models.

Usage

```
da.mlWithCov.fit(base.cov, ...)
```

Arguments

base.cov	variance/covariance matrix
...	ignored

Value

A list with several fit indices

$r.squared.xy$ R_{XY}^2

$p.squared.yx$ P_{YX}^2

See [lmWithCov](#)

References

Azen, R., & Budescu, D. V. (2006). Comparing Predictors in Multivariate Regression Models: An Extension of Dominance Analysis. *Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics*, 31(2), 157-180. doi:10.3102/10769986031002157

See Also

Other fit indices: [da.betareg.fit\(\)](#), [da.dynlm.fit\(\)](#), [da.glm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lm.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmWithCov.fit\(\)](#), [da.lmerMod.fit\(\)](#)

dominanceAnalysis	<i>Dominance analysis for OLS (univariate and multivariate), GLM and LMM models</i>
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Description

Dominance analysis for OLS (univariate and multivariate), GLM and LMM models

Usage

```
dominanceAnalysis(
  x,
  constants = c(),
  terms = NULL,
  fit.functions = "default",
  data = NULL,
  null.model = NULL,
  link.betareg = NULL,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

x	lm, glm, lmer model
constants	vector of predictors to remain unchanged between models
terms	vector of terms to be analyzed. By default, obtained from the model
fit.functions	Name of the method used to provide fit indices

data	optional data.frame
null.model	for mixed models, null model against to test the submodels
link.betareg	for betareg, link function to use.
...	Other arguments provided to lm or lmer (not implemented yet)

Value

predictors	Vector of predictors.
constants	Vector of constant variables.
terms	Vector of terms to be analyzed.
fit.functions	Vector of fit indices names.
fits	List with raw fits indices. See daRawResults .
contribution.by.level	List of mean contribution of each predictor by level for each fit index. Each element is a data.frame, with levels as rows and predictors as columns, for each fit index.
contribution.average	List with mean contribution of each predictor for all levels. These values are obtained for every fit index considered in the analysis. Each element is a vector of mean contributions for a given fit index.
complete	Matrix for complete dominance.
conditional	Matrix for conditional dominance.
general	Matrix for general dominance.

Definition of Dominance Analysis

Budescu (1993) developed a clear and intuitive definition of importance in regression models, that states that a predictor's importance reflects its contribution in the prediction of the criterion and that one predictor is 'more important than another' if it contributes more to the prediction of the criterion than does its competitor at a given level of analysis.

Types of dominance

The original paper (Bodescu, 1993) defines that variable X_1 dominates X_2 when X_1 is chosen over X_2 in all possible subset of models where only one of these two predictors is to be entered. Later, Azen & Bodescu (2003), name the previously definition as 'complete dominance' and two other types of dominance: conditional and general dominance. Conditional dominance is calculated as the average of the additional contributions to all subset of models of a given model size. General dominance is calculated as the mean of average contribution on each level.

Fit indices availables

To obtain the fit-indices for each model, a function called `da.<model>.fit` is executed. For example, for a lm model, function `da.lm.fit` provides R^2 values. Currently, seven models are implemented:

lm Provides R^2 or coefficient of determination. See [da.lm.fit](#)

- glm** Provides four fit indices recommended by Azen & Traxel (2009): Cox and Snell(1989), McFadden (1974), Nagelkerke (1991), and Estrella (1998). See [da.glm.fit](#)
- lmerMod** Provides four fit indices recommended by Lou & Azen (2012). See [da.lmerMod.fit](#)
- lmWithCov** Provides R^2 for a correlation/covariance matrix. See [lmWithCov](#) to create the model and [da.lmWithCov.fit](#) for the fit index function.
- mlmWithCov** Provides both R_{XY}^2 and P_{XY}^2 for multivariate regression models using a correlation/covariance matrix. See [mlmWithCov](#) to create the model and [da.mlWithCov.fit](#) for the fit index function
- dynlm** Provides R^2 for dynamic linear models. There is no literature reference about using dominance analysis on dynamic linear models, so you're warned!. See [da.dynlm.fit](#).
- betareg** Provides pseudo- R^2 , Cox and Snell(1989), McFadden (1974), and Estrella (1998). You could set the link function using link.betareg if automatic detection of link function doesn't work.
- See [da.betareg.fit](#)

References

- Azen, R., & Budescu, D. V. (2003). The dominance analysis approach for comparing predictors in multiple regression. *Psychological Methods*, 8(2), 129-148. doi:10.1037/1082-989X.8.2.129
- Azen, R., & Budescu, D. V. (2006). Comparing Predictors in Multivariate Regression Models: An Extension of Dominance Analysis. *Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics*, 31(2), 157-180. doi:10.3102/10769986031002157
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Examples

```
data(longley)
lm.1<-lm(Employed~,longley)
da<-dominanceAnalysis(lm.1)
print(da)
summary(da)
plot(da,which.graph='complete')
plot(da,which.graph='conditional')
plot(da,which.graph='general')

# Maintaining year as a constant on all submodels
da.no.year<-dominanceAnalysis(lm.1,constants='Year')
print(da.no.year)
```

```

summary(da.no.year)
plot(da.no.year,which.graph='complete')

# Parameter terms could be used to group variables
da.terms=c(GNP.rel='GNP.deflator+GNP',
           pop.rel='Unemployed+Armed.Forces+Population+Unemployed',
           year='Year')
da.grouped<-dominanceAnalysis(lm.1,terms=da.terms)
print(da.grouped)
summary(da.grouped)
plot(da.grouped, which.graph='complete')

```

dominanceBriefing *Retrieve a briefing for complete, conditional and general dominance*

Description

Retrieve a briefing for complete, conditional and general dominance

Usage

```
dominanceBriefing(da.object, fit.functions = NULL, abbrev = FALSE)
```

Arguments

da.object	a dominanceAnalysis object
fit.functions	name of the fit indices to retrieve. If NULL, all fit indices will be retrieved
abbrev	if TRUE

Value

a list. Each element is a data.frame, that comprises the dominance analysis for a specific fit index. Each data.frame have the predictors as row and each column reports the predictors that are dominated for each predictor

See Also

Other retrieval methods: [averageContribution\(\)](#), [contributionByLevel\(\)](#), [dominanceMatrix\(\)](#), [getFits\(\)](#)

Examples

```

# For matrix or data.frame
data(longley)
da.longley<-dominanceAnalysis(lm(Employed~,longley))
dominanceBriefing(da.longley, abbrev=FALSE)
dominanceBriefing(da.longley, abbrev=TRUE)

```

dominanceMatrix	<i>Retrieve or calculates a dominance matrix for a given object</i>
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Description

This methods calculates or retrieve dominance matrix

This methods allows a common interface to retrieve all dominance matrices from dominanceAnalysis objects

Usage

```
dominanceMatrix(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
dominanceMatrix(x, undefined.value = 0.5, ordered = FALSE, ...)

## S3 method for class 'matrix'
dominanceMatrix(x, undefined.value = 0.5, ordered = FALSE, ...)

## S3 method for class 'dominanceAnalysis'
dominanceMatrix(
  x,
  type,
  fit.functions = NULL,
  drop = TRUE,
  ordered = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	matrix (calculate) or dominanceAnalysis (retrieve)
...	extra arguments. Not used
<code>undefined.value</code>	value when no dominance can be established
<code>ordered</code>	Logical. If TRUE, sort the output according to dominance.
<code>type</code>	type of dominance matrix to retrieve. Could be complete, conditional or general
<code>fit.functions</code>	name of the fit indices to retrieve. If NULL, all fit indices will be retrieved
<code>drop</code>	if TRUE and just one fit index is available, returns a matrix. Else, returns a list

Details

To calculate a dominance matrix from a matrix or dataframe, use

`dominanceMatrix(x,undefined.value).`

To retrieve the dominance matrices from a dominanceAnalysis object, use

`dominanceMatrix(x,type,fit.function,drop)`

Value

for matrix and data-frame, returns a matrix representing dominance. 1 represents domination of the row variable over the column variable, 0 dominance of the column over the row variable. Undefined dominance is represented by `undefined.value` parameter. For `dominanceAnalysis` object, returns a matrix, if `drop` parameter is TRUE and just one index is available. Else, a list is returned, with keys as name of fit-indices and values as matrices, as described previously.

See Also

Other retrieval methods: `averageContribution()`, `contributionByLevel()`, `dominanceBriefing()`, `getFits()`

Examples

```
# For matrix or data.frame
mm<-data.frame(a=c(5,3,2),b=c(4,2,1),c=c(5,4,3))
dominanceMatrix(mm)
# For dominanceAnalysis
data(longley)
da.longley<-dominanceAnalysis(lm(Employed~.,longley))
dominanceMatrix(da.longley,type="complete")
```

getFits*Retrieve fit matrix or matrices***Description**

Retrieve fit matrix or matrices for a given `dominanceAnalysis` object

Usage

```
getFits(da.object, fit.functions = NULL)
```

Arguments

<code>da.object</code>	<code>dominanceAnalysis</code> object
<code>fit.functions</code>	name of the fit indices to retrieve. If NULL, all fit indices will be retrieved

Value

a list. Key corresponds to fit-index and the value is a matrix, with fits values

See Also

Other retrieval methods: `averageContribution()`, `contributionByLevel()`, `dominanceBriefing()`, `dominanceMatrix()`

Examples

```
data(longley)
da.longley<-dominanceAnalysis(lm(Employed~,longley))
getFits(da.longley)
```

lmmR2

Calculates several measures of fit for Linear Mixed Models based on Lou and Azen (2013) text. Models could be lmer or lme models

Description

Calculates several measures of fit for Linear Mixed Models based on Lou and Azen (2013) text.
Models could be lmer or lme models

Usage

```
lmmR2(m.null, m.full)
```

Arguments

- | | |
|--------|---|
| m.null | Null model (only with random intercept effects) |
| m.full | Full model |

Value

lmmR2 class

lmWithCov

Uses covariance/correlation matrix for calculate OLS

Description

Calculate regression coefficients and R^2 for an OLS regression. Could be used with [dominanceAnalysis](#) to perform a dominance analysis without the original data.

Usage

```
lmWithCov(f, x)
```

Arguments

- | | |
|---|-------------------------------|
| f | formula for lm model |
| x | correlation/covariance matrix |

Value

<code>coef</code>	regression coefficients
<code>r.squared</code>	R^2 or coefficient of determination
<code>formula</code>	formula provided as parameter
<code>cov</code>	covariance/correlation matrix provided as parameter

Examples

```
cov.m<-matrix(c(1,0.2,0.3, 0.2,1,0.5,0.3,0.5,1),3,3,
dimnames=list(c("x1","x2","y"),c("x1","x2","y")))
lm.cov<-lmWithCov(y~x1+x2,cov.m)
da<-dominanceAnalysis(lm.cov)
```

mlmWithCov

Uses covariance/correlation matrix to calculate multivariate index of fit

Description

Calculate R_{XY}^2 and P_{YX}^2 for multivariate regression Could be used with [dominanceAnalysis](#) to perform a multivariate dominance analysis without original data.

Usage

```
mlmWithCov(f, x)
```

Arguments

<code>f</code>	formula. Should use <code>cbind(y1,y2,...,yk)~x1+x2+..+xp</code>
<code>x</code>	correlation/covariance matrix

Value

<code>r.squared.xy</code>	R_{XY}^2 of the regression
<code>p.squared.yx</code>	P_{YX}^2 of the regression
<code>formula</code>	formula provided as parameter
<code>cov</code>	covariance/correlation matrix provided as parameter

Examples

```
library(car)
cor.m<-matrix(c(
  1.0000000, 0.7951377, 0.2617168, 0.6720053, 0.3390278,
  0.7951377, 1.0000000, 0.3341037, 0.5876337, 0.3404206,
  0.2617168, 0.3341037, 1.0000000, 0.3703162, 0.2114153,
  0.6720053, 0.5876337, 0.3703162, 1.0000000, 0.3548077,
  0.3390278, 0.3404206, 0.2114153, 0.3548077, 1.0000000),
  5,5,
  byrow = TRUE,
  dimnames = list(
    c("na","ss","SAT","PPVT","Raven"),
    c("na","ss","SAT","PPVT","Raven")))
lwith<-mlmWithCov(cbind(na,ss)~SAT+PPVT+Raven,cor.m)
da<-dominanceAnalysis(lwith)
print(da)
summary(da)
```

plot.dominanceAnalysis

Plot for a [dominanceAnalysis](#) object

Description

Plot for a [dominanceAnalysis](#) object

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'dominanceAnalysis'
plot(
  x,
  which.graph = c("general", "complete", "complete_no_facet", "conditional"),
  fit.function = NULL,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

x	a dominanceAnalysis object
which.graph	which graph to plot
fit.function	name of the fit indices to retrieve. If NULL, first index will be used
...	unused

Value

a ggplot object

Examples

```
data(longley)
lm.1<-lm(Employed~,longley)
da<-dominanceAnalysis(lm.1)
# By default, plot complete dominance of first fit function
plot(da)
# Parameter which.graph defines dominance to plot
plot(da,which.graph='conditional')
plot(da,which.graph='general')
```

replaceTermsInString *Replace terms by name using the terms definition*

Description

Replace terms by name using the terms definition

Usage

```
replaceTermsInString(string, replacement)
```

Arguments

string	string to be updated
replacement	string with replacement for strings. values are replaced by names

tropicbird *Distribution of a tropical native bird species inhabiting a small oceanic island.*

Description

The dataset contains information about points distributed across a small oceanic island (Soares, 2017). In each of these points, a 10-minute count was carried out to record the species presence (assuming 1 if the species was present, or 0 if it was absent). The species' presence/absence is the binary response variable (i.e., dependent variable). Additionally, all sampled points were characterized by multiple environmental variables.

Usage

```
tropicbird
```

Format

A data frame with 2398 rows and 8 variables:

ID Point identification

rem remoteness is an index that represents the difficulty of movement through the landscape, with the highest values corresponding to the most remote areas

land land use is an index that represents the land-use intensification, with the highest values corresponding to the more humanized areas (e.g., cities, agricultural areas, horticulures, oil-palm monocultures)

alt altitude is a continuous variable, with the highest values corresponding to the higher altitude areas

slo slope is a continuous variable, with the highest values corresponding to the steepest areas

rain rainfall is a continuous variable, with the highest values corresponding to the rainy wet areas

coast distance to the coast is the minimum linear distance between each point and the coast line, with the highest values corresponding to the points further away from the coastline

pres Species presence

Source

Soares, F.C., 2017. Modelling the distribution of Sao Tome bird species: Ecological determinants and conservation prioritization. Faculdade de Ciencias da Universidade de Lisboa.

using-fit-indices *Provides fit indices for different regression models.*

Description

`dominanceAnalysis` tries to infer, based on the class of the model provided, the appropriate fit indices, using the scheme `da.CLASS.fit` for name. This method has two interfaces, one for retrieving the names of the fit indices, and another to retrieve the indices based on the data.

Arguments

<code>data</code>	Complete data set containing the variables in the model.
<code>null.model</code>	Null model only needed for HLM models.
<code>base.cov</code>	Required if only a covariance/correlation matrix is provided.
<code>family.glm</code>	family param for <code>glm</code> models.

Details

Interfaces are:

- `da.CLASS.fit("names")` returns a vector with names for fit indices
- `da.CLASS.fit(data,null.model,base.cov=NULL,family.glm=NULL)` returns a function with one parameter, the formula to calculate the submodel.

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