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data_dep_prior_multi* *Data Dependent Prior for Multinomial Distribution

Description

Creates a data dependent prior for p-dimensional multinomial distributions using a conjugate prior (eg *Dirichlet*(α)) based on 20

Usage

```
data_dep_prior_multi(dat)
```

Arguments

dat A `data.frame`. All variables must be factors

Value

A `data.frame` containing identifiers for all possible $P(Y = y)$ and the associated prior-counts, α

References

Darnieder, William Francis. Bayesian methods for data-dependent priors. Dissertation. The Ohio State University, 2011.

See Also

[expand.grid](#)

imputeMulti-class *Class "imputeMulti"*

Description

A multivariate multinomial model imputed by EM or Data Augmentation is represented as a [mod_imputeMulti](#) object. A complete dataset and model is represented as an [imputeMulti](#) object. Inherits from [mod_imputeMulti](#). Additional slots are supplied for (1) the call to [multinomial_impute](#); (2) the missing and imputed data; and (3) the number of observations with missing values.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'imputeMulti'
show(object)

get_imputations(object)

## S4 method for signature 'imputeMulti'
get_imputations(object)

n_miss(object)
```

Arguments

object an object of class "imputeMulti"

Slots

Gcall the call to [multinomial_impute](#)
method the modeling method
mle_call the call to the estimation function
mle_iter the number of iterations in estimation
mle_log_lik the final log-likelihood
mle_cp the conjugate prior if any
mle_x_y the MLE estimate of the sufficient statistics and parameters
data a list of the missing and imputed data
nmiss the number of observations with missing data

Objects from the class

Objects are created by calls to [multinomial_impute](#), [multinomial_em](#), or [multinomial_data_aug](#).

See Also

[multinomial_impute](#), [multinomial_em](#), [multinomial_data_aug](#)

`is.imputeMulti` *Check imputeMulti Class*

Description

Function that checks if the target object is a `imputeMulti` object.

Usage

```
is.imputeMulti(x)
```

Arguments

`x` any R object.

Value

Returns TRUE if its argument has class "imputeMulti" among its classes and FALSE otherwise.

`is.mod_imputeMulti` *Check mod_imputeMulti Class*

Description

Function that checks if the target object is a `mod_imputeMulti` object.

Usage

```
is.mod_imputeMulti(x)
```

Arguments

`x` any R object.

Value

Returns TRUE if its argument has class "mod_imputeMulti" among its classes and FALSE otherwise.

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|---------------|--|
| merge_imputed | <i>Merge imputed data and original dataset</i> |
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Description

Merge the imputed dataset from an `imputeMulti` object with the original dataset. Merging is done by rownames, since `imputeMulti` maintains row-order during imputation.

Usage

```
merge_imputed(impute_obj, y, ...)
```

Arguments

| | |
|-------------------------|--|
| <code>impute_obj</code> | An object of class "imputeMulti". |
| <code>y</code> | The dataset from which the missing data was imputed. |
| <code>...</code> | Arguments to be passed to other methods |

`mod_imputeMulti-class` *Class "mod_imputeMulti"*

Description

A multivariate multinomial model imputed by EM or Data Augmentation is represented as a `mod_imputeMulti` object. A complete dataset and model is represented as an `imputeMulti` object. Slots for `mod_imputeMulti` objects include: (1) the modeling method; (2) the call to the estimation function; (3) the number of iterations in estimation; (4) the final log-likelihood; (5) the conjugate prior if any; (6) the MLE estimate of the sufficient statistics and parameters.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'mod_imputeMulti'
show(object)

get_parameters(object)

## S4 method for signature 'mod_imputeMulti'
get_parameters(object)

get_prior(object)

## S4 method for signature 'mod_imputeMulti'
get_prior(object)

get_iterations(object)
```

```

## S4 method for signature 'mod_imputeMulti'
get_iterations(object)

get_logLik(object)

## S4 method for signature 'mod_imputeMulti'
get_logLik(object)

get_method(object)

## S4 method for signature 'mod_imputeMulti'
get_method(object)

## S4 method for signature 'imputeMulti'
n_miss(object)

```

Arguments

object an object of class "mod_imputeMulti"

Slots

method the modeling method
mle_call the call to the estimation function
mle_iter the number of iterations in estimation
mle_log_liik the final log-likelihood
mle_cp the conjugate prior if any
mle_x_y the MLE estimate of the sufficient statistics and parameters

Objects from the class

Objects are created by calls to [multinomial_impute](#), [multinomial_em](#), or [multinomial_data_aug](#).

See Also

[multinomial_impute](#), [multinomial_em](#), [multinomial_data_aug](#)

multinomial_data_aug *Data Augmentation algorithm for multinomial data*

Description

Implement the Data Augmentation algorithm for multivariate multinomial data given observed counts of complete and missing data (Y_{obs} and Y_{mis}). Allows for specification of a Dirichlet conjugate prior.

Usage

```
multinomial_data_aug(
  x_y,
  z_0s_y,
  enum_comp,
  conj_prior = c("none", "data.dep", "flat.prior", "non.informative"),
  alpha = NULL,
  burnin = 100,
  post_draws = 1000,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|------------|--|
| x_y | A <code>data.frame</code> of observed counts for complete observations. |
| z_0s_y | A <code>data.frame</code> of observed marginal-counts for incomplete observations. |
| enum_comp | A <code>data.frame</code> specifying a vector of all possible observed patterns. |
| conj_prior | A string specifying the conjugate prior. One of <code>c("none", "data.dep", "flat.prior", "non.informative")</code> . |
| alpha | The vector of counts α for a $Dir(\alpha)$ prior. Must be specified if <code>conj_prior</code> is either <code>c("data.dep", "flat.prior")</code> . If <code>flat.prior</code> , specify as a scalar. If <code>data.dep</code> , specify as a vector with key matching <code>enum_comp</code> . |
| burnin | A scalar specifying the number of iterations to use as a burnin. Defaults to 100. |
| post_draws | An integer specifying the number of draws from the posterior distribution. Defaults to 1000. |
| verbose | Logical. If TRUE, provide verbose output on each iteration. |

Value

An object of class [mod_imputeMulti-class](#).

See Also

[multinomial_em](#), [multinomial_impute](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
data(tract2221)
x_y <- multinomial_stats(tract2221[,1:4], output= "x_y")
z_0s_y <- multinomial_stats(tract2221[,1:4], output= "z_0s_y")
x_possible <- multinomial_stats(tract2221[,1:4], output= "possible.obs")

imputeDA_mle <- multinomial_data_aug(x_y, z_0s_y, x_possible, n_obs= nrow(tract2221),
                                       conj_prior= "none", verbose= TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

`multinomial_em`*EM algorithm for multinomial data***Description**

Implement the EM algorithm for multivariate multinomial data given observed counts of complete and missing data (Y_{obs} and Y_{mis}). Allows for specification of a Dirichlet conjugate prior.

Usage

```
multinomial_em(
  x_y,
  z_0s_y,
  enum_comp,
  n_obs,
  conj_prior = c("none", "data.dep", "flat.prior", "non.informative"),
  alpha = NULL,
  tol = 5e-07,
  max_iter = 10000,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|-------------------------|--|
| <code>x_y</code> | A <code>data.frame</code> of observed counts for complete observations. |
| <code>z_0s_y</code> | A <code>data.frame</code> of observed marginal-counts for incomplete observations. |
| <code>enum_comp</code> | A <code>data.frame</code> specifying a vector of all possible observed patterns. |
| <code>n_obs</code> | An integer specifying the number of observations in the original data. |
| <code>conj_prior</code> | A string specifying the conjugate prior. One of <code>c("none", "data.dep", "flat.prior", "non.informative")</code> . |
| <code>alpha</code> | The vector of counts α for a $Dir(\alpha)$ prior. Must be specified if <code>conj_prior</code> is either <code>c("data.dep", "flat.prior")</code> . If <code>flat.prior</code> , specify as a scalar. If <code>data.dep</code> , specify as a vector with key matching <code>enum_comp</code> . |
| <code>tol</code> | A scalar specifying the convergence criteria. Defaults to <code>5e-7</code> |
| <code>max_iter</code> | An integer specifying the maximum number of allowable iterations. Defaults to <code>10000</code> . |
| <code>verbose</code> | Logical. If <code>TRUE</code> , provide verbose output on each iteration. |

Value

An object of class [mod_imputeMulti-class](#).

See Also

[multinomial_data_aug](#), [multinomial_impute](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
data(tract2221)
x_y <- multinomial_stats(tract2221[,1:4], output= "x_y")
z_0s_y <- multinomial_stats(tract2221[,1:4], output= "z_0s_y")
x_possible <- multinomial_stats(tract2221[,1:4], output= "possible.obs")

imputeEM_mle <- multinomial_em(x_y, z_0s_y, x_possible, n_obs= nrow(tract2221),
                                 conj_prior= "none", verbose= TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

multinomial_impute *Impute Values for missing multinomial values*

Description

Impute values for multivariate multinomial data using either EM or Data Augmentation.

Usage

```
multinomial_impute(
  dat,
  method = c("EM", "DA"),
  conj_prior = c("none", "data.dep", "flat.prior", "non.informative"),
  alpha = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|-------------------------|--|
| <code>dat</code> | A <code>data.frame</code> . All variables must be factors. |
| <code>method</code> | <code>c("EM", "DA")</code> A string specifying EM or Data Augmentation (DA) |
| <code>conj_prior</code> | A string specifying the conjugate prior. One of <code>c("none", "data.dep", "flat.prior", "non.informative")</code> . |
| <code>alpha</code> | The vector of counts α for a $Dir(\alpha)$ prior. Must be specified if <code>conj_prior</code> is either <code>c("data.dep", "flat.prior")</code> . If <code>flat.prior</code> , specify as a scalar. If <code>data.dep</code> , specify as a vector with key matching <code>enum_comp</code> . |
| <code>verbose</code> | Logical. If <code>TRUE</code> , provide verbose output on each iteration. |
| <code>...</code> | Arguments to be passed to other methods |

Value

An object of class [imputeMulti-class](#)

References

Schafer, Joseph L. Analysis of incomplete multivariate data. Chapter 7. CRC press, 1997.

See Also

[data_dep_prior_multi](#), [multinomial_em](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
data(tract2221)
imputeEM <- multinomial_impute(tract2221[,1:4], method= "EM",
                                conj_prior = "none", verbose= TRUE)
imputeDA <- multinomial_impute(tract2221[,1:4], method= "DA",
                                conj_prior = "non.informative", verbose= TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

multinomial_stats *Multinomial Sufficient Statistics*

Description

Calculate observed-data sufficient statistics, marginally-observed summary statistics or enumerate all possible observed patterns from a multivariate multinomial dataset.

Usage

```
multinomial_stats(dat, output = c("x_y", "z_0s_y", "possible.obs"))
```

Arguments

- | | |
|--------|---|
| dat | A <code>data.frame</code> . All variables must be factors. |
| output | A string specifying the desired output. One of <code>c("x_y", "z_0s_y", "possible.obs")</code> . " <code>x_y</code> " indicates the observed-data sufficient statistics, " <code>z_0s_y</code> " indicates the marginally-observed summary statistics, and " <code>possible.obs</code> " indicates the possible observed patterns. |

Value

A `data.frame` containing either sufficient statistics or possible observed patterns.

Examples

```
## Not run:
data(tract2221)
obs_suff_stats <- multinomial_stats(tract2221, output= "x_y")
marg_obs_suff_stats <- multinomial_stats(tract2221, output= "z_0s_y")

## End(Not run)
```

summary,imputeMulti-method

Summarizing imputMulti objects

Description

summary method for class "imputeMulti"

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'imputeMulti'
summary(object, ...)
```

Arguments

| | |
|--------|--|
| object | an object of class "imputeMulti" |
| ... | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |

summary,mod_imputeMulti-method

Summarizing mod_imputMulti objects

Description

summary method for class "mod_imputeMulti"

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'mod_imputeMulti'
summary(object, ...)
```

Arguments

| | |
|--------|--|
| object | an object of class "mod_imputeMulti" |
| ... | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |

supDistC*Calculate the sup of L1 distance between x and y***Description**

sup of L1 distance between x and y

Usage

```
supDistC(x, y)
```

Arguments

| | |
|---|------------------|
| x | A numeric vector |
| y | A numeric vector |

Value

a numeric scalar.

tract2221*Observational data on individuals living in census tract 2221***Description**

A dataset containing attributes of 3974 individuals living in census tract 2221 in Los Angeles County, CA. Data comes from the 5-year American Community Survey with end year 2014. Missing values have been inserted.

Usage

```
tract2221
```

Format

A `data.frame` with 3974 rows and 10 variables. All variables are of class `factor`:

age The individual's age coded in roughly 5 year age buckets.

gender The individuals gender – Male, Female

marital_status The individuals marital status. Takes one of 5 levels: `never_mar` never married; `married` married; `mar_apart` married but living apart; `divorced` divorced; and `widowed` widowed

edu_attain The individual's educational attainment. Takes one of 7 levels: 1t_hs less than high school; some_hs completed some high school but did not graduate; hs_grad high school graduate; some_col completed some college but did not graduate; assoc_deg completed an associates degree; ba_deg obtained a bachelors degree; grad_deg obtained a graduate or professional degree

emp_status The individuals employment status. Takes one of 3 levels: employed individual is in the labor force and employed; unemployed individual is in the labor force and unemployed; not_in_labor_force individual is not in the labor force

nativity The individual's nativity status. Takes one of 4 values: born_state_residence born in the state of residence; born_other_state born in another US state; born_out_us a US citizen born outside the US; foreigner foreign born

pov_status The individual's poverty status in the past year. Takes one of 2 levels: below_pov_level below the poverty level; at_above_pov_level at or above the poverty level

geog_mobility The individual's geographic mobility in the last year. Takes one of 5 values: same house lived in the same house; same county moved within the same county; same state moved within the same state; same state moved from a different county within the same state; diff state moved from a different state; moved from abroad moved from another country

ind_income The individual's annual income. Takes one of 9 levels: no_income no income; 1_lt10k income <\$10,000; 10k_lt15k \$10000-\$14999; 15k_lt25k \$15000-\$24999; 25k_lt35k \$25000-\$34999; 35k_lt50k \$35000-\$49999; 50k_lt65k \$50000-\$64999; 65k_lt75k \$65000-\$74999; gt75k \$75000+

race The individual's ethnicity.

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