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agedata	<i>Continuous repeated measurement data</i>
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### Description

dataset of observations made at various timepoints,variable age with no missing value and agemiss with missing value

### Usage

```
data(agedata)
```

### Format

A tibble with 6 columns which are :

**age** age of subject

**agemiss** age with missing value

**1** Observation on timepoint 1

**2** Observation on timepoint 2

**3** Observation on timepoint 3

**4** Observation on timepoint 4

aipw1

*Estimate of linear regression parameter from AIPWI***Description**

provides augmented inverse probability weighted estimates of parameters for linear regression model of response variable using different covariance structure

**Usage**

```
aipw1(cvstr = "unstructured", Dep, Id, Time, m, n, prob, data)
```

**Arguments**

cvstr	"unstructured","compound","ToE","AR1","markov","independence"
Dep	column name of dependent variable in the dataset
Id	column name of id of subjects in the dataset
Time	column name of timepoints in the dataset
m	starting column number of covariates
n	ending column number of covariates
prob	vector of probabilities not having missing value in covariate, which must be known by the user from previous studies. In the example we consider 4 observations for each subject,so we create a vector of 4 and applied in the function.
data	balanced longitudinal data set where each subject's outcome has been measured at same time points and number of visits for each patient is similar covariance structure of the outcome variable like "unstructured","compound","ToE","AR1","markov","independence"

**Details**

It uses the inverse probability weighted method to reduce the bias due to missing covariate in linear regression model. The estimating equation is

$$\sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{\delta_{ij}}{\pi_{ij}} S(Y_{ij}, \mathbf{X}_{ij}, \mathbf{X}'_{ij}) + \left(1 - \frac{\delta_{ij}}{\pi_{ij}}\right) \phi(\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{v}) \right) = 0$$

where  $\delta_{ij} = 1$  if there is missing value in covariates and 0 otherwise,  $\mathbf{X}$  is fully observed all subjects and  $\mathbf{X}'$  is partially missing, where  $\mathbf{V} = (Y, \mathbf{X})$

**Value**

estimated parameter value for multiple linear regression model,AIC,BIC

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**Examples**

```
data(srdata)
aipw1(cvstr="ToE",Dep="C6kine",Id="ID",Time="Visit",m=5,n=10,prob=rep(0.1,4),data=srdata)
```

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aipw2

*Estimate of linear regression parameter from AIPW2*


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**Description**

provides augmented inverse probability weighted estimates of parameters for linear regression model of response variable using different covariance structure

**Usage**

```
aipw2(cvstr = "unstructured", Dep, Id, Time, m, n, data)
```

**Arguments**

cvstr	"unstructured","compound","ToE","AR1","markov", "independence"
Dep	column name of dependent variable in the dataset
Id	column name of id of subjects in the dataset
Time	column name of timepoints in the dataset
m	starting column number of covariates
n	ending column number of covariates
data	balanced longitudinal data set where each subject's outcome has been measured at same time points and number of visits for each patient is same, covariance structure of the outcome variable

**Details**

It uses the inverse probability weighted method to reduce the bias due to missing covariate in linear regression model. The estimating equation is

$$\sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{\delta_{ij}}{\pi_{ij}} S(Y_{ij}, \mathbf{X}_{ij}, \mathbf{X}'_{ij}) + \left(1 - \frac{\delta_{ij}}{\pi_{ij}}\right) \phi(\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{v}) \right) = 0$$

where  $\delta_{ij} = 1$  if there is missing value in covariates and 0 otherwise,  $\mathbf{X}$  is fully observed all subjects and  $\mathbf{X}'$  is partially missing, where  $\mathbf{V} = (Y, \mathbf{X})$  and  $\pi_{ij}$  are estimated value.

**Value**

estimated parameter value for multiple linear regression model,AIC,BIC

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
data(srdata)
aipw2(cvstr="ToE", Dep="C6kine", Id="ID", Time="Visit", m=5, n=10, data=srdata)
```

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bbern

*Bayesian analysis of generalized mixed linear model using MCMC*


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**Description**

Provides bayesian analysis of generalized mixed linear model where the repeated measure (with missing value) follows bernoulli distribution using MCMC

**Usage**

```
bbern(m, n, nc, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
nc	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset with entries 0,1. column names are age,grp(group),gen(gender),0,1,2,3,4 (time points)

**Details**

The model for the response variable is given by

$$Y_{ij} \sim \text{Bernoulli}(\mu_{ij})$$

where link function is

$$\text{logit}(\mu_{ij}) = \beta_1 + \beta_2 t_j + \beta_3 t_j^2 + \beta_4 \text{age}_i + \beta_5 \text{gen}_i + \beta_6 \text{grp}_i + b_{1i}$$

where i is the ith individual and j is the timepoint.

**Value**

posterior distribution results of parameters.

**Author(s)**

Atanu Bhattacharjee, Bhrigu Kumar Rajbongshi and Gajendra K Vishwakarma

## References

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

## Examples

```
##
data(catadata)
bbbern(m=1, n=3, nc=1, data=catadata)
##
```

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bgnml	<i>Bayesian analysis of generalised linear mixed model for Poisson outcome variable with two random effect</i>
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## Description

provides bayesian analysis of generalised linear mixed model with log link function for categorical response using MCMC

## Usage

```
bgnml(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

## Arguments

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset with integer entries(including NA values), first row represents time points. In this function we are using observations at four timepoints, function takes first four columns of the countdata for the example given in the package

## Details

The response variable  $Y_{ij}$  follows poisson distribution ,mean and variance given random effects  $E(Y_{ij}|b_{1i}, b_{2i}) = Var(Y_{ij}|b_{1i}, b_{2i})$  with link function  $log(\mu_{ij}) = \beta_1 + b_{1i} + (\beta_2 + b_{2i})(X_{ij} - \beta_3)$  where i is the ith subject and j is the timepoint.

## Value

posterior distribution result of parameters

## Author(s)

Atanu Bhattacharjee, Bhrigu Kumar Rajbongshi and Gajendra K Vishwakarma

## References

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

## Examples

```
##
data(countdata)
bgnml(m=1,n=2,n.chains = 1,data=countdata)
##
```

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bnpos	<i>Bayesian analysis of generalised nonlinear mixed model with one random effect</i>
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## Description

Bayesian analysis of generalized nonlinear mixed model where response follows poisson distribution using MCMC

## Usage

```
bnpos(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

## Arguments

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset with integer entries with missing values. first row represents proportion,size of dataset should be 11 by 6. Inside the function we are taking first 6 column of the propdata in this package for the example given.

## Details

Here the response variable  $Y_{ij}$  has poisson distribution mean and variance given one random effect as  $E(Y_{ij}|b_i) = Var(Y_{ij}|b_i)$  where link function is

$$\log(E(Y_{ij}|b_i)) = \beta_1 + b_{1i} + \beta_2 \exp(-\beta_3 x_{ij})$$

where i is the ith subject and j is the timepoint and  $b_i \sim N(0, \sigma_1^2)$  are independent.

## Value

posterior distribution result of parameters

## Author(s)

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## References

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

## Examples

```
##
data(propdata)
bnpos(m=1,n=3,n.chains=1,data=propdata)
##
```

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bpois

*Bayesian analysis of generalized mixed linear model using MCMC*

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## Description

provides Bayesian analysis of generalized mixed linear model where the repeated measure(with missing value) has poisson distribution using MCMC

## Usage

```
bpois(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

## Arguments

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset whose first row is the respective time points at which observations(integers) are taken where timepoints are the respective column names,dimension should be 26 by 3 and design matrix with column names X1,X2,X3,X4

## Details

The model for this function is

$$Y_{ij} \sim \text{Poisson}(\mu_{ij})$$

with link function

$$\log(\mu_{ij}|b_{1i}, b_{2i}) = \beta_1 + \beta_2 t_j + \beta_3 X_1 + \beta_4 X_2 + \beta_5 X_3 + \beta_6 X_4 + b_{1i} + b_{2i} t_j$$

where the  $b_{1i}, b_{2i}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$  are independent and have a two-dimensional normal distribution with a 2 by 1 mean vector 0 and unknown 2 by 2 covariance matrix  $\Sigma$

## Value

posterior distribution result of the parameter



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**References**

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

**Examples**

```
##
data(catdata)
bpois(m=1, n=3, n.chains=1, data=catdata)
##
```

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bposa

*Bayesian analysis of generalized mixed linear model using MCMC*


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**Description**

provides Bayesian analysis of generalized mixed linear model where the repeated measure (with missing value) has poisson distribution using MCMC

**Usage**

```
bposa(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset whose first row is the respective time points at which observations (integers) are taken where timepoints are the respective column names, dimension have to be 26 by 3.

**Details**

The model for this function is

$$Y_{ij} \sim \text{Poisson}(\mu_{ij})$$

with link function

$$\log(\mu_{ij} | b_{1i}, b_{2i}) = \beta_1 + \beta_2 t_j + b_{1i} + b_{2i} t_j$$

where the  $b_{1i}, b_{2i}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$  are independent and have a two-dimensional normal distribution with a 2 by 1 mean vector  $\theta$  and unknown 2 by 2 covariance matrix  $\Sigma$

**Value**

posterior distribution result of the parameters

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**References**

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

**Examples**

```
##
data(catdata)
bposa(m=1, n=2, n.chains=1, data=catdata)
##
```

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bprp

*Bayesian analysis of generalised nonlinear mixed model with one random effect using MCMC*

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**Description**

provides Bayesian analysis of generalized nonlinear mixed model where response follows Poisson distribution using MCMC

**Usage**

```
bprp(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset with entries 0,1. first row represents proportion; size of dataset should be 11 by 6. Inside the function we are taking first 6 column of the propdata in this package for the given example

**Details**

The response variable  $Y_{ij}$  follows poisson distribution with conditional mean and variance  $E(Y_{ij}|b_i) = Var(Y_{ij}|b_i)$   $b_i$  are independent  $N(0, \sigma^2)$  and link function is

$$\text{logit}(\theta_{ij}) = \beta_1 + \beta_2(1 - x_{ij}^{\beta_3 + b_i})$$

where  $\theta_{ij} = P(Y_{ij} = 1/b_i)$ ,  $x_{ij}$  is the proportion

**Value**

posterior distribution result of parameters.

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

**Examples**

```
##
data(propdata)
bprp(m=1, n=4, n.chains=1, data=propdata)
##
```

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brgan	<i>Bayesian analysis of mean response model with autoregressive covariance matrix</i>
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**Description**

Bayesian analysis of mean response over time and age (quadratic trends) using MCMC for AR1 covariance structure, where age follows normal distribution

**Usage**

```
brgan(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset with first column is age (there are missing values in age), and columns other than age are observation at four different timepoints, where timepoints are the respective column names.

**Details**

The model for the response is

$$Y_{ij} = \beta_1 + \beta_2 t_{ij} + \beta_3 t_{ij}^2 + \beta_4 age_i + e_{ij}$$

$$e_{ij} = \rho e_{ij-1} + u_{ij}$$

,  $u_{ij} \sim N(0, 1/\tau)$ ;  $\rho$  is the correlation coefficient where  $i$  refers to  $i$ th individual and  $j$  is the time-point. Missing values of covariate age is imputed assuming age follows normal distribution.

**Value**

posterior distribution result of the parameters

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
##
data(agedata)
brgan(m=1, n=3, n.chains=1, data=agedata)
##
```

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bygan

*Bayesian analysis of mean response model with autoregressive covariance matrix*

---

**Description**

Bayesian analysis of mean response over time and age (quadratic trends) using MCMC for AR1 covariance structure, where age follows normal distribution

**Usage**

```
bygan(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset with first column is age( there are missing values in age), and columns other than age are observation at four different timepoints, where timepoints are the respective column names.

**Details**

The model for the response is

$$Y_{ij} = \beta_1 + \beta_2 t_{ij} + \beta_3 t_{ij}^2 + \beta_4 age_i + e_{ij}$$

$$e_{ij} = \rho e_{ij-1} + u_{ij}$$

,  $u_{ij} \sim N(0, 1/\tau)$ ;  $\rho$  is the correlation coefficient where  $i$  refers to  $i$ th individual and  $j$  is the time-point. Missing values of covariate age is imputed assuming age follows normal distribution.

**Value**

posterior distribution result of parameters

**Author(s)**

Atanu Bhattacharjee, Bhrigu Kumar Rajbongshi and Gajendra K Vishwakarma

**References**

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

**See Also**

Brgan

**Examples**

```
##
data(agedata)
byran(m=1, n=3, n.chains=1, data=agedata)
##
```

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byran	<i>Bayesian analysis of non linear mean response model with random effect compound covariance matrix</i>
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**Description**

Provides bayesian analysis of random effect model for repeated measurement data with missing values using MCMC for compound symmetry covariance structure, where age follows normal distribution

**Usage**

```
byran(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset with first row represents proportion, dimension have to be 9 by 11.

**Details**

The model for the response is

$$Y_{ij} = \beta_1 + b_i + \beta_2 \exp(-\beta_3 x_{ij}) + e_{ij}$$

,where  $e_{ij}$  are independent  $N(0, \sigma^2)$  and independent of n random effects  $b_i \sim N(0, \sigma_b^2)$ , where i refers to ith individual and j is the timepoint.

**Value**

posterior distribution result of parameters

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

**Examples**

```
##
data(propdata)
byran(m=1, n=4, n.chains=1, data=propdata)
##
```

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byrega

*Bayesian analysis of mean response model with autoregressive covariance matrix*

---

**Description**

provides bayesian analysis of mean response over time and age (quadratic trends) using MCMC for AR1 covariance structure

**Usage**

```
byrega(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset with first column is age, and columns other than age are observation at four different timepoints, where timepoints are the respective column names

**Details**

The model for the response is

$$Y_{ij} = \beta_1 + \beta_2 t_{ij} + \beta_3 t_{ij}^2 + \beta_4 age_i + e_{ij}$$

$$e_{ij} = \rho e_{ij-1} + u_{ij}$$

,  $u_{ij} \sim N(0, 1/\tau)$ ;  $\rho$  is the correlation coefficient where  $i$  refers to  $i$ th individual and  $j$  is the time-point.

**Value**

posterior distribution result of the parameters.

**Author(s)**

Atanu Bhattacharjee, Bhriгу Kumar Rajbongshi and Gajendra K Vishwakarma

**References**

Broemeling, Lyle D. Bayesian methods for repeated measures. CRC Press, 2015.

**Examples**

```
##
data(agedata)
byrega(m=1, n=3, n.chains=1, data=agedata)
##
```

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byrga

*Bayesian analysis of mean response model with autoregressive covariance matrix*

---

**Description**

Bayesian analysis is performed using MCMC and uses a linear regression with an autoregressive covariance matrix for the response

**Usage**

```
byrga(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset whose first row is the respective time points at which observations are taken

**Details**

The model for the response is

$$Y_{ij} = X'_{ij}\beta + e_{ij}$$

and

$$e_{ij} = \rho e_{ij-1} + u_{ij}$$

,  $u_{ij} \sim N(0, 1/\tau)$ ;  $\rho$  is the correlation coefficient where  $i$  refers to  $i$ th individual and  $j$  is the time-point.

**Value**

posterior distribution results of the parameters

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
##
data(repeatdata)
byrga(m=1, n=3, n.chains=1, data=repeatdata)
##
```

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byrgu

*Bayesian analysis of repeated measurement data using linear regression with an unstructured covariance matrix*

---

**Description**

Bayesian analysis is performed using MCMC and uses a linear regression with an unstructured covariance matrix and the prior distributions are uninformative normal distributions for the regression coefficients and an uninformative Wishart for the 3 by 3 precision matrix of the outcome variable measured at 3 timepoints.

**Usage**

```
byrgu(m, n, n.chains, data)
```

**Arguments**

m	starting column number
n	ending column number
n.chains	number of MCMC chains
data	dataset whose first row is the respective time points at which observations are taken



**Details**

The mean reponse model is

$$E(Y_{ij}) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 t_j$$

with unstructured covariance  $\Sigma$  where  $i$  refers to  $i$ th individual and  $j$  is the timepoint.

**Value**

posterior distribution results of the parameters

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
##
data(repeatdata)
byrgu(m=1, n=3, n.chains=1, data=repeatdata)
##
```

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catadata

*Repeated measurement data with age, group, gender variable*

---

**Description**

dataset of observations made at various timepoints, no missing value in age, group, gender

**Usage**

```
data(catadata)
```

**Format**

A tibble with 8 columns which are :

**age** age of subject

**grp** group

**gen** gender

**0** Observation on timepoint 0

**1** Observation on timepoint 1

**2** Observation on timepoint 2

**3** Observation on timepoint 3

**4** Observation on timepoint 4

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`catdata`*Categorical repeated measurement data*

---

**Description**

dataset of observations made at various timepoints, with variable age,group ,gender. there are missing values in variables age,group also.

**Usage**

```
data(catdata)
```

**Format**

A tibble with 18 columns which are :

**age** age of subject

**grp** group

**gen** gender

**0** Observation on timepoint 0

**1** Observation on timepoint 1

**2** Observation on timepoint 2

**3** Observation on timepoint 3

**4** Observation on timepoint 4

**2** Observation on timepoint 2

**7** Observation on timepoint 7

**14** Observation on timepoint 14

**agefull** age of subject,no missing value

**grpfull** group,no missing value

**genfull** gender, no missing value

**X1** takes value 0,1

**X2** takes value 0,1

**X3** takes value 0,1

**X4** takes value 0,1

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countdata	<i>Repeated measurement data</i>
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**Description**

dataset of observations made at various timepoints, variables take integer value. first row refers timepoint

**Usage**

```
data(countdata)
```

**Format**

A tibble with 7 columns which are :

**X1** Observation on timepoint 1

**X2** Observation on timepoint 2

**X3** Observation on timepoint 3

**X4** Observation on timepoint 4

**X1** Observation on timepoint 2

**X2** Observation on timepoint 7

**X4** Observation on timepoint 14

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mksall	<i>Mean score method for missing covariate value in linear regression model for repeated measurement data</i>
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**Description**

provides estimates of parameter from linear regression model using meanscore method for repeated measurement data.

**Usage**

```
mksall(cvstr = "unstructured", Dep, Id, Time, m, n, data)
```

**Arguments**

cvstr	"unstructured","compound","ToE","AR1","markov","independence"
Dep	column name of dependent variable in the dataset
Id	column name of id of subjects in the dataset
Time	column name of timepoints in the dataset
m	starting column number of covariates
n	ending column number of covariates
data	balanced longitudinal data set where each subject's outcome has been measured at same time points and number of visits for each patient is samiliar covariance structure

**Details**

Mean score method is used for getting the missing score function value in the estimating equation.

**Value**

estimated parameter value for multiple linear regression model

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
data(srdata)
mskall(cvstr="ToE", Dep="C6kine", Id="ID", Time="Visit", m=5, n=10, data=srdata)
```

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mskopt

*Estimates of parameter corresponding to minimum AIC*


---

**Description**

provides estimates of parameter of linear regression model of the response variable corresponding to the minimum AIC value using mean score method with different covariance structure

**Usage**

```
mskopt(Dep, Id, Time, m, n, data)
```

**Arguments**

Dep	column name of dependent variable in the dataset
Id	column name of id of subjects in the dataset
Time	column name of timepoints in the dataset
m	starting column number of covariates
n	ending column number of covariates
data	balanced longitudinal data set where each subject's outcome has been measured at same time points and number of visits for each patient is same, covariance structure of the outcome variable like "unstructured","compound","ToE", "AR1","markov","independence"

**Details**

It calculates the AIC value for the linear regression model

$$Y_{ij} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{1ij} + \beta_2 x_{2ij} + \dots + \beta_p x_{pij} + e_{ij}$$

using mean score method with different covariance structures and gives the estimates of parameter for minimum AIC value

**Value**

estimated parameter value for multiple linear regression model for that covariance structure with minimum AIC value.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
data(srdata)
mskopt(Dep="C6kine", Id="ID", Time="Visit", m=5, n=10, data=srdata)
```

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propdata

*Categorical, Continuous repeated measurement data*

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**Description**

dataset of observations made at various timepoints, first row refers probability

**Usage**

```
data(propdata)
```

**Format**

A tibble with 17 columns which are :

**X1...X6** categorical data with values 0,1

**X1..X11** continuous data

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repeatdata	<i>Continuous repeated measurement data</i>
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**Description**

dataset whose first row is the respective time points at which observations are taken. First row refers to time points.

**Usage**

```
data(repeatdata)
```

**Format**

A tibble with 3 columns which are :

**2** Observation on timepoint 2

**4** Observation on timepoint 4

**14** Observation on timepoint 14

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sipw	<i>Estimate of linear regression parameter using SIPW</i>
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**Description**

provides simple inverse probability weighted estimates of parameters for linear regression model of response variable using different covariance structure

**Usage**

```
sipw(cvstr = "unstructured", Dep, Id, Time, m, n, data)
```

**Arguments**

cvstr	"unstructured","compound","ToE","AR1","markov","independence"
Dep	column name of dependent variable in the dataset
Id	column name of id of subjects in the dataset
Time	column name of timepoints in the dataset
m	starting column number of covariates
n	ending column number of covariates
data	balanced longitudinal data set where each subject's outcome has been measured at same time points and number of visits for each patient is same, covariance structure of the outcome variable.

**Details**

It uses the inverse probability weighted method to reduce the bias due to missing covariate in linear regression model. The estimating equation is

$$\sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\delta_{ij}}{\pi_{ij}} S(Y_{ij}, \mathbf{X}_{ij}, \mathbf{X}'_{ij})$$

=0 where  $\delta_{ij} = 1$  if there is missing no value in covariates and 0 otherwise.  $\mathbf{X}$  is fully observed all subjects and  $\mathbf{X}'$  is partially missing.

**Value**

estimated parameter value for multiple linear regression model

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**Examples**

```
data(srdata)
sipw(cvstr="ToE", Dep="C6kine", Id="ID", Time="Visit", m=5, n=10, data=srdata)
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srdata	<i>protein data</i>
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**Description**

Repeated measurement dataset, for each id we have four visit observations

**Usage**

```
data(srdata)
```

**Format**

A dataframe with 164 rows and 30 columns

**ID** ID of subjects

**Visit** Number of times observations recorded

**event** death as event 1 if died or 0 if alive

**OS** Duration of overall survival

**leftcensored** Left censoring information

**lc** Left censoring information

**C6kine,.....,GFRalpha4** These are covariates

**Examples**

```
data(srdata)
```



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