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Description Derived from the work of Kruschke (2015, <ISBN:9780124058880>), the present package aims to provide a framework for conducting Bayesian analysis using Markov chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) sampling utilizing the Just Another Gibbs Sampler ('JAGS', Plummer, 2003, <<http://mcmc-jags.sourceforge.net/>>). The initial version includes several modules for conducting Bayesian equivalents of chi-squared tests, analysis of variance (ANOVA), multiple (hierarchical) regression, softmax regression, and for fitting data (e.g., structural equation modeling).

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AddNames	<i>Add Names</i>
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Description

Add names to columns from naming list

Usage

```
AddNames(par, job.names, job.group = NULL, keep.par = TRUE,
names.only = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

par	defined parameter to analyze (e.g., "cor[1,2]")
job.names	names of all parameters in analysis, Default: NULL
job.group	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
keep.par	logical, indicating whether or not to keep parameter name (e.g., "cor[1,2]"), Default: TRUE
names.only	logical, indicating whether or not to return vector (TRUE) or string with separator (e.g., "cor[1,2]: A vs. B"), Default: FALSE
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

Examples

```
par <- "cor[1,2]"
job.names <- c("A", "B")
AddNames(par, job.names, keep.par = TRUE)
# [1] "cor[1,2]: A vs. B"
AddNames(par, job.names, keep.par = FALSE)
# [1] "A vs. B"
AddNames(par, job.names, names.only = TRUE)
# [1] "A" "B"
```

bfw

*Settings***Description**

main settings for bfw

Usage

```
bfw(job.title = NULL, job.group = NULL, jags.model, jags.seed = NULL,
    jags.method = NULL, jags.chains = NULL, custom.function = NULL,
    custom.model = NULL, params = NULL, saved.steps = 10000,
    thinned.steps = 1, adapt.steps = NULL, burnin.steps = NULL,
    initial.list = list(), custom.name = NULL,
    project.name = "Project", project.dir = "Results/",
    project.data = NULL, time.stamp = TRUE, save.data = FALSE,
    data.set = "AllData", data.format = "csv", raw.data = FALSE,
    run.robust = FALSE, merge.MCMC = FALSE, run.diag = FALSE,
    sep = ",", silent = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

job.title	title of analysis, Default: NULL
job.group	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
jags.model	specify which module to use
jags.seed	specify seed to replicate a analysis, Default: NULL
jags.method	specify method for JAGS (e.g., parallel or simple), Default: NULL
jags.chains	specify specify number of chains for JAGS, Default: NULL
custom.function	custom function to use (e.g., defined function, external R file or string with function), Default: NULL
custom.model	define a custom model to use (e.g., string or text file (.txt), Default: NULL
params	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
saved.steps	define the number of iterations/steps/chains in the MCMC simulations, Default: 10000
thinned.steps	save every kth step of the original saved.steps, Default: 1
adapt.steps	the number of adaptive iterations to use at the start of each simulation, Default: NULL
burnin.steps	the number of burnin iterations, NOT including the adaptive iterations to use for the simulation, Default: NULL
initial.list	initial values for analysis, Default: list()
custom.name	custom name of project, Default: NULL

project.name	name of project, Default: 'Project'
project.dir	define where to save data, Default: 'Results/'
project.data	define data to use for analysis (e.g., csv, rda, custom data.frame or matrix, or data included in package, Default: NULL
time.stamp	logical, indicating whether or not to append unix time stamp to file name, Default: TRUE
save.data	logical, indicating whether or not to save data, Default: FALSE
data.set	define subset of data, Default: 'AllData'
data.format	define what data format is being used, Default: 'csv'
raw.data	logical, indicating whether or not to use unprocessed data, Default: FALSE
run.robust	logical, indicating whether or not robust analysis, Default: FALSE
merge.MCMC	logical, indicating whether or not to merge MCMC chains, Default: FALSE
run.diag	logical, indicating whether or not to run diagnostics, Default: FALSE
sep	symbol to separate data (e.g., comma-delimited), Default: ','
silent	logical, indicating whether or not to run analysis without output, Default: FALSE
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

Details

Settings act like the main framework for bwf, connecting function, model and JAGS.

Value

data from MCMC [RunMCMC](#)

See Also

[head,modifyList,capture.output](#)

CapWords

Capitalize Words

Description

capitalize the first letter in each words in a string

Usage

```
CapWords(s, strict = FALSE)
```

Arguments

s	string
strict	logical, indicating whether or not string is set to title case , Default: FALSE

Value

returns capitalized string

Examples

```
CapWords("example eXAMPLE", FALSE)
# [1] "Example EXAMPLE"
CapWords("example eXAMPLE", TRUE)
# [1] "Example Example"
```

Cats

Dataset with Cats

Description

Shamelessly adapted from Field (2017).

Usage

Cats

Format

A data frame with 2000 rows and 4 variables:

Reward integer Food or Affection

Dance integer Yes or No

Alignment integer Good or Evil

Ratings double Cats rate their owners (average of multiple seven-point Likert-type scale (1 = Hate ... 7 = Love))

Details

Example data for BFW

`ComputeHDI`*Compute HDI*

Description

Compute highest density interval (HDI) from posterior output

Usage

```
ComputeHDI(data, credible.region)
```

Arguments

`data` data to compute HDI from
`credible.region` summarize uncertainty by defining a region of most credible values (e.g., 95 percent of the distribution), Default: 0.95

Details

values within the HDI have higher probability density than values outside the HDI, and the values inside the HDI have a total probability equal to the credible region (e.g., 95 percent).

Value

Return HDI

Examples

```
set.seed(1)
data <- rnorm(100, 0, 1)
credible.region <- 0.95
ComputeHDI(data, credible.region)
# HDIlo HDIhi
# -1.99 1.60
```

`ContrastNames`*Contrast Names*

Description

utilize the AddNames function to create contrast names

Usage

```
ContrastNames(items, job.names, col.names)
```

Arguments

<code>items</code>	items to create names for
<code>job.names</code>	names of all parameters in analysis, Default: NULL
<code>col.names</code>	columns in MCMC to create names from

DiagMCMC

*Diagnose MCMC***Description**

MCMC convergence diagnostics

Usage

```
DiagMCMC(data.MCMC, par.name, job.names, job.group,
  credible.region = 0.95, monochrome = TRUE,
  plot.colors = c("#495054", "#e3e8ea"))
```

Arguments

<code>data.MCMC</code>	MCMC chains to diagnose
<code>par.name</code>	parameter to analyze
<code>job.names</code>	names of all parameters in analysis, Default: NULL
<code>job.group</code>	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
<code>credible.region</code>	summarize uncertainty by defining a region of most credible values (e.g., 95 percent of the distribution), Default: 0.95
<code>monochrome</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to use monochrome colors, else use Distinct-Colors , Default: TRUE
<code>plot.colors</code>	range of color to use, Default: <code>c("#495054", "#e3e8ea")</code>

Value

list of diagnostic plots

See Also

[dev.new](#), [colorRampPalette](#), [recordPlot](#), [graphics.off](#), [dev.list](#), [dev.off](#), [par](#), [layout](#), [plot.new](#), [matplot](#), [abline](#), [text](#), [traceplot](#), [gelman.plot](#), [effectiveSize](#), [sd](#), [acf](#), [density](#)

DistinctColors	<i>Distinct Colors</i>
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Description

create vector containing Hex color codes

Usage

```
DistinctColors(range, random = FALSE)
```

Arguments

range	number of colors as sequence
random	logical, indicating whether or not to provide random colors, Default: FALSE

Examples

```
DistinctColors(1:3)
# [1] "#FFFF00" "#1CE6FF" "#FF34FF"
set.seed(1)
DistinctColors(1:3, TRUE)
# [1] "#575329" "#CB7E98" "#D86A78"
```

ETA	<i>ETA</i>
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Description

Print estimated time for arrival (ETA)

Usage

```
ETA(start.time, i, total, results = NULL)
```

Arguments

start.time	start time (preset variable with Sys.time())
i	incremental steps towards total
total	total number of steps
results	message to display, Default: NULL

See Also

[flush.console](#)

FileName	<i>File Name</i>
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Description

simple function to construct a file name for data

Usage

```
FileName(project = "Project", subset = NULL, type = NULL,
         name = NULL, unix = TRUE, ...)
```

Arguments

project	name of project, Default: 'Project'
subset	define subset of data, Default: NULL
type	type of data, Default: NULL
name	save name, Default: NULL
unix	logical, indicating whether or not to append unix timestamp, Default: TRUE
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

Examples

```
FileName()
# [1] "Project-Name-1528834963"

FileName(project = "Project" ,
         subset = "subset" ,
         type = "longitudinal" ,
         name = "cheese",
         unix = FALSE)
# [1] "Projectsubset-longitudinal-cheese"
```

FlattenList	<i>Flatten List</i>
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Description

flatten a nested list into a single list

Usage

```
FlattenList(li, rm.duplicated = TRUE, unname.li = TRUE,
           rm.empty = TRUE)
```

Arguments

<code>li</code>	list to flatten
<code>rm.duplicated</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to remove duplicated lists, Default: TRUE
<code>unname.li</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to unname lists, Default: TRUE
<code>rm.empty</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to remove empty lists, Default: TRUE

Examples

```
li <- list(LETTERS[1:3],
          list(letters[1:3],
              list(LETTERS[4:6])),
          DEF = letters[4:6],
          LETTERS[1:3],
          list() # Empty list
)
print(li)
# [[1]]
# [1] "A" "B" "C"
#
# [[2]]
# [[2]][[1]]
# [1] "a" "b" "c"
#
# [[2]][[2]]
# [[2]][[2]][[1]]
# [1] "D" "E" "F"
#
#
#
# $DEF
# [1] "d" "e" "f"
#
# [[4]]
# [1] "A" "B" "C"
#
# [[5]]
# list()
FlattenList(li)
# [[1]]
# [1] "A" "B" "C"
#
# [[2]]
# [1] "a" "b" "c"
#
# [[3]]
# [1] "D" "E" "F"
#
# [[4]]
# [1] "d" "e" "f"
```

GammaDist

Gamma Distribution

Description

compute gamma distribution (shape and rate) from mode and standard deviation

Usage

```
GammaDist(mode, sd)
```

Arguments

mode	mode from data
sd	standard deviation from data

Examples

```
GammaDist(1,0.5)
# $shape
# [1] 5.828427
# $rate
# [1] 4.828427
```

GetRange

Get Range

Description

simple function to extract columns from data frame

Usage

```
GetRange(var, range = 1:8, df)
```

Arguments

var	variable of interest (e.g., V)
range	range of variables with same stem name (e.g., V1, V2, ..., V8) , Default: 1:8
df	data to extract from

Examples

```
data <- as.data.frame(matrix(1:80,ncol=8))
GetRange("V", c(1,4), data)
#   V1 V4
# 1  1 31
# 2  2 32
# 3  3 33
# 4  4 34
# 5  5 35
# 6  6 36
# 7  7 37
# 8  8 38
# 9  9 39
# 10 10 40
```

Interleave

Interleave

Description

mix vectors by alternating between them

Usage

```
Interleave(a, b)
```

Arguments

a first vector
b second vector

Value

mixed vector

Examples

```
a <- 1:3
b <- LETTERS[1:3]
Interleave(a,b)
# [1] "1" "A" "2" "B" "3" "C"
```

`InverseHDI`*Compute Inverse HDI*

Description

Compute inverse cumulative density function of the distribution

Usage

```
InverseHDI(beta, shape1, shape2, credible.region = 0.95,  
           tolerance = 0.00000001)
```

Arguments

<code>beta</code>	density, distribution function, quantile function and random generation for the Beta distribution with parameters <code>shape1</code> and <code>shape2</code>
<code>shape1</code>	non-negative parameter of the Beta distribution.
<code>shape2</code>	non-negative parameter of the Beta distribution.
<code>credible.region</code>	summarize uncertainty by defining a region of most credible values (e.g., 95 percent of the distribution), Default: 0.95
<code>tolerance</code>	the desired accuracy, Default: 1e-8

Details

values within the HDI have higher probability density than values outside the HDI, and the values inside the HDI have a total probability equal to the credible region (e.g., 95 percent).

Value

Return HDI

See Also

[Beta, optimize](#)

Examples

```
InverseHDI( qbeta , 554 , 149 )  
# HDIlo HDIhi  
# 0.758 0.818
```

Layout	<i>Layout</i>
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Description

collection of layout sizes

Usage

```
Layout(x = "a4", layout.inverse = FALSE)
```

Arguments

`x` type of layout, Default: 'a4'
`layout.inverse` logical, indicating whether or not to inverse layout (e.g., landscape) , Default: FALSE

Value

width and height of select medium

Examples

```
Layout()  
# [1] 8.3 11.7
```

MatrixCombn	<i>Matrix Combinations</i>
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Description

Create matrices from combinations of columns

Usage

```
MatrixCombn(matrix, first.stem, last.stem = NULL, q.levels,  
            rm.last = TRUE, row.means = TRUE)
```

Arguments

<code>matrix</code>	matrix to combine
<code>first.stem</code>	first name of columns to use (e.g., "m" for mean)
<code>last.stem</code>	optional last name of columns to use (e.g., "p" for proportions) , Default: NONE
<code>q.levels</code>	number of levels per column
<code>rm.last</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to remove last combination (i.e., m1m2m3m4) , Default: TRUE
<code>row.means</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to compute row means from combined columns, else use row sums, Default: TRUE

MergeMCMC

Merge MCMC

Description

Merge two or more MCMC simulations

Usage

```
MergeMCMC(pat, project.dir = "Results/", data.sets)
```

Arguments

<code>pat</code>	pattern to select MCMC chain from
<code>project.dir</code>	define where to save data, Default: 'Results/'
<code>data.sets</code>	data sets to combine

Value

Merged MCMC chains

See Also

[head combine.mcmc](#)

MultiGrep

Multi Grep

Description

Use multiple patterns from vector to find element in another vector, with option to remove certain patterns

Usage

```
MultiGrep(find, from, remove = NULL, value = TRUE)
```

Arguments

find	vector to find
from	vector to find from
remove	variables to remove, Default: NULL
value	logical, if TRUE returns value, Default: TRUE

Normalize

Normalize

Description

simple function to normalize data

Usage

```
Normalize(x)
```

Arguments

x	numeric vector to normalize
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Examples

```
Normalize(1:10)
# [1] 0.0182 0.0364 0.0545 0.0727 0.0909
# 0.1091 0.1273 0.1455 0.1636 0.1818
```

PadVector

Pad Vector

Description

Pad a numeric vector according to the highest value

Usage

```
PadVector(v)
```

Arguments

v numeric vector to pad

Examples

```
PadVector(1:10)
# [1] "01" "02" "03" "04" "05" "06" "07" "08" "09" "10"
```

ParseNumber

Parse Numbers

Description

simple function to extract numbers from string/vector

Usage

```
ParseNumber(x)
```

Arguments

x string or vector

See Also

[na.omit](#)

Examples

```
ParseNumber("String1WithNumbers2")
# [1] 1 2
```

ParsePlot

Parse Plot

Description

Display and/or save plots

Usage

```
ParsePlot(plot.data, project.dir = "Results/",
  project.name = FileName(name = "Print"), graphic.type = "pdf",
  plot.size = "15,10", scaling = 100, plot.aspect = NULL,
  save.data = FALSE, vector.graphic = FALSE, point.size = 12,
  font.type = "serif", one.file = TRUE, ppi = 300, units = "in",
  layout = "a4", layout.inverse = FALSE, return.files = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>plot.data</code>	a list of plots
<code>project.dir</code>	define where to save data, Default: 'Results/'
<code>project.name</code>	define name of project, Default: 'FileName(name="Print")'
<code>graphic.type</code>	type of graphics to use (e.g., pdf, png, ps), Default: 'pdf'
<code>plot.size</code>	size of plot, Default: '15,10'
<code>scaling</code>	scale size of plot, Default: 100
<code>plot.aspect</code>	aspect of plot, Default: NULL
<code>save.data</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to save data, Default: FALSE
<code>vector.graphic</code>	logical, indicating whether or not visualizations should be vector or raster graphics, Default: FALSE
<code>point.size</code>	point size used for visualizations, Default: 12
<code>font.type</code>	font type used for visualizations, Default: 'serif'
<code>one.file</code>	logical, indicating whether or not visualizations should be placed in one or several files, Default: TRUE
<code>ppi</code>	define pixel per inch used for visualizations, Default: 300
<code>units</code>	define unit of length used for visualizations, Default: 'in'
<code>layout</code>	define a layout size for visualizations, Default: 'a4'
<code>layout.inverse</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to inverse layout (e.g., landscape) , Default: FALSE
<code>return.files</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to return saved file names
<code>...</code>	further arguments passed to or from other methods

See Also

[dev,png,ps.options,recordPlot](#) [head readPNG par,plot,rasterImage read_pptx,add_slide,ph_with_img](#)
[ph_with_vg](#)

Examples

```
# Create three plots
plot.data <- lapply(1:3, function (i) {
  # Open new device
  grDevices::dev.new()
  # Print plot
  plot(1:i)
  # Record plot
  p <- grDevices::recordPlot()
  # Turn off graphics device drive
  grDevices::dev.off()
  return (p)
} )

# Print plots
ParsePlot(plot.data)

# Save plots as png with a4 layout and return file names
project.dir <- tempdir()
project.name <- FileName(name="Testing-Plot")
ParsePlot(plot.data,
           project.dir = project.dir,
           project.name = project.name,
           graphic.type = "png",
           save.data = TRUE,
           layout = "a4",
           return.files = TRUE
)
# [1] "\\Temp/Project-Testing-Plot01-1528833217.png"
# [2] "\\Temp/Project-Testing-Plot02-1528833217.png"
# [3] "\\Temp/Project-Testing-Plot03-1528833217.png"
# Save plots as single PowerPoint (default) and return file names
project.dir <- tempdir()
project.name <- FileName(name="Testing-Plot")
ParsePlot(plot.data,
           project.dir = project.dir,
           project.name = project.name,
           vector.graphic = FALSE,
           graphic.type = "pptx",
           layout = "pw",
           save.data = TRUE,
           return.files = TRUE
)
# [1] "\\Temp/Project-Testing-Plot-1528833342.pptx"
```

PlotCirclize	<i>Circlize Plot</i>
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Description

Create a circlize plot

Usage

```
PlotCirclize(data, category.spacing = 1.2, category.inset = c(-0.4, 0),
             monochrome = TRUE, plot.colors = c("#CCCCCC", "#DEDEDE"),
             font.type = "serif")
```

Arguments

data	data for circlize plot
category.spacing	spacing between category items , Default: 1.25
category.inset	inset of category items form plot , Default: c(-0.5, 0)
monochrome	logical, indicating whether or not to use monochrome colors, else use Distinct-Colors , Default: TRUE
plot.colors	range of color to use, Default: c("#CCCCCC", "#DEDEDE")
font.type	font type used for visualizations, Default: 'serif'

See Also

[dev](#), [recordPlot](#) [legend](#) [circos.par](#), [chordDiagram](#), [circos.trackPlotRegion](#), [circos.clear](#)

PlotData	<i>Plot Data</i>
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Description

Plot data as violin plot visualizing density, box plots to display HDI, whiskers to display standard deviation

Usage

```
PlotData(data, data.type = "Mean", ...)
```

Arguments

data	data to plot data from
data.type	define what kind of data is being used, Default: 'Mean'
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

 PlotMean

Plot Mean

Description

Create a (repeated) mean plot

Usage

```
PlotMean(data, monochrome = TRUE, plot.colors = c("#495054",
  "#e3e8ea"), font.type = "serif", run.repeated = FALSE,
  run.split = FALSE, y.split = FALSE, ribbon.plot = TRUE,
  y.text = "Score", x.text = NULL, remove.x = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	MCMC data to plot
monochrome	logical, indicating whether or not to use monochrome colors, else use Distinct-Colors , Default: TRUE
plot.colors	range of color to use, Default: c("#495054", "#e3e8ea")
font.type	font type used for visualizations, Default: 'serif'
run.repeated	logical, indicating whether or not to use repeated measures plot, Default: FALSE
run.split	logical, indicating whether or not to use split violin plot and compare distribution between groups, Default: FALSE
y.split	logical, indicating whether or not to split within (TRUE) or between groups, Default: FALSE
ribbon.plot	logical, indicating whether or not to use ribbon plot for HDI, Default: TRUE
y.text	label on y axis, Default: 'Score'
x.text	label on x axis, Default: NULL
remove.x	logical, indicating whether or not to show x.axis information, Default: FALSE

See Also

[ggproto](#), [ggplot2-ggproto](#), [aes](#), [margin](#), [geom_boxplot](#), [geom_crossbar](#), [geom_path](#), [geom_ribbon](#), [geom_violin](#), [ggplot](#), [scale_manual](#), [scale_x_discrete](#), [theme](#), [layer](#), [labs](#) [arrange](#), [rbind.fill](#) [zero_range](#) [grid.grob](#), [grobName](#), [unit](#) [approxfun](#) [colorRamp](#)

 PlotNominal

Plot Nominal

Description

Create a nominal plot

Usage

```
PlotNominal(data, monochrome = TRUE, plot.colors = c("#CCCCCC",
  "#DEDEDE"), font.type = "serif", bar.dodge = 0.6, bar.alpha = 0.7,
  bar.width = 0.4, bar.extras.dodge = 0, bar.border = "black",
  bar.label = FALSE, bar.error = TRUE, use.cutoff = FALSE,
  diff.cutoff = 1, q.items = NULL)
```

Arguments

data	MCMC data to plot
monochrome	logical, indicating whether or not to use monochrome colors, else use Distinct-Colors , Default: TRUE
plot.colors	range of color to use, Default: c("#CCCCCC", "#DEDEDE")
font.type	font type used for visualizations, Default: 'serif'
bar.dodge	distance between within bar plots, Default: 0.6
bar.alpha	transparency for bar plot, Default: 0.7
bar.width	width of bar plot, Default: 0.4
bar.extras.dodge	dodge of error bar and label, Default: 0
bar.border	color of the bar border, Default: 'black'
bar.label	logical, indicating whether or not to show bar labels, Default: TRUE
bar.error	logical, indicating whether or not to show error bars, Default: TRUE
use.cutoff	logical, indicating whether or not to use a cutoff for keeping plots, Default: FALSE
diff.cutoff	if using a cutoff, determine the percentage that expected and observed values should differ, Default: 1
q.items	which variables should be used in the plot. Defaults to all , Default: NULL

See Also

[aes](#), [margin](#), [geom_crossbar](#), [ggplot](#), [scale_manual](#), [theme](#)

 PlotParam

Plot Param

Description

Create a density plot with parameter values

Usage

```
PlotParam(data, param, ROPE = FALSE, monochrome = TRUE,
  plot.colors = c("#495054", "#e3e8ea"), font.type = "serif",
  font.size = 4.5, rope.line = -0.2, rope.tick = -0.1,
  rope.label = -0.35, line.size = 0.5, dens.zero.col = "black",
  dens.mean.col = "white", dens.median.col = "white",
  dens.mode.col = "black", dens.ropes.col = "black")
```

Arguments

data	MCMC data to plot
param	parameter of interest
ROPE	plot ROPE values, Default: FALSE
monochrome	logical, indicating whether or not to use monochrome colors, else use Distinct-Colors , Default: TRUE
plot.colors	range of color to use, Default: c("#495054", "#e3e8ea")
font.type	font type used for visualizations, Default: 'serif'
font.size	font size, Default: 4.5
rope.line	size of ROPE lien, Default: -0.2
rope.tick	distance to ROPE tick, Default: -0.1
rope.label	distance to ROPE label, Default: -0.35
line.size	overall line size, Default: 0.5
dens.zero.col	colour of line indicating zero, Default: 'black'
dens.mean.col	colour of line indicating mean value, Default: 'white'
dens.median.col	colour of line indicating median value, Default: 'white'
dens.mode.col	colour of line indicating mode value, Default: 'black'
dens.ropes.col	colour of line indicating ROPE value, Default: 'black'

Value

Density plot of parameter values

See Also

[mutate](#), [group_by](#), [join](#), [select](#), [slice](#), [filter](#) [approxfun](#) [aes](#), [margin](#), [geom_density](#), [geom_polygon](#), [geom_segment](#), [geom](#)

ReadFile	<i>Read File</i>
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Description

opens connection to a file

Usage

```
ReadFile(file = NULL, path = "models/", package = "bfw",
         type = "string", sep = ",", data.format = "txt", custom = FALSE)
```

Arguments

file	name of file, Default: NULL
path	path to file, Default: 'models/'
package	choose package to open from, Default: 'bfw'
type	Type of file (i.e., text or data), Default: 'string'
sep	symbol to separate data (e.g., comma-delimited), Default: ','
data.format	define what data format is being used, Default: 'csv'
custom	logical, indicating whether or not to use custom file, , Default: FALSE

See Also

[read.csv](#)

Examples

```
# Print JAGS model for bernoulli trials
cat(ReadFile("stats_bernoulli"))
# model {
#   for (i in 1:n){
#     x[i] ~ dbern(theta)
#   }
#   theta ~ dunif(0,1)
# }
```

RemoveEmpty *Remove Empty*

Description

Remove empty elements in vector

Usage

```
RemoveEmpty(x)
```

Arguments

x vector to eliminate NA and blanks

Examples

```
RemoveEmpty( c("",NA,"","Remains") )  
# [1] "Remains"
```

RemoveGarbage *Remove Garbage*

Description

Remove variable(s) and remove garbage from memory

Usage

```
RemoveGarbage(v)
```

Arguments

v variables to remove

RemoveSpaces	<i>Remove Spaces</i>
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Description

simple function to remove whitespace

Usage

```
RemoveSpaces(x)
```

Arguments

x string

Examples

```
RemoveSpaces(" No More S p a c e s")
# [1] "NoMoreSpaces"
```

RunContrasts	<i>Run Contrasts</i>
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Description

Compute contrasts from mean and standard deviation (Cohen's d) or frequencies (odds ratio)

Usage

```
RunContrasts(contrast.type, q.levels, use.contrast, contrasts, data,
             job.names)
```

Arguments

contrast.type	type of contrast: "m" indicate means and standard deviations, "o" indicate frequency
q.levels	Number of levels of each variable/column
use.contrast	choose from "between", "within" and "mixed". Between compare groups at different conditions. Within compare a group at different conditions. Mixed compute all comparisons
contrasts	specified contrasts columns
data	data to compute contrasts from
job.names	names of all parameters in analysis, Default: NULL

See Also

[combn](#)

RunMCMC

*Run MCMC***Description**

Conduct MCMC simulations using JAGS

Usage

```
RunMCMC(jags.model, params = NULL, name.list, data.list,
        initial.list = list(), run.contrasts = FALSE,
        use.contrast = "between", contrasts = NULL, custom.contrast = NULL,
        run.ppp = FALSE, k.ppp = 10, n.data, credible.region = 0.95,
        save.data = FALSE, ROPE = NULL, merge.MCMC = FALSE,
        run.diag = FALSE, param.diag = NULL, sep = ",",
        monochrome = TRUE, plot.colors = c("#495054", "#e3e8ea"),
        graphic.type = "pdf", plot.size = "15,10", scaling = 100,
        plot.aspect = NULL, vector.graphic = FALSE, point.size = 12,
        font.type = "serif", one.file = TRUE, ppi = 300, units = "in",
        layout = "a4", layout.inverse = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>jags.model</code>	specify which module to use
<code>params</code>	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
<code>name.list</code>	list of names
<code>data.list</code>	list of data
<code>initial.list</code>	initial values for analysis, Default: list()
<code>run.contrasts</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to run contrasts, Default: FALSE
<code>use.contrast</code>	choose from "between", "within" and "mixed". Between compare groups at different conditions. Within compare a group at different conditions. Mixed compute all comparisons, Default: "between",
<code>contrasts</code>	define contrasts to use for analysis (defaults to all) , Default: NULL
<code>custom.contrast</code>	define contrasts for custom models , Default: NULL
<code>run.ppp</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to conduct ppp analysis, Default: FALSE
<code>k.ppp</code>	run ppp for every kth length of MCMC chains, Default: 10
<code>n.data</code>	sample size for each parameter
<code>credible.region</code>	summarize uncertainty by defining a region of most credible values (e.g., 95 percent of the distribution), Default: 0.95
<code>save.data</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to save data, Default: FALSE

ROPE	define range for region of practical equivalence (e.g., $c(-0.05, 0.05)$), Default: NULL
merge.MCMC	logical, indicating whether or not to merge MCMC chains, Default: FALSE
run.diag	logical, indicating whether or not to run diagnostics, Default: FALSE
param.diag	define parameters to use for diagnostics, default equals all parameters, Default: NULL
sep	symbol to separate data (e.g., comma-delimited), Default: ','
monochrome	logical, indicating whether or not to use monochrome colors, else use Distinct-Colors , Default: TRUE
plot.colors	range of color to use, Default: $c("#495054", "#e3e8ea")$
graphic.type	type of graphics to use (e.g., pdf, png, ps), Default: 'pdf'
plot.size	size of plot, Default: '15,10'
scaling	scale size of plot, Default: 100
plot.aspect	aspect of plot, Default: NULL
vector.graphic	logical, indicating whether or not visualizations should be vector or raster graphics, Default: FALSE
point.size	point size used for visualizations, Default: 12
font.type	font type used for visualizations, Default: 'serif'
one.file	logical, indicating whether or not visualizations should be placed in one or several files, Default: TRUE
ppi	define pixel per inch used for visualizations, Default: 300
units	define unit of length used for visualizations, Default: 'in'
layout	define a layout size for visualizations, Default: 'a4'
layout.inverse	logical, indicating whether or not to inverse layout (e.g., landscape) , Default: FALSE
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

Value

list containing MCMC chains , MCMC chains as matrix , summary of MCMC, list of name used, list of data, the jags model, running time of analysis and names of saved files

See Also

[runjags.options](#), [run.jags](#) [detectCores](#) [as.mcmc.list](#), [varnames](#) [rbind.fill](#) [cor](#), [cov](#), [sd](#) [mvrnorm](#) [write.table](#)

SingleString

Single String

Description

determine whether input is a single string

Usage

```
SingleString(x)
```

Arguments

x string

Value

true or false

Examples

```
A <- "This is a single string"
SingleString(A)
# [1] TRUE
is.character(A)
# [1] TRUE
B <- c("This is a vector" , "containing two strings")
SingleString(B)
# [1] FALSE
is.character(B)
# [1] TRUE
```

StatsBernoulli*Bernoulli Trials*

Description

Conduct bernoulli trials

Usage

```
StatsBernoulli(x = NULL, x.names = NULL, DF, params = NULL,
  initial.list = list(), ...)
```

Arguments

x predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
x.names optional names for predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
DF data for analysis
params define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
initial.list initial values for analysis, Default: list()
... further arguments passed to or from other methods

See Also

[complete.cases](#)

Examples

```

# Create coin toss data: heads = 50 and tails = 50
fair.coin<- as.matrix(c(rep("Heads",50),rep("Tails",50)))
colnames(fair.coin) <- "X"

fair.coin <- bfw(project.data = fair.coin,
                x = "X",
                saved.steps = 50000,
                jags.model = "bernoulli",
                jags.seed = 100,
                ROPE = c(0.4,0.6),
                silent = TRUE)

fair.coin.freq <- binom.test( 50000 * 0.5, 50000)

# Create coin toss data: heads = 20 and tails = 80
biased.coin <- as.matrix(c(rep("Heads",20),rep("Tails",80)))
colnames(biased.coin) <- "X"

biased.coin <- bfw(project.data = biased.coin,
                  x = "X",
                  saved.steps = 50000,
                  jags.model = "bernoulli",
                  jags.seed = 101,
                  initial.list = list(theta = 0.7),
                  ROPE = c(0.4,0.6),
                  silent = TRUE)

biased.coin.freq <- binom.test( 50000 * 0.8, 50000)

# Print Bayesian and frequentist results of fair coin
fair.coin$summary.MCMC[,c(3:6,9:12)]

# Mode      ESS      HDIlo    HDIhi    ROPElo    ROPEhi    ROPEin    n
# 0.505 50480.000    0.405    0.597    2.070    2.044    95.886   100.00

sprintf("Frequentist: %.3f [%.3f , %.3f], p = %.3f" ,

```

```

    fair.coin.freq$estimate ,
    fair.coin.freq$conf.int[1] ,
    fair.coin.freq$conf.int[2] ,
    fair.coin.freq$p.value)

# [1] "Frequentist: 0.500 [0.496 , 0.504], p = 1.000"

# Print Bayesian and frequentist results of biased coin
biased.coin$summary.MCMC[,c(3:6,9:12)]

# Mode      ESS      HDIlo    HDIhi    ROPElo    ROPEhi    ROPEin      n
# 0.803 50000.000    0.715    0.870    0.000    99.996    0.004   100.000

sprintf("Frequentist: %.3f [%.3f , %.3f], p = %.3f" ,
    biased.coin.freq$estimate ,
    biased.coin.freq$conf.int[1] ,
    biased.coin.freq$conf.int[2] ,
    biased.coin.freq$p.value)

# [1] "Frequentist: 0.800 [0.796 , 0.803], p = 0.000"

```

StatsCovariate

Covariate

Description

Covariate estimations (including correlation and Cronbach's alpha)

Usage

```
StatsCovariate(y = NULL, y.names = NULL, x = NULL, x.names = NULL,
  DF, params = NULL, job.group = NULL, initial.list = list(),
  jags.model, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>y</code>	criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>y.names</code>	optional names for criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x</code>	predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x.names</code>	optional names for predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>DF</code>	data to analyze
<code>params</code>	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
<code>job.group</code>	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
<code>initial.list</code>	initial values for analysis, Default: list()
<code>jags.model</code>	specify which module to use
<code>...</code>	further arguments passed to or from other methods

Value

covariate, correlation and (optional) Cronbach's alpha

See Also

[complete.cases](#)

Examples

```
# Create normal distributed data with mean = 0 and standard deviation = 1
## r = 0.5
data <- MASS::mvrnorm(n=100,
                      mu=c(0, 0),
                      Sigma=matrix(c(1, 0.5, 0.5, 1), 2),
                      empirical=TRUE)

# Add names
colnames(data) <- c("X", "Y")
# Create noise with mean = 10 / -10 and sd = 1
## r = -1.0
noise <- MASS::mvrnorm(n=2,
                       mu=c(10, -10),
                       Sigma=matrix(c(1, -1, -1, 1), 2),
                       empirical=TRUE)

# Combine noise and data
biased.data <- rbind(data, noise)

# Run analysis on normal distributed data

mcmc <- bfw(project.data = data,
            y = "X,Y",
            saved.steps = 50000,
            jags.model = "covariate",
            jags.seed = 100,
            silent = TRUE)

# Run robust analysis on normal distributed data

mcmc.robust <- bfw(project.data = data,
                  y = "X,Y",
                  saved.steps = 50000,
                  jags.model = "covariate",
                  run.robust = TRUE,
                  jags.seed = 101,
                  silent = TRUE)

# Run analysis on data with outliers

biased.mcmc <- bfw(project.data = biased.data,
                  y = "X,Y",
                  saved.steps = 50000,
                  jags.model = "covariate",
```

```

jags.seed = 102,
silent = TRUE)

# Run robust analysis on data with outliers

biased.mcmc.robust <- bfw(project.data = biased.data,
                          y = "X,Y",
                          saved.steps = 50000,
                          jags.model = "covariate",
                          run.robust = TRUE,
                          jags.seed = 103,
                          silent = TRUE)

# Print frequentist results
stats::cor(data)[2]
# [1] 0.5
stats::cor(noise)[2]
# [1] -1
stats::cor(biased.data)[2]
# [1] -0.498

# Print Bayesian results
mcmc$summary.MCMC
#           Mean Median Mode   ESS HDIlo HDIhi   n
# cor[1,1]: X vs. X 1.000  1.000 0.999    0 1.000 1.000 100
# cor[2,1]: Y vs. X 0.488  0.491 0.496 19411 0.337 0.633 100
# cor[1,2]: X vs. Y 0.488  0.491 0.496 19411 0.337 0.633 100
# cor[2,2]: Y vs. Y 1.000  1.000 0.999    0 1.000 1.000 100
mcmc.robust$summary.MCMC
#           Mean Median Mode   ESS HDIlo HDIhi   n
# cor[1,1]: X vs. X 1.00  1.000 0.999    0 1.000 1.000 100
# cor[2,1]: Y vs. X 0.47  0.474 0.491 18626 0.311 0.626 100
# cor[1,2]: X vs. Y 0.47  0.474 0.491 18626 0.311 0.626 100
# cor[2,2]: Y vs. Y 1.00  1.000 0.999    0 1.000 1.000 100
biased.mcmc$summary.MCMC
#           Mean Median Mode   ESS HDIlo HDIhi   n
# cor[1,1]: X vs. X 1.000  1.000 0.999    0 1.000 1.000 102
# cor[2,1]: Y vs. X -0.486 -0.489 -0.505 19340 -0.627 -0.335 102
# cor[1,2]: X vs. Y -0.486 -0.489 -0.505 19340 -0.627 -0.335 102
# cor[2,2]: Y vs. Y 1.000  1.000 0.999    0 1.000 1.000 102
biased.mcmc.robust$summary.MCMC
#           Mean Median Mode   ESS HDIlo HDIhi   n
# cor[1,1]: X vs. X 1.000  1.000 0.999    0 1.000 1.000 102
# cor[2,1]: Y vs. X 0.338  0.343 0.356 23450 0.125 0.538 102
# cor[1,2]: X vs. Y 0.338  0.343 0.356 23450 0.125 0.538 102
# cor[2,2]: Y vs. Y 1.000  1.000 0.999    0 1.000 1.000 102

```

Description

Apply latent or observed models to fit data (e.g., SEM, CFA, mediation)

Usage

```
StatsFit(latent = NULL, latent.names = NULL, observed = NULL,
         observed.names = NULL, additional = NULL, additional.names = NULL,
         DF, params = NULL, job.group = NULL, initial.list = list(),
         model.name, jags.model, custom.model = NULL, run.ppp = FALSE,
         run.robust = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>latent</code>	latent variables, Default: NULL
<code>latent.names</code>	optional names for for latent variables, Default: NULL
<code>observed</code>	observed variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>observed.names</code>	optional names for for observed variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>additional</code>	supplemental parameters for fitted data (e.g., indirect pathways and total effect), Default: NULL
<code>additional.names</code>	optional names for supplemental parameters, Default: NULL
<code>DF</code>	data to analyze
<code>params</code>	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
<code>job.group</code>	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
<code>initial.list</code>	initial values for analysis, Default: list()
<code>model.name</code>	name of model used
<code>jags.model</code>	specify which module to use
<code>custom.model</code>	define a custom model to use (e.g., string or text file (.txt), Default: NULL
<code>run.ppp</code>	logical, indicating whether or not to conduct ppp analysis, Default: FALSE
<code>run.robust</code>	logical, indicating whether or not robust analysis, Default: FALSE
<code>...</code>	further arguments passed to or from other methods

See Also

[complete.cases](#)

StatsKappa

*Cohen's Kappa***Description**

Bayesian alternative to Cohen's kappa

Usage

```
StatsKappa(x = NULL, x.names = NULL, DF, params = NULL,
           initial.list = list(), ...)
```

Arguments

x	predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
x.names	optional names for predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
DF	data to analyze
params	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
initial.list	initial values for analysis, Default: list()
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

See Also

[complete.cases](#)

Examples

```
# Simulate rater data
Rater1 <- c(rep(0,20),rep(1,80))
set.seed(100)
Rater2 <- c(rbinom(20,1,0.1), rbinom(80,1,0.9))
data <- data.frame(Rater1,Rater2)
```

```
mcmc <- bfw(project.data = data,
            x = "Rater1,Rater2",
            saved.steps = 50000,
            jags.model = "kappa",
            jags.seed = 100,
            silent = TRUE)
```

```
# Print frequentist and Bayesian kappa
library(psych)
psych::cohen.kappa(data)$confid[1,]
# lower estimate upper
# 0.6137906 0.7593583 0.9049260
```

```
#' \donttest{ mcmc$summary.MCMC }
#           Mean      Median   Mode      ESS   HDIlo   HDIhi   n
# Kappa[1]: 0.739176 0.7472905 0.7634503 50657 0.578132 0.886647 100
```

StatsMean

Mean Data

Description

Compute means and standard deviations.

Usage

```
StatsMean(y = NULL, y.names = NULL, x = NULL, x.names = NULL, DF,
  params = NULL, initial.list = list(), ...)
```

Arguments

<code>y</code>	criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>y.names</code>	optional names for criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x</code>	categorical variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x.names</code>	optional names for categorical variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>DF</code>	User defined data frame, Default: NULL
<code>params</code>	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
<code>initial.list</code>	Initial values for simulations, Default: list()
<code>...</code>	further arguments passed to or from other methods

Value

mean and standard deviation

StatsMetric

Predict Metric

Description

Bayesian alternative to ANOVA

Usage

```
StatsMetric(y = NULL, y.names = NULL, x = NULL, x.names = NULL, DF,
  params = NULL, job.group = NULL, initial.list = list(), model.name,
  jags.model, custom.model = NULL, run.robust = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>y</code>	criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>y.names</code>	optional names for criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x</code>	categorical variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x.names</code>	optional names for categorical variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>DF</code>	data to analyze
<code>params</code>	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
<code>job.group</code>	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
<code>initial.list</code>	initial values for analysis, Default: list()
<code>model.name</code>	name of model used
<code>jags.model</code>	specify which module to use
<code>custom.model</code>	define a custom model to use (e.g., string or text file (.txt), Default: NULL
<code>run.robust</code>	logical, indicating whether or not robust analysis, Default: FALSE
<code>...</code>	further arguments passed to or from other methods

See Also

[complete.cases](#), [sd](#), [aggregate](#), [median head](#)

StatsNominal

Predict Nominal

Description

Bayesian alternative to chi-square test

Usage

```
StatsNominal(x = NULL, x.names = NULL, DF, params = NULL,
             job.group = NULL, initial.list = list(), model.name, jags.model,
             custom.model = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	categorical variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x.names</code>	optional names for categorical variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>DF</code>	data to analyze
<code>params</code>	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
<code>job.group</code>	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
<code>initial.list</code>	initial values for analysis, Default: list()

```

model.name      name of model used
jags.model      specify which module to use
custom.model    define a custom model to use (e.g., string or text file (.txt), Default: NULL
...            further arguments passed to or from other methods

```

Examples

```
# Use cats data
```

```

mcmc <- bfw(project.data = bfw::Cats,
            x = "Reward,Dance,Alignment",
            saved.steps = 50000,
            jags.model = "nominal",
            run.contrasts = TRUE,
            jags.seed = 100)

```

```
# Print only odds-ratio and effect sizes
```

```

mcmc$summary.MCMC[ grep("Odds ratio|Effect",
                       rownames(mcmc$summary.MCMC)) , c(3:7) ]

```

```

#           Mode  ESS   HDIlo   HDIhi   n
# Odds ratio: Food/Affection vs. No/Yes      0.14586 44452  0.11426  0.18982 2000
# Odds ratio: Affection/Food vs. No/Yes      6.49442 44215  5.10392  8.46668 2000
# Effect size: Food/Affection vs. No/Yes    -1.05346 44304 -1.18519 -0.90825 2000
# Effect size: Affection/Food vs. No/Yes      1.05346 44304  0.90825  1.18519 2000
# Odds ratio: Food/Affection vs. Evil/Good   0.77604 45245  0.62328  0.98904 2000
# Odds ratio: Affection/Food vs. Evil/Good   1.25432 45225  0.99311  1.57765 2000
# Effect size: Food/Affection vs. Evil/Good  -0.12844 45222 -0.25510 -0.00115 2000
# Effect size: Affection/Food vs. Evil/Good   0.12844 45222  0.00115  0.25510 2000
# Odds ratio: No/Yes vs. Evil/Good          13.12995 43500 10.58859 16.49207 2000
# Odds ratio: Yes/No vs. Evil/Good           0.07393 43739  0.05909  0.09221 2000
# Effect size: No/Yes vs. Evil/Good           1.43361 43603  1.30715  1.55020 2000
# Effect size: Yes/No vs. Evil/Good          -1.43361 43603 -1.55020 -1.30715 2000
# Odds ratio: Food/Affection vs. No/Yes @ Evil  0.00848 31117  0.00527  0.01336 1299
# Odds ratio: Affection/Food vs. No/Yes @ Evil 104.20109 30523 66.55346 169.12331 1299
# Odds ratio: Food/Affection vs. No/Yes @ Good  2.44193 35397  1.65204  3.63743  701
# Odds ratio: Affection/Food vs. No/Yes @ Good  0.36685 35417  0.25478  0.55982  701
# Effect size: Food/Affection vs. No/Yes @ Evil -2.58578 30734 -2.85450 -2.35471 1299
# Effect size: Affection/Food vs. No/Yes @ Evil  2.58578 30734  2.35471  2.85450 1299
# Effect size: Food/Affection vs. No/Yes @ Good  0.51934 35316  0.30726  0.73443  701
# Effect size: Affection/Food vs. No/Yes @ Good -0.51934 35316 -0.73443 -0.30726  701
#

```

```

# The results indicate that evil cats are 13.13 times more likely than good cats to decline dancing
# Furthermore, when offered affection, evil cats are 104.20 times more likely to decline dancing,
# relative to evil cats that are offered food.

```

StatsRegression	<i>Regression</i>
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Description

Simple, multiple and hierarchical regression

Usage

```
StatsRegression(y = NULL, y.names = NULL, x = NULL, x.names = NULL,
  x.steps = NULL, x.blocks = NULL, DF, params = NULL,
  job.group = NULL, initial.list = list(), ...)
```

Arguments

<code>y</code>	criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>y.names</code>	optional names for criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x</code>	predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x.names</code>	optional names for predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x.steps</code>	define number of steps in hierarchical regression , Default: NULL
<code>x.blocks</code>	define which predictors are included in each step (e.g., for three steps "1,2,3") , Default: NULL
<code>DF</code>	data to analyze
<code>params</code>	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
<code>job.group</code>	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
<code>initial.list</code>	initial values for analysis, Default: list()
<code>...</code>	further arguments passed to or from other methods

See Also

[complete.cases](#)

StatsSoftmax

*Softmax Regression***Description**

Perform softmax regression (i.e., multinomial logistic regression)

Usage

```
StatsSoftmax(y = NULL, y.names = NULL, x = NULL, x.names = NULL,
  DF, params = NULL, job.group = NULL, initial.list = NULL,
  run.robust = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>y</code>	criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>y.names</code>	optional names for criterion variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x</code>	predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>x.names</code>	optional names for predictor variable(s), Default: NULL
<code>DF</code>	data to analyze
<code>params</code>	define parameters to observe, Default: NULL
<code>job.group</code>	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: NULL
<code>initial.list</code>	initial values for analysis, Default: list()
<code>run.robust</code>	logical, indicating whether or not robust analysis, Default: FALSE
<code>...</code>	further arguments passed to or from other methods

See Also

[complete.cases](#)

Examples

```
# Conduct softmax regression on Cats data
# Reward is 0 = Food and 1 = Dance

mcmc <- bfw(project.data = bfw::Cats,
  y = "Alignment",
  x = "Ratings,Reward",
  saved.steps = 50000,
  jags.model = "softmax",
  jags.seed = 100,
  silent = TRUE)

# Conduct binominal generalized linear model
model <- glm(Alignment ~ Ratings + Reward, data=bfw::Cats, family = binomial(link="logit"))
```

```

# Print output from softmax
#' \donttest{ mcmc$summary.MCMC }
#
#           Mean      Median      Mode  ESS      HDIlo      HDIhi      n
#beta0[1]: Intercept: Evil  0.0000000 0.0000000 -0.0006069443  0 0.000000 0.000000 2000
#beta0[2]: Intercept: Good -7.6900266 -7.6842450 -7.6591980566 17693 -8.471740 -6.917770 2000
#beta[1,1]: Evil vs. Ratings 0.0000000 0.0000000 -0.0006069443  0 0.000000 0.000000 2000
#beta[2,1]: Good vs. Ratings 1.2891109 1.2884400 1.2834031862 19614 1.187080 1.387420 2000
#beta[1,2]: Evil vs. Reward 0.0000000 0.0000000 -0.0006069443  0 0.000000 0.000000 2000
#beta[2,2]: Good vs. Reward 1.2755419 1.2748600 1.2792090358 20807 0.961217 1.596540 2000
#zbeta0[1]: Intercept: Evil  0.0000000 0.0000000 -0.0006069443  0 0.000000 0.000000 2000
#zbeta0[2]: Intercept: Good -1.0307617 -1.0300500 -1.0241784961 22812 -1.185420 -0.870468 2000
#zbeta[1,1]: Evil vs. Ratings 0.0000000 0.0000000 -0.0006069443  0 0.000000 0.000000 2000
#zbeta[2,1]: Good vs. Ratings 2.4755475 2.4742500 2.4645858712 19614 2.279560 2.664290 2000
#zbeta[1,2]: Evil vs. Reward 0.0000000 0.0000000 -0.0006069443  0 0.000000 0.000000 2000
#zbeta[2,2]: Good vs. Reward 0.5005214 0.5002545 0.5019603414 20807 0.377181 0.626482 2000

# Print (truncated) output from GML
# Coefficients:
#           Estimate  Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
#(Intercept)   -6.39328    0.27255 -23.457 < 2e-16 ***
#Ratings        1.28480    0.05136  25.014 < 2e-16 ***
#RewardAffection 1.26975    0.16381   7.751 9.1e-15 ***

```

SumMCMC

Summarize MCMC

Description

The function provide a summary of each parameter of interest (mean, median, mode, effective sample size (ESS), HDI and n)

Usage

```
SumMCMC(par, par.names, job.names = NULL, job.group = NULL,
         credible.region = 0.95, ROPE = NULL, n.data, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>par</code>	defined parameter
<code>par.names</code>	parameter names
<code>job.names</code>	names of all parameters in analysis, Default: <code>NULL</code>
<code>job.group</code>	for some hierarchical models with several layers of parameter names (e.g., latent and observed parameters), Default: <code>NULL</code>
<code>credible.region</code>	summarize uncertainty by defining a region of most credible values (e.g., 95 percent of the distribution), Default: 0.95

ROPE	define range for region of practical equivalence (e.g., c(-0.05 , 0.05), Default: NULL
n.data	sample size for each parameter
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

See Also

[effectiveSize](#)

SumToZero	<i>Sum to Zero</i>
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Description

Compute sum to zero values across all levels of a data matrix

Usage

```
SumToZero(q.levels, data, contrasts)
```

Arguments

q.levels	number of levels of each variable/column
data	data matrix to combine from
contrasts	specified contrasts columns

Examples

```
data <- matrix(c(1,2),ncol=2)
colnames(data) <- c("m1[1]","m1[2]")
SumToZero( 2 , data , contrasts = NULL )
#           b0[1] b1[1] b1[2]
#   m1[1]  1.5 -0.5  0.5
```

TidyCode	<i>Tidy Code</i>
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Description

Small function that clears up messy code

Usage

```
TidyCode(tidy.code, jags = TRUE)
```

Arguments

`tidy.code` Messy code that needs cleaning
`jags` logical, if TRUE run code as JAGS model, Default: TRUE

Value

(Somewhat) tidy code

Examples

```
messy <- "code <- function( x ) {
print ( x ) }"
cat(messy)
code <- function( x ) {
print ( x ) }
cat ( TidyCode(messy, jags = FALSE) )
code <- function(x) {
  print(x)
}
```

Trim

Trim

Description

remove excess whitespace from string

Usage

```
Trim(s, multi = TRUE)
```

Arguments

`s` string
`multi` logical, indicating whether or not to remove excess whitespace between characters, Default: TRUE

Examples

```
Trim("            Trimmed            string")
# [1] "Trimmed string"
Trim("            Trimmed            string", FALSE)
# [1] "Trimmed            string"
```

 TrimSplit

Trim Split

Description

Extends strsplit by trimming and unlisting string

Usage

```
TrimSplit(x, sep = ",", fixed = FALSE, perl = FALSE,
          useBytes = FALSE, rm.empty = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	string
sep	symbol to separate data (e.g., comma-delimited), Default: ','
fixed	logical, if TRUE match split exactly, otherwise use regular expressions. Has priority over perl, Default: FALSE
perl	logical, indicating whether or not to use Perl-compatible regexps, Default: FALSE
useBytes	logical, if TRUE the matching is done byte-by-byte rather than character-by-character, Default: FALSE
rm.empty	logical. indicating whether or not to remove empty elements, Default: TRUE

Details

[strsplit](#)

Examples

```
TrimSplit("Data 1, Data2, Data3")
# [1] "Data 1" "Data2" "Data3"
```

 VectorSub

Pattern Matching and Replacement From Vectors

Description

extending gsub by matching pattern and replacement from two vectors

Usage

```
VectorSub(pattern, replacement, string)
```

Arguments

pattern	vector containing words to match
replacement	vector containing words to replace existing words.
string	string to replace from

Value

modified string with replaced values

Examples

```
pattern <- c("A","B","C")
replacement <- 1:3
string <- "A went to B went to C"
VectorSub(pattern,replacement,string)
# [1] "1 went to 2 went to 3"
```

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