

# Package ‘populR’

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pp\_estimate

*Population Down-scaling*

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## Description

Population Down-scaling

## Usage

```
pp_estimate(source, target, sourcepop, sourcecode, volume = NULL)
```

## Arguments

source	object of class sf
target	object of class sf
sourcepop	string of source pop column
sourcecode	string of source id column
volume	string of target floor/height column

## Value

an object of class sf including population counts

## References

Lwin, K. K., & Murayama, Y. (2009) *A GIS approach to estimation of building population for micro-spatial analysis. Transactions in GIS, 13(4), 401–414.* doi: [10.1111/j.14679671.2009.01171.x](https://doi.org/10.1111/j.14679671.2009.01171.x)

## Examples

```
library(populR)
data("target")
data("source")

# areametric
pop_aw <- pp_estimate(source = source, target = target, sourcepop = 'pop',
  sourcecode = 'sid')

#volumetric
pop_vw <- pp_estimate(source = source, target = target, sourcepop = 'pop',
  sourcecode = 'sid', volume = 'floors')
```

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pp_rmse	<i>RMS Error</i>
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### Description

This function calculates the rmse between the source and target counts

### Usage

```
pp_rmse(target, source, sourcecode, sourcepop, targetpop, title)
```

### Arguments

target	target file in sf format
source	census source file in sf format
sourcecode	source id column string
sourcepop	source population column name string
targetpop	target estimated pop column name string
title	title of scatterplot string

### Value

rms error, correlation, lm line and scatterplot

### Examples

```
library(populR)
data("target")
data("source")

# areametric
pop_aw <- pp_estimate(source = source, target = target, sourcepop = 'pop',
  sourcecode = 'sid')

# areametric rmse
pp_rmse(target = pop_aw, source = source, sourcecode = 'sid',
  sourcepop = 'pop', targetpop = 'pp_est', title = 'Areametric')

# volumetric
pop_vw <- pp_estimate(source = source, target = target, sourcepop = 'pop',
  sourcecode = 'sid', volume = 'floors')

# volumetric rmse
pp_rmse(target = pop_vw, source = source, sourcecode = 'sid',
  sourcepop = 'pop', targetpop = 'pp_est', title = 'Volumetric')
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pp\_round

*Rounding Function*

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### Description

This function converts decimal population estimates produced by the [pp\\_estimate](#) approach into integer numbers that sum up to the source zone population counts

### Usage

```
pp_round(target, targetpop, sourcepop, sourcecode)
```

### Arguments

target	object of class sf
targetpop	string of target estimated pop column
sourcepop	string of source pop column
sourcecode	string of source id column

### Value

an object of class sf including rounded population counts

### Examples

```
library(populR)
data("target")
data("source")

# areametric
pop_aw <- pp_estimate(source = source, target = target,
  sourcepop = "pop", sourcecode = "sid")

# areametric round
round_aw <- pp_round(target = pop_aw, targetpop = "pp_est",
  sourcepop = "pop", sourcecode = "sid")

# volumetric
pop_vw <- pp_estimate(source = source, target = target,
  sourcepop = "pop", sourcecode = "sid", volume = "floors")

# volumetric round
round_vw <- pp_round(target = pop_vw, targetpop = "pp_est",
  sourcepop = "pop", sourcecode = "sid")
```

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source	<i>Source</i>
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**Description**

object of sf class representing the blocks of a fictional area

**Usage**

source

**Format**

object of sf class with 6 rows and 3 columns:

id source id

pop population count

geometry geometry

**Source**

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target	<i>Target</i>
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**Description**

object of sf class representing the buildings of a fictional areag

**Usage**

target

**Format**

object of sf class with 19 rows and 2 columns:

floors number of floors

geometry geometry

**Source**

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