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BayesfMRI-package

BayesfMRI: Spatial Bayesian Methods for Task Functional MRI Studies

#### Description

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#### .findTheta

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- https://github.com/mandymejia/BayesfMRI
- Report bugs at https://github.com/mandymejia/BayesfMRI/issues

.findTheta

Perform the EM algorithm of the Bayesian GLM fitting

#### Description

Perform the EM algorithm of the Bayesian GLM fitting

#### Usage

```
.findTheta(theta, spde, y, X, QK, Psi, A, Ns, tol, verbose = FALSE)
```

#### Arguments

| theta   | the vector of initial values for theta   |
|---------|--|
| spde    | a list containing the sparse matrix elements Cmat, Gmat, and GtCinvG   |
| У       | the vector of response values  |
| Х       | the sparse matrix of the data values   |
| QK      | a sparse matrix of the prior precision found using the initial values of the hyper-<br>parameters                                    |
| Psi     | a sparse matrix representation of the basis function mapping the data locations to the mesh vertices                                 |
| A       | a precomputed matrix crossprod(X%*%Psi)  |
| Ns      | the number of columns for the random matrix used in the Hutchinson estimator   |
| tol     | a value for the tolerance used for a stopping rule (compared to the squared norm of the differences between theta(s) and theta(s-1)) |
| verbose | (logical) Should intermediate output be displayed?   |

.getSqrtInvCpp

# Description

Get the prewhitening matrix for a single data location

#### Usage

.getSqrtInvCpp(AR\_coefs, nTime, avg\_var)

## Arguments

| AR_coefs | a length-p vector where p is the AR order                         |
|----------|---|
| nTime    | (integer) the length of the time series that is being prewhitened |
| avg_var  | a scalar value of the residual variances of the AR model          |

| .initialKP | Find the initial values of kappa2 and phi |
|------------|---|
|------------|---|

# Description

Find the initial values of kappa2 and phi

#### Usage

.initialKP(theta, spde, w, n\_sess, tol, verbose)

# Arguments

| theta   | a vector of length two containing the range and scale parameters kappa2 and phi, in that order |
|---------|--|
| spde    | a list containing the sparse matrix elements Cmat, Gmat, and GtCinvG                           |
| w       | the beta_hat estimates for a single task   |
| n_sess  | the number of sessions   |
| tol     | the stopping rule tolerance  |
| verbose | (logical) Should intermediate output be displayed?   |

.logDetQt

# Description

Find the log of the determinant of Q\_tilde

### Usage

```
.logDetQt(kappa2, in_list, n_sess)
```

# Arguments

| kappa2  | a scalar                                     |
|---------|--|
| in_list | a list with elements Cmat, Gmat, and GtCinvG |
| n_sess  | the integer number of sessions               |
|         |  |

```
activations
```

Identify field activations

#### Description

Identify areas of activation for each field from the result of BayesGLM or fit\_bayesglm.

#### Usage

```
activations(
  х,
 Bayes = TRUE,
  gamma = NULL,
  alpha = 0.05,
  correction = c("FWER", "FDR", "none"),
  fields = NULL,
  sessions = NULL,
  verbose = 1
)
id_activations(
  х,
 Bayes = TRUE,
  gamma = NULL,
  alpha = 0.05,
  correction = c("FWER", "FDR", "none"),
  fields = NULL,
  sessions = NULL,
  verbose = 1
)
```

#### aic\_Param

#### Arguments

| х          | Result of BayesGLM or fit_bayesglm model call, of class "BGLM" or "fit_bglm".  |
|------------|--|
| Bayes      | Use spatial Bayesian modeling to identify activations based on the joint posterior distribution? Default: TRUE. If FALSE, activations will be based on classical (massive univariate) GLM model, with multiple comparisons correction (see correction). Note that TRUE is only applicable if x includes Bayesian results (i.e. x <- BayesGLM(, Bayes = TRUE) was run.) |
| gamma      | Activation threshold, for example 1 for 1 percent signal change if scale_BOLD=="mean" during model estimation. Setting a gamma is required for the Bayesian method;<br>NULL (default) will use a gamma of zero for the classical method.   |
| alpha      | Significance level for inference. Default: 0.05.   |
| correction | For the classical method only: Type of multiple comparisons correction: "FWER" (Bonferroni correction, the default), "FDR" (Benjamini Hochberg), or "none".  |
| fields     | The field(s) to identify activations for. Give either the name(s) as a character vector, or the numerical indices. If NULL (default), analyze all fields.  |
| sessions   | The session(s) to identify activations for. Give either the name(s) as a character vector, or the numerical indices. If NULL (default), analyze the first session.   |
| verbose    | 1 (default) to print occasional updates during model computation; 2 for occasional updates as well as running INLA in verbose mode (if Bayes), or $0$ for no printed updates.  |

# Value

An "act\_BGLM" or "act\_fit\_bglm" object, a list which indicates the activated locations along with related information.

aic\_Param

aic

# Description

aic

#### Arguments

aic

(For prewhitening) Use the Akaike information criterion (AIC) to select AR model orders between 0 and ar\_order? Default: FALSE.

ar\_order\_Param ar\_order

#### Description

ar\_order

#### Arguments

ar\_order(For prewhitening) The order of the autoregressive (AR) model to use for prewhitening. If 0, do not prewhiten. Default: 6.For multi-session modeling, note that a single AR model is used; its coefficients will be the average estimate from each session.

ar\_smooth\_Param ar\_smooth

#### Description

ar\_smooth

#### Arguments

```
ar_smooth (For prewhitening) The FWHM parameter for spatially smoothing the coefficient estimates for the AR model to use for prewhitening. Recall that \sigma = \frac{FWHM}{2*sqrt(2*log(2))}. Set to 0 to not smooth the estimates. Default: 5.
```

BayesGLM

BayesGLM for CIFTI

#### Description

Performs spatial Bayesian GLM for task fMRI activation with CIFTI-format data. The cortex is modeled as a surface mesh, and subcortical structures are modeled as distinct volumetric regions. Includes the pre-processing steps of nuisance regression, prewhitening, scaling, and variance normalization. Supports both single- and multi-session analysis. Can also compute just the classical (spatially-independent)

#### **BayesGLM**

#### Usage

```
BayesGLM(
 BOLD,
 brainstructures = c("left", "right"),
 subROI = c("Amygdala-L", "Amygdala-R", "Caudate-L", "Caudate-R", "Hippocampus-L",
    "Hippocampus-R", "Thalamus-L", "Thalamus-R"),
  design,
  nuisance = NULL,
  scrub = NULL,
  hpf = NULL,
  TR = NULL,
  surfL = NULL,
  surfR = NULL,
  resamp_res = 10000,
  nbhd_order = 1,
  buffer = c(1, 1, 3, 4, 4),
  session_names = NULL,
  scale_BOLD = c("mean", "sd", "none"),
  Bayes = TRUE,
  hyperpriors = c("informative", "default"),
  ar_order = 6,
  ar_smooth = 5,
  aic = FALSE,
  n_{threads} = 4,
  return_INLA = c("trimmed", "full", "minimal"),
  verbose = 1,
 meanTol = 1e-06,
 varTol = 1e-06
)
```

# Arguments

| BOLD            | fMRI timeseries data in CIFTI format ("*.dtseries.nii"). For single-session anal-<br>ysis this can be a file path to a CIFTI file or a "xifti" object from the ciftiTools<br>package. For multi-session analysis this can be a vector of file paths or a list of<br>"xifti" objects. |  |
|-----------------|--|--|
|                 | If BOLD is a "xifti" object(s), the surfaces, if any, will be used for the spa-<br>tial model. However, if surfL and surfR are provided, they will override any<br>surfaces in BOLD.   |  |
| brainstructures |  |  |
|                 | Character vector indicating which brain structure(s) of BOLD to analyze: "left" cortex; "right" cortex; and/or "subcortical" structures. Or "all" to model all three. Default: c("left", "right") (cortex only).   |  |
| subROI          | Which subcortical ROIs should be analyzed? Can be "all" to analyze all sub-<br>cortex ROIs. See the ciftiTools_Name column of ciftiTools:::substructure_table()<br>for a list of possible subcortical ROIs.  |  |
| design          | A numeric matrix or data.frame, or a "BayesfMRI_design" object from make_design.   |  |

|              | Can also be an array where the third dimension is the same length as the number of data locations, to model each location with its own design.  |
|--------------|---|
| nuisance     | (Optional) A $T \times N_{nuis}$ matrix of nuisance signals, where T is the number<br>of timepoints and N is the number of nuisance signals, or a list of these for<br>multi-session analysis. Nuisance signals are regressed from the fMRI data and<br>design matrix prior to GLM computation. Nuisance signals can include motion<br>regressors, HRF derivatives not being modeled as tasks, and other sources of<br>noise. |
|              | Detrending/high-pass filtering is accomplished by adding DCT bases to the nui-<br>sance matrix; see the parameters hpf and DCT.   |
|              | Do not add spike regressors for scrubbing to the nuisance matrix. Rather, pro-<br>vide these in scrub so that their corresponding timepoints are also removed<br>from the BOLD data after nuisance regression.  |
| scrub        | (Optional) A $T \times N_{scrub}$ matrix of spike regressors (one 1 value at the timepoint to scrub, and 0 for all other values), or a logical vector indicating the timepoints to scrub (TRUE to scrub, and FALSE to keep). For multi-session data, a session-length list of such matrices or logical vectors.   |
|              | The spike regressors will be included in the nuisance regression, and afterwards<br>the timepoints indicated in scrub will be removed from the BOLD data and<br>design matrix.  |
| hpf          | Add DCT bases to nuisance to apply a temporal high-pass filter to the data, for detrending? hpf is the filter frequency. Use NULL to skip detrending. Detrending is strongly recommended for fMRI data, to help reduce the autocorrelation in the residuals, so NULL will induce a warning. Use "already" to disable the warning while skipping highpass filtering.   |
|              | Using at least two DCT bases is as sufficient for detrending as using linear and quadratic drift terms in the nuisance matrix. So if DCT detrending is being used here, there is no need to add linear and quadratic drift terms to nuisance.   |
| TR           | Temporal resolution of the data, in seconds.  |
| surfL, surfR | For cortex spatial model. Left and right cortex surface geometry in GIFTI format ("*.surf.gii"). These can be a file path to a GIFTI file or a "surf" object from ciftiTools.   |
|              | Surfaces can alternatively be provided through the \$surf metadata in BOLD if it is "xifti" data. If neither are provided, by default the HCP group-average fs_LR inflated surfaces included in ciftiTools will be used for the cortex spatial model.   |
| resamp_res   | For cortex spatial model. The number of vertices to which each cortical surface should be resampled, or NULL to not resample.   |
|              | For computational feasibility, a value of 10000 (default) or lower is recom-<br>mended for Bayesian spatial modeling. If Bayes=FALSE, resamp_res can be<br>set to NULL for full-resolution classical modeling.  |
| nbhd_order   | For volumetric model. What order neighborhood around data locations to keep?<br>Ø for no neighbors, 1 for 1st-order neighbors, 2 for 1st- and 2nd-order neighbors,<br>etc. Smaller values will provide greater computational efficiency at the cost of<br>higher variance around the edge of the data.  |

| buffer         | For volumetric model. The number of extra voxel layers around the bounding box. Set to NULL for no buffer. (We recommend not changing buffer unless you know what you're doing. Instead, to reduce the number of boundary voxels, adjust nbhd_order). |
|----------------|---|
| session_names  | The names of the task-fMRI BOLD sessions, for multi-session analysis. If not provided here, will be inferred from names(BOLD), inferred from names(design), or generated automatically, in that order.  |
| scale_BOLD     | Controls scaling the BOLD response at each location.  |
|                | "mean": Scale the data to percent local signal change.<br>"sd": Scale the data by local standard deviation.   |
|                | "none": Center the data but do not scale it.  |
| Bayes          | Perform spatial Bayesian modeling? Default: TRUE. If FALSE, only perform classical (massive univariate) modeling. (The classical GLM result is always returned, whether Bayes is TRUE or FALSE.)  |
| hyperpriors    | Should informative or default non-informative hyperpriors be assumed on SPDE hyperparameters?   |
| ar_order       | (For prewhitening) The order of the autoregressive (AR) model to use for prewhitening. If $0$ , do not prewhiten. Default: 6.   |
|                | For multi-session modeling, note that a single AR model is used; its coefficients will be the average estimate from each session.   |
| ar_smooth      | (For prewhitening) The FWHM parameter for spatially smoothing the coefficient estimates for the AR model to use for prewhitening. Recall that $\sigma = \frac{FWHM}{2*sqrt(2*log(2))}$ . Set to 0 to not smooth the estimates. Default: 5.            |
| aic            | (For prewhitening) Use the Akaike information criterion (AIC) to select AR model orders between 0 and ar_order? Default: FALSE.   |
| n_threads      | The maximum number of threads to use for parallel computations: prewhitening parameter estimation, and the inla-program model estimation. Default: 4. Note that parallel prewhitening requires the parallel package.                                  |
| return_INLA    | Return the INLA model object? (It can be large.) Use "trimmed" (default) returns the results sufficient for activations and BayesGLM2; "minimal" returns enough for BayesGLM2 but not activations; "full" returns the full inla output.               |
| verbose        | 1 (default) to print occasional updates during model computation; 2 for occasional updates as well as running INLA in verbose mode (if Bayes), or $0$ for no printed updates.   |
| meanTol,varTol | Tolerance for mean and variance of each data location. Locations which do not meet these thresholds are masked out of the analysis. Default: 1e-6 for both.   |

# Details

To use BayesGLM, the design matrix must first be constructed with make\_design.

#### Value

An object of class "BayesGLM": a list with elements

betas\_Bayesian The field coefficients for the Bayesian model.

betas\_classical The field coefficients for the classical model.

**GLMs\_Bayesian** The entire list of GLM results, except for parameters estimated for the classical model.

GLMs\_classical Parameters estimated for the classical model from the GLM.

brainstructures data.frame summarizing the spatial features of each brain structure modeled.

sessions data.frame with the name and nTime of each BOLD session.

fields data.frame with the name, related task, and HRF\_order of each field.

#### **Connectome Workbench Requirement**

This function uses a system wrapper for the 'wb\_command' executable. The user must first down-load and install the Connectome Workbench, available from https://www.humanconnectome.org/software/get-connectome-workbench.

# **INLA Requirement**

This function requires the INLA package, which is not a CRAN package. See <a href="https://www.r-inla.org/download-install">https://www.r-inla.org/download-install</a> for easy installation instructions.

#### **INLA Latent Fields Limit**

INLA computation times increase greatly when the number of columns in the design matrix exceeds five: when there are more than five tasks, or more than three tasks each with a temporal derivative modeled as a field. In cases like the latter, we recommend modeling the temporal derivatives as nuisance signals using the option dHRF\_as="nuisance", rather than modeling the temporal derivatives as fields.

BayesGLM2

Group-level Bayesian GLM

#### Description

Performs group-level Bayesian GLM estimation and inference using the joint approach described in Mejia et al. (2020).

# BayesGLM2

# Usage

```
BayesGLM2(
  results,
  contrasts = NULL,
  quantiles = NULL,
  excursion_type = NULL,
  contrast_names = NULL,
  gamma = 0,
  alpha = 0.05,
  nsamp_theta = 50,
  nsamp_beta = 100,
  num_cores = NULL,
  verbose = 1
)
```

# Arguments

| results        | Either (1) a length $N$ list of "BGLM" objects, or (2) a length $N$ character vector of files storing "BGLM" objects saved with saveRDS. "fit_bglm" objects also are accepted.   |
|----------------|--|
| contrasts      | (Optional) A list of contrast vectors that specify the group-level summaries of interest. If NULL (DEFAULT), use contrasts that compute the average of each field (field HRF) across all subjects/sessions.  |
|                | Each contrast vector is length $KSN$ specifying a group-level summary of inter-<br>est, where $K$ is the number of fields in the first-level design matrices, $S$ is the<br>number of sessions, and $N$ is the number of subjects. The vector is grouped by<br>fields, then sessions, then subjects. |
|                | For a single session/subject, the contrast vector for the first field would be:  |
|                | <pre>c0 &lt;- c(1, rep(0, K-1)) #indexes the first field for a single session</pre>  |
|                | so the full contrast vector for the group <i>average over all sessions/subjects for the first field</i> would be:  |
|                | <pre>contrasts = rep(c0, S*N) /(S*N).</pre>  |
|                | To obtain the group average for the first field, for <i>just the first session</i> , input zeros for the remaining sessions:   |
|                | c2 <- c(c0, rep(0, K*(S-1)))   |
|                | To obtain the group mean <i>difference between two sessions</i> $(S = 2)$ for the first field:   |
|                | c3 <- c(c0, -c0) contrasts = rep(c3, N) / N.   |
|                | To obtain the mean over sessions of the first field, just for the first subject:   |
|                | c4 <- rep(c0, S) c(c4, rep(0, K*S*(N-1))) / S.   |
| quantiles      | (Optional) Vector of posterior quantiles to return in addition to the posterior mean.  |
| excursion_type | (For inference only) The type of excursion function for the contrast (">", "<", "!="), or a vector thereof (each element corresponding to one contrast). If NULL, no inference performed.  |

| contrast_names | (Optional) Names of contrasts.  |
|----------------|---|
| gamma          | (For inference only) Activation threshold for the excursion set, or a vector thereof (each element corresponding to one contrast). Default: 0.                                |
| alpha          | (For inference only) Significance level for activation for the excursion set, or a vector thereof (each element corresponding to one contrast). Default: .05.                 |
| nsamp_theta    | Number of theta values to sample from posterior. Default: 50.   |
| nsamp_beta     | Number of beta vectors to sample conditional on each theta value sampled. De-fault: 100.  |
| num_cores      | The number of cores to use for sampling betas in parallel. If NULL (default), do not run in parallel.   |
| verbose        | 1 (default) to print occasional updates during model computation; 2 for occasional updates as well as running INLA in verbose mode (if Bayes), or $0$ for no printed updates. |

#### Value

A list containing the estimates, PPMs and areas of activation for each contrast.

#### **INLA Requirement**

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| Bayes_Param | Bayes |
|-------------|-------|
|             |       |
| Description |       |
| Bayes       |       |
| Arguments   |       |

Bayes Perform spatial Bayesian modeling? Default: TRUE. If FALSE, only perform classical (massive univariate) modeling. (The classical GLM result is always returned, whether Bayes is TRUE or FALSE.)

BOLD\_Param\_BayesGLM BOLD

#### Description

BOLD

# Arguments BOLD

fMRI timeseries data in CIFTI format ("\*.dtseries.nii"). For single-session analysis this can be a file path to a CIFTI file or a "xifti" object from the ciftiTools package. For multi-session analysis this can be a vector of file paths or a list of "xifti" objects. If BOLD is a "xifti" object(s), the surfaces, if any, will be used for the spatial model. However, if surfL and surfR are provided, they will override any surfaces in BOLD.

brainstructures\_Param\_BayesGLM brainstructures

#### Description

brainstructures

#### Arguments

brainstructures

Character vector indicating which brain structure(s) of BOLD to analyze: "left" cortex; "right" cortex; and/or "subcortical" structures. Or "all" to model all three. Default: c("left", "right") (cortex only).

buffer\_Param buffer

#### Description

buffer

#### Arguments

buffer For volumetric model. The number of extra voxel layers around the bounding box. Set to NULL for no buffer. (We recommend not changing buffer unless you know what you're doing. Instead, to reduce the number of boundary voxels, adjust nbhd\_order). Connectome\_Workbench\_Description

Connectome Workbench

#### Description

Connectome Workbench

#### **Connectome Workbench Requirement**

This function uses a system wrapper for the 'wb\_command' executable. The user must first down-load and install the Connectome Workbench, available from https://www.humanconnectome.org/software/get-connectome-workbench .

contrasts\_Param contrasts

#### Description

contrasts

#### Arguments

contrasts List of contrast vectors to be passed to inla::inla.

design\_Param\_BayesGLM design

#### Description

design

#### Arguments

design A numeric matrix or data.frame, or a "BayesfMRI\_design" object from make\_design. Can also be an array where the third dimension is the same length as the number of data locations, to model each location with its own design. do\_QC

#### Description

Mask out data locations that are invalid (missing data, low mean, or low variance) for any session.

# Usage

do\_QC(BOLD, meanTol = 1e-06, varTol = 1e-06, verbose = TRUE)

# Arguments

| BOLD            | A session-length list of $T \times V$ numeric BOLD data.  |
|-----------------|---|
| meanTol, varTol | Tolerance for mean and variance of each data location. Locations which do not meet these thresholds are masked out of the analysis. Defaults: 1e-6. |
| verbose         | Print messages counting how many locations are removed? Default: TRUE.  |

#### Value

A logical vector indicating locations that are valid across all sessions.

#### Examples

```
nT <- 30
nV <- 400
BOLD1 <- matrix(rnorm(nT*nV), nrow=nT)
BOLD1[,seq(30,50)] <- NA
BOLD2 <- matrix(rnorm(nT*nV), nrow=nT)
BOLD2[,65] <- BOLD2[,65] / 1e10
BOLD <- list(sess1=BOLD1, sess2=BOLD2)
do_QC(BOLD)
```

| emTol_Param | emTol |  |
|-------------|-------|--|
|             |       |  |
| Description |       |  |
| emTol       |       |  |
| Arguments   |       |  |

emTol The stopping tolerance for the EM algorithm. Default: 1e-3.

| EM_Param       | EM   |
|----------------|--|
| Description    |  |
| EM             |  |
| Arguments      |  |
| ЕМ             | (logical) Should the EM implementation of the Bayesian GLM be used? De fault: FALSE. This method is still in development.                            |
| faces_Param    | faces  |
| Description    |  |
| faces          |  |
| Arguments      |  |
| faces          | An $F \times 3$ matrix, where each row contains the vertex indices for a given trian gular face in the mesh. $F$ is the number of faces in the mesh. |
| field_names_Pa | iram field_names   |
| Description    |  |
| field_names    |  |

# Arguments

field\_names (Optional) Names of fields represented in design matrix.

fit\_bayesglm

#### Description

Performs spatial Bayesian GLM for task fMRI activation

fit\_bayesglm

# Usage

```
fit_bayesglm(
 BOLD,
  design,
 nuisance = NULL,
  scrub = NULL,
  spatial,
  scale_BOLD = c("mean", "sd", "none"),
 Bayes = TRUE,
 hyperpriors = c("informative", "default"),
  ar_order = 6,
 ar_smooth = 5,
 aic = FALSE,
 n_{threads} = 4,
 return_INLA = c("trimmed", "full", "minimal"),
 verbose = 1,
 meanTol = 1e-06,
 varTol = 1e-06
)
```

# Arguments

BOLD, design, nuisance

|         | Session-length list of numeric matrices/arrays, each with volumes along the first dimension.  |
|---------|---|
| scrub   | Session-length list of spike regressors: numeric matrices, with volumes along the first dimension, valued at 1 for scrubbed volumes and 0 otherwise.  |
|         | Scrubbing is performed by incorporating spike regressors in the nuisance matrix during nuisance regression (in a simultaneous framework), and then removing the scrubbed timepoints from the resulting BOLD and design. |
| spatial | Gives the spatial information:  |
|         | <b>surf</b> A list of two: vertices $V \times 3$ numeric matrix of vertex locations in XYZ coordinate space, and faces, $F \times 3$ matrix of positive integers defining the triangular faces.                         |
|         | mask Mask of locations with valid data.   |
|         | For voxel data, a list of six:  |
|         | label 3D array of labeled locations to include in the model.  |

|                | <b>trans_mat</b> Projection matrix to convert voxel indices to XYZ position. Can be NULL.  |
|----------------|--|
|                | trans_units XYZ units. Can be NULL.  |
|                | <b>nbhd_order</b> See documentation for BayesGLM.  |
|                | <b>buffer</b> See documentation for BayesGLM.  |
| scale_BOLD     | Controls scaling the BOLD response at each location.   |
|                | "mean": Scale the data to percent local signal change.   |
|                | "sd": Scale the data by local standard deviation.  |
|                | "none": Center the data but do not scale it.   |
| Bayes          | Perform spatial Bayesian modeling? Default: TRUE. If FALSE, only perform classical (massive univariate) modeling. (The classical GLM result is always returned, whether Bayes is TRUE or FALSE.)   |
| hyperpriors    | Should informative or default non-informative hyperpriors be assumed on SPDE hyperparameters?  |
| ar_order       | (For prewhitening) The order of the autoregressive (AR) model to use for prewhitening. If 0, do not prewhiten. Default: 6.   |
|                | For multi-session modeling, note that a single AR model is used; its coefficients will be the average estimate from each session.  |
| ar_smooth      | (For prewhitening) The FWHM parameter for spatially smoothing the coefficient estimates for the AR model to use for prewhitening. Recall that $\sigma = \frac{FWHM}{2*sqrt(2*log(2))}$ . Set to 0 to not smooth the estimates. Default: 5. |
| aic            | (For prewhitening) Use the Akaike information criterion (AIC) to select AR model orders between 0 and ar_order? Default: FALSE.  |
| n_threads      | The maximum number of threads to use for parallel computations: prewhitening parameter estimation, and the inla-program model estimation. Default: 4. Note that parallel prewhitening requires the parallel package.                       |
| return_INLA    | Return the INLA model object? (It can be large.) Use "trimmed" (default) returns the results sufficient for activations and BayesGLM2; "minimal" returns enough for BayesGLM2 but not activations; "full" returns the full inla output.    |
| verbose        | 1 (default) to print occasional updates during model computation; 2 for occa-<br>sional updates as well as running INLA in verbose mode (if Bayes), or 0 for no<br>printed updates.  |
| meanTol,varTol | Tolerance for mean, variance and SNR of each data location. Locations which do not meet these thresholds are masked out of the analysis. Default: 1e-6 for mean and variance, 50 for SNR.  |

# Value

A "BayesGLM" object: a list with elements

INLA\_model\_obj The full result of the call to INLA::inla.

field\_estimates The estimated coefficients for the Bayesian model.

**result\_classical** Results from the classical model: field estimates, field standard error estimates, residuals, degrees of freedom, and the mask.

mesh The model mesh.

- mask A mask of mesh indicating the locations inside mesh.
- **design** The design matrix, after centering and scaling, but before any nuisance regression or prewhitening.

field\_names The names of the fields.

session\_names The names of the sessions.

hyperpar\_posteriors Hyperparameter posterior densities.

theta\_estimates Theta estimates from the Bayesian model.

posterior\_Sig\_inv For joint group modeling.

mu\_theta For joint group modeling.

**Q\_theta** For joint group modeling.

- **y** For joint group modeling: The BOLD data after any centering, scaling, nuisance regression, or prewhitening.
- X For joint group modeling: The design matrix after any centering, scaling, nuisance regression, or prewhitening.
- prewhiten\_info Vectors of values across locations: phi (AR coefficients averaged across sessions), sigma\_sq (residual variance averaged across sessions), and AIC (the maximum across sessions).
- call match.call() for this function call.

#### **INLA Requirement**

This function requires the INLA package, which is not a CRAN package. See <a href="https://www.r-inla.org/download-install">https://www.r-inla.org/download-install</a> for easy installation instructions.

hpf\_Param\_BayesGLM hpf

#### Description

hpf

#### Arguments

hpf

Add DCT bases to nuisance to apply a temporal high-pass filter to the data, for detrending? hpf is the filter frequency. Use NULL to skip detrending. Detrending is strongly recommended for fMRI data, to help reduce the autocorrelation in the residuals, so NULL will induce a warning. Use "already" to disable the warning while skipping highpass filtering.

Using at least two DCT bases is as sufficient for detrending as using linear and quadratic drift terms in the nuisance matrix. So if DCT detrending is being used here, there is no need to add linear and quadratic drift terms to nuisance.

INLA\_Description INLA

#### Description

INLA

#### **INLA Requirement**

This function requires the INLA package, which is not a CRAN package. See <a href="https://www.r-inla.org/download-install">https://www.r-inla.org/download-install</a> for easy installation instructions.

INLA\_Latent\_Fields\_Limit\_Description INLA Latent Fields

#### Description

**INLA Latent Fields** 

#### **INLA Latent Fields Limit**

INLA computation times increase greatly when the number of columns in the design matrix exceeds five: when there are more than five tasks, or more than three tasks each with a temporal derivative modeled as a field. In cases like the latter, we recommend modeling the temporal derivatives as nuisance signals using the option dHRF\_as="nuisance", rather than modeling the temporal derivatives as fields.

make\_mesh

Make Mesh

#### Description

Make INLA triangular mesh from faces and vertices

#### Usage

make\_mesh(vertices, faces)

#### Arguments

| vertices | A $V \times 3$ matrix, where each row contains the Euclidean coordinates at which a   |
|----------|---|
|          | given vertex in the mesh is located. $V$ is the number of vertices in the mesh        |
| faces    | An $F \times 3$ matrix, where each row contains the vertex indices for a given trian- |
|          | gular face in the mesh. F is the number of faces in the mesh.                         |

#### mask\_Param\_vertices

#### Value

INLA triangular mesh

#### **INLA Requirement**

This function requires the INLA package, which is not a CRAN package. See <a href="https://www.r-inla.org/download-install">https://www.r-inla.org/download-install</a> for easy installation instructions.

mask\_Param\_vertices mask: vertices

#### Description

mask: vertices

#### Arguments

mask

A length V logical vector indicating if each vertex is within the input mask.

max\_threads\_Param max\_threads

#### Description

max\_threads

#### Arguments

max\_threads The maximum number of threads to use in the inla-program for model estimation. 0 (default) will use the maximum number of threads allowed by the system.

mean\_var\_Tol\_Param mean and variance tolerance

#### Description

mean and variance tolerance

#### Arguments

meanTol, varTol Tolerance for mean and variance of each data location. Locations which do not meet these thresholds are masked out of the analysis. Default: 1e-6 for both.

mesh\_Param\_either mesh: either

#### Description

mesh: either

#### Arguments

mesh

An "inla.mesh" object (see make\_mesh for surface data)

mesh\_Param\_inla mesh: INLA only

#### Description

mesh: INLA only

### Arguments

mesh

An "inla.mesh" object (see make\_mesh for surface data).

nbhd\_order\_Param nbhd\_order

#### Description

nbhd\_order

#### Arguments

nbhd\_order
 For volumetric model. What order neighborhood around data locations to keep?
 Ø for no neighbors, 1 for 1st-order neighbors, 2 for 1st- and 2nd-order neighbors, etc. Smaller values will provide greater computational efficiency at the cost of higher variance around the edge of the data.

#### Description

nuisance

#### Arguments

nuisance (Optional) A  $T \times N_{nuis}$  matrix of nuisance signals, where T is the number of timepoints and N is the number of nuisance signals, or a list of these for multi-session analysis. Nuisance signals are regressed from the fMRI data and design matrix prior to GLM computation. Nuisance signals can include motion regressors, HRF derivatives not being modeled as tasks, and other sources of noise.

> Detrending/high-pass filtering is accomplished by adding DCT bases to the nuisance matrix; see the parameters hpf and DCT.

> Do not add spike regressors for scrubbing to the nuisance matrix. Rather, provide these in scrub so that their corresponding timepoints are also removed from the BOLD data after nuisance regression.

n\_threads\_Param n\_threads

#### Description

n\_threads

#### Arguments

n\_threads The maximum number of threads to use for parallel computations: prewhitening parameter estimation, and the inla-program model estimation. Default: 4. Note that parallel prewhitening requires the parallel package.

plot.act\_BGLM

#### Description

S3 method: use view\_xifti to plot a "act\_BGLM" object

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'act_BGLM'
plot(x, idx = NULL, title = NULL, session = NULL, ...)
```

#### Arguments

| х       | An object of class "act_BGLM"  |
|---------|--|
| idx     | Which field should be plotted? Give the numeric indices or the names. NULL (default) will show all fields. This argument overrides the idx argument to view_xifti. |
| title   | If NULL, the field names associated with idx will be used.   |
| session | Which session should be plotted? NULL (default) will use the first.  |
|         | Additional arguments to view_xifti   |

## Value

Result of the call to ciftiTools::view\_cifti\_surface.

plot.BGLM S3 method: use view\_xifti to plot a "BGLM" object

#### Description

S3 method: use view\_xifti to plot a "BGLM" object

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'BGLM'
plot(
    x,
    Bayes = NULL,
    idx = NULL,
    title = NULL,
    session = NULL,
    zlim = c(-1, 1),
    ...
)
```

#### plot.BGLM2

#### Arguments

| x       | An object of class "BGLM"   |
|---------|---|
| Bayes   | TRUE for plotting Bayesian results, FALSE for plotting classical GLM results. Default: NULL, which will use the Bayesian results if available and the classical results if not. |
| idx     | Which field should be plotted? Give the numeric indices or the names. NULL (default) will show all fields. This argument overrides the idx argument to view_xifti.              |
| title   | If NULL, the field names associated with idx will be used.  |
| session | Which session should be plotted? NULL (default) will use the first.   |
| zlim    | Overrides the zlim argument for view_xifti. Default: c(-1, 1).  |
|         | Additional arguments to view_xifti  |

#### Value

Result of the call to ciftiTools::view\_cifti.

```
plot.BGLM2
```

S3 method: use view\_xifti to plot a "BGLM2" object

#### Description

S3 method: use view\_xifti to plot a "BGLM2" object

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'BGLM2'
plot(x, idx = NULL, stat = c("contrasts", "activations"), zlim = c(-1, 1), ...)
```

# Arguments

| х    | An object of class "BGLM2"   |
|------|--|
| idx  | Which contrast should be plotted? Give the numeric indices or the names. NULL (default) will show all contrasts. This argument overrides the idx argument to view_xifti. |
| stat | Estimates of the "contrasts" (default), or their thresholded "activations".  |
| zlim | Overrides the zlim argument for view_xifti. Default: c(-1, 1).   |
|      | Additional arguments to view_xifti   |

# Value

Result of the call to ciftiTools::view\_cifti.

plot.prev\_BGLM

# Description

S3 method: use view\_xifti to plot a "prev\_BGLM" object

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'prev_BGLM'
plot(
    x,
    idx = NULL,
    session = NULL,
    drop_zeros = NULL,
    colors = "plasma",
    zlim = c(0, 1),
    ...
)
```

#### Arguments

| х           | An object of class "prev_BGLM"   |
|-------------|--|
| idx         | Which task should be plotted? Give the numeric indices or the names. NULL (default) will show all tasks. This argument overrides the idx argument to view_xifti.                 |
| session     | Which session should be plotted? NULL (default) will use the first.  |
| drop_zeros  | Color locations without any activation across all results (zero prevalence) the same color as the medial wall? Default: NULL to drop the zeros if only one idx is being plotted. |
| colors,zlim | See view_xifti.  |
|             | Additional arguments to view_xifti   |

# Value

Result of the call to ciftiTools::view\_cifti\_surface.

prevalence

# Description

Activations prevalence.

#### Usage

```
prevalence(
  act_list,
  gamma_idx = 1,
  p_test = NULL,
  alpha = 0.05,
  correction = c("FWER", "FDR", "none")
)
```

# Arguments

| act_list   | List of activations from activations. All should have the same sessions, fields, and brainstructures.   |
|------------|---|
| gamma_idx  | If activations at multiple thresholds were computed, which threshold should be used for prevalence? Default: the first (lowest).                              |
| p_test     | For inference: the expected baseline rate of activation for all data locations, under the null hypothesis. Default: NULL (do not perform hypothesis testing). |
| alpha      | Significance level for inference. Default: .05.   |
| correction | For the classical method only: Type of multiple comparisons correction: "FWER" (Bonferroni correction, the default), "FDR" (Benjamini Hochberg), or "none".   |

# Value

A list containing the prevalences of activation, as a proportion of the results from act\_list.

resamp\_res\_Param\_BayesGLM

resamp\_res

# Description

resamp\_res

# Arguments

| resamp_res | For cortex spatial model. The number of vertices to which each cortical surface |
|------------|---|
|            | should be resampled, or NULL to not resample.                                   |
|            | For computational feasibility, a value of 10000 (default) or lower is recom-    |
|            | mended for Bayesian spatial modeling. If Bayes=FALSE, resamp_res can be         |
|            | set to NULL for full-resolution classical modeling.                             |
|            |   |

return\_INLA\_Param return\_INLA

# Description

return\_INLA

# Arguments

| return_INLA | Return the INLA model object? (It can be large.) Use "trimmed" (default)     |
|-------------|--|
|             | returns the results sufficient for activations and BayesGLM2; "minimal" re-  |
|             | turns enough for BayesGLM2 but not activations; "full" returns the full inla |
|             | output.  |
|             |  |

scale\_BOLD

Scale the BOLD timeseries

# Description

Scale the BOLD timeseries

#### Usage

```
scale_BOLD(BOLD, scale = c("mean", "sd", "none"), v_means = NULL)
```

# Arguments

| BOLD    | fMRI data as a locations by time $(V \times T)$ numeric matrix.                      |
|---------|--|
| scale   | Option for scaling the BOLD response.  |
| v_means | Original means of the BOLD data. ONLY provide if data has already been centered.     |
|         | <pre>\code{"mean"} scaling will scale the data to percent local signal change.</pre> |
|         | <pre>\code{"sd"} scaling will scale the data by local standard deviation.</pre>      |
|         | <pre>\code{"none"} will only center the data, not scale it.</pre>                    |

# Value

Scale to units of percent local signal change and centers

scale\_BOLD\_Param scale\_BOLD

#### Description

scale\_BOLD

# Arguments

| scale_BOLD | Controls scaling the BOLD response at each location.   |
|------------|--|
|            | "mean": Scale the data to percent local signal change. |
|            | "sd": Scale the data by local standard deviation.      |
|            | "none": Center the data but do not scale it.           |

scrub\_Param\_BayesGLM scrub

#### Description

scrub

#### Arguments

The spike regressors will be included in the nuisance regression, and afterwards the timepoints indicated in scrub will be removed from the BOLD data and design matrix.

| seed_Param  | seed                                   |  |
|-------------|--|--|
|             |  |  |
| Description |  |  |
| seed        |  |  |
| Arguments   |  |  |
| seed        | Random seed (optional). Default: NULL. |  |

session\_names\_Param session\_names

#### Description

session\_names

#### Arguments

session\_names The names of the task-fMRI BOLD sessions, for multi-session analysis. If not provided here, will be inferred from names(BOLD), inferred from names(design), or generated automatically, in that order.

summary.act\_BGLM Summarize a "act\_BGLM" object

#### Description

Summary method for class "act\_BGLM"

#### Usage

## S3 method for class 'act\_BGLM'
summary(object, ...)

## S3 method for class 'summary.act\_BGLM'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'act\_BGLM'
print(x, ...)

#### Arguments

| object | Object of class "act_BGLM".                        |
|--------|--|
|        | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |
| x      | Object of class "summary.act_BGLM".                |

#### Value

A "summary.act\_BGLM" object, a list summarizing the properties of object.

NULL, invisibly.

NULL, invisibly.

summary.act\_fit\_bglm Summarize a "act\_fit\_bglm" object

#### Description

Summary method for class "act\_fit\_bglm"

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'act_fit_bglm'
summary(object, ...)
## S3 method for class 'summary.act_fit_bglm'
print(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'act_fit_bglm'
print(x, ...)
```

#### Arguments

| object | Object of class "act_fit_bglm".                    |
|--------|--|
|        | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |
| х      | Object of class "summary.act_fit_bglm".            |

#### Value

A "summary.act\_fit\_bglm" object, a list summarizing the properties of object. NULL, invisibly. NULL, invisibly.

summary.BGLM Summarize a "BGLM" object

#### Description

Summary method for class "BGLM"

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'BGLM'
summary(object, ...)
## S3 method for class 'summary.BGLM'
print(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'BGLM'
print(x, ...)
```

#### Arguments

| object | Object of class "BGLM".                            |
|--------|--|
|        | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |
| х      | Object of class "summary.BGLM".                    |

#### Value

A "summary.BGLM" object, a list summarizing the properties of object.

NULL, invisibly.

NULL, invisibly.

summary.BGLM2 Summarize a "BGLM2" object

#### Description

Summary method for class "BGLM2"

#### Usage

## S3 method for class 'BGLM2'
summary(object, ...)

## S3 method for class 'summary.BGLM2'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'BGLM2'
print(x, ...)

#### Arguments

| object | Object of class "BGLM2".                           |
|--------|--|
|        | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |
| x      | Object of class "summary.BGLM2".                   |

#### Value

A "summary.BGLM2" object, a list summarizing the properties of object.

NULL, invisibly.

NULL, invisibly.

summary.fit\_bglm Summarize a "fit\_bglm" object

#### Description

Summary method for class "fit\_bglm"

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fit_bglm'
summary(object, ...)
## S3 method for class 'summary.fit_bglm'
print(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'fit_bglm'
print(x, ...)
```

#### Arguments

| object | Object of class "fit_bglm".                        |
|--------|--|
|        | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |
| х      | Object of class "summary.fit_bglm".                |

#### Value

A "summary.fit\_bglm" object, a list summarizing the properties of object. NULL, invisibly. NULL, invisibly.

summary.fit\_bglm2 Summarize a "fit\_bglm2" object

#### Description

Summary method for class "fit\_bglm2"

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'fit_bglm2'
summary(object, ...)
## S3 method for class 'summary.fit_bglm2'
print(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'fit_bglm2'
print(x, ...)
```

#### Arguments

| object | Object of class "fit_bglm2".                       |
|--------|--|
|        | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |
| x      | Object of class "summary.fit_bglm2".               |

#### Value

A "summary.fit\_bglm2" object, a list summarizing the properties of object. NULL, invisibly. NULL, invisibly.

summary.prev\_BGLM Summarize a "prev\_BGLM" object

### Description

Summary method for class "prev\_BGLM" Summary method for class "prev\_BGLM"

#### Usage

## S3 method for class 'prev\_BGLM'
summary(object, ...)

## S3 method for class 'summary.prev\_BGLM'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'prev\_BGLM'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'prev\_BGLM'
summary(object, ...)

## S3 method for class 'summary.prev\_BGLM'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'prev\_BGLM'
print(x, ...)

#### Arguments

| object | Object of class "prev_BGLM".                       |
|--------|--|
|        | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |
| х      | Object of class "summary.prev_BGLM".               |

#### Value

A "summary.prev\_BGLM" object, a list summarizing the properties of object.

NULL, invisibly.

NULL, invisibly.

A "summary.prev\_BGLM" object, a list summarizing the properties of object.

NULL, invisibly.

NULL, invisibly.

summary.prev\_fit\_bglm Summarize a "prev\_fit\_bglm" object

### Description

Summary method for class "prev\_fit\_bglm" Summary method for class "prev\_fit\_bglm"

#### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'prev_fit_bglm'
summary(object, ...)
## S3 method for class 'summary.prev_fit_bglm'
print(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'prev_fit_bglm'
summary(object, ...)
## S3 method for class 'summary.prev_fit_bglm'
print(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'prev_fit_bglm'
```

# print(x, ...)

### Arguments

| object | Object of class "prev_fit_bglm".                   |
|--------|--|
|        | further arguments passed to or from other methods. |
| x      | Object of class "summary.prev_fit_bglm".           |

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Value

A "summary.prev\_fit\_bglm" object, a list summarizing the properties of object.

NULL, invisibly.

NULL, invisibly.

A "summary.prev\_fit\_bglm" object, a list summarizing the properties of object.

NULL, invisibly.

NULL, invisibly.

surfaces\_Param\_BayesGLM

surfaces

#### Description

surfaces

#### Arguments

surfL, surfR For cortex spatial model. Left and right cortex surface geometry in GIFTI format
 ("\*.surf.gii"). These can be a file path to a GIFTI file or a "surf" object from
 ciftiTools.
 Surfaces can alternatively be provided through the \$surf metadata in BOLD if
 it is "xifti" data. If neither are provided, by default the HCP group-average
 fs\_LR inflated surfaces included in ciftiTools will be used for the cortex spa tial model.

trim\_INLA\_Param trim\_INLA

#### Description

trim\_INLA

#### Arguments

trim\_INLA (logical) should the INLA\_model\_obj within the result be trimmed to only what is necessary to use activations? Default: TRUE.

TR\_Param\_BayesGLM TR

| Description   |   |
|---------------|---|
| _             |   |
| TR            |   |
| Arguments     |   |
| TR            | Temporal resolution of the data, in seconds.  |
| verbose_Param | verbose   |
| Description   |   |
| verbose       |   |
| Arguments     |   |
| verbose       | 1 (default) to print occasional updates during model computation; 2 for occasional updates as well as running INLA in verbose mode (if Bayes), or $0$ for no printed updates. |
| vertex_areas  | Surface area of each vertex   |

# Description

Compute surface areas of each vertex in a triangular mesh.

#### Usage

```
vertex_areas(mesh)
```

#### Arguments

mesh An "inla.mesh" object (see make\_mesh for surface data).

# Value

Vector of areas

#### **INLA Requirement**

This function requires the INLA package, which is not a CRAN package. See <a href="https://www.r-inla.org/download-install">https://www.r-inla.org/download-install</a> for easy installation instructions.

vertices\_Param vertices

#### Description

vertices

### Arguments

| vertices | A $V \times 3$ matrix, where each row contains the Euclidean coordinates at which a given vertex in the mesh is located. V is the number of vertices in the mesh |
|----------|--|
| vol2spde | Construct a triangular mesh from a 3D volumetric mask  |

#### Description

Construct a triangular mesh from a 3D volumetric mask

#### Usage

```
vol2spde(mask, res, nbhd_order = 1, buffer = c(1, 1, 3, 4, 4))
```

#### Arguments

| mask       | An array of 0s and 1s representing a volumetric mask  |
|------------|---|
| res        | The spatial resolution in each direction, in mm. For example, $c(2,2,2)$ indicates 2mm isotropic voxels.  |
| nbhd_order | For volumetric data, what order neighborhood around data locations to keep? $(0 = no neighbors, 1 = 1st$ -order neighbors, $2 = 1st$ - and 2nd-order neighbors, etc.). Smaller values will provide greater computational efficiency at the cost of higher variance around the edge of the data. |
| buffer     | For volumetric data, size of extra voxels layers around the bounding box, in terms of voxels. Set to NULL for no buffer.  |

#### Value

An inla.spde2 object.

#### **INLA Requirement**

This function requires the INLA package, which is not a CRAN package. See https://www.r-inla.org/download-install for easy installation instructions.

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