



Bayesian Hierarchical Models

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IMPLEMENTING BAYESIAN MODELS USING R-INLA

OUTLINE

R and RStudio

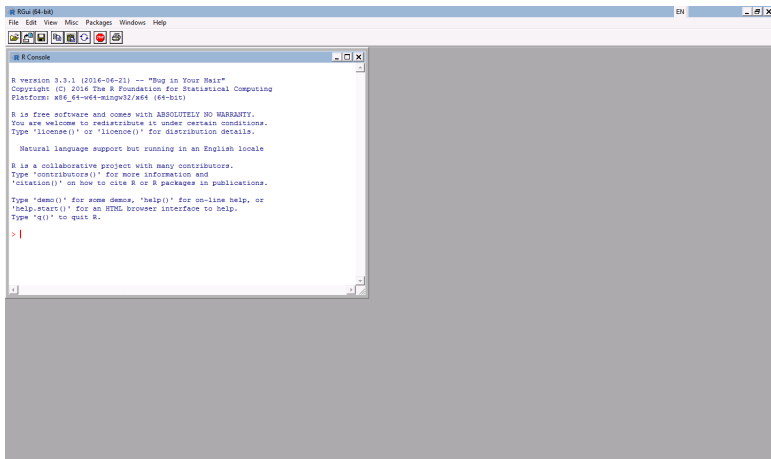
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R



The screenshot shows the R GUI (64-bit) window. The title bar reads "# RGui (64-bit)" and the menu bar includes "File", "Edit", "View", "Misc", "Packages", "Windows", and "Help". The language is set to "EN". The R Console window is open, displaying the following text:

```
R version 3.3.1 (2016-06-21) -- "Bug In Your Hair"
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Platform: x86_64-w64-mingw32/x64 (64-bit)

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> |
```

RSTUDIO

RStudio

Project: (None)

Environment History

Global Environment -

Data

- dig 6800 obs. of 72 variables
- states.df 15527 obs. of 7 variables

Values

- my.model Large gam (48 elements, 830.9 Kb)
- stateMapEnv "R_MAP_DATA_DIR"

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6800 observations of 72 variables

ID	TRTMT	AGE	RACE	SEX	EJF_PER	EJFMETH	CHESTX	BMI
1	1	0	66	1	1	40	2	0.50
2	2	0	77	1	1	32	1	0.56
3	3	0	72	1	2	36	1	0.68
4	4	1	57	1	1	31	1	0.48
5	5	0	74	1	1	35	1	0.53
6	6	0	69	2	2	45	1	0.70
7	7	1	64	1	2	30	1	0.52
8	8	1	60	2	1	39	1	0.40

Displayed 1000 rows of 6800 (5800 omitted)

```

Console ~ /
4 13040 1 468 0 1391 0 1391 0 1391 0
3 746 0 1391 0 1391 0 1391 0 1391 0
4 1157 0 1157 0 1157 0 1157 0 1157 0
5 1550 0 1550 0 1550 0 1550 0 1550 0
6 1620 0 1620 0 1620 1 496 0 1620 0
OCVDDAYS RINF RINFDDAYS OTH OTHDDAYS HOSP HOSPDAYS NHOSP DEATH DEATHDAY
1 1049 0 1438 1 533 1 533 6 0 1438
2 1360 0 1360 1 880 1 468 4 1 1360
3 1391 0 1391 0 1391 1 631 2 0 1391
4 1157 0 1157 0 1157 0 1157 0 0 1157
5 1550 0 1550 1 459 1 191 5 0 1550
6 1620 0 1620 1 966 1 496 5 0 1620
REASON DWHF DWHFDDAYS
1 NA 1 1379
2 1 1 1329
3 NA 1 631
4 NA 0 1157
5 NA 1 191
6 NA 0 1620
> my.model<-gam(DEATH ~ TRTMT + s(DWHFDDAYS), data=dig, family=binomial)
> summary(my.model)$coef
NULL
> plot(my.model)
> View(dig)
>
  
```

s(DWHFDDAYS:8.62)

Statistical Analyses

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS IN R

- ▶ R comes with many statistical tools already installed
 - ▶ descriptive statistics
 - ▶ visualisation
 - ▶ statistical tests
 - ▶ model fitting.

Packages

CAN R DO MORE?

- ▶ The default installation of R has a comprehensive set of tools for statistical analyses.
- ▶ To meet the specific needs of data scientists, many other statistical tools are readily available in the form of packages.
- ▶ Packages are collections of functions and data.
- ▶ "During the last decade, the momentum coming from both academia and industry has lifted R to become the single most important tool for computational statistics, visualisation and data science."

R PACKAGES: EXAMPLES USED IN THIS COURSE

- ▶ ggplot2
- ▶ raster
- ▶ Rmisc
- ▶ mgcv
- ▶ maptools
- ▶ ... many many more!!

OTHER R PACKAGES

- ▶ A list of R Packages can be seen and downloaded from <https://cran.r-project.org>



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R-INLA

R-INLA

- ▶ The R-INLA package provides a practical implementation of Integrated Nested Laplace Approximations (INLA).
- ▶ The class of models that can be expressed in this form and thus can be used with R-INLA is very large and includes, amongst others, the following:
 - ▶ Dynamic linear models.
 - ▶ Stochastic volatility models.
 - ▶ Generalised linear (mixed) models.
 - ▶ Generalised additive (mixed) models.
 - ▶ Spline smoothing.
 - ▶ Semi-parametric regression.
 - ▶ Disease mapping.
 - ▶ Log-Gaussian Cox-processes.
 - ▶ Model-based geostatistics.
 - ▶ Spatio-temporal models.
 - ▶ Survival analysis.

THE SYNTAX OF R-INLA

- ▶ There are three main parts to fitting a model using R-INLA:
 1. The data.
 2. Defining the model formula.
 3. The call to the INLA program.
- ▶ The basic syntax of running models in R-INLA is very similar in appearance to that of `glm` in R and takes the general form `formula, data, family` but with the addition of the specification of the nature of the random effects, `f()`.
- ▶ For the latter component, common examples include
 - ▶ `f(i, model="iid")` (independent)
 - ▶ `f(i, model="rw")` (random walk of order one)
 - ▶ `f(i, model="ar")` (autoregressive of order p).

FITTING A POISSON REGRESSION MODEL IN R-INLA

- ▶ An extension of the standard Poisson model to include log-normal random effects in the linear predictor

$$\log \mu_l = \beta_0 + \beta_{0i} + \beta_1 X_l + \beta_d X_l + \epsilon_l \quad (1)$$

where β_l represents the effect of exposure, β_d is the effect of an area-level covariate and β_{0i} denotes the random effect for area i .

- ▶ The syntax of the R-INLA code to fit this model is very similar to that of a standard `glm` in R.

FITTING A POISSON REGRESSION MODEL IN R-INLA

```
> formula = Y ~ X1+X2 + f(i, model="iid")
> model = inla(formula, family="poisson", data=data)

Call:
inla(formula = formula, family = "poisson", data = data)

Time used:
  Pre-processing      Running inla Post-processing      Total
      0.278389           0.286911           0.125699           0.690999

Integration Strategy: Central Composite Design

Model contains 1 hyperparameters
The model contains 3 fixed effect (including a possible
  intercept)

Likelihood model: poisson

The model has 1 random effects:
1. 'i' is a IID model
```

FITTING A POISSON REGRESSION MODEL IN R-INLA

```
> summary(model)
```

```
Call:
```

```
"inla(formula = formula, family = "poisson", data = data)"
```

```
Time used:
```

Pre-processing	Running inla	Post-processing	Total
0.2784	0.2869	0.1257	0.6910

```
Fixed effects:
```

```
mean    sd 0.025quant 0.5quant 0.975quant
```

FITTING A POISSON REGRESSION MODEL IN R-INLA

```

(Intercept) 2.4960 0.0713    2.3553    2.4962    2.6355
X1          0.1187 0.0310    0.0578    0.1186    0.1796
X2          0.0578 0.0074    0.0433    0.0578    0.0722

Random effects:
Name      Model
i        IID model

Model hyperparameters:
              mean      sd 0.025quant  0.5quant  0.975quant
Precision for i 3.784 0.3548      3.131    3.769    4.525

Expected number of effective parameters(std dev):
  321.42(3.926)
Number of equivalent replicates : 1.223

Marginal Likelihood:  -1513.92

```

FITTING MODELS IN R-INLA

- ▶ Future details can be found on the R-INLA webpage:
<http://www.R-INLA.org>.