

# Package ‘netReg’

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**Description** netReg fits linear regression models using network-penalization.

Graph prior knowledge, in the form of biological networks, is being incorporated into the likelihood of the linear model. The networks describe biological relationships such as co-regulation or dependency of the same transcription factors/metabolites/etc. yielding a part sparse and part smooth solution for coefficient profiles.

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**Description**

*netReg* is a package for generalized linear regression that includes prior graphs in the models objective function.

**Details**

*netReg* uses *Armadillo*, *OpenBLAS*, *BLAS* and *LAPACK* for fast matrix computations and *Dlib* for constrained derivate-free optimization.

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cv.edgenet

*Find the optimal shrinkage parameters for edgenet*

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**Description**

Finds the optimal shrinkage parameters using cross-validation for edgenet. We use the BOBYQA algorithm to minimize the sum of squared residuals objective function.

**Usage**

```
cv.edgenet(X, Y, G.X = NULL, G.Y = NULL, thresh = 1e-05, maxit = 1e+05,
  family = c("gaussian"), epsilon = 0.001, approx.maxit = 10000,
  nfolds = 10, ...)
```

**Arguments**

X	input matrix, of dimension (n x p) where n is the number of observations and p is the number of covariables. Each row is an observation vector.
Y	output matrix, of dimension (n x q) where n is the number of observations and q is the number of response variables Each row is an observation vector.
G.X	non-negativ affinity matrix for n, of dimensions (p x p) where p is the number of covariables X
G.Y	non-negativ affinity matrix for n, of dimensions (q x q) where q is the number of covariables Y
thresh	threshold for coordinate descent
maxit	maximum number of iterations
family	family of response, e.g. gaussian
epsilon	the threshold criterion for BOBYQA to stop. Usually 1e-3 is a good choice.
approx.maxit	the maximum number of iterations for BOBYQA (if choosen). Usually 1e4 is a good choice.
nfolds	the number of folds to be used - default is 10 (minimum 3, maximum nrow(X)).
...	additional parameters

**Value**

An object of class cv.edgenet

call	the call that produced the object
lambda	the estimated (p x q)-dimensional coefficient matrix $\hat{B}$
psigx	the estimated (q x 1)-dimensional vector of intercepts
psigy	the estimated (q x 1)-dimensional vector of intercepts

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**Examples**

```

X <- matrix(rnorm(100*10), 100, 10)
b <- rnorm(10)
G.X <- matrix(rpois(10*10,1),10)
G.X <- t(G.X) + G.X
diag(G.X) <- 0

# fit a Gaussian model
Y <- X%*%b + rnorm(100)
cv.edge <- cv.edgenet(X=X, Y=Y, G.X=G.X, family="gaussian")

```

edgenet

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*Fit a graph-regularized linear regression model using edge-based regularization.*

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**Description**

Fit a graph-regularized linear regression model using edge-penalization. The coefficients are computed using graph-prior knowledge in the form of one/two affinity matrices. Graph-regularization is an extension to previously introduced regularization techniques, such as the LASSO.

**Usage**

```

edgenet(X, Y, G.X = NULL, G.Y = NULL, lambda = 1, psigx = 1,
        psigy = 1, thresh = 1e-05, maxit = 1e+05, family = c("gaussian"), ...)

```

**Arguments**

X	input matrix, of dimension (n x p) where n is the number of observations and p is the number of covariables. Each row is an observation vector.
Y	output matrix, of dimension (n x q) where n is the number of observations and q is the number of response variables. Each row is an observation vector.
G.X	non-negativ affinity matrix for n, of dimensions (p x p) where p is the number of covariables X
G.Y	non-negativ affinity matrix for n, of dimensions (q x q) where q is the number of covariables Y
lambda	shrinkage parameter for LASSO.
psigx	shrinkage parameter for graph-regularization of G.X
psigy	shrinkage parameter for graph-regularization of G.Y
thresh	threshold for coordinate descent
maxit	maximum number of iterations
family	family of response, e.g. gaussian
...	additional params

**Value**

An object of class edgenet

coefficients	the estimated (p x q)-dimensional coefficient matrix $\hat{B}$
intercept	the estimated (q x 1)-dimensional vector of intercepts
call	the call that produced the object
family	the family of the response

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**Examples**

```
X <- matrix(rnorm(100*10), 100, 10)
b <- rnorm(10)
G.X <- matrix(rpois(100,1), 10)
G.X <- t(G.X) + G.X
diag(G.X) <- 0

# fit a Gaussian model
Y <- X%*%b + rnorm(100)
fit <- edgenet(X=X, Y=Y, G.X=G.X, family="gaussian")
```

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predict.gaussian.edgenet

*Predict method for gaussian edgenet fits*

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**Description**

Predicts the estimated  $\hat{Y}$  values for a newdata design matrix X similar to the other predict methods, e.g. from glm and glmnet

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'gaussian.edgenet'
predict(object, newdata = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

object	a fitted object of class <i>gaussian.edgenet</i>
newdata	a new (m x p)-dimensional design matrix with a variable number of observations m, but a constant number of co-variables p
...	further arguments

**Value**

A (m x q)-dimensional matrix

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
X <- matrix(rnorm(100*10),100,10)
G.X <- matrix(rpois(10*10,1),10)
G.X <- t(G.X) + G.X
diag(G.X) <- 0

Y <- matrix(rnorm(100*10),100,10)
fit <- edgenet(X=X, Y=Y, G.X=G.X, family="gaussian")
pred <- predict(fit, X)

## End(Not run)
```

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yeast

*A sample yeast data set for regression*

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**Description**

The yeast data set is a list containing three matrices that can be used as an example for using netReg.

**Usage**

```
data(yeast)
```

**Format**

A list containing three matrices

**Details**

- X (112 x 500)-dimensional binary matrix of 500 genetic markers for 112 yeast samples
- Y (112 x 231)-dimensional double matrix of 231 gene expression values for 112 yeast samples
- GY (231 x 231)-dimensional adjacency matrix representing protein-protein interactions for 231 yeast genes

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