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predictmeans-package    *Predicted Means for Linear and Semiparametric Models*

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## Description

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ATP

*ATP containing data*

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## Description

ATP containing data from an experiment to study the effects of preserving liquids on the enzyme content of dog hearts. There were 23 hearts and two treatment factors, A and B, each at two levels. Measurements were made of ATP as a percentage of total enzyme in the heart, at one and two hourly intervals during a twelve hour period following initial preservation.

## Usage

`data(ATP)`

## Format

ATP is a 230 row data frame with the following columns

**heart** dog heart id.

**time** time in hour for ATP measurement.

**A** treatment with two levels.

**B** treatment with two levels.

**ATP** percentage of total enzyme in the heart.

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ci\_mcp

*Multiple Comparisons Based on the Confidence Intervals*

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## Description

This function produces letter representations for a multiple comparison test by analyzing the confidence intervals associated with the mean values of different treatments. In particular, if the confidence intervals of two treatments overlap, it indicates that there is no significant difference between them. Conversely, if the confidence intervals do not overlap, it indicates that the treatments are significantly different from each other.

## Usage

`ci_mcp(LL, UL, trt_n=NULL)`

**Arguments**

LL	Lower limits of treatments' confidence interval.
UL	Upper limits of treatments' confidence interval.
trt_n	Treatments' names.

**Author(s)**

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

**References**

Vanessa, C. (05 October 2022), *Confidence tricks: the 83.4% confidence interval for comparing means*, [https://vsni.co.uk/blogs/confidence\\_trick](https://vsni.co.uk/blogs/confidence_trick).

**Examples**

```
library(predictmeans)
ci_mcp(LL=c(68.2566, 87.7566, 103.0899, 112.2566), UL=c(90.5212, 110.0212, 125.3545, 134.5212))

data("Oats", package="nlme")
Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
fm <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
predictmeans(fm, "nitro", adj="BH", plot=FALSE)$mean_table
predictmeans(fm, "nitro", pair=TRUE, level=0.166, letterCI = TRUE, plot=FALSE)$mean_table
```

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Clinical

Clinical data

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**Description**

Clinical data is from a multicentre randomized clinical trial (Beitler & Landis 1985, Biometrics).

**Usage**

```
data(Clinical)
```

**Format**

Clinical is a 16 row data frame with the following columns

**Clinic** 8 centres id.

**Treatment** 2 skin treatments (control or active drug).

**Favorable** number that produced a favourable response.

**Total** number of patients in each treatment group.

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contrastmeans                      *Linear Contrast Tests for a Linear Model*

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### Description

Performs t-tests (or permuted t-tests) of specified contrasts for linear models obtained from functions `aov`, `lm`, `glm`, `gls`, `lme`, or `lmer`.

### Usage

```
contrastmeans(model, modelterm, ctrmatrix, ctrnames=NULL, adj="none", Df, permlist)
```

### Arguments

<code>model</code>	Model object returned by <code>aov</code> , <code>lm</code> , <code>glm</code> , <code>gls</code> , <code>lme</code> , and <code>lmer</code> .
<code>modelterm</code>	Name (in "quotes") for indicating which factor term's contrast to be calculated. The <code>modelterm</code> must be given exactly as it appears in the printed model, e.g. "A" or "A:B".
<code>ctrmatrix</code>	A specified contrast matrix. If <code>ctrmatrix</code> is missing, the program will ask user to enter it.
<code>ctrnames</code>	Names of the specified contrasts, e.g. <code>c("A vs D", "C vs B", ...)</code>
<code>adj</code>	Name (in "quote") for indicating a method for adjusting p-values of pairwise comparisons. The choices are "none", "tukey", "holm", "hochberg", "hommel", "bonferroni", "BH", "BY" and "fdr". The default method is "none".
<code>Df</code>	A denominator degree of freedom for <code>modelterm</code> . (For <code>glmer</code> models the <code>Df</code> needs to be specified, while for the other models, <code>Df</code> is obtained from the fitted model automatically).
<code>permlist</code>	A model parameter list containing <code>nsim</code> parameters produced by the function <code>permmodels</code> . When <code>permlist != NULL</code> , the option <code>Df</code> will be non-functional. This is a key option for the permutation test.

### Value

There are two components in the output which are

Table	A table showing t-test results for the specified linear contrasts.
K	A contrast matrix.

### Author(s)

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

### References

Torsten Hothorn, Frank Bretz and Peter Westfall (2008), *Simultaneous Inference in General Parametric Models*. *Biometrical*, Journal 50(3), 346–363.

**Examples**

```

library(predictmeans)
# ftable(xtabs(yield ~ Block+Variety+nitro, data=Oats))
Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
fm <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
# library(lme4)
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)

## Not run:
## The contrast has a contrast matrix as follows:
#      0:Golden Rain 0:Marvellous 0:Victory
#[1,]          -1           0           1
#[2,]           0           0           1
#      0.2:Golden Rain 0.2:Marvellous 0.2:Victory
#[1,]           0           0           0
#[2,]           0           0           0
#      0.4:Golden Rain 0.4:Marvellous 0.4:Victory
#[1,]           0           0           0
#[2,]           0          -1           0
#      0.6:Golden Rain 0.6:Marvellous 0.6:Victory
#[1,]           0           0           0
#[2,]           0           0           0

# 1. Enter above contrast matrix into a pop up window, then close the window
# contrastmeans(fm, "nitro:Variety")

# 2. Construct the contrast matrix directly
cm <- rbind(c(-1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0),
            c(0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, -1, 0, 0, 0, 0))
contrastmeans(fm, "nitro:Variety", ctrmatrix=cm)

```

CookD

*Calculates and plots Cook's distances for a Linear (Mixed) Model***Description**

This function produces Cook's distance plots for a linear model obtained from functions `aov`, `lm`, `glm`, `gls`, `lme`, or `lmer`.

**Usage**

```
CookD(model, group=NULL, plot=TRUE, idn=3, newwd=TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>model</code>	Model object returned by <code>aov</code> , <code>lm</code> , <code>glm</code> , <code>gls</code> , <code>lme</code> , and <code>lmer</code> .
<code>group</code>	Name (in "quotes") for indicating how observations are deleted for Cook's distance calculation. If <code>group!=NULL</code> then deletions will be along levels of group variable, otherwise, will be along individual observations.

plot	A logical variable; if it is true, a plot of Cook's distance will be presented. The default is TRUE.
idn	An integer indicating the number of top Cook's distances to be labelled in the plot. The default value is 3.
newwd	A logical variable to indicate whether to print graph in a new window. The default value is TRUE.

**Author(s)**

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

**Examples**

```
library(predictmeans)
Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
fm <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
# library(lme4)
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
CookD(fm)
```

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 covariatemmeans

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*Predicted Means of a Linear Model with Covariate Variable(s)*


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**Description**

This function obtains predicted means with graph for a new set of covariate values.

**Usage**

```
covariatemmeans(model, modelterm=NULL, covariate, as.is=FALSE, covariateV=NULL,
  data=NULL, level=0.05, Df=NULL, trans=NULL, transOff=0, responsen=NULL, trellis=TRUE,
  plotord=NULL, mtitle=NULL, ci=TRUE, point=TRUE, jitterv=0, newwd=TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

model	Model object returned by aov, lm, glm, gls, lme, and lmer.
modelterm	Name (in "quotes") for indicating which factor term's predicted mean to be calculated. The modelterm must be given exactly as it appears in the printed model, e.g. "A" or "A:B".
covariate	Name (in "quotes") of one the covariate variables in the model.
as.is	A logic value to specify wheather or not using original covariate values' rage for graph, the default is FALSE.
covariateV	A numeric vector when as.is is FALSE, then covariatemmeans will produce the result for covariate at value of covariateV.
data	In some cases, you need to provide the data set used in model fitting, especially when you have applied some variable trnasformation in the model.

level	A significant level for calculating confident interval. The default value is 0.05.
Df	A degree of freedom for calculating CI of predicted means (you can manually specified ddf here). For the above models, ddf is obtained from the function automatically.
trans	A function object for calculating the back transformed means, e.g. trans=exp.
transOff	When you use trans=exp(x+1), then transOff=1, the default is 0.
responesn	Name (in "quotes") of the back transformed response variable in the model.
trellis	A logical variable. If set to TRUE (default), a trellis plots of predicted means with CI will be drawn.
plotord	A numeric vector specifying the order of plotting for two or three way interaction (e.g. plotord = c(2, 1, 3) will put the second variable in modelterm on the X axis, the first variable as the grouping variable, and the third one as the panel variable). The defaults are c(1, 2) and c(1, 2, 3) for two and three way interactions.
mtitle	The main title in the graph.
ci	A logical variable to indicate whether to print confidence interval. The default value is TRUE.
point	A logical variable to indicate whether to print raw data points. The default value is TRUE.
jitterv	A degree of jitter in x and y direction in the graph. The default is zero.
newwd	A logical variable to indicate whether to print graph in a new window. The default value is TRUE.

### Value

Predicted Means

A table of predicted means.

### Author(s)

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

### Examples

```
library(predictmeans)
data(Oats, package="nlme")
fm <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
# library(lme4)
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
covariatemmeans(fm, "Variety", covariate="nitro")
covariatemmeans(fm, "Variety", covariate="nitro", covariateV=seq(0, 0.6, 0.1))$data
```

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df_term	<i>Calculate degree of freedom of a modelterm (contrast) for a lmer model</i>
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### Description

Calculate the degree of freedom of a modelterm (contrast) for a lmer model using "Kenward-Roger" or "Satterthwaite" method.

### Usage

```
df_term(model, modelterm, covariate=NULL, ctrmatrix=NULL, ctrnames=NULL,
        type=c("Kenward-Roger", "Satterthwaite"))
```

### Arguments

model	Model object returned by lmer.
modelterm	Name (in "quotes") for indicating which factor term's degree of freedom to be calculated. The modelterm must be given exactly as it appears in the model formlar, e.g. "A" or "A:B".
covariate	Name (in "quotes") of one the covariate variables in the model.
ctrmatrix	A specified contrast matrix. If ctrmatrix isn't NULL, the programe will ignore modelterm and calculate degree of freedom for the ctrmatrix.
ctrnames	Names of the specified contrasts, e.g. c("A vs D", "C vs B", ...)
type	Name (in "quote") for indicating a method for claculating degree of freedom. The choices are "Kenward-Roger" and "Satterthwaite". The default method is "Kenward-Roger".

### Author(s)

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

### Examples

```
library(predictmeans)
# ftable(xtabs(yield ~ Block+Variety+nitro, data=Oats))
Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
df_term(fm, "nitro:Variety")
## Not run:
## The contrast has a contrast matrix as follows:
#   0:Golden Rain 0:Marvellous 0:Victory
#[1,]          -1           0           1
#[2,]           0           0           1
#   0.2:Golden Rain 0.2:Marvellous 0.2:Victory
#[1,]           0           0           0
#[2,]           0           0           0
```

```

#      0.4:Golden Rain  0.4:Marvellous 0.4:Victory
#[1,]                0                0        0
#[2,]                0                -1        0
#      0.6:Golden Rain  0.6:Marvellous 0.6:Victory
#[1,]                0                0        0
#[2,]                0                0        0

# 1. Enter above contrast matrix into a pop up window, then close the window
# df_term(fm, "nitro:Variety")

# 2. Construct the contrast matrix directly
cm <- rbind(c(-1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0),
            c(0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, -1, 0, 0, 0, 0))
df_term(fm, ctrmatrix=cm, type="Satterthwaite")

```

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Drug

Drug *data*


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### Description

The data is for the comparison of the effectiveness of three analgesic drugs to a standard drug, morphine (Finney, Probit analysis, 3rd Edition 1971, p.103). 14 groups of mice were tested for response to the drugs at a range of doses.

### Usage

```
data(Drug)
```

### Format

Drug is a 14 row data frame with the following columns

**Drug** type of drug.

**Dose** dose volumn.

**N** total number of mice in each group.

**R** number responding mice in each group.

**log10Dose** log10 transformed dose volumn.

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Kmatrix

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*Matrix of Coefficients in a Linear Model*


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### Description

This function obtains a matrix of coefficients for parametric models such as aov, lm, glm, gls, lme, and lmer.

### Usage

```
Kmatrix(model, modelterm, covariate=NULL, covariateV=NULL, data=NULL, prtnum=FALSE)
```

### Arguments

model	Model object returned by aov, lm, glm, gls, lme, and lmer.
modelterm	Name (in "quotes") for indicating which model term's predicted mean to be calculated. The modelterm must be given exactly as it appears in the printed model, e.g. "A" or "A:B".
covariate	A numerical vector to specify values of covariates for calculating predicted means, default values are the means of the associated covariates. It also can be the name of one covariate in the model.
covariateV	A numeric vector or list of numeric vector, then covariatemmeans will produce the result for covariate at value of covariateV.
data	In some cases, you need to provide the data set used in model fitting, especially when you have applied some variable trnasformation in the model.
prtnum	An option for printing covariate info on the screen or not. The default is FALSE.

### Value

K	Coefficients matrix
fctnames	A model frame contains factor(s) info in the model.
response	The name of response variable in the model.

### Author(s)

This function heavily depends on the codes from package "lsmeans".

### References

Welham, S., Cullis, B., Gogel, B., Gilmour, A., & Thompson, R. (2004), *Prediction in linear mixed models*, Australian and New Zealand Journal of Statistics, 46(3), 325-347.

**Examples**

```

library(predictmeans)
data(Oats, package="nlme")
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
fm <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
Kmatrix(fm, "Variety", prtnum=TRUE)$K
Kmatrix(fm, "Variety", 0.5, prtnum=TRUE)$K
# Kmatrix(fm, "Variety", "nitro")$K
Kmatrix(fm, "Variety", "nitro", covariateV=seq(0, 0.6, 0.1))$K

```

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permanova.lmer

*Permutation ANOVA for lmer Model*


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**Description**

This function provides permutation ANOVA for lmer model.

**Usage**

```

permanova.lmer(model, nperm = 999, ncore=3, type = c("I", "II", "III", "1", "2", "3"),
  ...)

```

**Arguments**

model	Model object returned by lmer.
nperm	Number of permutation, the default value is 999.
ncore	Number of core for parallel computing, the default value is 3.
type	The type of ANOVA table requested (using SAS terminology) with Type I being the familiar sequential ANOVA table.
...	Use to setup option: seed – Specify a random number generator seed, for reproducible results.

**Value**

Permutation ANOVA table.

**Author(s)**

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

**Examples**

```
# library(predictmeans)
# Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)

## Permutation Test for model terms
# permanova.lmer(fm)
# permanova.lmer(fm, type=2)
## Compare to F test
# fm0 <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
# anova(fm0)
```

perindex

*Permutation Index***Description**

This function obtains permutation index for a dataset.

**Usage**

```
perindex(data, block=NULL, group=NULL, nsim=4999, seed)
```

**Arguments**

data	Data object used in the model fitting.
block	Name (in "quotes") for the blocking factor in the data.
group	Name (in "quotes") for the group factor in the data.
nsim	The number of permutations. The default is 4999.
seed	Specify a random number generator seed, for reproducible results.

**Value**

A matrix has 'nsim' columns of permuted index.

**Author(s)**

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

**Examples**

```
library(predictmeans)
block <- rep(1:3, each=12)
group <- rep(rep(1:3, each=4), 3)
data <- data.frame(block, group)
cbind(data, perindex(data, block="block", group="group", nsim=5))
# Permute group as a whole within each block first,
```

```

# then permute obs within each group.
cbind(data, permindex(data, block="block", nsim=5))
# Permute obs within each block only.
cbind(data, permindex(data, group="group", nsim=5))
# Permute groups as a whole block first,
# then permute obs within each group.
cbind(data, permindex(data, nsim=5)) # Free permutation.

```

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permlmer

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*Permutation Test of random or fixed effects for lmer model.*


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## Description

This function provides permutation tests for the terms in a linear mixed model of lmer.

## Usage

```
permlmer(lmer0, lmer1, nperm = 999, ncore=3, plot=FALSE, seed)
```

## Arguments

lmer0	lmer model under H0, note that lmer0 model must nest within lmer1 model.
lmer1	lmer model under H1, note that lmer0 model must nest within lmer1 model.
nperm	Number of permutation, the default value is 999.
ncore	Number of core for parallel computing, the default value is 3.
plot	Plot permutation distribution or not, the default value is FALSE.
seed	Specify a random number generator seed, for reproducible results.

## Value

Permutation p-value.

## Author(s)

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

## References

Oliver E. Lee and Thomas M. Braun (2012), *Permutation Tests for Random Effects in Linear Mixed Models*. *Biometrics*, Journal 68(2).

**Examples**

```

# library(predictmeans)
## Test random effects
# fm1 <- lmer(Reaction ~ Days + (Days | Subject), sleepstudy)
# fm2 <- lmer(Reaction ~ Days + (Days || Subject), sleepstudy)
# fm3 <- update(fm1, . ~ . - (Days | Subject) + (1 | Subject))
# anova(fm1, fm2, fm3)
# permlmer(fm3, fm2)
# permlmer(fm2, fm1)

## Test fixed effects
# Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
# fm0 <- lmer(yield ~ nitro+Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
# permlmer(fm0, fm)

```

permmodels

*Permutation Test of Linear Model***Description**

This function provides permutation t-tests for coefficients of (fixed) effects and permutation F-tests for the terms in a linear model such as `aov`, `lm`, `glm`, `gls`, `lme`, and `lmer`.

**Usage**

```

permmodels(model, nperm=4999, type=c("I", "II", "III", 1, 2, 3),
  test.statistic=c("Chisq", "F", "LR", "Wald"), exact=FALSE, data=NULL,
  fo=NULL, prt=TRUE, ncore=3, seed)

```

**Arguments**

<code>model</code>	Model object returned by <code>aov</code> , <code>lm</code> , <code>glm</code> , <code>gls</code> , <code>lme</code> , and <code>lmer</code> .
<code>nperm</code>	The number of permutations. The default is 4999.
<code>type</code>	type of ANOVA test, "I", "II", "III", 1, 2, or 3. Roman numerals are equivalent to the corresponding Arabic numerals.
<code>test.statistic</code>	For type I ANOVA, F test is applied to all models, while for type II and III ANOVA, F test is performed for <code>lm</code> , Chisq test for <code>lme</code> and <code>gls</code> model, Chisq or F tests for <code>lmer</code> model and Likelihood ratio, Wald or F tests for <code>glm</code> model.
<code>exact</code>	A logical variable to indicate whether or not exact no. of permutations will be used (applicable only to free the permutation case). The default is <code>FALSE</code> .
<code>data</code>	In some cases, you need to provide the data set used in model fitting, especially when you have applied some variable transformation in the model.
<code>fo</code>	A model formula used in the model; <code>fo!=NULL</code> when the formula is specified by function formula.

prt	A logical variable to indicate whether or not to print output on the screen. The default is TRUE.
ncore	Number of core for parallel computing, the default value is 3.
seed	Specify a random number generator seed, for reproducible results.

**Value**

The function produces permutation t-test table for coefficients of (fixed) effects, permutation ANOVA table for model terms and a model parameter list `permlist`, a list containing `nsim=4999` times permutation refitted model parameters which are used in functions `predictmeans` and `contrastmeans`.

**Author(s)**

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

**Examples**

```
## Not run for simplifying process of submitting pkg to CRAN
#library(predictmeans)
#Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
#fm <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
## library(lme4)
## fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
#
## Permutation Test for model terms
#system.time(
#  permlme <- permmodels(model=fm, nperm=999)
#)
#
## Permutation Test for multiple comparisons
#predictmeans(model=fm, modelterm="nitro:Variety", atvar="Variety", adj="BH",
#  permlist=permlme, plot=FALSE)
#
## Permutation Test for specified contrasts
#cm <- rbind(c(-1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0),
#  c(0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, -1, 0, 0, 0, 0))
#contrastmeans(model=fm, modelterm="nitro:Variety", ctrmatrix=cm, permlist=permlme)
```

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PMplot

*Level Plot of a Matrix of p-values.*

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**Description**

Creates a plot of p-values of pairwise comparisons.

**Usage**

```
PMplot(pmatrix, level=0.05, mtitle=NULL, xlabel=NULL, margin=5, legendx=0.73,
  newwd=TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

pmatrix	A matrix with p-values from pairwise comparisons. (This is a lower triangle matrix.)
level	The level of p-value to be highlighted. Default is 0.05.
mtitle	The main title in the graph.
xylabel	The x and y labels in the graph.
margin	A value for specifying x and y margins in the graph. The default value is 5.
legendx	A value for specifying x coordinate of legend. The default value is 0.73.
newwd	A logical variable to indicate whether to print graph in a new window. The default is TRUE.

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**Examples**

```
library(predictmeans)
set.seed(2013)
pvalues <- runif(28)
pmatrix <- matrix(0,8,8)
pmatrix[lower.tri(pmatrix)] <- pvalues
round(pmatrix, 4)
PMplot(pmatrix)

Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
predictout <- predictmeans(fm, "nitro:Variety", atvar="Variety", adj="BH", barplot=TRUE)
PMplot(predictout$p_valueMatrix)
```

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predictmeans

*Predicted Means of a Linear Model*

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**Description**

This function obtains predicted means, SE of means, SED of means, LSDs and plots of means with SE bar or LSD bar for parametric models such as aov, lm, glm, gls, lme, and lmer. The function also performs pairwise comparisons and permutation tests.

**Usage**

```
predictmeans(model, modelterm, data=NULL, pairwise=FALSE, atvar=NULL, adj="none", Df=NULL,
  lsd_bar=TRUE, level=NULL, covariate=NULL, meandecr=NULL, letterCI=FALSE, trans = I,
  transOff = 0, responsen=NULL, count=FALSE, plotord=NULL, lineplot=TRUE, plottitle=NULL,
  plotxlab=NULL, plotylab=NULL, mplot=TRUE, barplot=FALSE, pplot=TRUE, bkplot=TRUE,
  plot=TRUE, jitterv=0.2, basesz=12, prtnum=TRUE, prtplt=TRUE, newwd=TRUE, permlist=NULL,
  ncore=3, ndecimal=4)
```

**Arguments**

<code>model</code>	Model object returned by <code>aov</code> , <code>lm</code> , <code>glm</code> , <code>gls</code> , <code>lme</code> , and <code>lmer</code> .
<code>modelterm</code>	Name (in "quotes") for indicating which factor term's predicted mean to be calculated. The <code>modelterm</code> must be factors and given exactly as it appears in the printed model, e.g. "A" or "A:B".
<code>data</code>	In some cases, you need to provide the data set used in model fitting, especially when you have applied some variable transformation in the model.
<code>pairwise</code>	An option for showing pair-wise LSDs and p-values, or not. The default is FALSE.
<code>atvar</code>	When <code>pairwise = TRUE</code> , a quoted name indicating within levels of which variable in <code>modelterm</code> the multiple comparison will be performed.
<code>adj</code>	Name (in "quote") for indicating a method for adjusting p-values of pairwise comparisons. The choices are "none", "tukey", "holm", "hochberg", "hommel", "bonferroni", "BH", "BY" and "fdr". The default method is "none". Note that LSD can't be adjusted except for "bonferroni" method.
<code>Df</code>	A degree of freedom for calculating LSD. For the above models, <code>Df</code> is obtained from the function automatically.
<code>lsd_bar</code>	A logical variable to indicate to print an average LSD or SED bar on the means plot. The default is TRUE.
<code>level</code>	A significant level for calculating LSD, CI etc. The default value is 0.05.
<code>covariate</code>	A numerical vector to specify values of covariates for calculating predicted means. The default values are the means of the associated covariates.
<code>meandecr</code>	A logical variable to indicate whether to print letters for multiple comparisons by decreasing order of means in the <code>mean_table</code> . The default is NULL which indicates the mean order follows the associated factor levels.
<code>letterCI</code>	A logical variable to indicate printed letters for multiple comparisons by whether or not CI overlap in the <code>mean_table</code> . The default is FALSE.
<code>trans</code>	A function object for calculating the back transformed means, e.g. <code>trans=exp</code> .
<code>transOff</code>	When you use <code>trans=exp(x+1)</code> , then <code>transOff=1</code> , the default is 0.
<code>responen</code>	Name (in "quotes") of the back transformed response variable in the model.
<code>count</code>	An option for indicating the back transformed mean values are counts or not. The default is FALSE.
<code>plotord</code>	A numeric vector specifying the order of plotting for two or three way interaction (e.g. <code>plotord = c(2, 1, 3)</code> will put the second variable in <code>modelterm</code> on the X axis, the first variable as the grouping variable, and the third one as the panel variable). The defaults are <code>c(1, 2)</code> and <code>c(1, 2, 3)</code> for two and three way interactions.
<code>lineplot</code>	An option for drawing a line chart, or dot chart. The default is TRUE.
<code>plottitle</code>	A character vector specifying the main title for plot(s). The default is NULL.
<code>plotxlab</code>	A character vector specifying the x label for plot(s). The default is NULL.
<code>plotylab</code>	A character vector specifying the y label for plot(s). The default is NULL.
<code>mplot</code>	An option for drawing a means plot, or not. The default is TRUE.

barplot	An option for drawing a bar chart, or not. The default is FALSE.
pplot	An option for drawing a p-values plot, or not when there are more than six p-values. The default is TRUE.
bkplot	An option for drawing back transformed plot, or not. The default is TRUE.
plot	An option for drawing plots, or not. The default is TRUE.
jitterv	A degree of jitter in x and y direction in the back transformed means graph. The default is zero.
basesz	The base font size. The default is 12.
prtnum	An option for printing covariate information on the screen, or not. The default is TRUE.
prtplt	An option for printing plots on the screen, or not. The default is TRUE.
newwd	A logical variable to indicate whether to print graph in a new window. The default is TRUE.
permlist	A model parameter list produced by the function <code>permmodels</code> . When <code>permlist != NULL</code> , the option <code>Df</code> will be non-functional. This is a key option for pairwise comparisons via permutation tests.
ncore	Number of core for parallel computing when <code>permlist != NULL</code> , the default value is 3.
ndecimal	An option for specifying number of decimal point to be print at predicted means table. The default is 4.

## Value

Predicted Means	A table of predicted means.
Standard Error of Means	A table of standard errors of predicted means.
Standard Error of Differences	Standard errors of differences between predicted means.
LSD	Least significant differences between predicted means.
Pairwise p-value	A matrix with t-values above the diagonal and p-values below the diagonal, or matrix of pairwise comparison p-values for each level of <code>atvar</code> .
mean_table	A summary of predicted means result including 'Predicted means', 'Standard error', 'Df' and 'CIs'. When <code>trans!=NULL</code> or <code>trans!=I</code> , a table of back transformed means with CIs are also shown.
predictmeansPlot	ggplot of predicted means.
predictmeansBKPlot	ggplot of back transformed means.
predictmeansBarPlot	gg bar plot of predicted means.
p_valueMatrix	p_value matrix for pairwise comparison.

**Note**

The `predictmeans` function becomes confused if a factor or covariate is changed to the other in a model formula. Consequently, formulae that include calls `as.factor`, `factor`, or `numeric` (e.g. `as.factor(income)`) will cause errors. Instead, create the modified variables outside of the model formula (e.g., `fincome <- as.factor(income)`) and then use them in the model formula.

Factors cannot have colons in level names (e.g., "level:A"); the `predictmeans` function will confuse the colons with interactions; rename levels to avoid colons.

For `predictmeans` function, it is assumed that methods `coef`, `vcov`, `model.matrix`, `model.frame` and `terms` are available for `model`.

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**Examples**

```
library(predictmeans)
ftable(xtabs(yield ~ Block+Variety+nitro, data=Oats))
Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
fm <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
predictmeans(fm, "nitro", adj="BH")
predictmeans(fm, "nitro:Variety", atvar="Variety", adj="BH", line=FALSE)
predictout <- predictmeans(fm, "nitro:Variety", atvar="Variety", adj="BH",
  barplot=TRUE, line=FALSE)
names(predictout)
print(predictout$predictmeansPlot)
print(predictout$predictmeansBarPlot)
```

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R2\_glmm

*An adjusted coefficient of determination (R2) for generalized linear mixed models*

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**Description**

This function produces adjusted R2 for generalized linear mixed models which was crafted following the guidance provided by Professor Hans-Peter Piepho.

**Usage**

```
R2_glm(model, over_disp=FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

model	An object returned by lmer, glmer or glmmTMB.
over_disp	A logical scalar to indicate whether model with over-dispersion or not. The default value is FALSE.

**Value**

Adjusted R2 in percentage for Total (fixed + random), Fixed, Random and individual random term.

**References**

Piepho HP. An adjusted coefficient of determination (R2 ) for generalized linear mixed models in one go. *Biom J.* 2023 Oct;65(7):e2200290. doi: 10.1002/bimj.202200290. Epub 2023 May 1. PMID: 37127864.

**Examples**

```
library(predictmeans)
Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
(fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats))
R2_glm(fm)
(gm <- glmer(cbind(incidence, size - incidence) ~ period + (1 | herd),
             data = cbpp, family = binomial))
R2_glm(gm)
```

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residplot

*Diagnostic Plots for a Linear (Mixed) Model*


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**Description**

This function produces diagnostic plots for linear models including 'aov', 'lm', 'glm', 'gls', 'lme' and 'lmer'.

**Usage**

```
residplot(model, group = "none", level = 1, slope = FALSE, id = FALSE, newwd=TRUE,
          ask=FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

model	Model object returned by aov, lm, glm, gls, lme, and lmer.
group	Name (in "quotes") for indicating the variable used to show grouping in the residual vs predicted plot. If variable is a term in the model, then group will be a name of the variable such as group="A", otherwise group will be the actual variable such as group=data\$A.
level	An integer 1, 2, etc. used to specify a level of the random effect for plotting. The default value is 1.
slope	A logical variable. If set to TRUE, a Q-Q plot of random slope will be drawn.
id	A logical variable. If set to TRUE, outliers in the residual vs fitted plot can be identified interactively.
newwd	A logical variable to indicate whether to print graph in a new window. The default is TRUE.
ask	logical. If TRUE (and the R session is interactive) the user is asked for input, before a new figure is drawn.

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**Examples**

```
## Note that the order of levels of nested random effects is oposite
## between lme and lmer objects.

library(predictmeans)
Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
fm <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
residplot(fm, level=2) #lme: level=2 for random effect "Block:Variety"

# Not Run
# library(lme4)
# fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
# residplot(fm) # lmer: By default level=1 for random effect "Block:Variety"
```

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semipred

*Predicted Means of a Semi Paramatric Model with Covariate Variable(s)*

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**Description**

This function produces predicted means with graph for a semi paramatric model with new set of covariate values.

**Usage**

```
semipred(semireg, modelterm=NULL, covariate, sm_term=NULL, contr=NULL,
        covariateV=NULL, boundary=NULL, level=0.05, trans=NULL, trellis=TRUE,
        scales=c("fixed", "free", "free_x", "free_y"),
        plotord=NULL, ci=TRUE, point=TRUE, jitterv=0, threeD=FALSE, prt=TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

semireg	A list object returned by semireg.
modelterm	Name (in "quotes") for indicating which factor term's predicted mean to be calculated. The modelterm must be given exactly as it appears in semireg model, e.g. "A" or "A:B". In case modelterm is the same as covariate or NULL, then semipred will product predictmeans with CI based on covariate only with out any grouping.
covariate	Name (in "quotes") of one or two (for Ztps smooth) the covariate variables in the semireg shuch as "x1" or c("x1", "x2").
sm_term	Names (in "quotes") of smooth terms (from smoothZ list in semireg model) used in the prediction such as "sm1_grp" or c("sm1_grp", "sm2_grp"). The default is using all smooth terms which is sm_term=NULL.
contr	A numeric vector with length of two (e.g. c(4, 1)) which indicates to produce predicted mean with CI for difference between modelterm level 4 vs level 1 along covariate.
covariateV	A numeric vector or matrix, then semipred will produce the result for covariate at value of covariateV.
boundary	A matrix or data frame of two columns, used to specify boundary of longitude and latitude, it is functional when the length of covariate is two.
level	A significant level for calculating confident interval. The default value is 0.05.
trans	A function object for calculating the back transformed means, e.g. trans=exp.
trellis	A logical scalar. If set to TRUE (default), a trellis plots of predicted means with CI will be drawn.
scales	Should scales be fixed ("fixed", the default), free ("free"), or free in one dimension ("free_x", "free_y") in a trellis graph?
plotord	A numeric vector specifying the order of plotting for two way interaction (e.g. plotord = c(2, 1) will put the second variable in modelterm on the X axis, the first variable as the grouping variable, and the third one as the panel variable). The defaults are c(1, 2) for two way interactions.
ci	A logical scalar to indicate whether to print confidence interval. The default value is TRUE.
point	A logical scalar to indicate whether to print raw data points. The default value is TRUE.
jitterv	A degree of jitter in x and y direction in the graph. The default is zero.
threeD	A logical scalar to indicate whether to produce a 3-D plot or not. The default value is FALSE.
prt	A logical scalar to indicate whether to produce plots on the screen or not. The default value is TRUE.

**Value**

plt                    A ggplot object.  
 pred\_df                A data.frame with predicted data.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
# library(predictmeans)
# data(Dialyzer, package="nlme")
# help(Dialyzer)
# str(Dialyzer)
#
# library(ggplot2)
# ggplot(Dialyzer, aes(x=rate, y=pressure, col=QB)) +
#   geom_line() +
#   facet_wrap(vars(Subject))
#
# fm <- semireg(pressure ~ rate*QB+(rate|Subject),
#               smoothZ=list(
#                 qb_grp=smZ(rate, by=QB, group=TRUE)
#               ),
#               data=Dialyzer)
# str(fm$data)
# summary(fm$semer)
# residplot(fm$semer)
# anova(fm$semer)
# ranova(fm$semer)
#
# ap_out1 <- semipred(fm, "QB", "rate")
# str(ap_out1$pred_df)
# ap_out2 <- semipred(fm, "QB", "rate", contr=c(1,2))
# str(ap_out2$pred_df)
#
# help(sleepstudy)
# str(sleepstudy)
# library(latticeExtra)
# x11()
# xyplot(Reaction ~ Days | Subject, sleepstudy, aspect = "xy",
#        layout = c(9, 2), type = c("g", "p", "r"),
#        index.cond = function(x, y) coef(lm(y ~ x))[2],
#        xlab = "Days of sleep deprivation",
#        ylab = "Average reaction time (ms)",
#        as.table = TRUE)
#
# sleep.semi <- semireg(Reaction ~ Days*Subject,
#                       smoothZ=list(
#                         sub_grp=smZ(Days, by=Subject, group=TRUE)
#                       ),
#                       data=sleepstudy)
```

```

# residplot(sleep.semi$semer)
# summary(sleep.semi$semer)
# anova(sleep.semi$semer)
# ranova(sleep.semi$semer)

# x11()
# predout1 <- semipred(sleep.semi, "Subject", "Days")
# str(predout1$pred_df)
# x11()
# predout2 <- semipred(sleep.semi, "Subject", "Days", contr = c(6,1))
# str(predout2$pred_df)

```

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semireg

*Fitting Semi Parametric Models Using lme4 Ecosystem*


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## Description

Fit a semi parametric model based on lme4 ecosystem including lmer, glmer and glmer.nb.

## Usage

```

semireg(formula, data, family = NULL, ngbinomial=FALSE, REML = TRUE,
        smoothZ = list(), ncenter=TRUE, nscale=FALSE, resp_scale=FALSE,
        control = lmerControl(optimizer="bobyqa"), start = NULL,
        verbose = FALSE, drop.unused.levels=TRUE, subset, weights,
        offset, contrasts = NULL, prt=TRUE, predict_info=TRUE, ...)

```

## Arguments

formula	A two-sided linear formula object describing both the fixed-effects and random-effects part of the model, with the response on the left of a ~ operator and the terms, separated by + operators, on the right. Random-effects terms are distinguished by vertical bars (" ") separating expressions for design matrices from grouping factors.
data	A data frame or list containing the model response variable and covariates required by the formula. By default the variables are taken from environment(formula and smoothZ), typically the environment from which semireg is called.
family	A GLM family, see glm and family.
ngbinomial	Logical scalar - Should a negative binomial GLMMs be used? .
REML	Logical scalar - Should the estimates be chosen to optimize the REML criterion (as opposed to the log-likelihood)?
smoothZ	A list includes a set of smooth Z matrixs (called 'smooth term') used in the mixed effects model, the name of 'smooth term' should be different any variables in the model, each 'smooth term' is the result of function smZ. e.g. smoothZ=list(sm1=smZ(x1), sm2=smZ(x2, by=f1), sm3=smZ(x3, by=f2, group=TRUE), ...) where 'sm1' to 'sm3' should be new variable names in the data, and x1 to x3 are covariates, and f1, f2 are factors.

ncenter	Logical scalar - Should the numeric predictors to be centered or not?
nscale	Logical scalar - Should the numeric predictors to be scaled or not?
resp_scale	Logical scalar - Should the response be involved in the scaling action or not?
control	A list (of correct class, resulting from <code>lmerControl()</code> or <code>glmerControl()</code> respectively) containing control parameters, including the nonlinear optimizer to be used and parameters to be passed through to the nonlinear optimizer, see the <code>*lmerControl</code> documentation for details.
start	Starting value list as used by <code>lmer</code> or <code>glmer</code> .
verbose	Passed on to fitting <code>lme4</code> fitting routines.
drop.unused.levels	By default unused levels are dropped from factors before fitting. For some smooths involving factor variables you might want to turn this off. Only do so if you know what you are doing.
subset	An optional expression indicating the subset of the rows of data that should be used in the fit. This can be a logical vector, or a numeric vector indicating which observation numbers are to be included, or a character vector of the row names to be included. All observations are included by default.
weights	An optional vector of 'prior weights' to be used in the fitting process. Should be <code>NULL</code> or a numeric vector.
offset	This can be used to specify an a priori known component to be included in the linear predictor during fitting. This should be <code>NULL</code> or a numeric vector of length equal to the number of cases. One or more offset terms can be included in the formula instead or as well, and if more than one is specified their sum is used. See <code>model.offset</code> .
contrasts	An optional list. See the <code>contrasts.arg</code> of <code>model.matrix.default</code> .
prt	Logical scalar - Should the info to be print on screen in the middle of the process or not?
predict_info	Logical scalar - Should provide the info for function <code>semipred</code> or not?
...	Further arguments for passing on to model setup routines.

## Details

A semi parametric model can be parameterized as a linear (or generalized linear) mixed model in which its random effects are smooth functions of some covariates (named 'smooth term'). `semireg` follows the approach suggested by Wand and Ormerod (2008) and represents the 'smooth term' using O'Sullivan-type of `Z`.

## Value

<code>semer</code>	A mer model used in the fitting.
<code>data</code>	A <code>data.frame</code> with generated variables in the fitting.
<code>fomul_vars</code>	Name of variables in the formula of <code>semireg</code> model.
<code>sm_vars</code>	Name of variables in the <code>smoothZ</code> list.
<code>smoothZ_call</code>	A call used to produce smooth terms in the fitting.

knots_lst	Knots used in each smooth term in the fitting.
range_lst	Range of covariate used in each smooth term in the fitting.
cov_lst	Covariance matrix list for each smooth term.
u_lst	Random effects list for each smooth term.
type_lst	Smooth type list of smooth terms.
CovMat	Covariance matrix for all smooth terms.
Cov_ind	Covariance matrix index for each smooth term.
Cov_indN	Covariance matrix index for each smooth term when group=TRUE in smoothZ argument.
df	Degree of freedom of all random terms.
lmerc	Call used in the mer model in the fitting.

### Author(s)

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### References

Wand, M.P. and Ormerod, J.T. (2008). On semiparametric regression with O'Sullivan penalized splines. *Australian and New Zealand Journal of Statistics*. **50**, 179-198.

### Examples

```
## Not run
# library(predictmeans)
# library(HRW)
# data(WarsawApts)
# help(WarsawApts)
# str(WarsawApts)
# fit1 <- semireg(areaPerMzloty ~ construction.date,
#               smoothZ=list(
#                 grp=smZ(construction.date, k=25)
#               ),
#               data = WarsawApts)
# sp_out1 <- semipred(fit1, "construction.date", "construction.date")
#
# WarsawApts$district <- factor(WarsawApts$district)
# fit2 <- semireg(areaPerMzloty ~ construction.date*district, resp_scale = TRUE,
#               smoothZ=list(group=smZ(construction.date, k=15,
#                                     by = district, group=TRUE)),
#               data=WarsawApts)
# sp_out2_1 <- semipred(fit2, "district", "construction.date")
# sp_out2_2 <- semipred(fit2, "district", "construction.date", contr=c(2,1))
#
# data(indonRespir)
# help(indonRespir)
# str(indonRespir)
# fit3 <- semireg(respirInfec ~ age+vitAdefic + female + height
#               + stunted + visit2 + visit3 + visit4 + visit5 + visit6+(1|idnum),
```

```

#           smoothZ=list(
#             grp=smZ(age)
#           ),
#           family = binomial,
#           data = indonRespir)
# sp_out3 <- semipred(fit3, "age", "age")
# library(ggplot2)
# sp_out3$plt+
#   geom_rug(data = subset(indonRespir, respirInfec==0), sides = "b", col="deeppink") +
#   geom_rug(data = subset(indonRespir, respirInfec==1), sides = "t", col="deeppink")+
#   ylim(0, 0.2)

```

semireg\_tmb

*Fitting Semi Parametric Models Using glmmTMB*

## Description

Fit a semi parametric model based on glmmTMB.

## Usage

```

semireg_tmb(formula, data, family = gaussian(), smoothZ = list(), ziformula = ~0,
  dispformula = ~1, weights = NULL, offset = NULL, contrasts = NULL, na.action,
  se = TRUE, verbose = FALSE, doFit = TRUE, control = glmmTMBControl(),
  REML = TRUE, start = NULL, map = NULL, sparseX = NULL, prt=TRUE,
  predict_info=TRUE)

```

## Arguments

formula	A two-sided linear formula object describing both the fixed-effects and random-effects part of the model, with the response on the left of a ~ operator and the terms, separated by + operators, on the right. Random-effects terms are distinguished by vertical bars (" ") separating expressions for design matrices from grouping factors.
data	data frame (tibbles are OK) containing model variables. Not required, but strongly recommended; if data is not specified, downstream methods such as prediction with new data ( <code>predict(fitted_model, newdata = ...)</code> ) will fail. If it is necessary to call <code>glmmTMB</code> with model variables taken from the environment rather than from a data frame, specifying <code>data=NULL</code> will suppress the warning message.
family	a family function, a character string naming a family function, or the result of a call to a family function (variance/link function) information. See <a href="#">family</a> for a generic discussion of families or <a href="#">family_glmmTMB</a> for details of <code>glmmTMB</code> -specific families.
smoothZ	A list includes a set of smooth Z matrixs (called 'smooth term') used in the mixed effects model, the name of 'smooth term' should be different any variables in the model, each 'smooth term' is the result of function <code>smZ</code> . e.g. <code>smoothZ=list(sm1=smZ(x1),</code>

sm2=smZ(x2, by=f1), sm3=smZ(x3, by=f2, group=TRUE), ...) where 'sm1' to 'sm3' should be new variable names in the data, and x1 to x3 are covariates, and f1, f2 are factors.

ziformula	a <i>one-sided</i> (i.e., no response variable) formula for zero-inflation combining fixed and random effects: the default $\sim 0$ specifies no zero-inflation. Specifying $\sim .$ sets the zero-inflation formula identical to the right-hand side of formula (i.e., the conditional effects formula); terms can also be added or subtracted. <b>When using <math>\sim .</math> as the zero-inflation formula in models where the conditional effects formula contains an offset term, the offset term will automatically be dropped.</b> The zero-inflation model uses a logit link.
dispformula	a <i>one-sided</i> formula for dispersion containing only fixed effects: the default $\sim 1$ specifies the standard dispersion given any family. The argument is ignored for families that do not have a dispersion parameter. For an explanation of the dispersion parameter for each family, see <a href="#">sigma</a> . The dispersion model uses a log link. In Gaussian mixed models, dispformula= $\sim 0$ fixes the residual variance to be 0 (actually a small non-zero value), forcing variance into the random effects. The precise value can be controlled via control=glmmTMBControl(zero_dispval=...); the default value is <code>sqrt(.Machine\$double.eps)</code> .
weights	weights, as in <code>glm</code> . Not automatically scaled to have sum 1.
offset	offset for conditional model (only).
contrasts	an optional list, e.g., <code>list(fac1="contr.sum")</code> . See the <code>contrasts.arg</code> of <a href="#">model.matrix.default</a> .
na.action	a function that specifies how to handle observations containing NAs. The default action ( <code>na.omit</code> , inherited from the 'factory fresh' value of <code>getOption("na.action")</code> ) strips any observations with any missing values in any variables. Using <code>na.action = na.exclude</code> will similarly drop observations with missing values while fitting the model, but will fill in NA values for the predicted and residual values for cases that were excluded during the fitting process because of missingness.
se	whether to return standard errors.
verbose	whether progress indication should be printed to the console.
doFit	whether to fit the full model, or (if FALSE) return the preprocessed data and parameter objects, without fitting the model.
control	control parameters, see <a href="#">glmmTMBControl</a> .
REML	whether to use REML estimation rather than maximum likelihood.
start	starting values, expressed as a list with possible components <code>beta</code> , <code>betazi</code> , <code>betad</code> (fixed-effect parameters for conditional, zero-inflation, dispersion models); <code>b</code> , <code>bzi</code> (conditional modes for conditional and zero-inflation models); <code>theta</code> , <code>thetazi</code> (random-effect parameters, on the standard deviation/Cholesky scale, for conditional and z-i models); <code>psi</code> (extra family parameters, e.g., shape for Tweedie models).
map	a list specifying which parameter values should be fixed to a constant value rather than estimated. <code>map</code> should be a named list containing factors corresponding to a subset of the internal parameter names (see <code>start</code> parameter). Distinct factor values are fitted as separate parameter values, NA values are held fixed:

e.g., `map=list(beta=factor(c(1,2,3,NA)))` would fit the first three fixed-effect parameters of the conditional model and fix the fourth parameter to its starting value. In general, users will probably want to use `start` to specify non-default starting values for fixed parameters. See [MakeADFun](#) for more details.

sparseX	a named logical vector containing (possibly) elements named "cond", "zi", "disp" to indicate whether fixed-effect model matrices for particular model components should be generated as sparse matrices, e.g. <code>c(cond=TRUE)</code> . Default is all FALSE
prt	Logical scalar - Should the info to be print on screen in the middle of the process or not?
predict_info	Logical scalar - Should provide the info for function <code>semipred</code> or not? In case of there is a correlation theta parameter appearing, you may set <code>predict=FALSE</code> .

### Details

A semi parametric model can be parameterized as a linear (or generalized linear) mixed model in which its random effects are smooth functions of some covariates (named 'smooth term'). `semireg_tmb` follows the approach suggested by Wand and Ormerod (2008) and represents the 'smooth term' using O'Sullivan-type of Z.

### Value

semer	A <code>glmmTMB</code> model used in the fitting.
data	A <code>data.frame</code> with generated variables in the fitting.
fomul_vars	Name of variables in the formula of <code>semireg_tmb</code> model.
sm_vars	Name of variables in the smoothZ list.
smoothZ_call	A call used to produce smooth terms in the fitting.
knots_lst	Knots used in each smooth term in the fitting.
range_lst	Range of covariate used in each smooth term in the fitting.
cov_lst	Covariance matrix list for each smooth term.
u_lst	Random effects list for each smooth term.
type_lst	Smooth type list of smooth terms.
CovMat	Covariance matrix for all smooth terms.
Cov_ind	Covariance matrix index for each smooth term.
Cov_indN	Covariance matrix index for each smooth term when <code>group=TRUE</code> in <code>smoothZ</code> argument.
df	Degree of freedom of all random terms.
tmbf	The <code>glmmTMB</code> model result using <code>doFit=FALSE</code> .

### Author(s)

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## References

Wand, M.P. and Ormerod, J.T. (2008). On semiparametric regression with O’Sullivan penalized splines. *Australian and New Zealand Journal of Statistics*. **50**, 179-198.

## Examples

```
## Not run
# library(predictmeans)
# library(HRW)
# data(WarsawApts)
# help(WarsawApts)
# str(WarsawApts)
# fit1 <- semireg_tmb(areaPerMzloty ~ construction.date,
#                   smoothZ=list(
#                     grp=smZ(construction.date, k=25)
#                   ),
#                   data = WarsawApts)
# sp_out1 <- semipred(fit1, "construction.date", "construction.date")
#
# WarsawApts$district <- factor(WarsawApts$district)
# fit2 <- semireg_tmb(areaPerMzloty ~ construction.date*district, resp_scale = TRUE,
#                   smoothZ=list(group=smZ(construction.date, k=15,
#                                           by = district, group=TRUE)),
#                   data=WarsawApts)
# sp_out2_1 <- semipred(fit2, "district", "construction.date")
# sp_out2_2 <- semipred(fit2, "district", "construction.date", contr=c(2,1))
#
# data(indonRespir)
# help(indonRespir)
# str(indonRespir)
# fit3 <- semireg_tmb(respirInfec ~ age+vitAdefic + female + height
#                   + stunted + visit2 + visit3 + visit4 + visit5 + visit6+(1|idnum),
#                   smoothZ=list(
#                     grp=smZ(age)
#                   ),
#                   family = binomial,
#                   data = indonRespir)
# sp_out3 <- semipred(fit3, "age", "age")
# library(ggplot2)
# sp_out3$plt+
#   geom_rug(data = subset(indonRespir, respirInfec==0), sides = "b", col="deeppink") +
#   geom_rug(data = subset(indonRespir, respirInfec==1), sides = "t", col="deeppink")+
#   ylim(0, 0.2)
```

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 se\_ranef

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*Extract Standard Errors of Model Random Effects*


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## Description

These functions extract standard errors of model random effects from objects returned by modeling functions.

**Usage**

```
se_ranef(object, rand_term=NULL)
```

**Arguments**

object            object of merMod and glmTMB fit  
 rand\_term        a name of random term in the model.

**Details**

se\_ranef extracts standard errors of the random effects from objects returned by lmer, glmer and glmTMB functions.

**Value**

se\_ranef gives a list of standard errors for ranef.

**Author(s)**

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**References**

This function is modified from function 'se.ranef' at package 'arm'.

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 smZ

*Generate Sparse Matrix Z for penalized spline smoothing*

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**Description**

Constructs a sparse matrix ( $Z$ ) of a spline function with for a covariate with(out) group.

**Usage**

```
smZ(x, k=6, intKnots=NULL, range.x=NULL, degree=3,
     type=c("ZOSull", "Ztps", "ns", "bs", "bernstein", "bSpline",
           "nSpline", "cSpline", "iSpline", "mSpline", "smspline"),
     by=NULL, group=FALSE, intercept=FALSE, pred=FALSE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                x covariate for the smooth function. Missing values are allowed and will be returned as they are.

k                Degree of freedom that equals to the column number of the returned matrix. One can specify df rather than knots, then the function chooses df - degree - as.integer(intercept) internal knots at suitable quantiles of x ignoring missing values and those x outside of the boundary. If internal knots are specified via knots, the specified df will be ignored.

intKnots	Ordered array of length smaller than that of x and consisting of unique numbers between min(x) and max(x) that specifies the positions of internal knots, that define the spline basis (see the Wand and Ormerod (2008) reference below for full mathematical details).
range.x	Array of length 2 such that range.x[1] >= min(x) and range.x[2] <= max(x).
degree	Integer: degree of (truncated) polynomial.
type	Type of splines including "ZOSull", "Ztps", "ns", "bs", "bernstein", "bSpline", "nSpline", "cSpline", "iSpline", "mSpline" and "smspline", the default is "ZO-Sull".
by	Factor for group wise splines.
group	When by != NULL, producing group wise splines with random effects separately.
intercept	If TRUE, all of the spline basis functions are returned. Notice that when using I-Spline for monotonic regression, intercept = TRUE should be set even when an intercept term is considered additional to the spline basis functions.
pred	If TRUE, the function smZ will be applied for prediction purpose, this option mainly used by function semipred internally.
...	Further arguments for passing on to model setup routines, such as drv: either 0, 1 or 2 with a default value of 0. If drv = 1 then the first derivatives of the O'Sullivan spline basis functions are computed instead. Similarly, if drv = 2 then the second derivatives are computed.

**Value**

Z A (or a list of) spline design matrix used in the list smoothZ.

**Author(s)**

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

**References**

O'Sullivan, F. (1986). A statistical perspective on ill-posed inverse problems (with discussion). *Statistical Science*, **1**, 505-527.

**Examples**

```
x <- seq.int(0, 1, by = 0.01)
knots <- c(0.3, 0.5, 0.6)

zosuMat <- smZ(x, intKnots = knots)
bsMat <- smZ(x, intKnots = knots, degree = 2, type="bs")
isMat <- smZ(x, intKnots = knots, degree = 2, type="iSpline")

splst <- list(zosuMat, bsMat, isMat)
for (i in splst) {
  op <- par(mar = c(2.5, 2.5, 0.2, 0.1), mgp = c(1.5, 0.5, 0))
  matplot(x, i, type = "l", ylab = "I-spline basis")
  abline(v = knots, lty = 2, col = "gray")
}
```

```
## reset to previous plotting settings
par(op)
}

f <- gl(4, 25, length=length(x))
zosuMat_by <- smZ(x, intKnots = knots, by=f) # one sparse matrix
str(zosuMat_by)

zosuMat_by <- smZ(x, intKnots = knots, by=f, group=TRUE) # a list of sparse matrix
str(zosuMat_by)
```

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varcomp	<i>Calculate SE and CI of variance components for lmer, glmer, lme, glmmTMB model</i>
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### Description

This function calculates SE and CI of variance components for lmer, glmer, lme, glmmTMB model.

### Usage

```
varcomp(model, ci=TRUE, level=0.95)
```

### Arguments

model	Model object returned by lmer, glmer, lme, glmmTMB.
ci	a logical value to indicates wheather or not to simulate a confidence interval for lmer model, the default value is TRUE.
level	level of confidence of CI, the default value is 0.95.

### Value

Variance components table.

### Author(s)

Dongwen Luo, Siva Ganesh and John Koolgaard

### Examples

```
library(predictmeans)
Oats$nitro <- factor(Oats$nitro)
fm <- lmer(yield ~ nitro*Variety+(1|Block/Variety), data=Oats)
## Not run: varcomp(fm)
fm1 <- lme(yield ~ nitro*Variety, random=~1|Block/Variety, data=Oats)
varcomp(fm1)

data(Orthodont, package="nlme")
mod <- lmer(distance ~ age + (age|Subject), data=Orthodont)
```

```
## Not run: varcomp(mod)
mod1 <- lme(distance ~ age, random=~age|Subject, data=Orthodont)
varcomp(mod1)
```

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