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add_member

Add best member of workflow to a simple ensemble

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Description

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This function adds member(s) to a simple_ensemble() object, taking the best member from each workflow provided. It is possible to pass individual tune_results objects from a tuned workflow, or a workflowsets::workflow_set().

```
add_member(x, member, ...)
## Default S3 method:
add_member(x, member, ...)
## S3 method for class 'tune_results'
add_member(x, member, metric = NULL, id = NULL, ...)
```

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```
## S3 method for class 'workflow_set'
add_member(x, member, metric = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

x a simple_ensemble to which member(s) will be added
 member a tune_results, or a workflowsets::workflow_set
 ... not used at the moment.
 Metric A character string (or NULL) for which metric to optimize. If NULL, the first metric is used.
 id the name to be given to this workflow in the wflow_id column.

Value

a simple_ensemble with additional member(s)

add_repeat

Add repeat(s) to a repeated ensemble

Description

This function adds repeat(s) to a repeat_ensemble object, where each repeat is a simple_ensemble. All repeats must contain the same members, selected using the same metric.

Usage

```
add_repeat(x, rep, ...)
## Default S3 method:
add_repeat(x, rep, ...)
## S3 method for class 'simple_ensemble'
add_repeat(x, rep, ...)
## S3 method for class 'list'
add_repeat(x, rep, ...)
```

Arguments

x a repeat_ensemble to which repeat(s) will be added
rep a repeat, as a single simple_ensemble, or a list of simple_ensemble objects
... not used at the moment.

Value

```
a repeat_ensemble with additional repeat(s)
```

```
autoplot.simple_ensemble
```

Plot the results of a simple ensemble

Description

This autoplot() method plots performance metrics that have been ranked using a metric.

Usage

```
## $3 method for class 'simple_ensemble'
autoplot(
  object,
  rank_metric = NULL,
  metric = NULL,
  std_errs = stats::qnorm(0.95),
  ...
)
```

Arguments

object A simple_ensemble whose elements have results.

A character string for which metric should be used to rank the results. If none is given, the first metric in the metric set is used (after filtering by the metric option).

Metric A character vector for which metrics (apart from rank_metric) to be included in the visualization. If NULL (the default), all available metrics will be plotted std_errs

The number of standard errors to plot (if the standard error exists).

Other options to pass to autoplot(). Currently unused.

Details

This function is intended to produce a default plot to visualize helpful information across all possible applications of a simple_ensemble. More sophisticated plots can be produced using standard ggplot2 code for plotting.

The x-axis is the workflow rank in the set (a value of one being the best) versus the performance metric(s) on the y-axis. With multiple metrics, there will be facets for each metric, with the rank_metric first (if any was provided; otherwise the metric used to create the simple_ensemble will be used).

If multiple resamples are used, confidence bounds are shown for each result (95% confidence, by default).

Value

A ggplot object.

Examples

```
# we use the two_class_example from `workflowsets`
two_class_ens <- simple_ensemble() %>%
   add_member(two_class_res, metric = "roc_auc")
autoplot(two_class_ens)
```

```
autoplot.spatial_initial_split
```

Create a ggplot for a spatial initial rsplit.

Description

This method provides a good visualization method for a spatial initial rsplit.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'spatial_initial_split'
autoplot(object, ..., alpha = 0.6)
```

Arguments

object	A spatial_initial_rsplit object. Note that only resamples made from sf objects create spatial_initial_rsplit objects; this function will not work for resamples made with non-spatial tibbles or data.frames.
	Options passed to ggplot2::geom_sf().
alpha	Opacity, passed to ggplot2::geom_sf(). Values of alpha range from 0 to 1, with lower values corresponding to more transparent colors.

Details

This plot method is a wrapper around the standard spatial_rsplit method, but it re-labels the folds as *Testing* and *Training* following the convention for a standard initial_split object

Value

A ggplot object with each fold assigned a color, made using ggplot2::geom_sf().

Examples

```
set.seed(123)
block_initial <- spatial_initial_split(boston_canopy,
  prop = 1 / 5, spatial_block_cv
)
autoplot(block_initial)</pre>
```

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blockcv2rsample

Convert an object created with blockCV to an rsample object

Description

This function converts objects created with blockCV to rsample objects that can be used by tidysdm. BlockCV provides more sophisticated sampling options than the spatialsample library. For example, it is possible to stratify the sampling to ensure that presences and absences are evenly distributed among the folds (see the example below).

Usage

```
blockcv2rsample(x, data)
```

Arguments

x a object created with a blockCV function data the sf object used to create x

Details

Note that currently only objects of type cv_spatial and cv_cluster are supported.

Value

an rsample object

Examples

```
library(blockCV)
points <- read.csv(system.file("extdata/", "species.csv",</pre>
  package = "blockCV"
))
pa_data \leftarrow sf::st_as_sf(points, coords = c("x", "y"), crs = 7845)
sb1 <- cv_spatial(</pre>
  x = pa_data
  column = "occ", # the response column to balance the folds
  k = 5, # number of folds
  size = 350000, # size of the blocks in metres
  selection = "random", # random blocks-to-fold
  iteration = 10
) # find evenly dispersed folds
sb1_rsample <- blockcv2rsample(sb1, pa_data)</pre>
class(sb1_rsample)
autoplot(sb1_rsample)
```

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boyce_cont

Boyce continuous index (BCI)

Description

This function the Boyce Continuous Index, a measure of model accuracy appropriate for Species Distribution Models with presence only data (i.e. using pseudoabsences or background). The algorithm used here comes from the package enmSdm, and uses multiple overlapping windows.

Usage

```
boyce_cont(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
boyce_cont(
  data,
  truth,
  . . . ,
  estimator = NULL,
  na_rm = TRUE,
 event_level = "first",
  case_weights = NULL
)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
boyce_cont(data, ...)
boyce_cont_vec(
  truth,
 estimate,
 estimator = NULL,
 na_rm = TRUE,
 event_level = "first",
  case_weights = NULL,
)
```

Arguments

data

Either a data.frame containing the columns specified by the truth and estimate arguments, or a table/matrix where the true class results should be in the columns of the table.

. . .

A set of unquoted column names or one or more dplyr selector functions to choose which variables contain the class probabilities. If truth is binary, only 1 column should be selected, and it should correspond to the value of event_level. Otherwise, there should be as many columns as factor levels of truth and the ordering of the columns should be the same as the factor levels of truth.

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truth	The column identifier for the true class results (that is a factor). This should be an unquoted column name although this argument is passed by expression and supports quasiquotation (you can unquote column names). For _vec() functions, a factor vector.
estimator	One of "binary", "hand_till", "macro", or "macro_weighted" to specify the type of averaging to be done. "binary" is only relevant for the two class case. The others are general methods for calculating multiclass metrics. The default will automatically choose "binary" if truth is binary, "hand_till" if truth has >2 levels and case_weights isn't specified, or "macro" if truth has >2 levels and case_weights is specified (in which case "hand_till" isn't well-defined).
na_rm	A logical value indicating whether NA values should be stripped before the computation proceeds.
event_level	A single string. Either "first" or "second" to specify which level of truth to consider as the "event". This argument is only applicable when estimator = "binary". The default uses an internal helper that generally defaults to "first"
case_weights	The optional column identifier for case weights. This should be an unquoted column name that evaluates to a numeric column in data. For _vec() functions, a numeric vector.
estimate	If truth is binary, a numeric vector of class probabilities corresponding to the "relevant" class. Otherwise, a matrix with as many columns as factor levels of truth. It is assumed that these are in the same order as the levels of truth.

Details

There is no multiclass version of this function, it only operates on binary predictions (e.g. presences and absences in SDMs).

Value

A tibble with columns .metric, .estimator, and .estimate and 1 row of values. For grouped data frames, the number of rows returned will be the same as the number of groups.

References

Boyce, M.S., P.R. Vernier, S.E. Nielsen and F.K.A. Schmiegelow. 2002. Evaluating resource selection functions. Ecol. Model., 157, 281-300.

Hirzel, A.H., G. Le Lay, V. Helfer, C. Randin and A. Guisan. 2006. Evaluating the ability of habitat suitability models to predict species presences. Ecol. Model., 199, 142-152.

See Also

Other class probability metrics: kap_max(), tss_max()

Examples

```
boyce_cont(two_class_example, truth, Class1)
```

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calib_class_thresh Calibrate class thresholds

Description

Calibrate the probability thresholds that convert probabilities into classes for a simple ensemble object. This is done by generating predictions for the training data, and then optimizing the threshold according to the metric given in class_thresh. The calibration depends on how the ensemble is pruned, which is defined by metric_thresh, and how predictions are combined. calib_class_threshold considers the four possible combining options available via the parameter fun in predict.simple_ensemble; note that the weighted functions weighted_mean and weighted_median use weights based on the metric used to tune the ensemble, and so they might make little sense if used in conjunction with a different metric. The updated simple ensemble contains information on the optimal thresholds for the given combination of class_thresh, metric_thresh and fun, and these will be used when predicting classes with predict.simple_ensemble.

Usage

```
calib_class_thresh(object, class_thresh, metric_thresh = NULL)
```

Arguments

object an simple_ensemble object

class_thresh probability threshold used to convert probabilities into classes. It can be a num-

ber (between 0 and 1), or a character metric (currently "tss_max", "kap_max" or "sensitivity"). For sensitivity, an additional target value is passed along as a

second element of a vector, e.g. c("sensitivity",0.8).

metric_thresh a vector of length 2 giving a metric and its threshold, which will be used to prune

which models in the ensemble will be used for the prediction. The 'metrics' need to have been computed when the workflow was tuned. The metric's threshold needs to match the value used during prediction. Examples are c("accuracy",0.8)

or c("boyce_cont",0.7).

Value

a simple_ensemble object with an additional attribute class_thresholds, which is a tibble with columns:

- class_thresh: the value passed to class_thresh
- metric_thresh: the value passed to metric_thresh
- fun: the aggregating function used to combine predictions
- optim_value: the optimal threshold for the given combination of class_thresh, metric_thresh and fun

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Examples

```
test_ens <- simple_ensemble() %>%
  add_member(two_class_res[1:3, ], metric = "roc_auc")
test_ens <- calib_class_thresh(test_ens, class_thresh = "tss_max")
test_ens <- calib_class_thresh(test_ens, class_thresh = "kap_max")
test_ens <- calib_class_thresh(test_ens, class_thresh = c("sens", 0.9))
collect_class_thresh(test_ens)</pre>
```

check_sdm_presence

Check that the column with presences is correctly formatted

Description

In tidysdm, the string defining presences should be the first level of the response factor. This function checks that the column is correctly formatted.

Usage

```
check_sdm_presence(.data, .col, presence_level = "presence")
```

Arguments

.data a data.frame or tibble, or a derived object such as an sf data.frame, or a factor (e.g. the column with the response variable)
 .col the column containing the presences
 presence_level the string used to define the presence level of .col

Value

TRUE if correctly formatted

check_splits_balance

Check the balance of presences vs pseudoabsences among splits

Description

Check the balance of presences vs pseudoabsences among splits

```
check_splits_balance(splits, .col)
```

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Arguments

splits	the data splits (an rset or split object), generated by a function such as spatialsample::spatial_blo
.col	the column containing the presences

Value

a tibble of the number of presences and pseudoabsences in the assessment and analysis set of each split (or training and testing in an initial split)

Examples

```
lacerta_thin <- readRDS(system.file("extdata/lacerta_thin_all_vars.rds",
    package = "tidysdm"
))
lacerta_cv <- spatial_block_cv(lacerta_thin, v = 5)
check_splits_balance(lacerta_cv, class)</pre>
```

clamp_predictors

Clamp the predictors to match values in training set

Description

This function clamps the environmental variables in a terra::SpatRaster or terra::SpatRasterDataset so that their minimum and maximum values do not exceed the range in the training dataset.

Usage

```
clamp_predictors(x, training, .col, use_na)

## Default S3 method:
clamp_predictors(x, training, .col, use_na)

## S3 method for class 'stars'
clamp_predictors(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'SpatRaster'
clamp_predictors(x, training, .col, use_na = FALSE)

## S3 method for class 'SpatRasterDataset'
clamp_predictors(x, training, .col, use_na = FALSE)
```

Arguments

```
x a terra::SpatRaster, stars or terra::SpatRasterDataset to clamp.
training the training dataset (a data.frame or a sf::sf object.
```

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.col	the column containing the presences (optional). If specified, it is excluded from the clamping.
use_na	a boolean determining whether values outside the range of the training dataset are removed (set to NA). If FALSE (the default), values outside the training range are replaced with the extremes of the training range.
	additional arguments specific to a given object type

Value

```
a terra::SpatRaster or terra::SpatRasterDataset clamped to the ranges in training
```

 ${\tt collect_class_thresh}$ Obtain and format the class thresholds for ensemble objects

Description

Return a tibble of class thresholds, as computed by calib_class_thresh().

Usage

```
collect_class_thresh(x, ...)
```

Arguments

```
x A simple_ensemble... Not currently used.
```

Value

A tibble.

Examples

```
test_ens <- simple_ensemble() %>%
  add_member(two_class_res[1:3, ], metric = "roc_auc")
test_ens <- calib_class_thresh(test_ens, class_thresh = "tss_max")
test_ens <- calib_class_thresh(test_ens, class_thresh = "kap_max")
collect_class_thresh(test_ens)</pre>
```

```
collect_metrics.simple_ensemble
```

Obtain and format results produced by tuning functions for ensemble objects

Description

Return a tibble of performance metrics for all models.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'simple_ensemble'
collect_metrics(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'repeat_ensemble'
collect_metrics(x, ...)
```

Arguments

```
x A simple_ensemble or repeat_ensemble object
```

... Not currently used.

Details

When applied to a ensemble, the metrics that are returned do not contain the actual tuning parameter columns and values (unlike when these collect functions are run on other objects). The reason is that ensembles contain different types of models or models with different tuning parameters.

Value

A tibble.

See Also

```
tune::collect_metrics()
```

Examples

```
collect_metrics(lacerta_ensemble)
collect_metrics(lacerta_rep_ens)
```

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```
control_ensemble_grid Control wrappers
```

Description

Supply these light wrappers as the control argument in a tune::tune_grid(), tune::tune_bayes(), or tune::fit_resamples() call to return the needed elements for use in an ensemble. These functions will return the appropriate control grid to ensure that assessment set predictions and information on model specifications and preprocessors, is supplied in the resampling results object!

To integrate ensemble settings with your existing control settings, note that these functions just call the appropriate tune::control_* function with the arguments save_pred = TRUE, save_workflow = TRUE.

These wrappers are equivalent to the ones used in the stacks package.

Usage

```
control_ensemble_grid()
control_ensemble_resamples()
control_ensemble_bayes()
```

Value

A tune::control_grid, tune::control_bayes, or tune::control_resamples object.

See Also

See the vignettes for examples of these functions used in context.

dist_pres_vs_bg	Distance between the distribution of climate values for presences vs background

Description

For each environmental variable, this function computes the density functions of presences and absences and returns (1-overlap), which is a measure of the distance between the two distributions. Variables with a high distance are good candidates for SDMs, as species occurrences are confined to a subset of the available background.

```
dist_pres_vs_bg(.data, .col)
```

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Arguments

.data	a data.frame (or derived object, such as tibble, or sf) with values for the bioclimate variables for presences and background
.col	the column containing the presences; it assumes presences to be the first level of this factor

Value

a name vector of distances

Examples

```
# This should be updated to use a dataset from tidysdm
data("bradypus", package = "maxnet")
bradypus_tb <- tibble::as_tibble(bradypus) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(presence = relevel(
    factor(
        dplyr::case_match(presence, 1 ~ "presence", 0 ~ "absence")
    ),
    ref = "presence"
    )) %>%
  select(-ecoreg)
bradypus_tb %>% dist_pres_vs_bg(presence)
```

explain_tidysdm

Create explainer from your tidysdm ensembles.

Description

DALEX is designed to explore and explain the behaviour of Machine Learning methods. This function creates a DALEX explainer (see DALEX::explain()), which can then be queried by multiple functions from the DALEX package to create explanations of the model.

```
explain_tidysdm(
  model,
  data,
  y,
  predict_function,
  predict_function_target_column,
  residual_function,
  ...,
  label,
  verbose,
  precalculate,
```

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```
colorize,
 model_info,
  type,
 by_workflow
)
## Default S3 method:
explain_tidysdm(
 model,
 data = NULL,
 y = NULL,
 predict_function = NULL,
  predict_function_target_column = NULL,
  residual_function = NULL,
  label = NULL,
  verbose = TRUE,
 precalculate = TRUE,
  colorize = !isTRUE(getOption("knitr.in.progress")),
 model_info = NULL,
  type = "classification",
 by_workflow = FALSE
)
## S3 method for class 'simple_ensemble'
explain_tidysdm(
 model,
 data = NULL,
 y = NULL,
  predict_function = NULL,
 predict_function_target_column = NULL,
  residual_function = NULL,
  . . . ,
  label = NULL,
  verbose = TRUE,
 precalculate = TRUE,
  colorize = !isTRUE(getOption("knitr.in.progress")),
 model_info = NULL,
  type = "classification",
 by_workflow = FALSE
)
## S3 method for class 'repeat_ensemble'
explain_tidysdm(
 model,
 data = NULL,
 y = NULL,
  predict_function = NULL,
```

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```
predict_function_target_column = NULL,
    residual_function = NULL,
    ...,
    label = NULL,
    verbose = TRUE,
    precalculate = TRUE,
    colorize = !isTRUE(getOption("knitr.in.progress")),
    model_info = NULL,
    type = "classification",
    by_workflow = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

model

object - a model to be explained

data

У

data.frame or matrix - data which will be used to calculate the explanations. If not provided, then it will be extracted from the model. Data should be passed without a target column (this shall be provided as the y argument). NOTE: If the target variable is present in the data, some of the functionalities may not work properly.

numeric vector with outputs/scores. If provided, then it shall have the same size as data

predict_function

function that takes two arguments: model and new data and returns a numeric vector with predictions. By default it is yhat.

predict_function_target_column

Character or numeric containing either column name or column number in the model prediction object of the class that should be considered as positive (i.e. the class that is associated with probability 1). If NULL, the second column of the output will be taken for binary classification. For a multiclass classification setting, that parameter cause switch to binary classification mode with one vs others probabilities.

residual_function

function that takes four arguments: model, data, target vector y and predict function (optionally). It should return a numeric vector with model residuals for given data. If not provided, response residuals $(y-\hat{y})$ are calculated. By default it is residual_function_default.

... other parameters

label character - the name of the model. By default it's extracted from the 'class'

attribute of the model

verbose logical. If TRUE (default) then diagnostic messages will be printed

precalculate logical. If TRUE (default) then predicted_values and residual are calcu-

lated when explainer is created. This will happen also if verbose is TRUE. Set

both verbose and precalculate to FALSE to omit calculations.

colorize logical. If TRUE (default) then WARNINGS, ERRORS and NOTES are colorized.

Will work only in the R console. Now by default it is FALSE while knitting and

TRUE otherwise.

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model_info a named list (package, version, type) containing information about model. If

NULL, DALEX will seek for information on it's own.

type of a model, either classification or regression. If not specified then

type will be extracted from model_info.

by_workflow boolean determining whether a list of explainer, one per model, should be re-

turned instead of a single explainer for the ensemble

Details

By default, the response variable is extracted form the ensemble object. Note that, if the response variable is passed directly, y should be a factor with presence as a reference level. To check that y is formatted correctly, use check_sdm_presence().

Value

```
explainer object DALEX:: explain ready to work with DALEX
```

Examples

```
# using the whole ensemble
lacerta_explainer <- explain_tidysdm(tidysdm::lacerta_ensemble)
# by workflow
explainer_list <- explain_tidysdm(tidysdm::lacerta_ensemble,
    by_workflow = TRUE
)</pre>
```

extrapol_mess

Multivariate environmental similarity surfaces (MESS)

Description

Compute multivariate environmental similarity surfaces (MESS), as described by Elith et al., 2010.

```
extrapol_mess(x, training, .col, ...)
## Default S3 method:
extrapol_mess(x, training, ...)
## S3 method for class 'stars'
extrapol_mess(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatRaster'
```

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```
extrapol_mess(x, training, .col, filename = "", ...)
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
extrapol_mess(x, training, .col, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatRasterDataset'
extrapol_mess(x, training, .col, ...)
```

Arguments

X	terra::SpatRaster, stars, terra::SpatRasterDataset or data.frame
training	matrix or data.frame or sf object containing the reference values; each column should correspond to one layer of the terra::SpatRaster object, with the exception of the presences column defined in .col (optional).
.col	the column containing the presences (optional). If specified, it is excluded when computing the MESS scores.
	additional arguments as for terra::writeRaster()
filename	character. Output filename (optional)

Details

This function is a modified version of mess in package predicts, with a method added to work on terra::SpatRasterDataset. Note that the method for terra::SpatRasterDataset assumes that each variables is stored as a terra::SpatRaster with time information within x. Time is also assumed to be in years. If these conditions are not met, it is possible to manually extract a terra::SpatRaster for each time step, and use extrapol_mess on those terra::SpatRasters

Value

```
a terra::SpatRaster (data.frame) with the MESS values.
```

Author(s)

Jean-Pierre Rossi, Robert Hijmans, Paulo van Breugel, Andrea Manica

References

Elith J., M. Kearney M., and S. Phillips, 2010. The art of modelling range-shifting species. Methods in Ecology and Evolution 1:330-342.

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filter_collinear

Filter to retain only variables that have low collinearity

Description

This method finds a subset of variables that have low collinearity. It provides three methods: cor_caret, a stepwise approach to remove variables with a pairwise correlation above a given cut-off, choosing the variable with the greatest mean correlation (based on the algorithm in caret::findCorrelation); vif_step, a stepwise approach to remove variables with an variance inflation factor above a given cutoff (based on the algorithm in usdm::vifstep), and vif_cor, a stepwise approach that, at each step, find the pair of variables with the highest correlation above the cutoff and removes the one with the largest vif. such that all have a correlation below a certain cutoff. There are methods for terra::SpatRaster, data.frame and matrix. For terra::SpatRaster and data.frame, only numeric variables will be considered.

```
filter_collinear(
  Х,
  cutoff = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
  names = TRUE,
  to_keep = NULL,
 method = "cor_caret";
  cor_type = "pearson",
 max_cells = Inf,
)
## Default S3 method:
filter_collinear(
  cutoff = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
  names = TRUE,
  to_keep = NULL,
 method = "cor_caret",
  cor_type = "pearson",
 max_cells = Inf,
)
## S3 method for class 'stars'
filter_collinear(
  cutoff = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
```

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```
names = TRUE,
  to_keep = NULL,
  method = "cor_caret",
  cor_type = "pearson",
 max_cells = Inf,
  exhaustive = FALSE,
)
## S3 method for class 'SpatRaster'
filter_collinear(
  х,
  cutoff = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
  names = TRUE,
  to_keep = NULL,
 method = "cor_caret",
  cor_type = "pearson",
 max_cells = Inf,
  exhaustive = FALSE,
)
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
filter_collinear(
 х,
  cutoff = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
  names = TRUE,
  to_keep = NULL,
 method = "cor_caret",
  cor_type = "pearson",
 max_cells = Inf,
)
## S3 method for class 'matrix'
filter_collinear(
 cutoff = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
 names = TRUE,
  to_keep = NULL,
 method = "cor_caret",
 cor_type = "pearson",
 max_cells = Inf,
  . . .
)
```

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Arguments

X	A terra::SpatRaster or stars object, a data.frame (with only numeric variables)
cutoff	A numeric value used as a threshold to remove variables. For, "cor_caret" and "vif_cor", it is the pair-wise absolute correlation cutoff, which defaults to 0.7. For "vif_step", it is the variable inflation factor, which defaults to 10
verbose	A boolean whether additional information should be provided on the screen
names	a logical; should the column names be returned TRUE or the column index FALSE)?
to_keep	A vector of variable names that we want to force in the set (note that the function will return an error if the correlation among any of those variables is higher than the cutoff).
method	character. One of "cor_caret", "vif_cor" or "vif_step".
cor_type	character. For methods that use correlation, which type of correlation: "pearson", "kendall", or "spearman". Defaults to "pearson"
max_cells	positive integer. The maximum number of cells to be used. If this is smaller than $ncell(x)$, a regular sample of x is used
	additional arguments specific to a given object type
exhaustive	boolean. Used only for terra::SpatRaster when downsampling to max_cells, if we require the exhaustive approach in terra::spatSample(). This is only needed for rasters that are very sparse and not too large, see the help page of terra::spatSample() for details.

Value

A vector of names of columns that are below the correlation threshold (when names = TRUE), otherwise a vector of indices. Note that the indices are only for numeric variables (i.e. if factors are present, the indices do not take them into account).

Author(s)

for cor_caret: Original R code by Dong Li, modified by Max Kuhn and Andrea Manica; for vif_step and vif_cor, original algorithm by Babak Naimi, rewritten by Andrea Manica for tidysdm

References

Naimi, B., Hamm, N.A.S., Groen, T.A., Skidmore, A.K., and Toxopeus, A.G. 2014. Where is positional uncertainty a problem for species distribution modelling?, Ecography 37 (2): 191-203.

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filter_high_cor	Deprecated: Filter to retain only variables below a given correlation threshold
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Description

THIS FUNCTION IS DEPRECATED. USE filter_collinear with method=cor_caret instead

Usage

```
filter_high_cor(x, cutoff = 0.7, verbose = FALSE, names = TRUE, to_keep = NULL)
## Default S3 method:
filter_high_cor(x, cutoff = 0.7, verbose = FALSE, names = TRUE, to_keep = NULL)
## S3 method for class 'SpatRaster'
filter_high_cor(x, cutoff = 0.7, verbose = FALSE, names = TRUE, to_keep = NULL)
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
filter_high_cor(x, cutoff = 0.7, verbose = FALSE, names = TRUE, to_keep = NULL)
## S3 method for class 'matrix'
filter_high_cor(x, cutoff = 0.7, verbose = FALSE, names = TRUE, to_keep = NULL)
```

Arguments

X	A terra::SpatRaster object, a data.frame (with only numeric variables), or a correlation matrix
cutoff	A numeric value for the pair-wise absolute correlation cutoff
verbose	A boolean for printing the details
names	a logical; should the column names be returned TRUE or the column index FALSE)?
to_keep	A vector of variable names that we want to force in the set (note that the function will return an error if the correlation among any of those variables is higher than the cutoff).

Details

This method finds a subset of variable such that all have a correlation below a certain cutoff. There are methods for terra::SpatRaster, data.frame, and to work directly on a correlation matrix that was previously estimated. For data.frame, only numeric variables will be considered. The algorithm is based on caret::findCorrelation, using the exact option. The absolute values of pair-wise correlations are considered. If two variables have a high correlation, the function looks at the mean absolute correlation of each variable and removes the variable with the largest mean absolute correlation.

There are several function in the package subselect that can also be used to accomplish the same goal but tend to retain more predictors.

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Value

A vector of names of columns that are below the correlation threshold (when names = TRUE), otherwise a vector of indices. Note that the indices are only for numeric variables (i.e. if factors are present, the indices do not take them into account).

gam_formula

Create a formula for gam

Description

This function takes the formula from a recipe, and turns numeric predictors into smooths with a given k. This formula can be passed to a workflow or workflow set when fitting a gam.

Usage

```
gam\_formula(object, k = 10)
```

Arguments

object a recipes::recipe, already trained k the *k* value for the smooth

Value

a formula

geom_split_violin

Split violin geometry for ggplots

Description

This geometry displays the density distribution of two groups side by side, as two halves of a violin. Note that an emptyx aesthetic has to be provided even if you want to plot a single variable (see example below).

```
geom_split_violin(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  stat = "ydensity",
  position = "identity",
  nudge = 0,
  ...,
  draw_quantiles = NULL,
```

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```
trim = TRUE,
  scale = "area",
  na.rm = FALSE,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

mapping

Set of aesthetic mappings created by aes(). If specified and inherit.aes = TRUE (the default), it is combined with the default mapping at the top level of the plot. You must supply mapping if there is no plot mapping.

data

The data to be displayed in this layer. There are three options:

If NULL, the default, the data is inherited from the plot data as specified in the call to ggplot().

A data.frame, or other object, will override the plot data. All objects will be fortified to produce a data frame. See fortify() for which variables will be created.

A function will be called with a single argument, the plot data. The return value must be a data.frame, and will be used as the layer data. A function can be created from a formula (e.g. ~ head(.x, 10)).

stat

Use to override the default connection between ggplot2::geom_violin() and ggplot2::stat_ydensity().

position

A position adjustment to use on the data for this layer. This can be used in various ways, including to prevent overplotting and improving the display. The position argument accepts the following:

- The result of calling a position function, such as position_jitter(). This method allows for passing extra arguments to the position.
- A string naming the position adjustment. To give the position as a string, strip the function name of the position_ prefix. For example, to use position_jitter(), give the position as "jitter".
- For more information and other ways to specify the position, see the layer position documentation.

nudge

Add space between the half-violin and the middle of the space allotted to a given factor on the x-axis.

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Other arguments passed on to layer()'s params argument. These arguments broadly fall into one of 4 categories below. Notably, further arguments to the position argument, or aesthetics that are required can *not* be passed through Unknown arguments that are not part of the 4 categories below are ignored.

• Static aesthetics that are not mapped to a scale, but are at a fixed value and apply to the layer as a whole. For example, colour = "red" or linewidth = 3. The geom's documentation has an **Aesthetics** section that lists the available options. The 'required' aesthetics cannot be passed on to the params. Please note that while passing unmapped aesthetics as vectors is technically possible, the order and required length is not guaranteed to be parallel to the input data.

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When constructing a layer using a stat_*() function, the ... argument can be used to pass on parameters to the geom part of the layer. An example of this is stat_density(geom = "area", outline.type = "both"). The geom's documentation lists which parameters it can accept.

- Inversely, when constructing a layer using a geom_*() function, the ... argument can be used to pass on parameters to the stat part of the layer.
 An example of this is geom_area(stat = "density", adjust = 0.5). The stat's documentation lists which parameters it can accept.
- The key_glyph argument of layer() may also be passed on through This can be one of the functions described as key glyphs, to change the display of the layer in the legend.

draw_quantiles [Deprecated] Previous specification of drawing quantiles.

trim If TRUE (default), trim the tails of the violins to the range of the data. If FALSE,

don't trim the tails.

scale if "area" (default), all violins have the same area (before trimming the tails).

If "count", areas are scaled proportionally to the number of observations. If

"width", all violins have the same maximum width.

na.rm If FALSE, the default, missing values are removed with a warning. If TRUE,

missing values are silently removed.

show. legend logical. Should this layer be included in the legends? NA, the default, includes if

any aesthetics are mapped. FALSE never includes, and TRUE always includes. It can also be a named logical vector to finely select the aesthetics to display. To include legend keys for all levels, even when no data exists, use TRUE. If NA, all

levels are shown in legend, but unobserved levels are omitted.

inherit.aes If FALSE, overrides the default aesthetics, rather than combining with them.

This is most useful for helper functions that define both data and aesthetics and

shouldn't inherit behaviour from the default plot specification, e.g. annotation_borders().

Details

The implementation is based on https://stackoverflow.com/questions/35717353/split-violin-plot-with-ggplot2. Credit goes to @jan-jlx for providing a complete implementation on StackOverflow, and to Trang Q. Nguyen for adding the nudge parameter.

Value

```
a ggplot2::layer object
```

Examples

```
data("bradypus", package = "maxnet")
bradypus_tb <- tibble::as_tibble(bradypus) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(presence = relevel(
    factor(
        dplyr::case_match(
        presence, 1 ~ "presence",
        0 ~ "absence"
    }
}
```

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```
),
  ref = "presence"
))

ggplot(bradypus_tb, aes(
  x = "",
  y = cld6190_ann,
  fill = presence
)) +
  geom_split_violin(nudge = 0.01)
```

grid_cellsize

Get default grid cellsize for a given dataset

Description

This function facilitates using spatialsample::spatial_block_cv multiple times in an analysis. spatialsample::spatial_block_cv creates a grid based on the object in data. However, if spatial blocks are generated multiple times in an analysis (e.g. for a spatial_initial_split(), and then subsequently for cross-validation on the training dataset), it might be desirable to keep the same grid). By applying this function to the largest dataset, usually the full dataset before spatial_initial_split(). The resulting cellsize can be used as an option in spatialsample::spatial_block_cv.

Usage

```
grid_cellsize(data, n = c(10, 10))
```

Arguments

a sf::sf dataset used to size the grid

n the number of cells in the grid, defaults to c(10,10), which is also the default for
 sf::st_make_grid()

Value

the cell size

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grid_offset

Get default grid cellsize for a given dataset

Description

This function facilitates using spatialsample::spatial_block_cv multiple times in an analysis. spatialsample::spatial_block_cv creates a grid based on the object in data. However, if spatial blocks are generated multiple times in an analysis (e.g. for a spatial_initial_split(), and then subsequently for cross-validation on the training dataset), it might be desirable to keep the same grid). By applying this function to the largest dataset, usually the full dataset before spatial_initial_split(). The resulting cellsize can be used as an option in spatialsample::spatial_block_cv.

Usage

```
grid_offset(data)
```

Arguments

data

a sf::sf dataset used to size the grid

Value

the grid offset

horses

Coordinates of radiocarbon dates for horses

Description

Coordinates for presences of horses from 22k to 8k YBP.

Usage

horses

Format

An tibble with 1,297 rows and 3 variables:

latitude latitudes in degreeslongitude longitudes in degreestime_bp time in years before present

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kap_max

Maximum Cohen's Kappa

Description

Cohen's Kappa (yardstick::kap()) is a measure similar to yardstick::accuracy(), but it normalises the observed accuracy by the value that would be expected by chance (this helps for unbalanced cases when one class is predominant).

Usage

```
kap_max(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
kap_max(
  data,
  truth,
  . . . ,
  estimator = NULL,
  na_rm = TRUE,
 event_level = "first",
  case_weights = NULL
)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
kap_max(data, ...)
kap_max_vec(
  truth,
 estimate,
 estimator = NULL,
 na_rm = TRUE,
 event_level = "first",
  case_weights = NULL,
)
```

Arguments

data

Either a data.frame containing the columns specified by the truth and estimate arguments, or a table/matrix where the true class results should be in the columns of the table.

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A set of unquoted column names or one or more dplyr selector functions to choose which variables contain the class probabilities. If truth is binary, only 1 column should be selected, and it should correspond to the value of event_level. Otherwise, there should be as many columns as factor levels of truth and the ordering of the columns should be the same as the factor levels of truth.

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truth	The column identifier for the true class results (that is a factor). This should be an unquoted column name although this argument is passed by expression and supports quasiquotation (you can unquote column names). For _vec() functions, a factor vector.
estimator	One of "binary", "hand_till", "macro", or "macro_weighted" to specify the type of averaging to be done. "binary" is only relevant for the two class case. The others are general methods for calculating multiclass metrics. The default will automatically choose "binary" if truth is binary, "hand_till" if truth has >2 levels and case_weights isn't specified, or "macro" if truth has >2 levels and case_weights is specified (in which case "hand_till" isn't well-defined).
na_rm	A logical value indicating whether NA values should be stripped before the computation proceeds.
event_level	A single string. Either "first" or "second" to specify which level of truth to consider as the "event". This argument is only applicable when estimator = "binary". The default uses an internal helper that generally defaults to "first"
case_weights	The optional column identifier for case weights. This should be an unquoted column name that evaluates to a numeric column in data. For _vec() functions, a numeric vector.
estimate	If truth is binary, a numeric vector of class probabilities corresponding to the "relevant" class. Otherwise, a matrix with as many columns as factor levels of truth. It is assumed that these are in the same order as the levels of truth.

Details

This function calibrates the probability threshold to classify presences to maximises kappa.

There is no multiclass version of this function, it only operates on binary predictions (e.g. presences and absences in SDMs).

Value

A tibble with columns .metric, .estimator, and .estimate and 1 row of values. For grouped data frames, the number of rows returned will be the same as the number of groups.

References

Cohen, J. (1960). "A coefficient of agreement for nominal scales". *Educational and Psychological Measurement*. 20 (1): 37-46.

Cohen, J. (1968). "Weighted kappa: Nominal scale agreement provision for scaled disagreement or partial credit". *Psychological Bulletin*. 70 (4): 213-220.

See Also

Other class probability metrics: boyce_cont(), tss_max()

Examples

```
{\tt kap\_max(two\_class\_example,\ truth,\ Class1)}
```

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km2m

Convert a geographic distance from km to m

Description

This function takes distance in km and converts it into meters, the units generally used by geographic operations in R. This is a trivial conversion, but this functions ensures that no zeroes are lost along the way!

Usage

km2m(x)

Arguments

Х

the number of km

Value

the number of meters

Examples

km2m(10000) km2m(1)

lacerta

Coordinates of presences for Iberian emerald lizard

Description

Coordinates for presences of *Lacerta schreiberi*. The variables are as follows:

Usage

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Format

An tibble with 1,297 rows and 3 variables:

ID ids from GBIF

latitude latitudes in degrees

longitude longitudes in degrees

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lacerta_ensemble

A simple ensemble for the lacerta data

Description

Ensemble SDM for Lacerta schreiberi, as generated in the vignette.

Usage

lacerta_ensemble

Format

A simple_ensemble object

lacerta_rep_ens

A repeat ensemble for the lacerta data

Description

Ensemble SDM for Lacerta schreiberi, as generated in the vignette.

Usage

lacerta_rep_ens

Format

A repeat_ensemble object

lacertidae_background Coordinates of presences for lacertidae in the Iberian peninsula

Description

Coordinates for presences of lacertidae, used as background for the lacerta dataset.. The variables are as follows:

Usage

lacertidae_background

Format

An tibble with 1,297 rows and 3 variables:

ID ids from GBIF

latitude latitudes in degrees longitude longitudes in degrees

make_mask_from_presence

Make a mask from presence data

Description

This functions uses the presence column to create a mask to apply to the raster to define the area of interest. Two methods are available: one that uses a buffer around each presence, and one that create a convex hull around all presences (with the possibility of further adding a buffer around the hull).

Usage

```
make_mask_from_presence(data, method = "buffer", buffer = 0, return_sf = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data An sf::sf data frame of presences..

method the method to use to create the mask. Either 'buffer' or 'convex_hull'

buffer the buffer to add around each presence (in the units of the crs of the data; for

lat/lon, the buffer will be in meters), or around the convex hull (if method is

'convex_hull')

return_sf whether to return the mask as an sf object (if TRUE) or as a terra::SpatVector

object (if FALSE, default)

Details

To use terra::mask() on a raster, use return_sf = FALSE to get a terra::SpatVector object that can be used for masking.

Value

a terra::SpatVector or an sf object (depending on the value of return_sf) with the mask

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Examples

```
lacerta_sf <- lacerta %>%
    sf::st_as_sf(coords = c("longitude", "latitude")) %>%
    sf::st_set_crs(4326)
land_mask <- terra::readRDS(system.file("extdata/lacerta_land_mask.rds",
    package = "tidysdm"
))
mask_buffer <- make_mask_from_presence(lacerta_sf,
    method = "buffer",
    buffer = 60000
)
terra::plot(terra::mask(land_mask, mask_buffer))
mask_ch <- make_mask_from_presence(lacerta_sf, method = "convex_hull")
terra::plot(terra::mask(land_mask, mask_ch))</pre>
```

maxent

MaxEnt model

Description

maxent defines the MaxEnt model as used in Species Distribution Models. A good guide to how options of a MaxEnt model work can be found in https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1111/j.1600-0587.2013.07872.x

Usage

```
maxent(
  mode = "classification",
  engine = "maxnet",
  feature_classes = NULL,
  regularization_multiplier = NULL
)
```

Arguments

mode A single character string for the type of model. The only possible value for this

model is "classification".

engine A single character string specifying what computational engine to use for fitting.

Currently only "maxnet" is available.

feature_classes

character, continuous feature classes desired, either "default" or any subset of

"lqpht" (for example, "lh")

regularization_multiplier

numeric, a constant to adjust regularization

Value

```
a parsnip::model_spec for a maxent model
```

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Examples

```
# format the data
data("bradypus", package = "maxnet")
bradypus_tb <- tibble::as_tibble(bradypus) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(presence = relevel(
    factor(
      dplyr::case_match(presence, 1 ~ "presence", 0 ~ "absence")
    ),
    ref = "presence"
  )) %>%
  select(-ecoreg)
# fit the model, and make some predictions
maxent_spec <- maxent(feature_classes = "lq")</pre>
maxent_fitted <- maxent_spec %>%
  fit(presence ~ ., data = bradypus_tb)
pred_prob <- predict(maxent_fitted,</pre>
  new_data = bradypus[, -1],
  type = "prob"
pred_class <- predict(maxent_fitted,</pre>
  new_data = bradypus[, -1],
  type = "class"
# Now with tuning
maxent_spec <- maxent(</pre>
  regularization_multiplier = tune::tune(),
  feature_classes = tune::tune()
)
set.seed(452)
cv <- vfold_cv(bradypus_tb, v = 2)</pre>
maxent_tune_res <- maxent_spec %>%
  tune_grid(presence ~ ., cv, grid = 3)
show_best(maxent_tune_res, metric = "roc_auc")
```

maxent_params

Parameters for maxent models

Description

These parameters are auxiliary to MaxEnt models using the "maxnet" engine. These functions are used by the tuning functions, and the user will rarely access them directly.

```
regularization_multiplier(range = c(0.5, 3), trans = NULL)
feature_classes(values = c("l", "lq", "lqp", "lqph", "lqpht"))
```

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Arguments

range A two-element vector holding the defaults for the smallest and largest possible

values, respectively. If a transformation is specified, these values should be in

the transformed units.

trans A trans object from the scales package, such as scales::log10_trans() or scales::reciprocal_trans().

If not provided, the default is used which matches the units used in range. If no

transformation, NULL.

values For feature_classes(), a character string of any subset of "lqpht" (for exam-

ple, "lh")

Value

a param object that can be used for tuning.

Examples

```
regularization_multiplier()
feature_classes()
```

niche_overlap

Compute overlap metrics of the two niches

Description

This function computes overlap metrics between two rasters. It currently implements Schoener's D and the inverse I of Hellinger's distance.

Usage

```
niche_overlap(x, y, method = c("Schoener", "Hellinger"))
```

Arguments

x a terra::SpatRaster with a single layer
y a terra::SpatRaster with a single layer

method a string (or vector of strings) taking values "Schoener" and "Hellinger"

Details

Note that Hellinger's distance is normalised by dividing by square root of 2 (which is the correct asymptote for Hellinger's D), rather than the incorrect 2 used originally in Warren et al (2008), based on the Erratum for that paper.

Value

a list of overlap metrics, with slots D and I (depending on method)

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References

Warren, D.L., Glor, R.E. & Turelli M. (2008) Environmental niche equivalency versus conservativism: quantitative approaches to niche evolution. Evolution 62: 2868-2883

optim_thresh	Find threshold that optimises a given metric	

Description

This function returns the threshold to turn probabilities into binary classes whilst optimising a given metric. Currently available for tss_max, kap_max and sensitivity (for which a target sensitivity is required).

Usage

```
optim_thresh(truth, estimate, metric, event_level = "first")
```

Arguments

truth	The column identifier for the true class results (that is a factor). This should be an unquoted column name although this argument is passed by expression and supports quasiquotation (you can unquote column names). For _vec() functions, a factor vector.
estimate	the predicted probability for the event
metric	character of metric to be optimised. Currently only "tss_max", "kap_max", and "sensitivity" with a given target (e.g. $c("sensitivity",0.8))$
event_level	A single string. Either "first" or "second" to specify which level of truth to consider as the "event". This argument is only applicable when estimator = "binary". The default uses an internal helper that generally defaults to "first"

Value

the probability threshold for the event

```
optim_thresh(two_class_example$truth, two_class_example$Class1,
  metric = c("tss_max")
)
optim_thresh(two_class_example$truth, two_class_example$Class1,
  metric = c("sens", 0.9)
)
```

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Pairwise matrix of scatterplot for stars objects

Description

Pairs plot of attributes for stars objects. This is equivalent to terra::pairs() but works with stars objects.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'stars'
pairs(
    x,
    hist = TRUE,
    cor = TRUE,
    use = "pairwise.complete.obs",
    maxcells = 1e+05,
    ...
)
```

Arguments

X	SpatRaster
hist	logical. If TRUE a histogram of the values is shown on the diagonal
cor	logical. If TRUE the correlation coefficient is shown in the upper panels
use	argument passed to the cor function
maxcells	integer. Number of pixels to sample from each layer of a large SpatRaster
	additional arguments (graphical parameters)

Value

a pairs plot of the attributes of the stars object.

```
r <- terra::rast(system.file("ex/elev.tif", package = "terra"))
s <- c(r, 1 / r, sqrt(r))
names(s) <- c("elevation", "inverse", "sqrt")
terra::pairs(s)
s_stars <- stars::st_as_stars(s, as_attributes = TRUE)
pairs(s_stars)</pre>
```

plot_pres_vs_bg

Plot presences vs background

Description

Create a composite plots contrasting the distribution of multiple variables for presences vs the background.

Usage

```
plot_pres_vs_bg(.data, .col)
```

Arguments

.data a data.frame (or derived object, such as tibble::tibble, or sf::st_sf) with values for the bioclimate variables for presences and background
 .col the column containing the presences; it assumes presences to be the first level of this factor

Value

a patchwork composite plot

Examples

```
data("bradypus", package = "maxnet")
bradypus_tb <- tibble::as_tibble(bradypus) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(presence = relevel(
    factor(
        dplyr::case_match(presence, 1 ~ "presence", 0 ~ "absence")
    ),
    ref = "presence"
    )) %>%
  select(-ecoreg)
bradypus_tb %>% plot_pres_vs_bg(presence)
```

```
predict.repeat_ensemble
```

Predict for a repeat ensemble set

Description

Predict for a new dataset by using a repeat ensemble. Predictions from individual models are combined according to fun: if a weighted function is used (weighted_mean or weighted_median), weights are based on the metric used to tune models in the ensemble (see repeat_ensemble).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'repeat_ensemble'
predict(
  object,
  new_data,
  type = "prob",
  fun = "mean",
  metric_thresh = NULL,
  class_thresh = NULL,
  members = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

object an repeat_ensemble object

new_data a data frame in which to look for variables with which to predict.

type the type of prediction, "prob" or "class".

fun string defining the aggregating function. It can take values mean, median, weighted_mean,

weighted_median and none. It is possible to combine multiple functions, except for "none". If it is set to "none", only the individual member predictions are

returned (this automatically sets member to TRUE)

metric_thresh a vector of length 2 giving a metric and its threshold, which will be used to

prune which models in the ensemble will be used for the prediction. The 'metrics' need to have been computed when the workflow was tuned. Examples are

c("accuracy",0.8) or c("boyce_cont",0.7)

class_thresh probability threshold used to convert probabilities into classes. It can be a num-

ber (between 0 and 1), or a character metric (currently "tss_max" or "sensitivity"). For sensitivity, an additional target value is passed along as a second

element of a vector, e.g. c("sensitivity",0.8).

members boolean defining whether individual predictions for each member should be

added to the ensemble prediction. The columns for individual members have the name of the workflow a a prefix, separated by "." from the usual column

names of the predictions.

... not used in this method.

Value

a tibble of predictions

```
predict.simple_ensemble
```

Predict for a simple ensemble set

Description

Predict for a new dataset by using a simple ensemble. Predictions from individual models (i.e. workflows) are combined according to fun: if a weighted function is used (weighted_mean or weighted_median), weights are based on the metric used to tune models in the ensemble (see simple_ensemble).

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'simple_ensemble'
predict(
  object,
  new_data = NULL,
  type = "prob",
  fun = "mean",
  metric_thresh = NULL,
  class_thresh = NULL,
  members = FALSE,
   ...
)
```

Arguments

object an simple ensemble object

new_data a data frame in which to look for variables with which to predict. If NULL, the

predictors from the first workflow in the ensemble are used; note that this only

makes sense if all workflows have the same predictors.

type the type of prediction, "prob" or "class".

fun string defining the aggregating function. It can take values mean, median, weighted_mean,

weighted_median and none. It is possible to combine multiple functions, except for "none". If it is set to "none", only the individual member predictions are returned (this automatically sets member to TRUE). Weights are based on the metric used to tune models in the ensemble (see simple_ensemble); the weights are proportional to the metric values (so, a model with a metric that is

10% higher than another model will have a weight that is 10% higher).

metric_thresh a vector of length 2 giving a metric and its threshold, which will be used to

prune which models in the ensemble will be used for the prediction. The 'metrics' need to have been computed when the workflow was tuned. Examples are

c("accuracy",0.8) or c("boyce_cont",0.7)

class_thresh probability threshold used to convert probabilities into classes. It can be a num-

ber (between 0 and 1), or a character metric (currently "tss_max", "kap_max",

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or "sensitivity"). For sensitivity, an additional target value is passed along as a

second element of a vector, e.g. c("sensitivity",0.8).

members boolean defining whether individual predictions for each member should be

added to the ensemble prediction. The columns for individual members have the name of the workflow a a prefix, separated by "." from the usual column

names of the predictions.

... not used in this method.

Value

a tibble of predictions

Description

This function allows to use a raster as data to make predictions from a variety of tidymodels objects, such as simple_ensemble or stacks::stacks

Usage

```
predict_raster(object, raster, ...)
## Default S3 method:
predict_raster(object, raster, filename = "", n = 4, ...)
```

Arguments

object the tidymodels object of interest

raster the terra::SpatRaster or stars with the input data. It has to include levels

with the same names as the variables used in object

... parameters to be passed to the standard predict() function for the appropriate

object type (e.g. metric_thresh, class_thresh or fun). See the documenta-

tion of the relevant predict() method for possible parameters (e.g. predict.simple_ensemble()).

filename the name of the output file raster file; this is only needed to save large rasters,

and can be left blank for rasters that can be kept in memory.

n positive integer indicating how many copies the data may be in memory at any

point in time (it defaults to 4). This is used to determine whether rasters can be processed in one go, or in chunks. If you get an out of memory error, increase

n. See terra::writeStart() for more details.

Value

a terra::SpatRaster (or stars if that is the input) with the predictions

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prob_metrics_sf

Probability metrics for sf *objects*

Description

tidysdm provides specialised metrics for SDMs, which have their own help pages(boyce_cont(), kap_max(), and tss_max()). Additionally, it also provides methods to handle sf::sf objects for the following standard yardstick metrics:

```
yardstick::average_precision()
yardstick::brier_class()
yardstick::classification_cost()
yardstick::gain_capture()
yardstick::mn_log_loss()
yardstick::pr_auc()
yardstick::roc_auc()
yardstick::roc_aunp()
yardstick::roc_aunu()
```

```
## S3 method for class 'sf'
average_precision(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
brier_class(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
classification_cost(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
gain_capture(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
mn_log_loss(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
pr_auc(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
roc_auc(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
roc_aunp(data, ...)
```

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```
## S3 method for class 'sf'
roc_aunu(data, ...)
```

Arguments

```
data an sf::sf object
```

any other parameters to pass to the data. frame version of the metric. See the specific man page for the metric of interest.

Details

Note that roc_aunp and roc_aunu are multiclass metrics, and as such are are not relevant for SDMs (which work on a binary response). They are included for completeness, so that all class probability metrics from yardstick have an sf method, for applications other than SDMs.

Value

A tibble with columns .metric, .estimator, and .estimate and 1 row of values.

recipe.sf

Recipe for sf objects

Description

This method for recipes::recipe() handles the case when x is an sf::sf object, as commonly used in Species Distribution Model, and generates a spatial_recipe.

Usage

```
## $3 method for class 'sf'
recipe(x, ...)
spatial_recipe(x, ...)
```

Arguments

x An sf::sf data frame.

... parameters to be passed to recipes::recipe()

Details

recipes::recipe() are not natively compatible with sf::sf objects. The problem is that the geometry column of sf::sf objects is a list, which is incompatible with the translation of formulae in recipes::recipe(). This method strips the geometry column from the data.frame and replaces it with a simple X and Y columns before any further operations, thus allowing the usual processing by recipes::recipe() to succeed (X and Y are give the role of coords in a spatial recipe). When prepping and baking a spatial_recipe, if a data.frame or tibble without coordinates is used as training or new_data,

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dummy X and Y columns are generated and filled with NAs. NOTE that order matters! You need to use the syntax recipe(x=sf_obj, formula=class~.) for the method to successfully detect the sf::sf object. Starting with formula will fail.

Value

An object of class spatial_recipe, which is a derived version of recipes::recipe(), see the manpage for recipes::recipe() for details.

repeat_ensemble

Repeat ensemble

Description

An ensemble based multiple sets of pseudoabsences/background. This object is a collection (list) of simple_ensemble objects for which predictions will be combined in a simple way (e.g. by taking either the mean or median). Each simple_ensemble contains the best version of a each given model type following turning; all simple ensembles will need to have the same metric estimated during the cross-validation process.

Usage

```
repeat_ensemble(...)
```

Arguments

not used, this function just creates an empty repeat_ensemble object. Members are added with add_best_candidates()

Value

an empty repeat_ensemble

sample_background

Sample background points for SDM analysis

Description

This function samples background points from a raster given a set of presences. The locations returned as the center points of the sampled cells, which can overlap with the presences (in contrast to pseudo-absences, see sample_pseudoabs). The following methods are implemented:

- 'random': background randomly sampled from the region covered by the raster (i.e. not NAs).
- 'dist_max': background randomly sampled from the unioned buffers of 'dist_max' from presences (distances in 'm' for lonlat rasters, and in map units for projected rasters). Using the union of buffers means that areas that are in multiple buffers are not oversampled. This is also referred to as "thickening".
- 'bias': background points are sampled according to a surface representing the biased sampling
 effort.

Usage

```
sample_background(
  data,
  raster,
  n,
  coords = NULL,
  method = "random",
  class_label = "background",
  return_pres = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	An sf::sf data frame, or a data frame with coordinate variables. These can be defined in coords, unless they have standard names (see details below).
raster	the terra::SpatRaster or stars from which cells will be sampled (the first layer will be used to determine which cells are NAs, and thus can not be sampled). If sampling is "bias", then the sampling probability will be proportional to the values on the first layer (i.e. band) of the raster.
n	number of background points to sample.
coords	a vector of length two giving the names of the "x" and "y" coordinates, as found in data. If left to NULL, the function will try to guess the columns based on standard names $c("x", "y"), c("X", "Y"), c("longitude", "latitude"), or c("lon", "lat").$
method	sampling method. One of 'random', 'dist_max', and 'bias'. For dist_max, the maximum distance is set as an additional element of a vector, e.g c('dist_max',70000).
class_label	the label given to the sampled points. Defaults to background
return_pres	return presences together with background in a single tibble.

Details

Note that the units of distance depend on the projection of the raster.

Value

An object of class tibble::tibble. If presences are returned, the presence level is set as the reference (to match the expectations in the yardstick package that considers the first level to be the event).

```
sample\_background\_time
```

Sample background points for SDM analysis for points with a time point.

Description

This function samples background points from a raster given a set of presences. The locations returned as the center points of the sampled cells, which can overlap with the presences (in contrast to pseudo-absences, see sample_pseudoabs_time). The following methods are implemented:

- 'random': background points randomly sampled from the region covered by the raster (i.e. not NAs).
- 'dist_max': background points randomly sampled from the unioned buffers of 'dist_max' from
 presences (distances in 'm' for lonlat rasters, and in map units for projected rasters). Using
 the union of buffers means that areas that are in multiple buffers are not oversampled. This is
 also referred to as "thickening".
- 'bias': background points are sampled according to a surface representing the biased sampling effort. Note that the surface for each time step is normalised to sum to 1;use n_per_time_step to affect sampling effort within each time step.

Usage

```
sample_background_time(
   data,
   raster,
   n_per_time_step,
   coords = NULL,
   time_col = "time",
   lubridate_fun = c,
   method = "random",
   class_label = "background",
   return_pres = TRUE,
   time_buffer = 0
)
```

Arguments

data An sf::sf data frame, or a data frame with coordinate variables. These can be

defined in coords, unless they have standard names (see details below).

raster the terra::SpatRaster, stars or terra::SpatRasterDataset from which cells will

be sampled. If a terra::SpatRasterDataset, the first dataset will be used to define

which cells are valid, and which are NAs.

n_per_time_step

number of background points to sample for each time step (i.e. a vector of length

equal to the number of time steps in raster)

coords a vector of length two giving the names of the "x" and "y" coordinates, as found

in data. If left to NULL, the function will try to guess the columns based on standard names c("x", "y"), c("X", "Y"), c("longitude", "latitude"), or

c("lon", "lat")

time_col The name of the column with time; if time is not a lubridate object, use lubridate_fun

to provide a function that can be used to convert appropriately

lubridate_fun function to convert the time column into a lubridate object

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method sampling method. One of 'random', 'dist_max', or 'bias'.

class_label the label given to the sampled points. Defaults to background

return_pres return presences together with background in a single tibble

time_buffer the buffer on the time axis around presences that defines their effect when sampling background with method 'max_dist'. If set to zero, presences have an effect only on the time step to which they are assigned in raster; if a positive value, it defines the number of days before and after the date provided in

pling background with method 'max_dist'. If set to zero, presences have an effect only on the time step to which they are assigned in raster; if a positive value, it defines the number of days before and after the date provided in the time column for which the presence should be considered (e.g. 20 days means that a presence is considered in all time steps equivalent to plus and minus twenty days from its date).

Details

Note that the time axis of the raster should be in POSIXct or Date format, or use 'tstep="years"'. See terra::time() for details on how to set the time axis.

Value

An object of class tibble::tibble. If presences are returned, the presence level is set as the reference (to match the expectations in the yardstick package that considers the first level to be the event)

sample_pseudoabs Sample pseudo-absence points for SDM analysis

Description

This function samples pseudo-absence points from a raster given a set of presences. The locations returned as the center points of the sampled cells, which can not overlap with the presences (in contrast to background points, see sample_background). The following methods are implemented:

- 'random': pseudo-absences randomly sampled from the region covered by the raster (i.e. not NAs).
- 'dist_min': pseudo-absences randomly sampled from the region excluding a buffer of 'dist_min' from presences (distances in 'm' for lonlat rasters, and in map units for projected rasters).
- 'dist_max': pseudo-absences randomly sampled from the unioned buffers of 'dist_max' from presences (distances in 'm' for lonlat rasters, and in map units for projected rasters). Using the union of buffers means that areas that are in multiple buffers are not oversampled. This is also referred to as "thickening".
- 'dist_disc': pseudo-absences randomly sampled from the unioned discs around presences with the two values of 'dist_disc' defining the minimum and maximum distance from presences.

Usage

```
sample_pseudoabs(
  data,
  raster,
  n,
  coords = NULL,
  method = "random",
  class_label = "pseudoabs",
  return_pres = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	An sf::sf data frame, or a data frame with coordinate variables. These can be defined in coords, unless they have standard names (see details below).
raster	the terra::SpatRaster or stars from which cells will be sampled
n	number of pseudoabsence points to sample
coords	a vector of length two giving the names of the "x" and "y" coordinates, as found in data. If left to NULL, the function will try to guess the columns based on standard names $c("x", "y"), c("X", "Y"), c("longitude", "latitude"), or c("lon", "lat")$
method	sampling method. One of 'random', 'dist_min', 'dist_max', or 'dist_disc'. Threshold distances are set as additional elements of a vector, e.g c('dist_min',70000) or c('dist_disc',50000,200000).
class_label	the label given to the sampled points. Defaults to pseudoabs
return_pres	return presences together with pseudoabsences in a single tibble

Value

An object of class tibble::tibble. If presences are returned, the presence level is set as the reference (to match the expectations in the yardstick package that considers the first level to be the event)

 ${\tt sample_pseudo-absence\ points\ for\ SDM\ analysis\ for\ points\ with\ a\ time\ point.}$

Description

This function samples pseudo-absence points from a raster given a set of presences. The locations returned as the center points of the sampled cells, which can not overlap with the presences (in contrast to background points, see sample_background_time). The following methods are implemented:

• 'random': pseudo-absences randomly sampled from the region covered by the raster (i.e. not NAs).

- 'dist_min': pseudo-absences randomly sampled from the region excluding a buffer of 'dist_min' from presences (distances in 'm' for lonlat rasters, and in map units for projected rasters).
- 'dist_max': pseudo-absences randomly sampled from the unioned buffers of 'dist_max' from presences (distances in 'm' for lonlat rasters, and in map units for projected rasters). Using the union of buffers means that areas that are in multiple buffers are not oversampled. This is also referred to as "thickening".
- 'dist_disc': pseudo-absences randomly sampled from the unioned discs around presences with the two values of 'dist_disc' defining the minimum and maximum distance from presences.

Usage

```
sample_pseudoabs_time(
  data,
  raster,
  n_per_presence,
  coords = NULL,
  time_col = "time",
  lubridate_fun = c,
  method = "random",
  class_label = "pseudoabs",
  return_pres = TRUE,
  time_buffer = 0
)
```

Arguments

data	An sf::sf data frame, or a data frame with coordinate variables. These can be defined in coords, unless they have standard names (see details below).
raster	the terra::SpatRaster, stars or terra::SpatRasterDataset from which cells will be sampled. If a terra::SpatRasterDataset, the first dataset will be used to define which cells are valid, and which are NAs.
n_per_presence	number of pseudoabsence points to sample for each presence
coords	a vector of length two giving the names of the "x" and "y" coordinates, as found in data. If left to NULL, the function will try to guess the columns based on standard names $c("x", "y"), c("X", "Y"), c("longitude", "latitude"), or c("lon", "lat")$
time_col	The name of the column with time; if time is not a lubridate object, use lubridate_fun to provide a function that can be used to convert appropriately
lubridate_fun	function to convert the time column into a lubridate object
method	sampling method. One of 'random', 'dist_min', 'dist_max', or 'dist_disc'.
class_label	the label given to the sampled points. Defaults to pseudoabs
return_pres	return presences together with pseudoabsences in a single tibble
time_buffer	the buffer on the time axis around presences that defines their effect when sampling pseudoabsences. If set to zero, presences have an effect only on the time

step to which they are assigned in raster; if a positive value, it defines the number of days before and after the date provided in the time column for which the

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presence should be considered (e.g. 20 days means that a presence is considered in all time steps equivalent to plus and minus twenty days from its date).

Details

#' @details Note that the time axis of the raster should be in POSIXct or Date format, or use 'tstep="years"'. See terra::time() for details on how to set the time axis.

Value

An object of class tibble::tibble. If presences are returned, the presence level is set as the reference (to match the expectations in the yardstick package that considers the first level to be the event)

sdm_metric_set

Metric set for SDM

Description

This function returns a yardstick::metric_set that includes boyce_cont(), yardstick::roc_auc() and tss_max(), the most commonly used metrics for SDM.

Usage

```
sdm_metric_set(...)
```

Arguments

additional metrics to be added to the yardstick::metric_set. See the help to yardstick::metric_set() for constraints on the type of metrics that can be mixed.

Value

```
a yardstick::metric_set object.
```

```
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sdm_metric_set(accuracy)
```

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Model specification for a Boosted Trees model for SDM

Description

This function returns a parsnip::model_spec for a Boosted Trees model to be used as a classifier of presences and absences in Species Distribution Model. It uses the library xgboost to fit boosted trees; to use another library, simply build the parsnip::model_spec directly.

Usage

```
sdm_spec_boost_tree(..., tune = c("sdm", "all", "custom", "none"))
```

Arguments

... parameters to be passed to parsnip::boost_tree() to customise the model. See the help of that function for details.

tune

character defining the tuning strategy. Valid strategies are:

- "sdm" chooses hyperparameters that are most important to tune for an sdm (for boost_tree: 'mtry', 'trees', 'tree_depth', 'learn_rate', 'loss_reduction', and 'stop_iter')
- "all" tunes all hyperparameters (for *boost_tree*: 'mtry', 'trees', 'tree_depth', 'learn_rate', 'loss_reduction', 'stop_iter', 'min_n' and 'sample_size')
- "custom" passes the options from '...'
- "none" does not tune any hyperparameter

Value

a parsnip::model_spec of the model.

See Also

Other "sdm model specifications": sdm_spec_gam(), sdm_spec_glm(), sdm_spec_maxent(), sdm_spec_rand_forest()

```
standard_bt_spec <- sdm_spec_boost_tree()
full_bt_spec <- sdm_spec_boost_tree(tune = "all")
custom_bt_spec <- sdm_spec_boost_tree(tune = "custom", mtry = tune::tune())</pre>
```

sdm_spec_gam

sdm_spec_gam

Model specification for a GAM for SDM

Description

This function returns a parsnip::model_spec for a General Additive Model to be used as a classifier of presences and absences in Species Distribution Model.

Usage

```
sdm_spec_gam(..., tune = "none")
```

Arguments

... parameters to be passed to parsnip::gen_additive_mod() to customise the

model. See the help of that function for details.

tune character defining the tuning strategy. As there are no hyperparameters to tune in

a gam, the only valid option is "none". This parameter is present for consistency

with other sdm_spec_* functions, but it does nothing in this case.

Details

Note that, when using GAMs in a workflow_set(), it is necessary to update the model with gam_formula() (see parsnip::model_formula for a discussion of formulas with special terms in tidymodels):

Value

a parsnip::model_spec of the model.

See Also

```
parsnip::gen_additive_mod() gam_formula()
Other "sdm model specifications": sdm_spec_boost_tree(), sdm_spec_glm(), sdm_spec_maxent(),
sdm_spec_rand_forest()
```

```
my_gam_spec <- sdm_spec_gam()</pre>
```

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Model specification for a GLM for SDM

Description

This function returns a parsnip::model_spec for a Generalised Linear Model to be used as a classifier of presences and absences in Species Distribution Model.

Usage

```
sdm_spec_glm(..., tune = "none")
```

Arguments

... parameters to be passed to parsnip::logistic_reg() to customise the model.

See the help of that function for details.

tune character defining the tuning strategy. As there are no hyperparameters to tune in

a glm, the only valid option is "none". This parameter is present for consistency

with other sdm_spec_* functions, but it does nothing in this case.

Value

a parsnip::model_spec of the model.

See Also

```
Other "sdm model specifications": sdm_spec_boost_tree(), sdm_spec_gam(), sdm_spec_maxent(), sdm_spec_rand_forest()
```

Examples

```
my_spec_glm <- sdm_spec_glm()</pre>
```

sdm_spec_maxent

Model specification for a MaxEnt for SDM

Description

This function returns a parsnip::model_spec for a MaxEnt model to be used in Species Distribution Models.

```
sdm_spec_maxent(..., tune = c("sdm", "all", "custom", "none"))
```

Arguments

... parameters to be passed to maxent() to customise the model. See the help of that function for details.

tune

character defining the tuning strategy. Valid strategies are:

- "sdm" chooses hyper-parameters that are most important to tune for an sdm (for *maxent*, 'feature_classes' and 'regularization_multiplier')
- "all" tunes all hyperparameters (for *maxent*, 'feature_classes' and 'regular-ization_multiplier', the same as with tune = "sdm")
- "custom" passes the options from '...'
- "none" does not tune any hyperparameter

Value

```
a parsnip::model_spec of the model.
```

See Also

```
Other "sdm model specifications": sdm_spec_boost_tree(), sdm_spec_gam(), sdm_spec_glm(), sdm_spec_rand_forest()
```

Examples

```
test_maxent_spec <- sdm_spec_maxent(tune = "sdm")
test_maxent_spec
# setting specific values
sdm_spec_maxent(tune = "custom", feature_classes = "lq")</pre>
```

Description

This function returns a parsnip::model_spec for a Random Forest to be used as a classifier of presences and absences in Species Distribution Models. It uses the library ranger to fit boosted trees; to use another library, simply build the parsnip::model_spec directly.

```
sdm_spec_rand_forest(..., tune = c("sdm", "all", "custom", "none"))
sdm_spec_rf(..., tune = c("sdm", "all", "custom", "none"))
```

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Arguments

... parameters to be passed to parsnip::rand_forest() to customise the model.

See the help of that function for details.

tune character defining the tuning strategy. Valid strategies are:

• "sdm" chooses hyperparameters that are most important to tune for an sdm (for *rf*, 'mtry')

- "all" tunes all hyperparameters (for rf, 'mtry', 'trees' and 'min')
- "custom" passes the options from '...'
- "none" does not tune any hyperparameter

Details

```
sdm_spec_rf() is simply a short form for sm_spec_rand_forest().
```

Value

```
a parsnip::model_spec of the model.
```

See Also

```
Other "sdm model specifications": sdm_spec_boost_tree(), sdm_spec_gam(), sdm_spec_glm(), sdm_spec_maxent()
```

Examples

```
test_rf_spec <- sdm_spec_rf(tune = "sdm")
test_rf_spec
# combining tuning with specific values for other hyperparameters
sdm_spec_rf(tune = "sdm", trees = 100)</pre>
```

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Simple ensemble

Description

A simple ensemble is a collection of workflows for which predictions will be combined in a simple way (e.g. by taking either the mean or median). Usually these workflows will consists each of the best version of a given model algorithm following tuning based on a chosen metric (note that the metric is defined when tuning the workflows, it can not be changed at this stage). The workflows are fitted to the full training dataset before making predictions.

```
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```

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Arguments

... not used, this function just creates an empty simple_ensemble object. Members are added with add_best_candidates()

Value

an empty simple_ensemble. This is a tibble with columns:

- wflow_id: the name of the workflows for which the best model was chosen
- workflow: the trained workflow objects
- metrics: metrics based on the crossvalidation resampling used to tune the models

spatial_initial_split Simple Training/Test Set Splitting for spatial data

Description

spatial_initial_split creates a single binary split of the data into a training set and testing set. All strategies from the package spatialsample are available; a random split from that strategy will be used to generate the initial split.

Usage

```
spatial_initial_split(data, prop, strategy, ...)
```

Arguments

data	A dataset (data.frame or tibble)
prop	The proportion of data to be retained for modelling/analysis. This parameter is used to define the appropriate number of partitions for the selected strategy. For example, if prop = 0.2, then 5 partitions will be created and one of these will be used as the testing set. Set to NULL for leave-one-out crossvalidation.
strategy	A sampling strategy from spatialsample
	parameters to be passed to the strategy

Value

An rsplit object that can be used with the rsample::training and rsample::testing functions to extract the data in each split.

```
set.seed(123)
block_initial <- spatial_initial_split(boston_canopy,
  prop = 1 / 5, spatial_block_cv
)
testing(block_initial)
training(block_initial)</pre>
```

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thin_by_cell	Thin point dataset to have 1 observation per raster cell	

Description

This function thins a dataset so that only one observation per cell is retained.

Usage

```
thin_by_cell(data, raster, coords = NULL, drop_na = TRUE, agg_fact = NULL)
```

Arguments

data	An sf::sf data frame, or a data frame with coordinate variables. These can be defined in coords, unless they have standard names (see details below).
raster	A terra::SpatRaster or stars object that defined the grid
coords	a vector of length two giving the names of the "x" and "y" coordinates, as found in data. If left to NULL, the function will try to guess the columns based on standard names $c("x", "y"), c("X", "Y"), c("longitude", "latitude"), or c("lon", "lat")$
drop_na	boolean on whether locations that are NA in the raster should be dropped.
agg_fact	positive integer. Aggregation factor expressed as number of cells in each direction (horizontally and vertically). Or two integers (horizontal and vertical aggregation factor) or three integers (when also aggregating over layers). Defaults to NULL, which implies no aggregation (i.e. thinning is done on the grid of raster)

Details

Further thinning can be achieved by aggregating cells in the raster before thinning, as achieved by setting agg_fact > 1 (aggregation works in a manner equivalent to terra::aggregate()). Note that if data is an sf object, the function will transform the coordinates to the same projection as the raster (recommended); if data is a data.frame, it is up to the user to ensure that the coordinates are in the correct units.

Value

```
An object of class sf::sf or data.frame, the same as "data".
```

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thin_by_cell_time

Thin point dataset to have 1 observation per raster cell per time slice

Description

This function thins a dataset so that only one observation per cell per time slice is retained. We use a raster with layers as time slices to define the data cube on which thinning is enforced (see details below on how time should be formatted).

Usage

```
thin_by_cell_time(
  data,
  raster,
  coords = NULL,
  time_col = "time",
  lubridate_fun = c,
  drop_na = TRUE,
  agg_fact = NULL
)
```

Arguments

raster

data	An sf::sf data frame, or a data frame with coordinate variables. These can be
	defined in coords, unless they have standard names (see details below).

A terra::SpatRaster or stars object that defined the grid with layers corresponding to the time slices (times should be set as either POSIXIt or "years", see terra::time() for details), or a terra::SpatRasterDataset where the first dataset will be used (again, times for that dataset should be set as either POSIXIt

or "years") terra::time()

coords a vector of length two giving the names of the "x" and "y" coordinates, as found

in data. If left to NULL, the function will try to guess the columns based on standard names c("x", "y"), c("X", "Y"), c("longitude", "latitude"), or

c("lon", "lat")

time_col The name of the column with time; if time is not a lubridate object, use lubridate_fun

to provide a function that can be used to convert appropriately

lubridate_fun function to convert the time column into a lubridate object

drop_na boolean on whether locations that are NA in the raster should be dropped.

agg_fact positive integer. Aggregation factor expressed as number of cells in each direction (horizontally and vertically). Or two integers (horizontal and vertical

aggregation factor) or three integers (when also aggregating over layers). Defaults to NULL, which implies no aggregation (i.e. thinning is done on the grid

of raster)

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Details

Further spatial thinning can be achieved by aggregating cells in the raster before thinning, as achieved by setting agg_fact > 1 (aggregation works in a manner equivalent to terra::aggregate()). Note that if data is an sf object, the function will transform the coordinates to the same projection as the raster (recommended); if data is a data.frame, it is up to the user to ensure that the coordinates are in the correct units.

Value

An object of class sf::sf or data.frame, the same as "data".

thin_by_dist

Thin points dataset based on geographic distance

Description

This function thins a dataset so that only observations that have a distance from each other greater than "dist min" are retained.

Usage

```
thin_by_dist(
  data,
  dist_min,
  coords = NULL,
  dist_method = c("great_circle", "euclidean")
)
```

Arguments

data	An sf::sf data frame, or a data frame with coordinate variables. These can be defined in coords, unless they have standard names (see details below).
dist_min	Minimum distance between points (in units appropriate for the projection, or meters for lonlat data).
coords	A vector of length two giving the names of the "x" and "y" coordinates, as found in data. If left to NULL, the function will try to guess the columns based on standard names $c("x", "y"), c("X", "Y"), c("longitude", "latitude"), or c("lon", "lat")$
dist_method	method to compute distance, either "euclidean" or "great_circle". Defaults to "great_circle", which is more accurate but takes slightly longer.

Details

Distances are measured in the appropriate units for the projection used. In case of raw latitude and longitude (e.g. as provided in a data.frame), the crs is set to WGS84, and units are set to meters.

This function is a modified version of the algorithm in spThin, adapted to work on sf objects.

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Value

An object of class sf::sf or data.frame, the same as "data".

 $thin_by_dist_time$

Thin points dataset based on geographic and temporal distance

Description

This function thins a dataset so that only observations that have a distance from each other greater than "dist_min" in space and "interval_min" in time are retained.

Usage

```
thin_by_dist_time(
  data,
  dist_min,
  interval_min,
  coords = NULL,
  time_col = "time",
  lubridate_fun = c,
  dist_method = c("great_circle", "euclidean")
)
```

Arguments

data		An sf::sf data frame, or a data frame with coordinate variables. These can be defined in coords, unless they have standard names (see details below).
dist	_min	Minimum distance between points (in units appropriate for the projection, or meters for lonlat data).
inte	rval_min	Minimum time interval between points, in days.
coor	ds	A vector of length two giving the names of the "x" and "y" coordinates, as found in data. If left to NULL, the function will try to guess the columns based on standard names $c("x", "y"), c("X", "Y"), c("longitude", "latitude"), or c("lon", "lat")$
time	_col	The name of the column with time; if time is not a lubridate object, use lubridate_fun to provide a function that can be used to convert appropriately
lubr	idate_fun	function to convert the time column into a lubridate object
dist	_method	method to compute distance, either "euclidean" or "great_circle". Defaults to "great_circle", which is more accurate but takes slightly longer.

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Details

Geographic distances are measured in the appropriate units for the projection used. In case of raw latitude and longitude (e.g. as provided in a data.frame), the crs is set to WGS84, and units are set to meters. Time interval are estimated in days. Note that for very long time period, the simple conversion x years = 365 * x days might lead to slightly shorter intervals than expected, as it ignores leap years. The function y2d() provides a closer approximation.

This function an algorithm analogous to spThin, with the exception that neighbours are defined in terms of both space and time.

Value

An object of class sf::sf or data.frame, the same as "data".

tss

TSS - True Skill Statistics

Description

The True Skills Statistic, which is defined as

Usage

```
tss(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
tss(
   data,
   truth,
   estimate,
   estimator = NULL,
   na_rm = TRUE,
   case_weights = NULL,
   event_level = "first",
   ...
)
```

Arguments

data

Either a data frame containing the columns specified by the truth and estimate arguments, or a table/matrix where the true class results should be in the columns

of the table.

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Not currently used.

truth

The column identifier for the true class results (that is a factor). This should be an unquoted column name although this argument is passed by expression and supports quasiquotation (you can unquote column names). For _vec() functions, a factor vector.

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estimate	The column identifier for the predicted class results (that is also factor). As with truth this can be specified different ways but the primary method is to use an unquoted variable name. For _vec() functions, a factor vector.
estimator	One of: "binary", "macro", "macro_weighted", or "micro" to specify the type of averaging to be done. "binary" is only relevant for the two class case. The other three are general methods for calculating multiclass metrics. The default will automatically choose "binary" or "macro" based on estimate.
na_rm	A logical value indicating whether NA values should be stripped before the computation proceeds.
case_weights	The optional column identifier for case weights. This should be an unquoted column name that evaluates to a numeric column in data. For _vec() functions, a numeric vector.
event_level	A single string. Either "first" or "second" to specify which level of truth to consider as the "event". This argument is only applicable when estimator = "binary". The default is "first".

Details

```
sensitivity + specificity + 1
```

This function is a wrapper around yardstick::j_index(), another name for the same quantity. Note that this function takes the classes as predicted by the model without any calibration (i.e. making a split at 0.5 probability). This is usually not the metric used for Species Distribution Models, where the threshold is recalibrated to maximise TSS; for that purpose, use tss_max().

Value

A tibble with columns .metric, .estimator, and .estimate and 1 row of values. For grouped data frames, the number of rows returned will be the same as the number of groups.

```
# Two class
data("two_class_example")
tss(two_class_example, truth, predicted)
# Multiclass
library(dplyr)
data(hpc_cv)
# Groups are respected
hpc_cv %>%
  group_by(Resample) %>%
  tss(obs, pred)
```

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Maximum TSS - True Skill Statistics

Description

The True Skills Statistic, which is defined as

Usage

```
tss_max(data, ...)
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
tss_max(
  data,
  truth,
  ...,
  estimator = NULL,
  na_rm = TRUE,
  event_level = "first",
  case_weights = NULL
)
## S3 method for class 'sf'
tss_max(data, ...)
tss_max_vec(
  truth,
  estimate,
  estimator = NULL,
  na_rm = TRUE,
  event_level = "first",
  case_weights = NULL,
)
```

Arguments

data

Either a data.frame containing the columns specified by the truth and estimate arguments, or a table/matrix where the true class results should be in the columns of the table.

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A set of unquoted column names or one or more dplyr selector functions to choose which variables contain the class probabilities. If truth is binary, only 1 column should be selected, and it should correspond to the value of event_level. Otherwise, there should be as many columns as factor levels of truth and the ordering of the columns should be the same as the factor levels of truth.

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truth	The column identifier for the true class results (that is a factor). This should be
	. 1 1 1.41 1.41

an unquoted column name although this argument is passed by expression and supports quasiquotation (you can unquote column names). For _vec() functions,

a factor vector.

estimator One of "binary", "hand_till", "macro", or "macro_weighted" to specify the type

of averaging to be done. "binary" is only relevant for the two class case. The others are general methods for calculating multiclass metrics. The default will automatically choose "binary" if truth is binary, "hand_till" if truth has >2 levels and case_weights isn't specified, or "macro" if truth has >2 levels and case_weights

is specified (in which case "hand_till" isn't well-defined).

na_rm A logical value indicating whether NA values should be stripped before the com-

putation proceeds.

event_level A single string. Either "first" or "second" to specify which level of truth to

consider as the "event". This argument is only applicable when estimator = "binary". The default uses an internal helper that generally defaults to "first"

column name that evaluates to a numeric column in data. For _vec() functions,

a numeric vector.

estimate If truth is binary, a numeric vector of class probabilities corresponding to the

"relevant" class. Otherwise, a matrix with as many columns as factor levels of truth. It is assumed that these are in the same order as the levels of truth.

Details

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This function calibrates the probability threshold to classify presences to maximise the TSS.

There is no multiclass version of this function, it only operates on binary predictions (e.g. presences and absences in SDMs).

Value

A tibble with columns .metric, .estimator, and .estimate and 1 row of values. For grouped data frames, the number of rows returned will be the same as the number of groups.

See Also

Other class probability metrics: boyce_cont(), kap_max()

```
tss_max(two_class_example, truth, Class1)
```

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y2d

Convert a time interval from years to days

Description

This function takes takes a time interval in years and converts into days, the unit commonly used in time operations in R. The simple conversion x * 365 does not work for large number of years, due to the presence of leap years.

Usage

y2d(x)

Arguments

Χ

the number of years of the interval

Value

```
a difftime object (in days)
```

```
y2d(1)
y2d(1000)
```

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