# Package 'bayesWatch'

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Description Bayes Watch fits an array of Gaussian Graphical Mixture Models to groupings of homogeneous data in time, called regimes, which are modeled as the observed states of a Markov process with unknown transition probabilities. In doing so, Bayes Watch defines a posterior distribution on a vector of regime assignments, which gives meaningful expressions on the probability of every possible change-point. Bayes Watch also allows for an effective and efficient fault detection system that assesses what features in the data where the most responsible for a given change-point. For further details, see: Alexander C. Murph et al. (2023) <doi:10.48550/arXiv.2310.02940>.

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bayeswatch

Fit a bayesWatch object.

#### Description

Main method of package. MCMC sampling for change-point probabilities with fault detection according to the model by Murph et al. 2023. Creates a bayesWatch object for analysis of change-points.

#### Usage

```
bayeswatch(
  data_woTimeValues,
  time_of_observations,
  time_points,
  variable_names = 1:ncol(data_woTimeValues),
  not.cont = NULL,
  iterations = 100,
  burnin = floor(iterations/2),
  lower_bounds = NULL,
  upper_bounds = NULL,
  ordinal_indicators = NULL,
  list_of_ordinal_levels = NULL,
  categorical_indicators = NULL,
  previous_states = NULL,
  previous_model_fits = NULL,
  linger_parameter = 500,
 move_parameter = 100,
  g.prior = 0.2,
  set_G = NULL,
 wishart_df_initial = 1500,
  lambda = 1500,
  g_sampling_distribution = NULL,
```

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```
n.cores = 1,
 scaleMatrix = NULL,
 allow_for_mixture_models = FALSE,
 dirichlet_prior = 0.001,
  component_truncation = 7,
  regime_truncation = 15,
 hyperprior_b = 20,
 model_params_save_every = 5,
 simulation_iter = NULL,
 T2\_window\_size = 3,
 determining_p_cutoff = FALSE,
 prob_cutoff = 0.5,
 model_log_type = "NoModelSpecified",
  regime_selection_multiplicative_prior = 2,
  split_selection_multiplicative_prior = 2,
  is_initial_fit = TRUE,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

## Arguments

data\_woTimeValues

matrix. Raw data matrix without datetime stamps.

| time_of_observa        | tions  |  |
|------------------------|--|--|
|                        | vector. Datetime stamps for every data instance in data_woTimeValues.  |  |
| time_points            | vector. Time points that mark each 'day' of time. Range should include every datetime in time_of_observations.   |  |
| variable_names         | vector. Vector of names of columnsof data_woTimeValues.  |  |
| not.cont               | vector. Indicator variable as to which columns are discrete.   |  |
| iterations             | integer. Number of MCMC samples to take (including burn-in).   |  |
| burnin                 | integer. Number of burn-in samples. iterations > burnin necessarily.   |  |
| lower_bounds           | vector. Lower bounds for each data column.   |  |
| upper_bounds           | vector. Upper bounds for each data column.   |  |
| ordinal_indicators     |  |  |
|                        | vector. Discrete values, one for each column, indicating which variables are ordinal.  |  |
| list_of_ordinal        | _levels  |  |
|                        | vector. Discrete values, one for each column, indicating which variables are part of the same ordinal group.   |  |
| categorical_indicators |  |  |
|                        | vector. Each nominal d categorical variable must be broken down into d different indicator variables. This vector marks which variables are such indicators. |  |
| previous_states        |  |  |
|                        | vector. Starting regime vector, if known, of the same length as the number of 'days' in time_points.   |  |

| previous_model_                           | fits   |  |
|---|--|--|
| linger paramete                           | rlist. Starting parameter fits corresponding to regime vector previous_states.   |  |
|   | float. Prior parameter for Markov chain probability matrix. Larger = less likely to change states.   |  |
| move_parameter                            | float. Prior parameter for Markov chain probability matrix. Larger = more likely to change states.   |  |
| g.prior                                   | float in (0,1). Prior probability on edge inclusion for graph structure G.   |  |
| set_G                                     | matrix. Starting graph structure, if known.  |  |
| wishart_df_init                           | tial   |  |
|   | integer ( $>= 3$ ). Starting DF for G-Wishart prior.   |  |
| lambda                                    | float. Parameter for NI-G-W prior, controls affect of precision sample on the center sample.   |  |
| g_sampling_dist                           | ribution   |  |
|   | matrix. Prior probability on edge inclusion if not uniform across G.   |  |
| n.cores                                   | integer. Number of cores available for parallelization.  |  |
| scaleMatrix                               | matrix. Parameter for NI-G-W prior.  |  |
| allow_for_mixtu                           | re_models  |  |
|   | logical. Whether or not method should fix mixture distributions to regimes.  |  |
| dirichlet_prior                           |  |  |
|   | float. Parameter for the dirichlet process for fitting components in the mixture model.  |  |
| component_trunc                           | cation   |  |
|   | integer. Maximum component allowed. Should be sufficiently large.  |  |
| regime_truncati                           | integer Maximum regime allowed Should be sufficiently large  |  |
| h   | integer. Maximum regime anowed. Should be sufficiently large.  |  |
| nyperprior_b                              | integer. Hyperprior on wisnart distribution fit to the scale Matrix.   |  |
| lioue1_parallis_sa                        | integer. How frequently to save model fits for the fault detection method  |  |
| simulation iter                           |  |  |
| Simulation_iter                           | integer. Used for simulation studies. Deprecated value at package launch.  |  |
| T2_window_size                            | integer. Length of sliding window for Hotelling T2 pre-step. Used when an initial value for previous_states is not provided.                             |  |
| <pre>determining_p_c</pre>                | cutoff   |  |
|   | logical. Method for estimating the probability cutoff on the posterior distribution<br>for determining change-points. Deprecated at package launch date. |  |
| prob_cutoff                               | float. Changepoints are determined (for fault detection process) if posterior probability exceeds this value.  |  |
| <pre>model_log_type regime_selectio</pre> | character vector. The type of log (used to distinguish logfiles).  |  |
| -   | float. Must be $>=1$ . Gives additional probability to the most recent day for the selection of a new split point.                                       |  |
| split_selection                           | _multiplicative_prior<br>float.  |  |

#### detect\_faults

| is_initial_fit | logical. True when there is no previously fit bayesWatch object fed through the algorithm                                 |
|----------------|---|
| verbose        | logical. Prints verbose model output for debugging when TRUE. It is highly recommended that you pipe this to a text file. |

#### Value

bayesWatch object. A model fit for the analysis of posterior change-points and fault detection.

#### Examples

detect\_faults Determine the cause of a change-point.

#### Description

Prints out fault detection graphics given a bayesWatch object. This method can only be run if fault detection was run on the bayesWatch fit (if model\_params\_save\_every < iterations).

#### Usage

```
detect_faults(regime_fit_object)
```

# Arguments

regime\_fit\_object

bayesWatch object. Fit with main method of package.

#### Value

ggplot object. Fault detection graphs.

full\_data

#### Description

Data simulated using the BDgraph package. A change-point is imposed between days 5 and 6. The change only occurs in variables 3 and 4.

#### Usage

full\_data

day\_of\_observations

day\_dts

#### Format

'full\_data' is a matrix, the latter two are vectors.

#### Details

'full\_data' is a data frame with 1,000 rows and 5 columns. 'day\_of\_observations'; is a timestamp of each of 'full\_data''s 1,000 rows. 'day\_dts'; is a vector of unique elements from 'day\_of\_observations'...

#### Examples

full\_data
day\_of\_observations
day\_dts

get\_point\_estimate Create an estimate on posterior distribution of change-points.

#### Description

Given a bayesWatch object and a probability cutoff, finds change-points.

#### Usage

get\_point\_estimate(regime\_fit\_object, prob\_cutoff)

## Arguments

regime\_fit\_object bayesWatch object. Fit with the bayesWatch method. prob\_cutoff float in (0,1). Posterior probabilities above this cutoff will be considered changepoints.

# plot.bayesWatch

# Value

vector. Indicator values corresponding to change-point locations.

| plot.bayesWatch | Print function for a bayesWatch object. | Prints only the posterior |
|-----------------|---|---------------------------|
|                 | change-point probabilities.             |                           |

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Print function for a bayesWatch object. Prints only the posterior change-point probabilities.

# Arguments

| х | bayesWatch object. Fit from bayesWatch main method. |
|---|---|
|   | Additional plotting arguments.                      |

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