

# Package ‘SDPDmod’

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The 'Lee'-'Yu' transformation approach is described in 'Yu', 'De Jong' and 'Lee' (2008) <[doi:10.1016/j.jeconom.2008.08.002](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jeconom.2008.08.002)>, 'Lee' and 'Yu' (2010) <[doi:10.1016/j.jeconom.2010.03.002](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jeconom.2010.03.002)>.

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## blmpSDPD

*Bayesian log-marginal posterior probabilities for spatial panel models*

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### Description

Calculates log-marginal posterior probabilities for model comparison purposes.

### Usage

```
blmpSDPD(
  formula,
  data,
  W,
  index,
  model,
  effect,
  ldet = NULL,
  lndetspec = list(m = NULL, p = NULL, sd = NULL),
  dynamic = FALSE,
  tlaginfo = list(ind = NULL),
  LYtrans = FALSE,
  incr = NULL,
  rintrv = TRUE,
  prior = "uniform",
  bprarg = 1.01
)
```

### Arguments

formula	a symbolic description for the model to be estimated
data	a data.frame
W	spatial weights matrix (row-normalized)
index	the indexes (names of the variables for the spatial and time component)

<code>model</code>	a list of models for which the Bayesian log-marginal posterior probabilities need to be calculated, list("ols","slx","sar","sdm","sem","sdem")
<code>effect</code>	type of fixed effects, c("none","individual","time","twoways"), default ="none"
<code>ldet</code>	Type of computation of log-determinant, c("full","mc"). Default "full" for smaller problems, "mc" for large problems.
<code>lndetspec</code>	specifications for the calculation of the log-determinant
<code>dynamic</code>	logical, if TRUE time lag of the dependent variable is included. Default = FALSE
<code>tlaginfo</code>	specification for the time lag, default = list(ind=NULL), <i>ind</i> - i-th column in the data frame which represents the time lag
<code>LYtrans</code>	logical, default FALSE. If Lee-Yu transformation should be used for demeaning of the variables
<code>incr</code>	increment for vector of values for rho
<code>rintrv</code>	logical, default TRUE, calculates eigenvalues of W. If FALSE, the interval for rho is (-1,1).
<code>prior</code>	type of prior to be used c("uniform","beta"). Default "uniform"
<code>bprarg</code>	argument for the beta prior. Default = 1.01

## Details

$$p(\rho|y) = \frac{1}{p(y)} p(\rho) \Gamma(a) (2\pi)^{-a} \frac{|P|}{|Z'Z|^{1/2}} (e'e)^{-a}$$

where  $p(\rho)$  is prior on  $\rho$ , either uniform  $\frac{1}{D}$ ,  $D = 1/\omega_{max} - 1/\omega_{min}$  or beta prior; No priors on beta and sige;  $\omega_{max}$  and  $\omega_{min}$  are the maximum and minimum eigenvalues of  $W$  - spatial weights matrix;

$a = (NT - 2k)/2$ ,  $k$  - number of covariates;

$|P| = |I_N - \rho W|$ ;

$Z = X$  for lag or error model and  $Z = [XWX]$  for Durbin model;

$e = y - Z\delta$ ;  $\delta = |Z'Z|^{-1}Z'y$

Based on MatLab function `log_marginal_panelprob.m`

## Value

A list

<code>lmarginal</code>	log-marginal posterior
<code>probs</code>	model probability

## Author(s)

Rozeta Simonovska

## References

- LeSage, J. P., & Parent, O. (2007). Bayesian model averaging for spatial econometric models. *Geographical Analysis*, 39(3), 241-267.
- LeSage, J. P. (2014). Spatial econometric panel data model specification: A Bayesian approach. *Spatial Statistics*, 9, 122-145.

## Examples

```
data(Produc, package = "plm") ## US States Production data
data(usaww, package = "splm") ## Spatial weights row-normalized matrix of 48 US states
isrownor(usaww)
form1 <- log(gsp) ~ log(pcap) + log(pc) + log(emp) + unemp
res1 <- blmpSDPD(formula = form1, data=Produc, W = usaww, index = c("state","year"),
                  model = list("sar","sdm","sem","sdem"),
                  effect = "twoways")
res1
res2 <- blmpSDPD(formula = form1, data = Produc, W = usaww, index = c("state","year"),
                  model = list("sar","sdm","sem","sdem"),
                  effect = "twoways", dynamic = TRUE)
res2
```

DDistMat

*Double-Power Distance Weights Matrix*

## Description

This function calculates the double-power distance matrix, for a given distance cutoff and a positive exponent.

## Usage

```
DDistMat(distMat, distCutOff = NULL, powr = 2, mevn = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

distMat	distance matrix
distCutOff	distance cutoff. Default = the maximal value from the distance matrix.
powr	power (positive exponent), default 2
mevn	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE, max-eigenvalue normalization is performed.

## Details

W is an  $n \times n$  matrix with elements  $w_{ij}$ ,  $i, j = 1, \dots, n$ , where  $w_{ij} = (1 - (\frac{d_{ij}}{D})^p)^p$ , if  $0 \leq d_{ij} < D$  and  $w_{ij} = 0$ , if  $d_{ij} \geq D$  or  $i = j$ .  $D$  is the cut-off distance point (maximum radius of influence),  $d_{ij}$  is the distance between spatial units  $i$  and  $j$ , and  $p$  is the power value (e.g.  $p = 2, 3, 4, \dots$ ).

**Value**

`W` spatial weights matrix (Default, not normalized)

**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

**Examples**

```
data(gN3dist) ##distance in meters
W1 <- DDistMat(distMat = gN3dist, distCutOff = 300000, powr = 3) ##distance cutoff in meters
dist2 <- gN3dist/1000 ##in km
W2 <- DDistMat(distMat = dist2, 300, 3) ##distance cutoff in kilometers
```

DistWMat

*Distance weights matrix (Inverse distance, Exponential distance or Double-Distance matrix)*

**Description**

This function calculates the spatial distance weights matrix (inverse, exponential or double-distance), with a given cutoff distance and a positive exponent (alpha).

**Usage**

```
DistWMat(
  distMat,
  distCutOff = NULL,
  type = "inverse",
  alpha = NULL,
  mevn = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>distMat</code>	distance matrix
<code>distCutOff</code>	cutoff distance. Default = the maximal value from the distance matrix.
<code>type</code>	the type of distance matrix c("inverse", "expo", "doubled"). Default = "inverse".
<code>alpha</code>	power (positive exponent), default 1 if type="inverse", 0.01 if type="expo" and 2 if type="double"
<code>mevn</code>	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE, max-eigenvalue normalization is performed.

**Value**

`W` spatial weights matrix (Default, not normalized)

**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

**See Also**

[InvDistMat](#) [ExpDistMat](#) [DDistMat](#) vignette("spatial\_matrices", package = "SDPDmod")

**Examples**

```
## distance between centroids of NUTS3 regions in Germany (in meters)
data(gN3dist, package = "SDPDmod")
##inverse distance matrix with cutoff 100000 meters
W1    <- DistWMat(distMat = gN3dist, distCutOff = 100000)
dist2 <- gN3dist/1000 ##distance in km
## normalized exponential distance matrix
W2    <- DistWMat(distMat=dist2, distCutOff = 100, type = "expo", alpha = 2, mevn = TRUE)
```

*eignor*

*Maximum eigenvalue normalization*

**Description**

Maximum eigenvalue row normalization of a spatial weights matrix.

**Usage**

`eignor(W)`

**Arguments**

<code>W</code>	spatial weights matrix
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**Value**

<code>W</code>	Eigenvalue normalized spatial weights matrix
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**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

**See Also**

[rownor](#)

## Examples

```
data(gN3dist)
dist2 <- gN3dist/1000 ##distance in km
W      <- InvDistMat(distMat = dist2, distCutOff = 100, powr = 2)
Wnor   <- eignor(W)
```

ExpDistMat

*Exponential distance matrix*

## Description

This function calculates the (negative) exponential distance matrix, with a given cutoff distance and a positive exponent value.

## Usage

```
ExpDistMat(distMat, distCutOff = NULL, expn = 0.01, mevn = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

distMat	distance matrix
distCutOff	cutoff distance. Default = the maximal value from the distance matrix.
expn	positive exponent, default = 0.01
mevn	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE, max-eigenvalue normalization is performed.

## Details

W is an  $n \times n$  matrix with elements  $w_{ij}$ ,  $i, j = 1, \dots, n$ , where  $w_{ij} = e^{-\alpha d_{ij}}$ , if  $0 \leq d_{ij} < D$  and  $w_{ij} = 0$ , if  $d_{ij} \geq D$  or  $i = j$ .  $D$  is the distance cutoff point (maximum radius of influence),  $d_{ij}$  is the distance between spatial units  $i$  and  $j$ , and  $\alpha$  is the positive exponent (e.g.  $\alpha = 0.01, 0.02, \dots$ ).

## Value

W	spatial weights matrix (Default, not normalized)
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## Author(s)

Rozeta Simonovska

## Examples

```
data(gN3dist) ##distance in meters
W1    <- ExpDistMat(distMat = gN3dist, distCutOff = 100000)
dist2 <- gN3dist/1000 ##in km
W2    <- ExpDistMat(distMat = dist2, distCutOff = 100, expn = 0.02)
W2nor <- ExpDistMat(distMat = dist2, 100000, 0.001, mevn = TRUE)
```

gN3dist

*Distance between the centroids of NUTS3 regions in Germany***Description**

Distance between the centroids of NUTS3 regions in Germany

**Usage**

```
gN3dist
```

**Format**

matrix of distances

impactsSDPDm

*Impacts for 'SDPDm' objects***Description**

Direct and indirect effects estimates

**Usage**

```
impactsSDPDm(res, NSIM = 200, sd = 12345)
```

**Arguments**

- |      |  |
|------|--|
| res  | an object of class 'SDPDm'                           |
| NSIM | number of simulations to be performed, default = 200 |
| sd   | starting seed, default = 12345                       |

**Details**

For dynamic panel data model:

$$y_t = \tau y_{t-1} + \rho W y_t + \eta W y_{t-1} + X_t \beta + W X_t \theta + \alpha + \mu + u_t$$

Short term effects for  $k$ th explanatory variable:

$$(I - \rho W)^{-1}(\beta_k I_n + \theta_k W)$$

Long term effects for  $k$ th explanatory variable:

$$((1 - \tau)I_n - (\rho + \eta)W)^{-1}(\beta_k I_n + \theta_k W)$$

**Value**

An object of class 'impactsSDPDm'

**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

**See Also**

[SDPDm](#)

**InvDistMat**

*Inverse distance matrix*

**Description**

This function calculates the inverse distances, with a given cutoff distance and a positive exponent.

**Usage**

```
InvDistMat(distMat, distCutOff = NULL, powr = 1, mevn = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

distMat	distance matrix
distCutOff	cutoff distance. Default = the maximal value from the distance matrix.
powr	power (positive exponent), default = 1
mevn	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE, max-eigenvalue normalization is performed.

**Details**

$W$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix with elements  $w_{ij}$ ,  $i,j=1..n$ , where  $w_{ij} = 1/d_{ij}^\gamma$ , if  $0 \leq d_{ij} < D$  and  $w_{ij} = 0$ , if  $d_{ij} > D$  or  $i = j$ .  $D$  is the distance cutoff point (maximum radius of influence),  $d_{ij}$  is the distance between spatial units  $i$  and  $j$ , and  $\gamma$  is the value for the exponent (e.g.  $\gamma = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$ ).

**Value**

$W$  weights matrix (Default, not normalized)

**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

## Examples

```
## distance between centroids of NUTS3 regions in Germany (in meters)
data(gN3dist, package = "SDPDmod")
## inverse distance matrix with cutoff 100000 meters
W1    <- InvDistMat(distMat = gN3dist, distCutOff = 100000)
dist2 <- gN3dist/1000 ##distance in km
## normalized distance matrix with cutoff 100km
W2    <- InvDistMat(distMat = dist2, distCutOff=100, powr = 2, mevn = TRUE)
```

**isrownor**

*Is the matrix row-normalized*

## Description

Checks if a spatial weights matrix is row-normalized.

## Usage

```
isrownor(W)
```

## Arguments

<b>W</b>	spatial weights matrix
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## Value

Logical value. If the weights matrix is row-normalized such that all rows sum up to 1, the value is TRUE.

## Author(s)

Rozeta Simonovska

## See Also

[rownor](#)

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mNearestN*m nearest neighbors based on a distance matrix*

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## Description

This function finds the m nearest neighbors, given a matrix of distances.

## Usage

```
mNearestN(distMat, m = 5, listv = FALSE, rn = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

distMat	distance matrix
m	number of nearest neighbors, default value 5
listv	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE the list of neighbors should also be returned
rn	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE, the spatial weights matrix will be row-normalized

## Value

W	spatial weights matrix
nlist	list of indexes of the m nearest neighbors

## Author(s)

Rozeta Simonovska

## Examples

```
data(gN3dist, package = "SDPDmod")
fournn <- mNearestN(gN3dist, m = 4)
mat1   <- rownor(fournn)
tennn  <- mNearestN(gN3dist, 10, listv = TRUE, rn = TRUE)
mat2   <- tennn$W
```

**mOrdNbr***1st to m-th order neighbors matrix***Description**

Finds the 1th to m-th order neighbors matrix.

**Usage**

```
mOrdNbr(sf_pol = NULL, m = 1, neigbs = NULL, listv = FALSE, rn = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>sf_pol</code>	spatial polygons object
<code>m</code>	the order of neighbors up to which they will be included in the weights matrix, default 1
<code>neigbs</code>	neighbors list, default NULL
<code>listv</code>	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE the list of neighbors should also be returned
<code>rn</code>	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE, the weight matrix will be row-normalized

**Value**

<code>W</code>	spatial weights matrix
<code>nlist</code>	list of neighbors

**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

**Examples**

```
library("sf")
ger   <- st_read(system.file(dsn = "shape/GermanyNUTS3.shp", package = "SDPDmod"))
m1thn <- mOrdNbr(ger)
m4thn <- mOrdNbr(ger, 4)
mat1  <- rrownor(m4thn)
m4thn2<- mOrdNbr(ger, 4, listv = TRUE, rn = TRUE)
mat2  <- m4thn2$W
```

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rownor*Row-normalization*

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**Description**

Row-normalization of a spatial weights matrix.

**Usage**

```
rownor(W)
```

**Arguments**

W	spatial weights matrix
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**Value**

W	row-normalized spatial weights matrix
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**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

**See Also**

[eignor](#)

**Examples**

```
library("sf")
ger    <- st_read(system.file(dsn = "shape/GermanyNUTS3.shp", package = "SDPDmod"))
W      <- mOrdNbr(ger, 3)
Wnor  <- rownor(W)
```

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SDPDm

*Spatial dynamic panel data lag model with fixed effects maximum likelihood estimation.*

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**Description**

This function estimates spatial panel model with fixed effects for static or dynamic model. It includes the transformation approach suggested by Yu et al (2008) and Lee and Yu (2010).

## Usage

```
SDPDm(
  formula,
  data,
  W,
  index,
  model,
  effect,
  ldet = NULL,
  lndetspec = list(p = NULL, m = NULL, sd = NULL),
  dynamic = FALSE,
  tlaginfo = list(ind = NULL, tl = FALSE, stl = FALSE),
  LYtrans = FALSE,
  incr = NULL,
  rintrv = TRUE,
  demn = FALSE,
  DIRtrans = FALSE
)
```

## Arguments

formula	a symbolic description for the (static) model to be estimated, not including the dynamic component
data	a data.frame
W	spatial weights matrix
index	the indexes (Names of the variables for the spatial and time component. The spatial is first and the time second.)
model	a models to be calculated, c("sar","sdm"), default = "sar"
effect	type of fixed effects, c("none","individual","time","twoways"), default ="none"
ldet	type of computation of log-determinant, c("full","mc"). Default "full" for smaller problems, "mc" for large problems.
lndetspec	specifications for the calculation of the log-determinant for mcmc calculation. Default list(p=NULL,m=NULL,sd=NULL), if the number of spatial units is >1000 then list(p=30,m=30,sd=12345)
dynamic	logical, if TRUE time lag of the dependent variable is included. Default = FALSE
tlaginfo	specification for the time lag, default = list(ind=NULL,tl=FALSE,stl=FALSE), see details
LYtrans	logical, default FALSE. If the Lee-Yu transformation should be used for bias correction
incr	increment for vector of values for rho
rintrv	logical, default TRUE, calculates eigenvalues of W. If FALSE, the interval for rho is (-1,1)
dumn	logical, if Lee-Yu transformation for demeaning of the variables to remove fixed effects is performed (only used in static models). Default FALSE

**DIRtrans** logical, if direct transformation of variables should be used. Default, FALSE  
(only used in dynamic models with "twoways" effects)

### Details

Based on MatLab functions sar\_jihai.m, sar\_jihai\_time.m and sar\_panel\_FE.m In *tlaginfo* = *list(p* = *NULL*, *m* = *NULL*, *sd* = *NULL*): *ind* i-th column in *data* which represents the time lag *tl* logical, default FALSE. If TRUE  $y_{t-1}$  (the lagged dependent variable in time is included) *stl* logical, default FALSE. If TRUE  $Wy_{t-1}$  (the lagged dependent variable in space and time is included)

### Value

An object of class "SDPDm"

<b>coefficients</b>	coefficients estimate of the model parameters ( <i>coefficientsI</i> for dynamic model)
<b>rho</b>	spatial coefficient
<b>sige</b>	residuals variance
<b>llik</b>	the value of the log likelihood function
...	

### Author(s)

Rozeta Simonovska

### References

- Yu, J., De Jong, R., & Lee, L. F. (2008). Quasi-maximum likelihood estimators for spatial dynamic panel data with fixed effects when both n and T are large. *Journal of Econometrics*, 146(1), 118-134.
- Lee, L. F., & Yu, J. (2010). Estimation of spatial autoregressive panel data models with fixed effects. *Journal of Econometrics*, 154(2), 165-185.
- Lee, L. F., & Yu, J. (2010). A spatial dynamic panel data model with both time and individual fixed effects. *Econometric Theory*, 564-597.

### See Also

`vignette("spatial_model", package = "SDPDmod")`

### Examples

```
library("SDPDmod")
data(Produc, package = "plm")
data(usaww, package = "splm")
form1 <- log(gsp) ~ log(pcap) + log(pc) + log(emp) + unemp
mod1 <- SDPDm(formula = form1, data = Produc, W = usaww, index = c("state", "year"),
               model = "sar", effect = "individual", LYtrans = TRUE)
summary(mod1)
imp1 <- impactsSDPDm(mod1)
```

```
mod2 <- SDPDm(formula = form1, data = Produc, W = usaww, index = c("state", "year"),
                model = "sdm", effect = "twoways", LYtrans = TRUE,
                dynamic = TRUE, tlaginfo=list(ind = NULL, t1 = TRUE, st1 = TRUE))
summary(mod2)
```

**SharedBMat***Shared boundary matrix***Description**

This function calculates the shared boundary matrix

**Usage**

```
SharedBMat(sf_pol, rn = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

sf_pol	spatial polygons, spatial lines object or spatial data frame
rn	logical, default FALSE. If TRUE, the spatial weights matrix is row-normalized

**Value**

W	spatial weights matrix (length of shared boundary between spatial units)
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**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

**Examples**

```
library("sf")
ger <- st_read(system.file(dsn = "shape/GermanyNUTS3.shp", package = "SDPDmod"))
bav <- ger[which(substr(ger$NUTS_CODE, 1, 3) == "DE2"), ] ## Bavaria districts
W <- SharedBMat(bav)
```

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summary.SDPDm	<i>Summary for class "SDPDm"</i>
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**Description**

Method for summarizing the results of objects of class "SDPDm"

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'SDPDm'  
summary(object, ...)
```

**Arguments**

object	object of class "SDPDm"
...	additional arguments to be passed

**Value**

No return value

**Author(s)**

Rozeta Simonovska

**See Also**

SDPDm

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usa46	<i>Spatial weights matrix of 46 USA states</i>
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**Description**

Spatial weights matrix of 46 USA states

**Usage**

usa46

**Format**

binary coded matrix

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