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- https://github.com/mlr-org/mlr3pipelines
- Report bugs at https://github.com/mlr-org/mlr3pipelines/issues

add\_class\_hierarchy\_cache

Add a Class Hierarchy to the Cache

### **Description**

Add a class hierarchy to the class hierarchy cache. This is necessary whenever an S3 class's class hierarchy is important when inferring compatibility between types.

# Usage

```
add_class_hierarchy_cache(hierarchy)
```

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### **Arguments**

hierarchy

character the class hierarchy to add; should correspond to the class() of the lowest object in the hierarchy.

### Value

NULL

### See Also

```
Other class hierarchy operations: register_autoconvert_function(), reset_autoconvert_register(), reset_class_hierarchy_cache()
```

# **Examples**

```
# This lets mlr3pipelines handle "data.table" as "data.frame".
# This is an example and not necessary, because mlr3pipelines adds it by default.
add_class_hierarchy_cache(c("data.table", "data.frame"))
```

as.Multiplicity

Convert an object to a Multiplicity

# **Description**

Convert an object to a Multiplicity.

# Usage

```
as.Multiplicity(x)
```

# **Arguments**

x (any)

Object to convert.

# Value

```
Multiplicity
```

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assert\_graph

Assertion for mlr3pipelines Graph

# Description

Function that checks that a given object is a Graph and throws an error if not.

# Usage

```
assert_graph(x)
```

### **Arguments**

```
x (any)
Object to check.
```

# Value

```
Graph invisible(x)
```

# See Also

```
Other Graph operators: %>>%(), as_graph(), as_pipeop(), assert_pipeop(), chain_graphs(), greplicate(), gunion(), mlr_graphs_greplicate
```

assert\_pipeop

Assertion for mlr3pipelines PipeOp

# **Description**

Function that checks that a given object is a PipeOp and throws an error if not.

### Usage

```
assert_pipeop(x)
```

# **Arguments**

```
x (any)
Object to check.
```

### Value

```
PipeOp invisible(x)
```

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### See Also

```
Other Graph operators: %>>%(), as_graph(), as_pipeop(), assert_graph(), chain_graphs(), greplicate(), gunion(), mlr_graphs_greplicate
```

as\_graph

Conversion to mlr3pipelines Graph

### **Description**

The argument is turned into a Graph if possible. If clone is TRUE, a deep copy is made if the incoming object is a Graph to ensure the resulting object is a different reference from the incoming object.

as\_graph() is an S3 method and can therefore be implemented by other packages that may add objects that can naturally be converted to Graphs.

By default, as\_graph() tries to

- apply gunion() to x if it is a list, which recursively applies as\_graph() to all list elements first
- create a Graph with only one element if x is a PipeOp or can be converted to one using as\_pipeop().

# Usage

```
as\_graph(x, clone = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

```
x (any)
Object to convert.

clone (logical(1))
Whether to return a (deep copied) clone if x is a Graph.
```

#### Value

Graph x or a deep clone of it.

#### See Also

```
Other Graph operators: %>>%(), as_pipeop(), assert_graph(), assert_pipeop(), chain_graphs(), greplicate(), gunion(), mlr_graphs_greplicate
```

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as_pipeop	Conversion to mlr3pipelines PipeOp	

### **Description**

The argument is turned into a PipeOp if possible. If clone is TRUE, a deep copy is made if the incoming object is a PipeOp to ensure the resulting object is a different reference from the incoming object.

as\_pipeop() is an S3 method and can therefore be implemented by other packages that may add objects that can naturally be converted to PipeOps. Objects that can be converted are for example Learner (using PipeOpLearner) or Filter (using PipeOpFilter).

### Usage

```
as_pipeop(x, clone = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

```
x (any)
Object to convert.

clone (logical(1))
Whether to return a (deep copied) clone if x is a PipeOp.
```

#### Value

PipeOp x or a deep clone of it.

### See Also

```
Other Graph operators: %>>%(), as_graph(), assert_graph(), assert_pipeop(), chain_graphs(), greplicate(), gunion(), mlr_graphs_greplicate
```

chain\_graphs

Chain a Series of Graphs

### **Description**

Takes an arbitrary amount of Graphs or PipeOps (or objects that can be automatically converted into Graphs or PipeOps, see as\_graph() and as\_pipeop()) as inputs and joins them in a serial Graph, as if connecting them using %>>%.

Care is taken to avoid unnecessarily cloning of components. A call of chain\_graphs(list(g1, g2, g3, g4, ...), in\_place = FALSE) is equivalent to g1 %>>% g2 %>>!% g3 %>>!% g4 %>>!% ....

A call of chain\_graphs(list(g1, g2, g3, g4, ...), in\_place = FALSE) is equivalent to g1 %>>!% g2 %>>!% g3 %>>!% g4 %>>!% ... (differing in the first operator being %>>!% as well).

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### Usage

```
chain_graphs(graphs, in_place = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

graphs list of (Graph | PipeOp | NULL | . . . )

List of elements which are the Graphs to be joined. Elements must be convertible to Graph or PipeOp using as\_graph() and as\_pipeop(). NULL is the

neutral element of %>>% and skipped.

in\_place (logical(1))

Whether to try to avoid cloning the first element of graphs, similar to the difference of %>>!% over %>>%. This can only be avoided if graphs[[1]] is already a Graph. Beware that, if chain\_graphs() fails because of id collisions, then graphs[[1]] will possibly be in an incompletely modified state when in\_place

is TRUE.

#### Value

Graph the resulting Graph, or NULL if there are no non-null values in graphs.

### See Also

```
Other Graph operators: %>>%(), as_graph(), as_pipeop(), assert_graph(), assert_pipeop(), greplicate(), gunion(), mlr_graphs_greplicate
```

filter\_noop

Remove NO\_OPs from a List

### **Description**

Remove all NO\_OP elements from a list.

# Usage

```
filter_noop(x)
```

### **Arguments**

x list List to filter.

#### Value

list: The input list, with all NO\_OP elements removed.

### See Also

Other Path Branching: NO\_OP, is\_noop(), mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch

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Graph

Graph Base Class

### **Description**

A Graph is a representation of a machine learning pipeline graph. It can be *trained*, and subsequently used for *prediction*.

A Graph is most useful when used together with Learner objects encapsulated as PipeOpLearner. In this case, the Graph produces Prediction data during its \$predict() phase and can be used as a Learner itself (using the GraphLearner wrapper). However, the Graph can also be used without Learner objects to simply perform preprocessing of data, and, in principle, does not even need to handle data at all but can be used for general processes with dependency structure (although the PipeOps for this would need to be written).

#### **Format**

R6Class Graph

### Construction

Graph\$new()

#### **Internals**

A Graph is made up of a list of PipeOps, and a data.table of edges. Both for training and prediction, the Graph performs topological sorting of the PipeOps and executes their respective \$train() or \$predict() functions in order, moving the PipeOp results along the edges as input to other PipeOps.

### **Fields**

- pipeops :: named list of PipeOp

  Contains all PipeOps in the Graph, named by the PipeOp's \$ids.
- edges:: data.table with columns src\_id (character), src\_channel (character), dst\_id (character), dst\_channel (character)

  Table of connections between the PipeOps. A data.table. src\_id and dst\_id are \$ids of PipeOps that must be present in the \$pipeOps list. src\_channel and dst\_channel must respectively be \$output and \$input channel names of the respective PipeOps.
- is\_trained :: logical(1)
  Is the Graph, i.e. are all of its PipeOps, trained, and can the Graph be used for prediction?
- 1hs :: character
  Ids of the 'left-hand-side' PipeOps that have some unconnected input channels and therefore act as Graph input layer.

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- rhs :: character
  Ids of the 'right-hand-side' PipeOps that have some unconnected output channels and therefore act as Graph output layer.
- input :: data.table with columns name (character), train (character), predict (character), op.id (character), channel.name (character)
  Input channels of the Graph. For each channel lists the name, input type during training, input type during prediction, PipeOp \$id of the PipeOp the channel pertains to, and channel name as the PipeOp knows it.
- output :: data.table with columns name (character), train (character), predict (character), op.id (character), channel.name (character)

  Output channels of the Graph. For each channel lists the name, output type during training, output type during prediction, PipeOp \$id of the PipeOp the channel pertains to, and channel name as the PipeOp knows it.
- packages:: character
   Set of all required packages for the various methods in the Graph, a set union of all required packages of all contained PipeOp objects.
- state :: named list
  Get / Set the \$state of each of the members of PipeOp.
- param\_set :: ParamSet

  Parameters and parameter constraints. Parameter values are in \$param\_set\$values. These
  are the union of \$param\_sets of all PipeOps in the Graph. Parameter names as seen by
  the Graph have the naming scheme <PipeOp\$id>.<PipeOp original parameter name>.
  Changing \$param\_set\$values also propagates the changes directly to the contained PipeOps
  and is an alternative to changing a PipeOps \$param\_set\$values directly.
- hash :: character(1)

  Stores a checksum calculated on the Graph configuration, which includes all PipeOp hashes
  (and therefore their \$param\_set\$values) and a hash of \$edges.
- keep\_results:: logical(1)
   Whether to store intermediate results in the PipeOp's \$.result slot, mostly for debugging purposes. Default FALSE.
- man :: character(1)
  Identifying string of the help page that shows with help().

### Methods

- ids(sorted = FALSE)
   (logical(1)) -> character
   Get IDs of all PipeOps. This is in order that PipeOps were added if sorted is FALSE, and topologically sorted if sorted is TRUE.
- add\_pipeop(op)
   (PipeOp | Learner | Filter | . . . ) -> self
   Mutates Graph by adding a PipeOp to the Graph. This does not add any edges, so the new PipeOp will not be connected within the Graph at first.
   Instead of supplying a PipeOp directly, an object that can naturally be converted to a PipeOp can also be supplied, e.g. a Learner or a Filter; see as\_pipeop(). The argument given as op is always cloned; to access a Graph's PipeOps by-reference, use \$pipeops.

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Note that \$add\_pipeop() is a relatively low-level operation, it is recommended to build graphs using %>>%.

• add\_edge(src\_id, dst\_id, src\_channel = NULL, dst\_channel = NULL)
(character(1), character(1)|numeric(1)|NULL, character(1)|numeric(1)|NULL)-> self

Add an edge from PipeOp src\_id, and its channel src\_channel (identified by its name or number as listed in the PipeOp's \$output), to PipeOp dst\_id's channel dst\_channel (identified by its name or number as listed in the PipeOp's \$input). If source or destination PipeOp have only one input / output channel and src\_channel / dst\_channel are therefore unambiguous, they can be omitted (i.e. left as NULL).

chain(gs, clone = TRUE)
 (list of Graphs, logical(1)) -> self
 Takes a list of Graphs or PipeOps (or objects that can be automatically converted into Graphs or PipeOps, see as\_graph() and as\_pipeop()) as inputs and joins them in a serial Graph coming after self, as if connecting them using %>>%.

plot(html) (logical(1)) -> NULL

Plot the Graph, using either the **igraph** package (for html = FALSE, default) or the visNetwork package for html = TRUE producing a htmlWidget. The htmlWidget can be rescaled using visOptions.

• print(dot = FALSE, dotname = "dot", fontsize = 24L)
(logical(1), character(1), integer(1)) -> NULL
Print a representation of the Graph on the console. If dot is FALSE, output is a table with one row for each contained PipeOp and columns ID (\$id of PipeOp), State (short representation of \$state of PipeOp), sccssors (PipeOps that take their input directly from the PipeOp on this line), and prdcssors (the PipeOps that produce the data that is read as input by the PipeOp on this line). If dot is TRUE, print a DOT representation of the Graph on the console. The DOT output can be named via the argument dotname and the fontsize can also be specified.

set\_names(old, new)
 (character, character) -> self
 Rename PipeOps: Change ID of each PipeOp as identified by old to the corresponding item in new. This should be used instead of changing a PipeOp's \$id value directly!

• update\_ids(prefix = "", postfix = "") (character, character) -> self

Pre- or postfix PipeOp's existing ids. Both prefix and postfix default to "", i.e. no changes.

• train(input, single\_input = TRUE) (any, logical(1)) -> named list

Train Graph by traversing the Graphs' edges and calling all the PipeOp's \$train methods in turn. Return a named list of outputs for each unconnected PipeOp out-channel, named according to the Graph's \$output name column. During training, the \$state member of each PipeOps will be set and the \$is\_trained slot of the Graph (and each individual PipeOp) will consequently be set to TRUE.

If single\_input is TRUE, the input value will be sent to each unconnected PipeOp's input channel (as listed in the Graph's \$input). Typically, input should be a Task, although this is dependent on the PipeOps in the Graph. If single\_input is FALSE, then input should be a list with the same length as the Graph's \$input table has rows; each list item will be sent to a corresponding input channel of the Graph. If input is a named list, names must

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correspond to input channel names (\$input\$name) and inputs will be sent to the channels by name; otherwise they will be sent to the channels in order in which they are listed in \$input.

predict(input, single\_input = TRUE)
 (any, logical(1)) -> list of any
 Predict with the Graph by calling all the PipeOp's \$train methods. Input and output, as well as the function of the single\_input argument, are analogous to \$train().

help(help\_type)
 (character(1)) -> help file
 Displays the help file of the concrete PipeOp instance. help\_type is one of "text", "html",
 "pdf" and behaves as the help\_type argument of R's help().

# See Also

Other mlr3pipelines backend related: PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_graphs, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
g = Graph$new()$
   add_pipeop(PipeOpScale$new(id = "scale"))$
   add_pipeop(PipeOpPCA$new(id = "pca"))$
   add_edge("scale", "pca")
g$input
g$output

task = tsk("iris")
trained = g$train(task)
trained[[1]]$data()

task$filter(1:10)
predicted = g$predict(task)
predicted[[1]]$data()
```

greplicate

Create Disjoint Graph Union of Copies of a Graph

# Description

Create a new Graph containing n copies of the input Graph / PipeOp. To avoid ID collisions, PipeOp IDs are suffixed with \_i where i ranges from 1 to n.

This function is deprecated and will be removed in the next version in favor of using pipeline\_greplicate / ppl("greplicate").

### Usage

```
greplicate(graph, n)
```

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### **Arguments**

graph Graph

Graph to replicate.

n integer(1) Number of copies to create.

### Value

Graph containing n copies of input graph.

### See Also

```
Other Graph operators: %>>%(), as_graph(), as_pipeop(), assert_graph(), assert_pipeop(), chain_graphs(), gunion(), mlr_graphs_greplicate
```

gunion

Disjoint Union of Graphs

#### **Description**

Takes an arbitrary amount of Graphs or PipeOps (or objects that can be automatically converted into Graphs or PipeOps, see as\_graph() and as\_pipeop()) as inputs and joins them in a new Graph.

The PipeOps of the input Graphs are not joined with new edges across Graphs, so if length(graphs) > 1, the resulting Graph will be disconnected.

This operation always creates deep copies of its input arguments, so they cannot be modified by reference afterwards. To access individual PipeOps after composition, use the resulting Graph's \$pipeops list.

### Usage

```
gunion(graphs, in_place = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

graphs list of (Graph | PipeOp | NULL | . . . )

List of elements which are the Graphs to be joined. Elements must be convertible to Graph or PipeOp using as\_graph() and as\_pipeop(). NULL values automatically get converted to PipeOpNOP with a random ID of the format nop\_\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*. The list can be named, in which case the IDs of the elements

are prefixed with the names, separated by a dot (.).

in\_place (logical(1)|logical)

Whether to try to avoid cloning the first element of graphs, similar to the difference of %>>!% over %>>%. This can only be avoided if graphs[[1]] is already a Graph.

Unlike chain\_graphs(), gunion() does all checks *before* mutating graphs[[1]], so it will not leave graphs[[1]] in an incompletely modified state when it fails. in\_place may also be of length graph, in which case it determines for each element of graphs whether it is cloned. This is for internal usage and is not recommended.

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# Value

Graph the resulting Graph.

### See Also

Other Graph operators: %>>%(), as\_graph(), as\_pipeop(), assert\_graph(), assert\_pipeop(), chain\_graphs(), greplicate(), mlr\_graphs\_greplicate

is.Multiplicity

Check if an object is a Multiplicity

# Description

Check if an object is a Multiplicity.

# Usage

```
is.Multiplicity(x)
```

# Arguments

x (any)

Object to check.

### Value

logical(1)

is\_noop

Test for NO\_OP

# Description

Test whether a given object is a NO\_OP.

# Usage

is\_noop(x)

# Arguments

Χ

any

Object to test.

# Value

```
logical(1): Whether x is a NO_OP.
```

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### See Also

Other Path Branching: NO\_OP, filter\_noop(), mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch

mlr\_graphs

Dictionary of (sub-)graphs

### **Description**

A simple Dictionary storing objects of class Graph. The dictionary contains a collection of often-used graph structures, and it's aim is solely to make often-used functions more accessible. Each Graph has an associated help page, which can be accessed via ?mlr\_graphs\_<key>, i.e. ?mlr\_graphs\_bagging.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from mlr3misc::Dictionary.

#### Methods

Methods inherited from Dictionary, as well as:

```
    add(key, value)
        (character(1), function)
        Adds constructor value to the dictionary with key key, potentially overwriting a previously stored item.
```

### S3 methods

```
• as.data.table(dict)
Dictionary -> data.table::data.table
Returns a data.table with column key (character).
```

### See Also

```
Other mlr3pipelines backend related: Graph, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops

Other Dictionaries: mlr_pipeops
```

### **Examples**

```
library(mlr3)
lrn = lrn("regr.rpart")
task = mlr_tasks$get("boston_housing")

# Robustify the learner for the task.
gr = pipeline_robustify(task, lrn) %>>% po("learner", lrn)
# or equivalently
gr = mlr_graphs$get("robustify", task = task, learner = lrn) %>>% po(lrn)
```

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```
# or equivalently
gr = ppl("robustify", task, lrn) %>>% po("learner", lrn)
# all Graphs currently in the dictionary:
as.data.table(mlr_graphs)
```

mlr\_graphs\_bagging

Create a bagging learner

### **Description**

Creates a Graph that performs bagging for a supplied graph. This is done as follows:

- Subsample the data in each step using PipeOpSubsample, afterwards apply graph
- Replicate this step iterations times (in parallel via multiplicities)
- Average outputs of replicated graphs predictions using the averager (note that setting collect\_multipliciy
   TRUE is required)

All input arguments are cloned and have no references in common with the returned Graph.

### Usage

```
pipeline_bagging(graph, iterations = 10, frac = 0.7, averager = NULL)
```

# Arguments

graph PipeOplGraph

A PipeOpLearner or Graph to create a robustifying pipeline for. Outputs from

the replicated graphs are connected with the averager.

iterations integer(1)

Number of bagging iterations. Defaults to 10.

frac numeric(1)

Percentage of rows to keep during subsampling. See PipeOpSubsample for

more information. Defaults to 0.7.

averager PipeOplGraph

A PipeOp or Graph that averages the predictions from the replicated and subsampled graph's. In the simplest case, po("classifavg") and po("regravg") can be used in order to perform simple averaging of classification and regression predictions respectively. If NULL (default), no averager is added to the end of the graph. Note that setting collect\_multipliciy = TRUE during construction of

the averager is required.

#### Value

Graph

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### **Examples**

```
library(mlr3)
lrn_po = po("learner", lrn("regr.rpart"))
task = mlr_tasks$get("boston_housing")
gr = pipeline_bagging(lrn_po, 3, averager = po("regravg", collect_multiplicity = TRUE))
resample(task, GraphLearner$new(gr), rsmp("holdout"))
```

mlr\_graphs\_branch

Branch Between Alternative Paths

### **Description**

Create a multiplexed graph.

All input arguments are cloned and have no references in common with the returned Graph.

### Usage

```
pipeline_branch(graphs, prefix_branchops = "", prefix_paths = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

graphs list of Graph

Multiple graphs, possibly named. They all must have exactly one output. If any

of the arguments are named, then all must have unique names.

prefix\_branchops

character(1)

Optional id prefix to prepend to PipeOpBranch and PipeOpUnbranch id. Their

resulting IDs will be "[prefix\_branchops]branch" and "[prefix\_branchops]unbranch".

Default is "".

prefix\_paths logical(1)|character(1)

Whether to add prefixes to graph IDs when performing gunion. Can be helpful to avoid ID clashes in resulting graph. Default FALSE. If this is TRUE, the prefixes are taken from the names of the input arguments if present or "poX" where X counts up. If this is a character(1), it is a prefix that is added to the PipeOp

IDs additionally to the input argument list.

# Value

Graph

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

po_pca = po("pca")
po_nop = po("nop")

branches = pipeline_branch(list(pca = po_pca, nothing = po_nop))
# gives the same as

branches = c("pca", "nothing")
po("branch", branches) %>>%
    gunion(list(po_pca, po_nop)) %>>%
    po("unbranch", branches)

pipeline_branch(list(pca = po_pca, nothing = po_nop),
    prefix_branchops = "br_", prefix_paths = "xy_")
# gives the same as
po("branch", branches, id = "br_branch") %>>%
    gunion(list(xy_pca = po_pca, xy_nothing = po_nop)) %>>%
    po("unbranch", branches, id = "br_unbranch")
```

mlr\_graphs\_greplicate Create Disjoint Graph Union of Copies of a Graph

### **Description**

Create a new Graph containing n copies of the input Graph / PipeOp. To avoid ID collisions, PipeOp IDs are suffixed with \_i where i ranges from 1 to n.

All input arguments are cloned and have no references in common with the returned Graph.

# Usage

```
pipeline_greplicate(graph, n)
```

# Arguments

graph
Graph to replicate.

n integer(1) Number of copies to create.

# Value

Graph containing n copies of input graph.

#### See Also

```
Other Graph operators: %>>%(), as_graph(), as_pipeop(), assert_graph(), assert_pipeop(), chain_graphs(), greplicate(), gunion()
```

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### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
po_pca = po("pca")
pipeline_greplicate(po_pca, n = 2)
```

mlr\_graphs\_ovr

Create A Graph to Perform "One vs. Rest" classification.

# Description

Create a new Graph for a classification Task to perform "One vs. Rest" classification.

All input arguments are cloned and have no references in common with the returned Graph.

### Usage

```
pipeline_ovr(graph)
```

### **Arguments**

graph

Graph

Graph being wrapped between PipeOpOVRSplit and PipeOpOVRUnite. The Graph should return NULL during training and a classification Prediction during prediction.

### Value

Graph

# Examples

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("wine")

learner = lrn("classif.rpart")
learner$predict_type = "prob"

# Simple OVR
g1 = pipeline_ovr(learner)
g1$train(task)
g1$predict(task)

# Bagged Learners
gr = po("replicate", reps = 3) %>>%
    po("subsample") %>>%
    learner %>>%
    po("classifavg", collect_multiplicity = TRUE)
```

```
g2 = pipeline_ovr(gr)
g2$train(task)
g2$predict(task)

# Bagging outside OVR
g3 = po("replicate", reps = 3) %>>%
    pipeline_ovr(po("subsample") %>>% learner) %>>%
    po("classifavg", collect_multiplicity = TRUE)
g3$train(task)
g3$predict(task)
```

mlr\_graphs\_robustify Robustify a learner

### **Description**

Creates a Graph that can be used to robustify any subsequent learner. Performs the following steps:

- Drops empty factor levels using PipeOpFixFactors
- Imputes numeric features using PipeOpImputeHist and PipeOpMissInd
- Imputes factor features using PipeOpImputeOOR
- Encodes factors using one-hot-encoding. Factors with a cardinality > max\_cardinality are collapsed using PipeOpCollapseFactors

The graph is built conservatively, i.e. the function always tries to assure everything works. If a learner is provided, some steps can be left out, i.e. if the learner can deal with factor variables, no encoding is performed.

All input arguments are cloned and have no references in common with the returned Graph.

### Usage

```
pipeline_robustify(
  task = NULL,
  learner = NULL,
  impute_missings = NULL,
  factors_to_numeric = NULL,
  max_cardinality = 1000,
  ordered_action = "factor",
  character_action = "factor",
  POSIXct_action = "numeric"
)
```

### **Arguments**

task Task

A Task to create a robustifying pipeline for. Optional, if omitted, the "worst possible" Task is assumed and the full pipeline is created.

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learner

Learner

A learner to create a robustifying pipeline for. Optional, if omitted, the "worst possible" Learner is assumed and a more conservative pipeline is built.

impute\_missings

logical(1) | NULL

Should missing values be imputed? Defaults to NULL: imputes if the task has missing values (or factors that are not encoded to numerics) and the learner can not handle them.

factors\_to\_numeric

logical(1) | NULL

Should (ordered and unordered) factors be encoded? Defaults to NULL: encodes if the task has factors (or character columns that get converted to factor) and the learner can not handle factors.

max\_cardinality

integer(1)

Maximum number of factor levels allowed. See above. Default: 1000.

ordered\_action character(1)

How to handle ordered columns: "factor" (default) or "factor!": convert to factor columns; "numeric" or "numeric!": convert to numeric columns; "integer" or "integer!": convert to integer columns; "ignore" or "ignore!": ignore. When task is given and has no ordered columns, or when learner is given and can handle ordered, then "factor", "numeric" and "integer" are treated like "ignore". This means it is necessary to add the exclamation point to override Task or Learner properties when given. "ignore" and "ignore!" therefore behave completely identically, "ignore!" is only present for consistency.

When ordered features are converted to factor, then they are treated like factor features further down in the pipeline, and are possibly eventually converted to numerics, but in a different way: factors get one-hot encoded, ordered\_action = "numeric" converts ordered using as.numeric to their integer-valued rank.

character\_action

character(1)

How to handle character columns: "factor" (default) or "factor!": convert to factor columns; "matrix" or "matrix!": Use PipeOpTextVectorizer. "ignore" or "ignore!": ignore. When task is given and has no character columns, or when learner is given and can handle character, then "factor" and "matrix" are treated like "ignore". This means it is necessary to add the exclamation point to override Task or Learner properties when given. "ignore" and "ignore!" therefore behave completely identically, "ignore!" is only present for consistency.

When character columns are converted to factor, then they are treated like factor further down in the pipeline, and are possibly eventually converted to numerics, using one-hot encoding.

POSIXct\_action character(1)

How to handle POSIXct columns: "numeric" (default) or "numeric!": convert to numeric columns; "datefeatures" or "datefeatures!": Use PipeOpDateFeatures. "ignore" or "ignore!": ignore. When task is given and has no POSIXct columns, or when learner is given and can handle POSIXct, then "numeric"

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and "datefeatures" are treated like "ignore". This means it is necessary to add the exclamation point to override Task or Learner properties when given. "ignore" and "ignore!" therefore behave completely identically, "ignore!" is only present for consistency.

#### Value

Graph

### **Examples**

```
library(mlr3)
lrn = lrn("regr.rpart")
task = mlr_tasks$get("boston_housing")
gr = pipeline_robustify(task, lrn) %>>% po("learner", lrn)
resample(task, GraphLearner$new(gr), rsmp("holdout"))
```

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Create A Graph to Perform Stacking.

# Description

Create a new Graph for stacking. A stacked learner uses predictions of several base learners and fits a super learner using these predictions as features in order to predict the outcome.

All input arguments are cloned and have no references in common with the returned Graph.

### Usage

```
pipeline_stacking(
  base_learners,
  super_learner,
  method = "cv",
  folds = 3,
   use_features = TRUE
)
```

# Arguments

base\_learners list of Learner

A list of base learners.

super\_learner Learner

The super learner that makes the final prediction based on the base learners.

method character(1)

"cv" (default) for building a super learner using cross-validated predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the base learner using the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the predictions of the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the base learner using the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the base learner using the base learners or "insample" for building a super learner using the base learner using t

tions of the base learners trained on all training data.

```
folds integer(1)
```

Number of cross-validation folds. Only used for method = "cv". Default 3.

use\_features logical(1)

Whether the original features should also be passed to the super learner. Default

TRUE.

#### Value

Graph

### **Examples**

```
if (requireNamespace("kknn")) {
library(mlr3)
library(mlr3learners)

base_learners = list(
    lrn("classif.rpart", predict_type = "prob"),
    lrn("classif.kknn", predict_type = "prob")
)
super_learner = lrn("classif.log_reg")

graph_stack = pipeline_stacking(base_learners, super_learner)
graph_learner = as_learner(graph_stack)
graph_learner$train(tsk("german_credit"))
}
```

mlr\_graphs\_targettrafo

Transform and Re-Transform the Target Variable

### **Description**

Wraps a Graph that transforms a target during training and inverts the transformation during prediction. This is done as follows:

- Specify a transformation and inversion function using any subclass of PipeOpTargetTrafo, defaults to PipeOpTargetMutate, afterwards apply graph.
- At the very end, during prediction the transformation is inverted using PipeOpTargetInvert.
- To set a transformation and inversion function for PipeOpTargetMutate see the parameters trafo and inverter of the param\_set of the resulting Graph.
- Note that the input graph is not explicitly checked to actually return a Prediction during prediction.

All input arguments are cloned and have no references in common with the returned Graph.

### Usage

```
pipeline_targettrafo(
   graph,
   trafo_pipeop = PipeOpTargetMutate$new(),
   id_prefix = ""
)
```

### **Arguments**

graph PipeOpLearner | Graph

A PipeOpLearner or Graph to wrap between a transformation and re-transformation

of the target variable.

trafo\_pipeop PipeOp

A PipeOp that is a subclass of PipeOpTargetTrafo. Default is PipeOpTargetMutate.

id\_prefix character(1)

Optional id prefix to prepend to PipeOpTargetInvert ID. The resulting ID will

be "[id\_prefix]targetinvert". Default is "".

#### Value

Graph

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
tt = pipeline_targettrafo(PipeOpLearner$new(LearnerRegrRpart$new()))
tt*param_set*values*targetmutate.trafo = function(x) log(x, base = 2)
tt*param_set*values*targetmutate.inverter = function(x) list(response = 2 ^ x*response)
# gives the same as
g = Graph$new()
g$add_pipeop(PipeOpTargetMutate$new(param_vals = list(
  trafo = function(x) log(x, base = 2),
  inverter = function(x) list(response = 2 ^ x$response))
  )
)
g$add_pipeop(LearnerRegrRpart$new())
g$add_pipeop(PipeOpTargetInvert$new())
g$add_edge(src_id = "targetmutate", dst_id = "targetinvert",
  src_channel = 1, dst_channel = 1)
g$add_edge(src_id = "targetmutate", dst_id = "regr.rpart",
  src_channel = 2, dst_channel = 1)
g$add_edge(src_id = "regr.rpart", dst_id = "targetinvert",
  src_channel = 1, dst_channel = 2)
```

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mlr\_learners\_avg Optimized Weighted Average of Features for Classification and Regression

# **Description**

Computes a weighted average of inputs. Used in the context of computing weighted averages of predictions.

Predictions are averaged using weights (in order of appearance in the data) which are optimized using nonlinear optimization from the package **nloptr** for a measure provided in measure. (defaults to classif.ce for LearnerClassifAvg and regr.mse for LearnerRegrAvg). Learned weights can be obtained from \$model. This Learner implements and generalizes an approach proposed in LeDell (2015) that uses non-linear optimization in order to learn base-learner weights that optimize a given performance metric (e.g AUC). The approach is similar but not exactly the same as the one implemented as AUC in the **SuperLearner** R package (when metric is "classif.auc"). For a more detailed analysis and the general idea, the reader is referred to LeDell (2015).

Note, that weights always sum to 1 by division by sum(weights) before weighting incoming features.

### Usage

```
mlr_learners_regr.avg
```

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from mlr3::LearnerClassif/mlr3::Learner.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from LearnerClassif, as well as:

- measure :: Measure | character Measure to optimize for. Will be converted to a Measure in case it is character. Initialized to "classif.ce", i.e. misclassification error for classification and "regr.mse", i.e. mean squared error for regression.
- optimizer: Optimizer | character(1)
   Optimizer used to find optimal thresholds. If character, converts to Optimizer via opt.
   Initialized to OptimizerNLoptr. Nloptr hyperparameters are initialized to xtol\_rel = 1e-8, algorithm = "NLOPT\_LN\_COBYLA" and equal initial weights for each learner. For more fine-grained control, it is recommended to supply a instantiated Optimizer.
- log\_level :: character(1) | integer(1) Set a temporary log-level for lgr::get\_logger("bbotk"). Initialized to: "warn".

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# Methods

```
    LearnerClassifAvg$new(), id = "classif.avg")
        (chr) -> self
        Constructor.
    LearnerRegrAvg$new(), id = "regr.avg")
        (chr) -> self
        Constructor.
```

#### References

LeDell, Erin (2015). Scalable Ensemble Learning and Computationally Efficient Variance Estimation. Ph.D. thesis, UC Berkeley.

#### See Also

```
Other Learners: mlr_learners_graph

Other Ensembles: PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_regravg
```

mlr\_learners\_graph Encapsulate a Graph as a Learner

### **Description**

A Learner that encapsulates a Graph to be used in mlr3 resampling and benchmarks.

The Graph must return a single Prediction on its \$predict() call. The result of the \$train() call is discarded, only the internal state changes during training are used.

The predict\_type of a GraphLearner can be obtained or set via it's predict\_type active binding. Setting a new predict type will try to set the predict\_type in all relevant PipeOp / Learner encapsulated within the Graph. Similarly, the predict\_type of a Graph will always be the smallest denominator in the Graph.

A GraphLearner is always constructed in an untrained state. When the graph argument has a non-NULL \$state, it is ignored.

### Format

R6Class object inheriting from mlr3::Learner.

#### Construction

```
GraphLearner$new(graph, id = NULL, param_vals = list(), task_type = NULL, predict_type = NULL)
```

• graph :: Graph | PipeOp Graph to wrap. Can be a PipeOp, which is automatically converted to a Graph. This argument is usually cloned, unless clone\_graph is FALSE; to access the Graph inside GraphLearner by-reference, use \$graph.

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- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting Learner.
- param\_vals :: named list
  List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings . Default list().
- task\_type :: character(1)
   What task\_type the GraphLearner should have; usually automatically inferred for Graphs that are simple enough.
- predict\_type :: character(1)
  What predict\_type the GraphLearner should have; usually automatically inferred for Graphs that are simple enough.
- clone\_graph :: logical(1)
  Whether to clone graph upon construction. Unintentionally changing graph by reference can lead to unexpected behaviour, so TRUE (default) is recommended. In particular, note that the \$state of \$graph is set to NULL by reference on construction of GraphLearner, during \$train(), and during \$predict() when clone\_graph is FALSE.

### **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOp, as well as:

- graph :: Graph Graph that is being wrapped. This field contains the prototype of the Graph that is being trained, but does *not* contain the model. Use graph\_model to access the trained Graph after \$train(). Read-only.
- graph\_model :: Learner
  Graph that is being wrapped. This Graph contains a trained state after \$train(). Read-only.

# Internals

as\_graph() is called on the graph argument, so it can technically also be a list of things, which is automatically converted to a Graph via gunion(); however, this will usually not result in a valid Graph that can work as a Learner. graph can furthermore be a Learner, which is then automatically wrapped in a Graph, which is then again wrapped in a GraphLearner object; this usually only adds overhead and is not recommended.

#### See Also

Other Learners: mlr\_learners\_avg

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
graph = po("pca") %>>% lrn("classif.rpart")
lr = GraphLearner$new(graph)
lr = as_learner(graph) # equivalent
lr$train(tsk("iris"))
```

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```
lr$graph$state # untrained version!
# The following is therefore NULL:
lr$graph$pipeops$classif.rpart$learner_model$model
# To access the trained model from the PipeOpLearner's Learner, use:
lr$graph_model$pipeops$classif.rpart$learner_model$model
# Feature importance (of principal components):
lr$graph_model$pipeops$classif.rpart$learner_model$importance()
```

mlr\_pipeops

Dictionary of PipeOps

# Description

A simple Dictionary storing objects of class PipeOp. Each PipeOp has an associated help page, see mlr\_pipeops\_[id].

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from mlr3misc::Dictionary.

#### **Fields**

Fields inherited from Dictionary, as well as:

• metainf :: environment Environment that stores the metainf argument of the \$add() method. Only for internal use.

#### Methods

Methods inherited from Dictionary, as well as:

add(key, value, metainf = NULL)
 (character(1), R6ClassGenerator, NULL | list)
 Adds constructor value to the dictionary with key key, potentially overwriting a previously stored item. If metainf is not NULL (the default), it must be a list of arguments that will be given to the value constructor (i.e. value\$new()) when it needs to be constructed for as.data.table PipeOp listing.

### S3 methods

• as.data.table(dict)
Dictionary -> data.table::data.table

Returns a data.table with columns key (character), packages (character), input.num (integer), output.num(integer), input.type.train(character), input.type.predict (character), output.type.train(character), output.type.predict (character).

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Other mlr3pipelines backend related: Graph, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,

#### See Also

PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_graphs, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputecons mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconsta mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscal mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson Other Dictionaries: mlr\_graphs

#### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
mlr_pipeops$get("learner", lrn("classif.rpart"))
# equivalent:
po("learner", learner = lrn("classif.rpart"))
# all PipeOps currently in the dictionary:
as.data.table(mlr_pipeops)[, c("key", "input.num", "output.num", "packages")]
```

mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox

Box-Cox Transformation of Numeric Features

# **Description**

Conducts a Box-Cox transformation on numeric features. The lambda parameter of the transformation is estimated during training and used for both training and prediction transformation. See bestNormalize::boxcox() for details.

#### Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Construction

```
PipeOpBoxCox$new(id = "boxcox", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "boxcox".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

### **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features replaced by their transformed versions.

### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as a list of class boxcox for each column, which is transformed.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- standardize :: logical(1)
  Whether to center and scale the transformed values to attempt a standard normal distribution.
  For details see boxcox().
- eps :: numeric(1)

  Tolerance parameter to identify if lambda parameter is equal to zero. For details see boxcox().
- lower :: numeric(1)
  Lower value for estimation of lambda parameter. For details see boxcox().
- upper :: numeric(1)
  Upper value for estimation of lambda parameter. For details see boxcox().

#### **Internals**

Uses the bestNormalize::boxcox function.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

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mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("boxcox")

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
pop$state
```

mlr\_pipeops\_branch

Path Branching

### Description

Perform alternative path branching: PipeOpBranch has multiple output channels that connect to different paths in a Graph. At any time, only one of these paths will be taken for execution. At the end of the different paths, the PipeOpUnbranch PipeOp must be used to indicate the end of alternative paths.

Not to be confused with PipeOpCopy, the naming scheme is a bit unfortunate.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

#### Construction

```
PipeOpBranch$new(options, id = "branch", param_vals = list())
```

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• options :: numeric(1) | character If options is an integer number, it determines the number of output channels / options that are created, named output1...output<n>. The \$selection parameter will then be a ParamInt. If options is a character, it determines the names of channels directly. The \$selection parameter will then be a ParamFct.

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "branch".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

### **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpBranch has one input channel named "input", taking any input ("\*") both during training and prediction.

PipeOpBranch has multiple output channels depending on the options construction argument, named "output1", "output2", ... if options is numeric, and named after each options value if options is a character. All output channels produce the object given as input ("\*") or NO\_OP, both during training and prediction.

#### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

### **Parameters**

• selection :: numeric(1) | character(1) Selection of branching path to take. Is a ParamInt if the options parameter during construction was a numeric(1), and ranges from 1 to options. Is a ParamFct if the options parameter was a character and its possible values are the options values. Initialized to either 1 (if the options construction argument is numeric(1)) or the first element of options (if it is character).

### **Internals**

Alternative path branching is handled by the PipeOp backend. To indicate that a path should not be taken, PipeOpBranch returns the NO\_OP object on its output channel. The PipeOp handles each NO\_OP input by automatically returning a NO\_OP output without calling private\$.train() or private\$.predict(), until PipeOpUnbranch is reached. PipeOpUnbranch will then take multiple inputs, all except one of which must be a NO\_OP, and forward the only non-NO\_OP object on its output.

#### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

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#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_chunk, mlr_pipeops_classbalancing,
mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply, mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors,
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mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

Other Path Branching: NO\_OP, filter\_noop(), is\_noop(), mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

pca = po("pca")
nop = po("nop")
choices = c("pca", "nothing")
gr = po("branch", choices) %>>%
    gunion(list(pca, nop)) %>>%
    po("unbranch", choices)

gr$param_set$values$branch.selection = "pca"
gr$train(tsk("iris"))
gr$param_set$values$branch.selection = "nothing"
gr$train(tsk("iris"))
```

mlr\_pipeops\_chunk

Chunk Input into Multiple Outputs

### **Description**

Chunks its input into outnum chunks. Creates outnum Tasks during training, and simply passes on the input during outnum times during prediction.

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#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

#### Construction

```
PipeOpChunk$new(outnum, id = "chunk", param_vals = list())
```

- outnum :: numeric(1)

  Number of output channels, and therefore number of chunks created.
- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "chunk".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output**

PipeOpChunk has one input channel named "input", taking a Task both during training and prediction.

PipeOpChunk has multiple output channels depending on the options construction argument, named "output1", "output2", ... All output channels produce (respectively disjoint, random) subsets of the input Task during training, and pass on the original Task during prediction.

#### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

• shuffle :: logical(1) Should the data be shuffled before chunking? Initialized to TRUE.

#### Internals

```
Uses the mlr3misc::chunk_vector() function.
```

# Fields

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeconstant, mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconst mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscal mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

# **Examples**

# Description

Both undersamples a Task to keep only a fraction of the rows of the majority class, as well as oversamples (repeats data points) rows of the minority class.

Sampling happens only during training phase. Class-balancing a Task by sampling may be beneficial for classification with imbalanced training data.

## Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

PipeOpClassBalancing\$new(id = "classbalancing", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, default "classbalancing"
- param\_vals :: named list
  List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
  be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc. Instead of a Task, a TaskClassif is used as input and output during training and prediction.

The output during training is the input Task with added or removed rows to balance target classes. The output during prediction is the unchanged input.

# State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc; however, the affect\_columns parameter is *not* present. Further parameters are:

- ratio :: numeric(1)
  Ratio of number of rows of classes to keep, relative to the \$reference value. Initialized to 1.
- reference :: numeric(1)
  What the \$ratio value is measured against. Can be "all" (mean instance count of all classes),
  "major" (instance count of class with most instances), "minor" (instance count of class with
  fewest instances), "nonmajor" (average instance count of all classes except the major one),
  "nonminor" (average instance count of all classes except the minor one), and "one" (\$ratio
  determines the number of instances to have, per class). Initialized to "all".
- adjust :: numeric(1)
  Which classes to up / downsample. Can be "all" (up and downsample all to match required instance count), "major", "minor", "nonmajor", "nonminor" (see respective values for \$reference), "upsample" (only upsample), and "downsample". Initialized to "all".
- shuffle :: logical(1)
  Whether to shuffle the rows of the resulting task. In case the data is upsampled and shuffle
  = FALSE, the resulting task will have the original rows (which were not removed in down-sampling) in the original order, followed by all newly added rows ordered by target class.
  Initialized to TRUE.

# **Internals**

Up / downsampling happens as follows: At first, a "target class count" is calculated, by taking the mean class count of all classes indicated by the reference parameter (e.g. if reference is "nonmajor": the mean class count of all classes that are not the "major" class, i.e. the class with the

most samples) and multiplying this with the value of the ratio parameter. If reference is "one", then the "target class count" is just the value of ratio (i.e. 1 \* ratio).

Then for each class that is referenced by the adjust parameter (e.g. if adjust is "nonminor": each class that is not the class with the fewest samples), PipeOpClassBalancing either throws out samples (downsampling), or adds additional rows that are equal to randomly chosen samples (upsampling), until the number of samples for these classes equals the "target class count".

Uses task\$filter() to remove rows. When identical rows are added during upsampling, then the task\$row\_roles\$use can *not* be used to duplicate rows because of [inaudible]; instead the task\$rbind() function is used, and a new data.table is attached that contains all rows that are being duplicated exactly as many times as they are being added.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply, mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors,
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mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
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mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("spam")
opb = po("classbalancing")

# target class counts
table(task$truth())
```

```
# double the instances in the minority class (spam)
opb$param_set$values = list(ratio = 2, reference = "minor",
    adjust = "minor", shuffle = FALSE)
result = opb$train(list(task))[[1L]]
table(result$truth())

# up or downsample all classes until exactly 20 per class remain
opb$param_set$values = list(ratio = 20, reference = "one",
    adjust = "all", shuffle = FALSE)
result = opb$train(list(task))[[1]]
table(result$truth())
```

mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg

Majority Vote Prediction

# Description

Perform (weighted) majority vote prediction from classification Predictions by connecting PipeOpClassifAvg to multiple PipeOpLearner outputs.

Always returns a "prob" prediction, regardless of the incoming Learner's \$predict\_type. The label of the class with the highest predicted probability is selected as the "response" prediction. If the Learner's \$predict\_type is set to "prob", the prediction obtained is also a "prob" type prediction with the probability predicted to be a weighted average of incoming predictions.

All incoming Learner's \$predict\_type must agree.

Weights can be set as a parameter; if none are provided, defaults to equal weights for each prediction. Defaults to equal weights for each model.

If '

#### **Format**

R6Class inheriting from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

# Construction

PipeOpClassifAvg\$new(innum = 0, collect\_multiplicity = FALSE, id = "classifavg", param\_vals = list())

- innum :: numeric(1)

  Determines the number of input channels. If innum is 0 (default), a vararg input channel is created that can take an arbitrary number of inputs.
- collect\_multiplicity :: logical(1)
  If TRUE, the input is a Multiplicity collecting channel. This means, a Multiplicity input, instead of multiple normal inputs, is accepted and the members are aggregated. This requires innum to be 0. Default is FALSE.
- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, default "classifavg".

param\_vals :: named list
 List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
 be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpEnsemble. Instead of a Prediction, a PredictionClassif is used as input and output during prediction.

#### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from the PipeOpEnsemble.

#### **Internals**

Inherits from PipeOpEnsemble by implementing the private\$weighted\_avg\_predictions() method.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply, mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors
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mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
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mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

```
Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_replicate
```

Other Ensembles: PipeOpEnsemble, mlr\_learners\_avg, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

# Simple Bagging
gr = ppl("greplicate",
    po("subsample") %>>%
    po("learner", lrn("classif.rpart")),
    n = 3
) %>>%
    po("classifavg")

resample(tsk("iris"), GraphLearner$new(gr), rsmp("holdout"))
```

```
mlr_pipeops_classweights
```

Class Weights for Sample Weighting

# Description

Adds a class weight column to the Task that different Learners may be able to use for sample weighting. Sample weights are added to each sample according to the target class.

Only binary classification tasks are supported.

Caution: when constructed naively without parameter, the weights are all set to 1. The minor\_weight parameter must be adjusted for this PipeOp to be useful.

# Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpClassWeights$new(id = "classweights", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, default "classweights"
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc. Instead of a Task, a TaskClassif is used as input and output during training and prediction.

The output during training is the input Task with added weights column according to target class. The output during prediction is the unchanged input.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc; however, the affect\_columns parameter is *not* present. Further parameters are:

minor\_weight :: numeric(1)
 Weight given to samples of the minor class. Major class samples have weight 1. Initialized to 1.

## **Internals**

Introduces, or overwrites, the "weights" column in the Task. However, the Learner method needs to respect weights for this to have an effect.

The newly introduced column is named .WEIGHTS; there will be a naming conflict if this column already exists and is *not* a weight column itself.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk, mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_colapply, mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant, mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstates.
```

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## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("spam")
opb = po("classweights")

# task weights
task$weights

# double the instances in the minority class (spam)
opb$param_set$values$minor_weight = 2
result = opb$train(list(task))[[1L]]
result$weights
```

mlr\_pipeops\_colapply Apply a Function to each Column of a Task

# Description

Applies a function to each column of a task. Use the affect\_columns parameter inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple to limit the columns this function should be applied to. This can be used for simple parameter transformations or type conversions (e.g. as.numeric).

The same function is applied during training and prediction. One important relationship for machine learning preprocessing is that during the prediction phase, the preprocessing on each data row should be independent of other rows. Therefore, the applicator function should always return a vector / list where each result component only depends on the corresponding input component and not on other components. As a rule of thumb, if the function f generates output different from Vectorize(f), it is not a function that should be used for applicator.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpColApply$new(id = "colapply", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "colapply".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

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## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.

The output is the input Task with features changed according to the applicator parameter.

## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, as well as:

• applicator :: function

Function to apply to each column of the task. The return value should be a vector of the same length as the input, i.e., the function vectorizes over the input. A typical example would be as.numeric.

The return value can also be a matrix, data.frame, or data.table. In this case, the length of the input must match the number of returned rows. The names of the resulting features of the output Task is based on the (column) name(s) of the return value of the applicator function, prefixed with the original feature name separated by a dot (.). Use Vectorize to create a vectorizing function from any function that ordinarily only takes one element input.

## **Internals**

Calls map on the data, using the value of applicator as f. and coerces the output via as.data.table.

#### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_collapsefacte
mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
```

```
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstant_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
task = tsk("iris")
poca = po("colapply", applicator = as.character)
poca$train(list(task))[[1]] # types are converted
# function that does not vectorize
f1 = function(x) {
 # we could use `ifelse` here, but that is not the point
 if (x > 1) {
    "a"
 } else {
    "b"
poca$param_set$values$applicator = Vectorize(f1)
poca$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
# only affect Petal.* columns
poca$param_set$values$affect_columns = selector_grep("^Petal")
poca$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
# function returning multiple columns
f2 = function(x) {
 cbind(floor = floor(x), ceiling = ceiling(x))
poca$param_set$values$applicator = f2
poca$param_set$values$affect_columns = selector_all()
poca$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors

Collapse Factors

# **Description**

Collapses factors of type factor, ordered: Collapses the rarest factors in the training samples, until target\_level\_count levels remain. Levels that have prevalence above no\_collapse\_above\_prevalence are retained, however. For factor variables, these are collapsed to the next larger level, for ordered variables, rare variables are collapsed to the neighbouring class, whichever has fewer samples.

Levels not seen during training are not touched during prediction; Therefore it is useful to combine this with the PipeOpFixFactors.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpCollapseFactors\$new(id = "collapsefactors", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "collapsefactors".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with rare affected factor and ordered feature levels collapsed.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• collapse\_map:: named list of named list of character
List of factor level maps. For each factor, collapse\_map contains a named list that indicates
what levels of the input task get mapped to what levels of the output task. If collapse\_map
has an entry feat\_1 with an entry a = c("x", "y"), it means that levels "x" and "y" get
collapsed to level "a" in feature "feat\_1".

## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- no\_collapse\_above\_prevalence :: numeric(1)
  Fraction of samples below which factor levels get collapsed. Default is 1, which causes all levels to be collapsed until target\_level\_count remain.
- target\_level\_count :: integer(1) Number of levels to retain. Default is 2.

# **Internals**

```
Makes use of the fact that levels(fact_var) = list(target1 = c("source1", "source2"), target2 = "source2") causes renaming of level "source1" and "source2" both to "target1", and also "source2" to "target2".
```

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
```

```
mlr_pipeops_colroles Change Column Roles of a Task
```

### Description

Changes the column roles of the input Task according to new\_role.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpColRoles$new(id = "colroles", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "colroles".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

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## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with transformed column roles according to new\_role.

## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• new\_role:: list
Named list of new column roles. The names must match the column names of the input
task that will later be trained/predicted on. Each entry of the list must contain a character
vector with possible values of mlr\_reflections\$task\_col\_roles. If the value is given as
character(), the column will be dropped from the input task. Changing the role of a column
results in this column loosing its previous role(s). Setting a new target variable or changing
the role of an existing target variable is not supported.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer,mlr_pipeops_encode,mlr_pipeops_featureunion,mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
```

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```
task = tsk("boston_housing")
pop = po("colroles", param_vals = list(
   new_role = list(cmedv = "order")
))
pop$train(list(task))
```

mlr\_pipeops\_copy

Copy Input Multiple Times

# Description

Copies its input outnum times. This PipeOp usually not needed, because copying happens automatically when one PipeOp is followed by multiple different PipeOps. However, when constructing big Graphs using the %>>%-operator, PipeOpCopy can be helpful to specify which PipeOp gets connected to which.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpCopy$new(outnum, id = "copy", param_vals = list())
```

- outnum :: numeric(1)

  Number of output channels, and therefore number of copies being made.
- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "copy".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpCopy has one input channel named "input", taking any input ("\*") both during training and prediction.

PipeOpCopy has multiple output channels depending on the outnum construction argument, named "output1", "output2", ... All output channels produce the object given as input ("\*").

## State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

# **Parameters**

PipeOpCopy has no parameters.

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## **Internals**

Note that copies are not clones, but only reference copies. This affects R6-objects: If R6 objects are copied using PipeOpCopy, they must be cloned before

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other Placeholder Pipeops: mlr\_pipeops\_nop

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
# The following copies the output of 'scale' automatically to both
# 'pca' and 'nop'
po("scale") %>>%
    gunion(list(
       po("pca"),
       po("nop")
    ))

# The following would not work: the '%>>%'-operator does not know
# which output to connect to which input
# > gunion(list(
# > po("scale"),
# > po("select")
```

```
# > )) %>>%
# > gunion(list(
# >
       po("pca"),
# >
        po("nop"),
# >
        po("imputemean")
# >
    ))
# Instead, the 'copy' operator makes clear which output gets copied.
gunion(list(
 po("scale") %>>% mlr_pipeops$get("copy", outnum = 2),
 po("select")
)) %>>%
 gunion(list(
   po("pca"),
   po("nop"),
   po("imputemean")
 ))
```

mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures

Preprocess Date Features

# Description

Based on POSIXct columns of the data, a set of date related features is computed and added to the feature set of the output task. If no POSIXct column is found, the original task is returned unaltered. This functionality is based on the add\_datepart() and add\_cyclic\_datepart() functions from the fastai library. If operation on only particular POSIXct columns is requested, use the affect\_columns parameter inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.

If cyclic = TRUE, cyclic features are computed for the features "month", "week\_of\_year", "day\_of\_week", "hour", "minute" and "second". This means that for each feature x, two additional features are computed, namely the sine and cosine transformation of 2 \* pi \* x / max\_x (here max\_x is the largest possible value the feature could take on + 1, assuming the lowest possible value is given by 0, e.g., for hours from 0 to 23, this is 24). This is useful to respect the cyclical nature of features such as seconds, i.e., second 21 and second 22 are one second apart, but so are second 60 and second 1 of the next minute.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpDateFeatures$new(id = "datefeatures", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "datefeatures".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.

The output is the input Task with date-related features computed and added to the feature set of the output task and the POSIXct columns of the data removed from the feature set (depending on the value of keep\_date\_var).

## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.

## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, as well as:

- keep\_date\_var :: logical(1)
   Should the POSIXct columns be kept as features? Default FALSE.
- cyclic :: logical(1)
   Should cyclic features be computed? See Internals. Default FALSE.
- year :: logical(1)
   Should the year be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- month :: logical(1)
   Should the month be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- week\_of\_year :: logical(1) Should the week of the year be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- day\_of\_year :: logical(1) Should the day of the year be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- day\_of\_month :: logical(1) Should the day of the month be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- day\_of\_week :: logical(1)
  Should the day of the week be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- hour :: logical(1)
   Should the hour be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- minute :: logical(1)
  Should the minute be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- second :: logical(1)
  Should the second be extracted as a feature? Default TRUE.
- is\_day :: logical(1)
  Should a feature be extracted indicating whether it is day time (06:00am 08:00pm)? Default TRUE.

# **Internals**

The cyclic feature transformation always assumes that values range from 0, so some values (e.g. day of the month) are shifted before sine/cosine transform.

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## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer,mlr_pipeops_encode,mlr_pipeops_featureunion,mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
dat = iris
set.seed(1)
dat$date = sample(seq(as.POSIXct("2020-02-01"), to = as.POSIXct("2020-02-29"), by = "hour"),
    size = 150L)
task = TaskClassif$new("iris_date", backend = dat, target = "Species")
pop = po("datefeatures", param_vals = list(cyclic = FALSE, minute = FALSE, second = FALSE))
pop$train(list(task))
pop$state
```

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# **Description**

Encodes columns of type factor, character and ordered.

Possible encodings are "one-hot" encoding, as well as encoding according to stats::contr.helmert(), stats::contr.poly(), stats::contr.sum() and stats::contr.treatment(). Newly created columns are named via pattern [column-name].[x] where x is the respective factor level for "one-hot" and "treatment" encoding, and an integer sequence otherwise.

Use the PipeOpTaskPreproc \$affect\_columns functionality to only encode a subset of columns, or only encode columns of a certain type.

## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpEncode$new(id = "encode", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "encode".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected factor, character or ordered parameters encoded according to the method parameter.

## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• constrasts:: named list of matrix
List of contrast matrices, one for each affected discrete feature. The rows of each matrix
correspond to (training task) levels, the the columns to the new columns that replace the old
discrete feature. See stats::contrasts.

# **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- method :: character(1)
  Initialized to "one-hot". One of:
  - "one-hot": create a new column for each factor level.
  - "treatment": create n-1 columns leaving out the first factor level of each factor variable (see stats::contr.treatment()).

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- "helmert": create columns according to Helmert contrasts (see stats::contr.helmert()).
- "poly": create columns with contrasts based on orthogonal polynomials (see stats::contr.poly()).
- "sum": create columns with contrasts summing to zero, (see stats::contr.sum()).

#### **Internals**

Uses the stats::contrasts functions. This is relatively inefficient for features with a large number of levels.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

data = data.table::data.table(x = factor(letters[1:3]), y = factor(letters[1:3]))
task = TaskClassif$new("task", data, "x")

poe = po("encode")

# poe is initialized with encoding: "one-hot"
poe$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

# other kinds of encoding:
poe$param_set$values$method = "treatment"
poe$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
```

```
poe$param_set$values$method = "helmert"
poe$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

poe$param_set$values$method = "poly"
poe$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

poe$param_set$values$method = "sum"
poe$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
```

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Conditional Target Value Impact Encoding

# Description

Encodes columns of type factor, character and ordered.

Impact coding for classification Tasks converts factor levels of each (factorial) column to the difference between each target level's conditional log-likelihood given this level, and the target level's global log-likelihood.

Impact coding for regression Tasks converts factor levels of each (factorial) column to the difference between the target's conditional mean given this level, and the target's global mean.

Treats new levels during prediction like missing values.

# **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpEncodeImpact$new(id = "encodeimpact", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "encodeimpact".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected factor, character or ordered parameters encoded.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• impact :: a named list

A list with an element for each affected feature:

For regression each element is a single column matrix of impact values for each level of that feature.

For classification, it is a list with an element for each *feature level*, which is a vector giving the impact of this feature level on each *outcome level*.

#### **Parameters**

• smoothing :: numeric(1)

A finite positive value used for smoothing. Mostly relevant for classification Tasks if a factor does not coincide with a target factor level (and would otherwise give an infinite logit value). Initialized to 1e-4.

impute\_zero :: logical(1)
 If TRUE, impute missing values as impact 0; otherwise the respective impact is coded as NA.
 Default FALSE.

## **Internals**

Uses Laplace smoothing, mostly to avoid infinite values for classification Task.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
poe = po("encodeimpact")

task = TaskClassif$new("task",
    data.table::data.table(
        x = factor(c("a", "a", "a", "b", "b")),
        y = factor(c("a", "a", "b", "b", "b"))),
        "x")

poe$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
poe$state
```

mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer

Impact Encoding with Random Intercept Models

# **Description**

Encodes columns of type factor, character and ordered.

PipeOpEncodeLmer() converts factor levels of each factorial column to the estimated coefficients of a simple random intercept model. Models are fitted with the glmer function of the lme4 package and are of the type target ~ 1 + (1 | factor). If the task is a regression task, the numeric target variable is used as dependent variable and the factor is used for grouping. If the task is a classification task, the target variable is used as dependent variable and the factor is used for grouping. If the target variable is multiclass, for each level of the multiclass target variable, binary "one vs. rest" models are fitted.

For training, multiple models can be estimated in a cross-validation scheme to ensure that the same factor level does not always result in identical values in the converted numerical feature. For prediction, a global model (which was fitted on all observations during training) is used for each factor. New factor levels are converted to the value of the intercept coefficient of the global model for prediction. NAs are ignored by the CPO.

Use the PipeOpTaskPreproc \$affect\_columns functionality to only encode a subset of columns, or only encode columns of a certain type.

# **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpEncodeLmer$new(id = "encodelmer", param_vals = list())
```

• id :: character(1)

Identifier of resulting object, default "encodelmer".

• param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected factor, character or ordered parameters encoded according to the method parameter.

# State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- target\_levels :: character Levels of the target columns.
- control :: a named list List of coefficients learned via glmer

#### **Parameters**

• fast\_optim:: logical(1)
Initialized to TRUE. If "fast\_optim" is TRUE (default), a faster (up to 50 percent) optimizer from the nloptr package is used when fitting the lmer models. This uses additional stopping criteria which can give suboptimal results.

## **Internals**

Uses the lme4::glmer. This is relatively inefficient for features with a large number of levels.

# Methods

Only methods inherited PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
```

```
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstant mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
poe = po("encodelmer")

task = TaskClassif$new("task",
    data.table::data.table(
        x = factor(c("a", "a", "a", "b", "b"))),
        y = factor(c("a", "a", "b", "b", "b")))),
        "x")

poe$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion

Aggregate Features from Multiple Inputs

# Description

Aggregates features from all input tasks by cbind()ing them together into a single Task.

DataBackend primary keys and Task targets have to be equal across all Tasks. Only the target column(s) of the first Task are kept.

If assert\_targets\_equal is TRUE then target column names are compared and an error is thrown if they differ across inputs.

If input tasks share some feature names but these features are not identical an error is thrown. This check is performed by first comparing the features names and if duplicates are found, also the values of these possibly duplicated features. True duplicated features are only added a single time to the output task.

## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpFeatureUnion$new(innum = 0, collect_multiplicity = FALSE, id = "featureunion", param_vals = list(
   assert_targets_equal = TRUE)
```

- innum:: numeric(1) | character

  Determines the number of input channels. If innum is 0 (default), a vararg input channel is created that can take an arbitrary number of inputs. If innum is a character vector, the number of input channels is the length of innum, and the columns of the result are prefixed
- collect\_multiplicity :: logical(1)

  If TRUE, the input is a Multiplicity collecting channel. This means, a Multiplicity input, instead of multiple normal inputs, is accepted and the members are aggregated. This requires innum to be 0. Default is FALSE.
- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of the resulting object, default "featureunion".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().
- assert\_targets\_equal :: logical(1)
   If assert\_targets\_equal is TRUE (Default), task target column names are checked for agreement. Disagreeing target column names are usually a bug, so this should often be left at the default.

# **Input and Output Channels**

with the values.

PipeOpFeatureUnion has multiple input channels depending on the innum construction argument, named "input1", "input2", ... if innum is nonzero; if innum is 0, there is only one *vararg* input channel named "...". All input channels take a Task both during training and prediction.

PipeOpFeatureUnion has one output channel named "output", producing a Task both during training and prediction.

The output is a Task constructed by cbind()ing all features from all input Tasks, both during training and prediction.

# State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

PipeOpFeatureUnion has no Parameters.

## **Internals**

PipeOpFeatureUnion uses the Task \$cbind() method to bind the input values beyond the first input to the first Task. This means if the Tasks are database-backed, all of them except the first will be fetched into R memory for this. This behaviour may change in the future.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), PipeOpEnsemble, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicity mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task1 = tsk("iris")
gr = gunion(list(
   po("nop"),
   po("pca")
)) %>>% po("featureunion")

gr$train(task1)

task2 = tsk("iris")
task3 = tsk("iris")
po = po("featureunion", innum = c("a", "b"))

po$train(list(task2, task3))
```

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mlr\_pipeops\_filter Feature Filtering

# **Description**

Feature filtering using a mlr3filters::Filter object, see the mlr3filters package.

If a Filter can only operate on a subset of columns based on column type, then only these features are considered and filtered. nfeat and frac will count for the features of the type that the Filter can operate on; this means e.g. that setting nfeat to 0 will only remove features of the type that the Filter can work with.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

PipeOpFilter\$new(filter, id = filter\$id, param\_vals = list())

- filter :: Filter
  Filter used for feature filtering. This argument is always cloned; to access the Filter inside
  PipeOpFilter by-reference, use \$filter.
- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, defaulting to the id of the Filter being used.
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with features removed that were filtered out.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- scores:: named numeric
  Scores calculated for all features of the training Task which are being used as cutoff for feature
  filtering. If frac or nfeat is given, the underlying Filter may choose to not calculate scores
  for all features that are given. This only includes features on which the Filter can operate;
  e.g. if the Filter can only operate on numeric features, then scores for factorial features will
  not be given.
- features :: character

  Names of features that are being kept. Features of types that the Filter can not operate on are always being kept.

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## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from the PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the parameters of the Filter used by this object. Besides, parameters introduced are:

- filter.nfeat :: numeric(1)

  Number of features to select. Mutually exclusive with frac, cutoff, and permuted.
- filter.frac:: numeric(1)
  Fraction of features to keep. Mutually exclusive with nfeat, cutoff, and permuted.
- filter.cutoff:: numeric(1)
   Minimum value of filter heuristic for which to keep features. Mutually exclusive with nfeat, frac, and permuted.
- filter.permuted:: integer(1)
  If this parameter is set, a random permutation of each feature is added to the task before applying the filter. All features selected before the permuted-th permuted features is selected are kept. This is similar to the approach in Wu (2007) and Thomas (2017). Mutually exclusive with nfeat, frac, and cutoff.

Note that at least one of filter.nfeat, filter.frac, filter.cutoff, and filter.permuted must be given.

### **Internals**

This does *not* use the \$.select\_cols feature of PipeOpTaskPreproc to select only features compatible with the Filter; instead the whole Task is used by private\$.get\_state() and subset internally.

## **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• filter:: Filter
Filter that is being used for feature filtering. Do *not* use this slot to get to the feature filtering scores after training; instead, use \$state\$scores. Read-only.

### Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### References

Wu Y, Boos DD, Stefanski LA (2007). "Controlling Variable Selection by the Addition of Pseudovariables." *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, **102**(477), 235–243. doi: 10.1198/016214506000000843.

Thomas J, Hepp T, Mayr A, Bischl B (2017). "Probing for Sparse and Fast Variable Selection with Model-Based Boosting." *Computational and Mathematical Methods in Medicine*, **2017**, 1–8. doi: 10.1155/2017/1421409.

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## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeconstant, mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconsta mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscal mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
library("mlr3filters")
# setup PipeOpFilter to keep the 5 most important
# features of the spam task w.r.t. their AUC
task = tsk("spam")
filter = flt("auc")
po = po("filter", filter = filter)
po$param_set
po$param_set$values$filter.nfeat = 5
# filter the task
filtered_task = po$train(list(task))[[1]]
# filtered task + extracted AUC scores
filtered_task$feature_names
head(po$state$scores, 10)
# feature selection embedded in a 3-fold cross validation
# keep 30% of features based on their AUC score
task = tsk("spam")
gr = po("filter", filter = flt("auc"), filter.frac = 0.5) %>>%
  po("learner", lrn("classif.rpart"))
learner = GraphLearner$new(gr)
rr = resample(task, learner, rsmp("holdout"), store_models = TRUE)
rr$learners[[1]]$model$auc$scores
```

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Fix Factor Levels

# **Description**

Fixes factors of type factor, ordered: Makes sure the factor levels during prediction are the same as during training; possibly dropping empty training factor levels before.

Note this may introduce missing values during prediction if unseen factor levels are found.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpFixFactors\$new(id = "fixfactors", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "fixfactors".
- param\_vals :: named list
  List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
  be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected factor and ordered feature levels fixed.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

levels :: named list of character
 List of factor levels of each affected factor or ordered feature that will be fixed.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• droplevels :: logical(1)
Whether to drop empty factor levels of the training task. Default TRUE

### **Internals**

Changes factor levels of columns and attaches them with a new data.table backend and the virtual cbind() backend.

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# Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
\verb|mlr_pipeops_class| balancing, \verb|mlr_pipeops_class| favg, \verb|mlr_pipeops_class| weights, \verb|mlr_pipeops_colapply|, \\
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
```

mlr\_pipeops\_histbin

Split Numeric Features into Equally Spaced Bins

# Description

Splits numeric features into equally spaced bins. See graphics::hist() for details. Values that fall out of the training data range during prediction are binned with the lowest / highest bin respectively.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpHistBin$new(id = "histbin", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "histbin".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

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## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features replaced by their binned versions.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• breaks :: list
List of intervals representing the bins for each numeric feature.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• breaks :: character(1) | numeric | function Either a character(1) string naming an algorithm to compute the number of cells, a numeric(1) giving the number of breaks for the histogram, a vector numeric giving the breakpoints between the histogram cells, or a function to compute the vector of breakpoints or to compute the number of cells. Default is algorithm "Sturges" (see grDevices::nclass.Sturges()). For details see hist().

#### **Internals**

Uses the graphics::hist function.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
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mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
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mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
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 $mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops$ 

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("histbin")

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
pop$state
```

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Independent Component Analysis

# **Description**

Extracts statistically independent components from data. Only affects numerical features. See fastICA::fastICA for details.

# Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpICA$new(id = "ica", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "ica".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric parameters replaced by independent components.

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## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the elements of the function fastICA::fastICA(), with the exception of the \$X and \$S slots. These are in particular:

- K:: matrix

  Matrix that projects data onto the first n.comp principal components. See fastICA().
- W:: matrix
   Estimated un-mixing matrix. See fastICA().
- A:: matrix
  Estimated mixing matrix. See fastICA().
- center :: numeric

  The mean of each numeric feature during training.

## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the following parameters based on fastICA():

- n.comp::numeric(1)
   Number of components to extract. Default is NULL, which sets it to the number of available numeric columns.
- alg.typ:: character(1)
  Algorithm type. One of "parallel" (default) or "deflation".
- fun :: character(1)
  One of "logcosh" (default) or "exp".
- alpha:: numeric(1)
  In range [1, 2], Used for negentropy calculation when fun is "logcosh". Default is 1.0.
- method:: character(1)
  Internal calculation method. "C" (default) or "R". See fastICA().
- row.norm:: logical(1)
  Logical value indicating whether rows should be standardized beforehand. Default is FALSE.
- maxit:: numeric(1)
   Maximum number of iterations. Default is 200.
- tol :: numeric(1)

  Tolerance for convergence, default is 1e-4.
- verbose logical(1)
   Logical value indicating the level of output during the run of the algorithm. Default is FALSE.
- w.init:: matrix
  Initial un-mixing matrix. See fastICA(). Default is NULL.

## Internals

Uses the fastICA() function.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures,  $\verb|mlr_pipeops_encode| impact, \verb|mlr_pipeops_encode| mer, \verb|mlr_pipeops_encode|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_feature| union, | impact | impact$ mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconsta mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscal mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("ica")

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

pop$state
```

 ${\tt mlr\_pipeops\_imputeconstant}$ 

Impute Features by a Constant

## **Description**

Impute features by a constant value.

## Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

## Construction

PipeOpImputeConstant\$new(id = "imputeconstant", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "imputeconstant".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The output is the input Task with all affected features missing values imputed by the value of the constant parameter.

### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The \$state\$model contains the value of the constant parameter that is used for imputation.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpImpute, as well as:

- constant :: atomic(1)

  The constant value that should be used for the imputation, atomic vector of length 1. The atomic mode must match the type of the features that will be selected by the affect\_columns parameter and this will be checked during imputation. Initialized to ".MISSING".
- check\_levels :: logical(1)
  Should be checked whether the constant value is a valid level of factorial features (i.e., it already is a level)? Raises an error if unsuccesful. This check is only performed for factorial features (i.e., factor, ordered; skipped for character). Initialized to TRUE.

### **Internals**

Adds an explicit new level to factor and ordered features, but not to character features, if check\_levels is FALSE and the level is not already present.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply,

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mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputehis
mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode,
mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner,
mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityin
mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
Other Imputation PipeOps: PipeOpImpute, mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner,
mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor,
mlr_pipeops_imputesample
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("pima")
task$missings()

# impute missing values of the numeric feature "glucose" by the constant value -999
po = po("imputeconstant", param_vals = list(
    constant = -999, affect_columns = selector_name("glucose"))
)
new_task = po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]
new_task$missings()
new_task$data(cols = "glucose")[[1]]
```

mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist

Impute Numerical Features by Histogram

# Description

Impute numerical features by histogram.

During training, a histogram is fitted using R's hist() function. The fitted histogram is then sampled from for imputation. This is an approximation to sampling from the empirical training data distribution (i.e. sampling from training data with replacement), but is much more memory efficient for large datasets, since the \$state does not need to save the training data.

# **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpImputeHist\$new(id = "imputehist", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "imputehist".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features missing values imputed by (columnwise) histogram.

### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The \$state\$model is a named list of lists containing elements \$counts and \$breaks.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpImpute.

## Internals

Uses the graphics::hist() function. Features that are entirely NA are imputed as 0.

# Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

### See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode,
mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner,
mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityin
mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
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mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange, mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops

Other Imputation PipeOps: PipeOpImpute, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("pima")
task$missings()

po = po("imputehist")
new_task = po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]
new_task$missings()

po$state$model
```

mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner

Impute Features by Fitting a Learner

# Description

Impute features by fitting a Learner for each feature. Uses the features indicated by the context\_columns parameter as features to train the imputation Learner. Note this parameter is part of the PipeOpImpute base class and explained there.

Additionally, only features supported by the learner can be imputed; i.e. learners of type regr can only impute features of type integer and numeric, while classif can impute features of type factor, ordered and logical.

The Learner used for imputation is trained on all context\_columns; if these contain missing values, the Learner typically either needs to be able to handle missing values itself, or needs to do its own imputation (see examples).

# **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpImputeLearner$new(learner, id = NULL, param_vals = list())
```

• id :: character(1)

Identifier of resulting object, default "impute.", followed by the id of the Learner.

• learner:: Learner | character(1) Learner to wrap, or a string identifying a Learner in the mlr3::mlr\_learners Dictionary. The Learner usually needs to be able to handle missing values, i.e. have the missings property, unless care is taken that context\_columns do not contain missings; see examples.

This argument is always cloned; to access the Learner inside PipeOpImputeLearner by-reference, use \$learner.

• param\_vals :: named list
List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The output is the input Task with missing values from all affected features imputed by the trained model.

### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The \$state\$models is a named list of models created by the Learner's \$.train() function for each column. If a column consists of missing values only during training, the model is 0 or the levels of the feature; these are used for sampling during prediction.

# **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpImpute, in addition to the parameters of the Learner used for imputation.

## **Internals**

Uses the \$train and \$predict functions of the provided learner. Features that are entirely NA are imputed as 0 or randomly sampled from available (factor / logical) levels.

The Learner does *not* necessarily need to handle missing values in cases where context\_columns is chosen well (or there is only one column with missing values present).

# Fields

Fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp, as well as:

- learner :: Learner Learner that is being wrapped. Read-only.
- learner\_models:: list of Learner | NULL Learner that is being wrapped. This list is named by features for which a Learner was fitted, and contains the same Learner, but with different respective models for each feature. If this PipeOp is not trained, this is an empty list. For features that were entirely NA during training, the list contains NULL elements.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
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mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner,
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mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
Other Imputation PipeOps: PipeOpImpute, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant, mlr_pipeops_imputehist,
mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor,
mlr_pipeops_imputesample
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("pima")
task$missings()

po = po("imputelearner", lrn("regr.rpart"))
new_task = po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]
new_task$missings()

# '$state' of the "regr.rpart" Learner, trained to predict the 'mass' column:
po$state$model$mass

library("mlr3learners")

# to use the "regr.kknn" Learner, prefix it with its own imputation method!

# The "imputehist" PipeOp is used to train "regr.kknn"; predictions of this

# trained Learner are then used to impute the missing values in the Task.
po = po("imputelearner",
    po("imputehist") %>>% lrn("regr.kknn")
)
```

```
new_task = po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]
new_task$missings()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean

Impute Numerical Features by their Mean

# Description

Impute numerical features by their mean.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpImputeMean\$new(id = "imputemean", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "imputemean".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features missing values imputed by (columnwise) mean.

# State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The \$state\$model is a named list of numeric(1) indicating the mean of the respective feature.

# **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpImpute.

## **Internals**

Uses the mean() function. Features that are entirely NA are imputed as 0.

# Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
\verb|mlr_pipeops_class| balancing, \verb|mlr_pipeops_class| favg, \verb|mlr_pipeops_class| weights, \verb|mlr_pipeops_colapply|, \\
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode,
mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner,
mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityin
mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
Other Imputation PipeOps: PipeOpImpute, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant, mlr_pipeops_imputehist,
mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor,
mlr_pipeops_imputesample
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("pima")
task$missings()

po = po("imputemean")
new_task = po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]
new_task$missings()

po$state$model
```

mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian

Impute Numerical Features by their Median

## **Description**

Impute numerical features by their median.

## Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpImputeMedian\$new(id = "imputemedian", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "imputemedian".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features missing values imputed by (columnwise) median.

### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The \$state\$model is a named list of numeric(1) indicating the median of the respective feature.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpImpute.

## **Internals**

Uses the stats::median() function. Features that are entirely NA are imputed as 0.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

### See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemode,
mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner,
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mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
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```

## **Examples**

# **Description**

Impute features by their mode. Supports factors as well as logical and numerical features. If multiple modes are present then imputed values are sampled randomly from them.

# Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpImputeMode$new(id = "imputemode", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "imputemode".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The output is the input Task with all affected features missing values imputed by (column-wise) mode.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The \$state\$model is a named list of a vector of length one of the type of the feature, indicating the mode of the respective feature.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpImpute.

#### **Internals**

Features that are entirely NA are imputed as the following: For factor or ordered, random levels are sampled uniformly at random. For logicals, TRUE or FALSE are sampled uniformly at random. Numerics and integers are imputed as 0.

Note that every random imputation is drawn independently, so different values may be imputed if multiple values are missing.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner,
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mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

Other Imputation PipeOps: PipeOpImpute, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeconstant, mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("pima")
task$missings()

po = po("imputemode")
new_task = po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]
new_task$missings()

po$state$model
```

mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor Out of Range Imputation

# **Description**

Impute factorial features by adding a new level ".MISSING".

Impute numerical features by constant values shifted below the minimum or above the maximum by using min(x) - offset - multiplier \* diff(range(x)) or max(x) + offset + multiplier \* diff(range(x)).

This type of imputation is especially sensible in the context of tree-based methods, see also Ding & Simonoff (2010).

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

### Construction

```
PipeOpImputeOOR$new(id = "imputeoor", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "imputeoor".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The output is the input Task with all affected features having missing values imputed as described above.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The \$state\$model contains either ".MISSING" used for character and factor (also ordered) features or numeric(1) indicating the constant value used for imputation of integer and numeric features.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpImpute, as well as:

- min :: logical(1)
  Should integer and numeric features be shifted below the minimum? Initialized to TRUE.
  If FALSE they are shifted above the maximum. See also the description above.
- offset :: numeric(1)
   Numerical non-negative offset as used in the description above for integer and numeric features. Initialized to 1.
- multiplier :: numeric(1)

  Numerical non-negative multiplier as used in the description above for integer and numeric features. Initialized to 1.

## **Internals**

Adds an explicit new level() to factor and ordered features, but not to character features. For integer and numeric features uses the min, max, diff and range functions. integer and numeric features that are entirely NA are imputed as 0.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

## References

Ding Y, Simonoff JS (2010). "An Investigation of Missing Data Methods for Classification Trees Applied to Binary Response Data." *Journal of Machine Learning Research*, **11**(6), 131-170. https://jmlr.org/papers/v11/ding10a.html.

## See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
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mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner,
mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicitying
```

```
mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn: mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange, mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops

Other Imputation PipeOps: PipeOpImpute, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant, mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputesample
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
set.seed(2409)
data = tsk("pima")$data()
data$y = factor(c(NA, sample(letters, size = 766, replace = TRUE), NA))
data$z = ordered(c(NA, sample(1:10, size = 767, replace = TRUE)))
task = TaskClassif$new("task", backend = data, target = "diabetes")
task$missings()
po = po("imputeoor")
new_task = po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]
new_task$missings()
new_task$data()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample

Impute Features by Sampling

# Description

Impute features by sampling from non-missing training data.

## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpImputeSample$new(id = "imputesample", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "imputesample".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features missing values imputed by values sampled (column-wise) from training data.

## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpImpute.

The \$state\$model is a named list of training data with missings removed.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpImpute.

## **Internals**

Uses the sample() function. Features that are entirely NA are imputed as the following: For factor or ordered, random levels are sampled uniformly at random. For logicals, TRUE or FALSE are sampled uniformly at random. Numerics and integers are imputed as 0.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpImpute/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

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```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner,
mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityi
mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
Other Imputation PipeOps: PipeOpImpute, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant, mlr_pipeops_imputehist,
mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode,
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("pima")
task$missings()

po = po("imputesample")
new_task = po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]
new_task$missings()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca Kernelized Principle Component Analysis

# Description

Extracts kernel principle components from data. Only affects numerical features. See kernlab::kpca for details.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpKernelPCA$new(id = "kernelpca", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "kernelpca".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric parameters replaced by their principal components.

## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the returned S4 object of the function kernlab::kpca().

The @rotated slot of the "kpca" object is overwritten with an empty matrix for memory efficiency.

The slots of the S4 object can be accessed by accessor function. See kernlab::kpca.

## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- kernel :: character(1)
   The standard deviations of the principal components. See kpca().
- kpar :: list
   List of hyper-parameters that are used with the kernel function. See kpca().
- features :: numeric(1)
   Number of principal components to return. Default 0 means that all principal components are returned. See kpca().
- th :: numeric(1)

  The value of eigenvalue under which principal components are ignored. Default is 0.0001.

  See kpca().
- na.action :: function Function to specify NA action. Default is na.omit. See kpca().

#### **Internals**

Uses the kpca() function.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_learner,
mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityi
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mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

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## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("kernelpca", features = 3) # only keep top 3 components

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_learner

Wrap a Learner into a PipeOp

# **Description**

Wraps an mlr3::Learner into a PipeOp.

Inherits the \$param\_set (and therefore \$param\_set\$values) from the Learner it is constructed from

Using PipeOpLearner, it is possible to embed mlr3::Learners into Graphs, which themselves can be turned into Learners using GraphLearner. This way, preprocessing and ensemble methods can be included into a machine learning pipeline which then can be handled as singular object for resampling, benchmarking and tuning.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

# Construction

PipeOpLearner\$new(learner, id = NULL, param\_vals = list())

- learner:: Learner | character(1) Learner to wrap, or a string identifying a Learner in the mlr3::mlr\_learners Dictionary. This argument is always cloned; to access the Learner inside PipeOpLearner by-reference, use \$learner.
- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, internally defaulting to the id of the Learner being wrapped.
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpLearner has one input channel named "input", taking a Task specific to the Learner type given to learner during construction; both during training and prediction.

PipeOpLearner has one output channel named "output", producing NULL during training and a Prediction subclass during prediction; this subclass is specific to the Learner type given to learner during construction.

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The output during prediction is the Prediction on the prediction input data, produced by the Learner trained on the training input data.

## State

The \$state is set to the \$state slot of the Learner object. It is a named list with members:

- model :: any Model created by the Learner's \$.train() function.
- train\_log :: data.table with columns class (character), msg (character) Errors logged during training.
- train\_time :: numeric(1) Training time, in seconds.
- predict\_log :: NULL | data.table with columns class (character), msg (character) Errors logged during prediction.
- predict\_time :: NULL | numeric(1) Prediction time, in seconds.

## **Parameters**

The parameters are exactly the parameters of the Learner wrapped by this object.

## **Internals**

The \$state is currently not updated by prediction, so the \$state\$predict\_log and \$state\$predict\_time will always be NULL.

### **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOp, as well as:

- learner :: Learner Learner that is being wrapped. Read-only.
- learner\_model :: Learner
  Learner that is being wrapped. This learner contains the model if the PipeOp is trained.
  Read-only.

# Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOp.

# See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
```

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```

# Other Meta PipeOps: mlr\_pipeops\_learner\_cv

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
learner = lrn("classif.rpart", cp = 0.1)
lrn_po = mlr_pipeops$get("learner", learner)

lrn_po$train(list(task))
lrn_po$predict(list(task))
```

```
mlr_pipeops_learner_cv
```

Wrap a Learner into a PipeOp with Cross-validated Predictions as Features

# **Description**

Wraps an mlr3::Learner into a PipeOp.

Returns cross-validated predictions during training as a Task and stores a model of the Learner trained on the whole data in \$state. This is used to create a similar Task during prediction.

The Task gets features depending on the capsuled Learner's \$predict\_type. If the Learner's \$predict.type is "response", a feature <ID>.response is created, for \$predict.type "prob" the <ID>.prob.<CLASS> features are created, and for \$predict.type "se" the new columns are <ID>.response and <ID>.se. <ID> denotes the \$id of the PipeOpLearnerCV object.

Inherits the \$param\_set (and therefore \$param\_set\$values) from the Learner it is constructed from.

PipeOpLearnerCV can be used to create "stacking" or "super learning" Graphs that use the output of one Learner as feature for another Learner. Because the PipeOpLearnerCV erases the original input features, it is often useful to use PipeOpFeatureUnion to bind the prediction Task to the original input Task.

## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

PipeOpLearnerCV\$new(learner, id = NULL, param\_vals = list())

- learner:: Learner
   Learner to use for cross validation / prediction, or a string identifying a Learner in the
   mlr3::mlr\_learners Dictionary. This argument is always cloned; to access the Learner
   inside PipeOpLearnerCV by-reference, use \$learner.
- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, internally defaulting to the id of the Learner being wrapped.
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpLearnerCV has one input channel named "input", taking a Task specific to the Learner type given to learner during construction; both during training and prediction.

PipeOpLearnerCV has one output channel named "output", producing a Task specific to the Learner type given to learner during construction; both during training and prediction.

The output is a task with the same target as the input task, with features replaced by predictions made by the Learner. During training, this prediction is the out-of-sample prediction made by resample, during prediction, this is the ordinary prediction made on the data by a Learner trained on the training phase data.

## State

The \$state is set to the \$state slot of the Learner object, together with the \$state elements inherited from the PipeOpTaskPreproc. It is a named list with the inherited members, as well as:

- model :: any
  Model created by the Learner's \$.train() function.
- train\_log :: data.table with columns class (character), msg (character) Errors logged during training.
- train\_time :: numeric(1) Training time, in seconds.
- predict\_log :: NULL | data.table with columns class (character), msg (character) Errors logged during prediction.
- predict\_time :: NULL | numeric(1) Prediction time, in seconds.

## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from the PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the parameters of the Learner wrapped by this object. Besides that, parameters introduced are:

- resampling.method:: character(1)
  Which resampling method do we want to use. Currently only supports "cv" and "insample".
  "insample" generates predictions with the model trained on all training data.
- resampling.folds:: numeric(1)

  Number of cross validation folds. Initialized to 3. Only used for resampling.method = "cv".
- keep\_response :: logical(1)
   Only effective during "prob" prediction: Whether to keep response values, if available. Initialized to FALSE.

## **Internals**

The \$state is currently not updated by prediction, so the \$state\$predict\_log and \$state\$predict\_time will always be NULL.

## **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOp, as well as:

- learner :: Learner Learner that is being wrapped. Read-only.
- learner\_model :: Learner Learner that is being wrapped. This learner contains the model if the PipeOp is trained. Read-only.

## Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

```
https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html
Other Meta PipeOps: mlr_pipeops_learner
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
learner = lrn("classif.rpart")

lrncv_po = po("learner_cv", learner)
lrncv_po$learner$predict_type = "response"

nop = mlr_pipeops$get("nop")
```

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```
graph = gunion(list(
    lrncv_po,
    nop
)) %>>% po("featureunion")
graph$train(task)
graph$pipeops$classif.rpart$learner$predict_type = "prob"
graph$train(task)
```

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Add Missing Indicator Columns

# Description

Add missing indicator columns ("dummy columns") to the Task. Drops original features; should probably be used in combination with PipeOpFeatureUnion and imputation PipeOps (see examples).

Note the affect\_columns is initialized with selector\_invert(selector\_type(c("factor", "ordered", "character"))), since missing values in factorial columns are often indicated by out-of-range imputation (PipeOpImputeOOR).

# Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpMissInd$new(id = "missind", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, defaulting to "missind".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# State

\$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• indicand\_cols :: character

Names of columns for which indicator columns are added. If the which parameter is "all",
this is just the names of all features, otherwise it is the names of all features that had missing
values during training.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from the PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- which :: character(1)
   Determines for which features the indicator columns are added. Can either be "missing\_train" (default), adding indicator columns for each feature that actually has missing values, or "all", adding indicator columns for all features.
- type :: character(1)

  Determines the type of the newly created columns. Can be one of "factor" (default), "integer",
   "logical", "numeric".

#### **Internals**

This PipeOp should cover most cases where "dummy columns" or "missing indicators" are desired. Some edge cases:

- If imputation for factorial features is performed and only numeric features should gain missing indicators, the affect\_columns parameter can be set to selector\_type("numeric").
- If missing indicators should only be added for features that have more than a fraction of x missing values, the PipeOpRemoveConstants can be used with affect\_columns = selector\_grep("^missing\_") and ratio = x.

## **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityin
mlr_pipeops_nutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
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 $\verb|mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_threshold|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_unbranch|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_updatetarget|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_vtreat|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson|, \verb|mlr_pipeops|, mlr_pipeops|, mlr$ 

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("pima")$select(c("insulin", "triceps"))
sum(complete.cases(task$data()))
task$missings()
tail(task$data())

po = po("missind")
new_task = po$train(list(task))[[1]]

tail(new_task$data())

# proper imputation + missing indicators

impgraph = list(
   po("imputesample"),
   po("missind")
) %>>% po("featureunion")

tail(impgraph$train(task)[[1]]$data())
```

mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix

Transform Columns by Constructing a Model Matrix

# **Description**

Transforms columns using a given formula using the stats::model.matrix() function.

## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpModelMatrix$new(id = "modelmatrix", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "modelmatrix".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with transformed columns according to the used formula.

## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• formula:: formula Formula to use. Higher order interactions can be created using constructs like ~. ^ 2. By default, an (Intercept) column of all 1s is created, which can be avoided by adding 0 + to the term. See model.matrix().

#### **Internals**

Uses the model.matrix() function.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply.
mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("modelmatrix", formula = ~ . ^ 2)

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

pop$param_set$values$formula = ~ 0 + . ^ 2

pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
```

```
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply

*Explicate a Multiplicity*
```

# Description

Explicate a Multiplicity by turning the input Multiplicity into multiple outputs.

This PipeOp has multiple output channels; the members of the input Multiplicity are forwarded each along a single edge. Therefore, only multiplicities with exactly as many members as outnum are accepted.

Note that Multiplicity is currently an experimental features and the implementation or UI may change.

# Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

## Construction

PipeOpMultiplicityExply\$new(outnum , id = "multiplicityexply", param\_vals = list())

- outnum :: numeric(1) | character Determines the number of output channels.
- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of the resulting object, default "multiplicityexply".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpMultiplicityExply has a single input channel named "input", collecting a Multiplicity of type any ("[\*]") both during training and prediction.

PipeOpMultiplicityExply has multiple output channels depending on the outnum construction argument, named "output1", "output2" returning the elements of the unclassed input Multiplicity.

### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

PipeOpMultiplicityExply has no Parameters.

#### **Internals**

outnum should match the number of elements of the unclassed input Multiplicity.

#### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

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# See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply,
mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_featureunior
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Other Experimental Features: Multiplicity(), mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
task1 = tsk("iris")
task2 = tsk("mtcars")
po = po("multiplicityexply", outnum = 2)
po$train(list(Multiplicity(task1, task2)))
po$predict(list(Multiplicity(task1, task2)))
```

```
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply

Implicate a Multiplicity
```

# Description

Implicate a Multiplicity by returning the input(s) converted to a Multiplicity.

This PipeOp has multiple input channels; all inputs are collected into a Multiplicity and then are forwarded along a single edge, causing the following PipeOps to be called multiple times, once for each Multiplicity member.

Note that Multiplicity is currently an experimental features and the implementation or UI may change.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

## Construction

PipeOpMultiplicityImply\$new(innum = 0, id = "multiplicityimply", param\_vals = list())

- innum:: numeric(1) | character

  Determines the number of input channels. If innum is 0 (default), a vararg input channel is created that can take an arbitrary number of inputs. If innum is a character vector, the number of input channels is the length of innum.
- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of the resulting object, default "multiplicityimply".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpMultiplicityImply has multiple input channels depending on the innum construction argument, named "input1", "input2", ... if innum is nonzero; if innum is 0, there is only one *vararg* input channel named "...". All input channels take any input ("\*") both during training and prediction.

PipeOpMultiplicityImply has one output channel named "output", emitting a Multiplicity of type any ("[\*]"), i.e., returning the input(s) converted to a Multiplicity both during training and prediction.

### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

PipeOpMultiplicityImply has no Parameters.

#### **Internals**

If innum is not numeric, e.g., a character, the output Multiplicity will be named based on the input channel names

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

## See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_nutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite,
mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
```

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```
\verb|mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), PipeOpEnsemble, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunior mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate

Other Experimental Features: Multiplicity(), mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
task1 = tsk("iris")
task2 = tsk("mtcars")
po = po("multiplicityimply")
po$train(list(task1, task2))
po$predict(list(task1, task2))
```

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Add Features According to Expressions

## **Description**

Adds features according to expressions given as formulas that may depend on values of other features. This can add new features, or can change existing features.

# Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpMutate$new(id = "mutate", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "mutate".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with added and/or mutated features according to the mutation parameter.

# State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

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#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

mutation:: named list of formula
 Expressions for new features to create (or present features to change), in the form of formula.
 Each element of the list is a formula with the name of the element naming the feature to create or change, and the formula expression determining the result. This expression may reference other features, as well as variables visible at the creation of the formula (see examples). Initialized to list().

delete\_originals :: logical(1)
 Whether to delete original features. Even when this is FALSE, present features may still be overwritten. Initialized to FALSE.

#### Internals

A formula created using the ~ operator always contains a reference to the environment in which the formula is created. This makes it possible to use variables in the ~-expressions that both reference either column names or variable names.

Note that the formulas in mutation are evaluated sequentially. This allows for using variables that were constructed during evaluation of a previous formula. However, if existing features are changed, precedence is given to the original ones before the newly constructed ones.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit,
mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstant_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
```

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mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch,
mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

constant = 1
pom = po("mutate")
pom$param_set$values$mutation = list(
    Sepal.Length_plus_constant = ~ Sepal.Length + constant,
    Sepal.Area = ~ Sepal.Width * Sepal.Length,
    Petal.Area = ~ Petal.Width * Petal.Length,
    Sepal.Area_plus_Petal.Area = ~ Sepal.Area + Petal.Area
)

pom$train(list(tsk("iris")))[[1]]$data()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_nmf

Non-negative Matrix Factorization

# **Description**

Extracts non-negative components from data by performing non-negative matrix factorization. Only affects non-negative numerical features. See nmf() for details.

# Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpNMF$new(id = "nmf", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "nmf".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features replaced by their non-negative components.

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## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the elements of the object returned by nmf().

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- rank :: integer(1)
  Factorization rank, i.e., number of components. Initialized to 2. See nmf().
- method:: character(1) Specification of the NMF algorithm. Initialized to "brunet". See nmf().
- seed :: character(1) | integer(1) | list() | object of class NMF | function() Specification of the starting point. See nmf().
- nrun:: integer(1)

  Number of runs to performs. Default is 1. More than a single run allows for the computation of a consensus matrix which will also be stored in the \$state. See nmf().
- debug :: logical(1)
   Whether to toggle debug mode. Default is FALSE. See nmf().
- keep.all:: logical(1)
  Whether all factorizations are to be saved and returned. Default is FALSE. Only has an effect if nrun > 1. See nmf().
- parallel :: character(1) | integer(1) | logical(1) Specification of parallel handling if nrun > 1. Initialized to FALSE, as it is recommended to use mlr3's future-based parallelization. See nmf().
- parallel.required:: character(1) | integer(1) | logical(1) Same as parallel, but an error is thrown if the computation cannot be performed in parallel or with the specified number of processors. Initialized to FALSE, as it is recommended to use mlr3's future-based parallelization. See nmf().
- shared.memory :: logical(1)
  Whether shared memory should be enabled. See nmf().
- simplifyCB :: logical(1)
  Whether callback results should be simplified. Default is TRUE. See nmf().
- track :: logical(1)
  Whether error tracking should be enabled. Default is FALSE. See nmf().
- verbose :: integer(1) | logical(1) Specification of verbosity. Default is FALSE. See nmf().
- pbackend :: character(1) | integer(1) | NULL
   Specification of the parallel backend. It is recommended to use mlr3's future-based parallelization. See nmf().
- callback | function()
   Callback function that is called after each run (if nrun > 1). See nmf().

# Internals

Uses the nmf() function as well as basis(), coef() and ginv().

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## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit,
mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
if (requireNamespace("NMF")) {
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("nmf")

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
pop$state
}
```

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Simply Push Input Forward

# Description

Simply pushes the input forward. Can be useful during Graph construction using the %>>%-operator to specify which PipeOp gets connected to which.

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## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

#### Construction

```
PipeOpNOP$new(id = "nop", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "nop".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpNOP has one input channel named "input", taking any input ("\*") both during training and prediction.

PipeOpNOP has one output channel named "output", producing the object given as input ("\*") without changes.

#### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

## **Parameters**

PipeOpNOP has no parameters.

## **Internals**

PipeOpNOP is a useful "default" stand-in for a PipeOp/Graph that does nothing.

# **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

# Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

## See Also

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
```

```
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstantr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemaxed mlr_pipeops_target, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemaxed mlr_pipeops_target, mlr_pipeops_target, mlr_pipeops_vireat, mlr_pipeop
```

# Other Placeholder Pipeops: mlr\_pipeops\_copy

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
nop = po("nop")
nop$train(list(1))

# use `gunion` and `%>>%` to create a "bypass"
# next to "pca"
gr = gunion(list(
   po("pca"),
   nop
)) %>>% po("featureunion")
gr$train(tsk("iris"))[[1]]$data()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit Split a Classification Task into Binary Classification Tasks

## **Description**

Splits a classification Task into several binary classification Tasks to perform "One vs. Rest" classification. This works in combination with PipeOpOVRUnite.

For each target level a new binary classification Task is constructed with the respective target level being the positive class and all other target levels being the new negative class "rest".

This PipeOp creates a Multiplicity, which means that subsequent PipeOps are executed multiple times, once for each created binary Task, until a PipeOpOVRUnite is reached.

Note that Multiplicity is currently an experimental features and the implementation or UI may change.

### Format

R6Class inheriting from PipeOp.

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### Construction

```
PipeOpOVRSplit$new(id = "ovrsplit", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of the resulting object, default "ovrsplit".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpOVRSplit has one input channel named "input" taking a TaskClassif both during training and prediction.

PipeOpOVRSplit has one output channel named "output" returning a Multiplicity of TaskClassifs both during training and prediction, i.e., the newly constructed binary classification Tasks.

### State

The \$state contains the original target levels of the TaskClassif supplied during training.

#### **Parameters**

PipeOpOVRSplit has no parameters.

#### **Internals**

The original target levels stored in the \$state are also used during prediction when creating the new binary classification Tasks.

The names of the element of the output Multiplicity are given by the levels of the target.

If a target level "rest" is present in the input TaskClassif, the negative class will be labeled as "rest." (using as many "." postfixes needed to yield a valid label).

Should be used in combination with PipeOpOVRUnite.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures,

```
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstantr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops

Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_featureunion
```

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mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate

 $Other\ Experimental\ Features:\ Multiplicity(), mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate$ 

### **Examples**

```
library(mlr3)
task = tsk("iris")
po = po("ovrsplit")
po$train(list(task))
po$predict(list(task))
```

mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite Unite Binary Classification Tasks

## **Description**

Perform "One vs. Rest" classification by (weighted) majority vote prediction from classification Predictions. This works in combination with PipeOpOVRSplit.

Weights can be set as a parameter; if none are provided, defaults to equal weights for each prediction.

Always returns a "prob" prediction, regardless of the incoming Learner's \$predict\_type. The label of the class with the highest predicted probability is selected as the "response" prediction.

Missing values during prediction are treated as each class label being equally likely.

This PipeOp uses a Multiplicity input, which is created by PipeOpOVRSplit and causes PipeOps on the way to this PipeOp to be called once for each individual binary Task.

Note that Multiplicity is currently an experimental features and the implementation or UI may change.

### **Format**

R6Class inheriting from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

#### Construction

```
PipeOpOVRUnite$new(id = "ovrunite", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of the resulting object, default "ovrunite".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpEnsemble. Instead of a Prediction, a PredictionClassif is used as input and output during prediction and PipeOpEnsemble's collect parameter is initialized with TRUE to allow for collecting a Multiplicity input.

### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from the PipeOpEnsemble.

### **Internals**

Inherits from PipeOpEnsemble by implementing the private\$.predict() method. Should be used in combination with PipeOpOVRSplit.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
```

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```
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
Other Ensembles: PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_learners_avg, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_regravg
Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_featureunior
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit,
mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_replicate
Other Experimental Features: Multiplicity(), mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply,
```

### **Examples**

```
library(mlr3)
task = tsk("iris")
gr = po("ovrsplit") %>>% lrn("classif.rpart") %>>% po("ovrunite")
gr$train(task)
gr$predict(task)
gr$pipeops$classif.rpart$learner$predict_type = "prob"
gr$predict(task)
```

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Principle Component Analysis

## **Description**

Extracts principle components from data. Only affects numerical features. See stats::prcomp() for details.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### Construction

```
PipeOpPCA$new(id = "pca", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "pca".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

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## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features replaced by their principal components.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the elements of the class stats::prcomp, with the exception of the \$x slot. These are in particular:

• sdev :: numeric

The standard deviations of the principal components.

• rotation :: matrix
The matrix of variable loadings.

• center:: numeric|logical(1) The centering used, or FALSE.

• scale :: numeric|logical(1) The scaling used, or FALSE.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- center :: logical(1)
  Indicating whether the features should be centered. Default is FALSE. See prcomp().
- scale. :: logical(1)
  Whether to scale features to unit variance before analysis. Default is FALSE, but scaling is advisable. See prcomp().
- rank. :: integer(1)

  Maximal number of principal components to be used. Default is NULL: use all components.

  See prcomp().

### **Internals**

Uses the prcomp() function.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion,

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mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstant
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("pca")

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
pop$state
```

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Wrap another PipeOp or Graph as a Hyperparameter

## **Description**

Wraps another PipeOp or Graph as determined by the content hyperparameter. Input is routed through the content and the contents' output is returned. The content hyperparameter can be changed during tuning, this is useful as an alternative to PipeOpBranch.

### **Format**

Abstract R6Class inheriting from PipeOp.

#### Construction

```
PipeOpProxy$new(innum = 0, outnum = 1, id = "proxy", param_vals = list())
```

- innum:: numeric(1)\cr Determines the number of input channels. If innum' is 0 (default), a vararg input channel is created that can take an arbitrary number of inputs.
- outnum :: 'numeric(1)

  Determines the number of output channels.
- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object. See \$id slot of PipeOp.

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param\_vals :: named list
 List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
 be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpProxy has multiple input channels depending on the innum construction argument, named "input1", "input2", ... if innum is nonzero; if innum is 0, there is only one *vararg* input channel named "...".

PipeOpProxy has multiple output channels depending on the outnum construction argument, named "output1", "output2", ... The output is determined by the output of the content operation (a PipeOp or Graph).

### State

The \$state is the trained content PipeOp or Graph.

#### **Parameters**

• content :: PipeOp | Graph The PipeOp or Graph that is being proxied (or an object that is converted to a Graph by as\_graph()). Defaults to an instance of PipeOpFeatureUnion (combines all input if they are Tasks).

### **Internals**

The content will internally be coerced to a graph via as\_graph() prior to train and predict.

The default value for content is PipeOpFeatureUnion,

### **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOp.

# Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
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mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
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mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
 library("mlr3learners")
 set.seed(1234)
 task = tsk("iris")
 # use a proxy for preprocessing and a proxy for learning, i.e.,
 # no preprocessing and classif.kknn
 g = po("proxy", id = "preproc", param_vals = list(content = po("nop"))) %>>%
   po("proxy", id = "learner", param_vals = list(content = lrn("classif.kknn")))
 rr_kknn = resample(task, learner = GraphLearner$new(g), resampling = rsmp("cv", folds = 3))
 rr_kknn$aggregate(msr("classif.ce"))
 # use pca for preprocessing and classif.rpart as the learner
 g$param_set$values$preproc.content = po("pca")
 g$param_set$values$learner.content = lrn("classif.rpart")
 rr_pca_rpart = resample(task, learner = GraphLearner$new(g), resampling = rsmp("cv", folds = 3))
 rr_pca_rpart$aggregate(msr("classif.ce"))
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```

Split Numeric Features into Quantile Bins

## **Description**

Splits numeric features into quantile bins.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### Construction

```
PipeOpQuantileBin$new(id = "quantilebin", param_vals = list())
```

• id:: character(1) Identifier of resulting object, default "quantilebin". • param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features replaced by their binned versions.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• bins :: list
List of intervals representing the bins for each numeric feature.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

numsplits :: numeric(1)
 Number of bins to create. Default is 2.

### **Internals**

Uses the stats::quantile function.

# Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeecons
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mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_nultiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nnf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns
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mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
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mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("quantilebin")

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

pop$state
```

mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection

Project Numeric Features onto a Randomly Sampled Subspace

# **Description**

Projects numeric features onto a randomly sampled subspace. All numeric features (or the ones selected by affect\_columns) are replaced by numeric features PR1, PR2, ... PRn

Samples with features that contain missing values result in all PR1..PRn being NA for that sample, so it is advised to do imputation *before* random projections if missing values can be expected.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

PipeOpRandomProjection\$new(id = "randomprojection", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "randomprojection".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with affected numeric features projected onto a random subspace.

# State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as an element \$projection, a matrix.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• rank :: integer(1)
The dimension of the subspace to project onto. Initialized to 1.

#### **Internals**

If there are n (affected) numeric features in the input Task, then \$state\$projection is a rank x m matrix. The output is calculated as input %\*% state\$projection.

The random projection matrix is obtained through Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization from a matrix with values standard normally distributed, which gives a distribution that is rotation invariant, as per Eaton: Multivariate Statistics, A Vector Space Approach, Pg. 234.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
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mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
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mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("randomprojection", rank = 2)

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

pop$state
```

mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse

Generate a Randomized Response Prediction

## Description

Takes in a Prediction of predict\_type "prob" (for PredictionClassif) or "se" (for PredictionRegr) and generates a randomized "response" prediction.

For "prob", the responses are sampled according to the probabilities of the input PredictionClassif. For "se", responses are randomly drawn according to the rdistfun parameter (default is rnorm) by using the original responses of the input PredictionRegr as the mean and the original standard errors of the input PredictionRegr as the standard deviation (sampling is done observation-wise).

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

### Construction

PipeOpRandomResponse\$new(id = "randomresponse", param\_vals = list(), packages = character(0))

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of the resulting object, default "randomresponse".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().
- packages :: character
  Set of all required packages for the private\$.predict() methods related to the rdistfun
  parameter. Default is character(0).

## **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpRandomResponse has one input channel named "input", taking NULL during training and a Prediction during prediction.

PipeOpRandomResponse has one output channel named "output", producing NULL during training and a Prediction with random responses during prediction.

## State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

• rdistfun :: function

A function for generating random responses when the predict type is "se". This function must accept the arguments n (integerish number of responses), mean (numeric for the mean), and sd (numeric for the standard deviation), and must *vectorize* over mean and sd. Default is rnorm.

#### **Internals**

If the predict\_type of the input Prediction does not match "prob" or "se", the input Prediction will be returned unaltered.

#### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
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mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library(mlr3)
library(mlr3learners)

task1 = tsk("iris")
g1 = LearnerClassifRpart$new() %>>% PipeOpRandomResponse$new()
g1$train(task1)
g1$pipeops$classif.rpart$learner$predict_type = "prob"
set.seed(2409)
g1$predict(task1)

task2 = tsk("mtcars")
g2 = LearnerRegrLM$new() %>>% PipeOpRandomResponse$new()
g2$train(task2)
g2$pipeops$regr.lm$learner$predict_type = "se"
set.seed(2906)
```

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g2\$predict(task2)

mlr\_pipeops\_regravg Weighted Prediction Averaging

### **Description**

Perform (weighted) prediction averaging from regression Predictions by connecting PipeOpRegrAvg to multiple PipeOpLearner outputs.

The resulting "response" prediction is a weighted average of the incoming "response" predictions. "se" prediction is currently not aggregated but discarded if present.

Weights can be set as a parameter; if none are provided, defaults to equal weights for each prediction. Defaults to equal weights for each model.

### **Format**

R6Class inheriting from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

### Construction

PipeOpRegrAvg\$new(innum = 0, collect\_multiplicity = FALSE, id = "regravg", param\_vals = list())

- innum:: numeric(1)

  Determines the number of input channels. If innum is 0 (default), a vararg input channel is created that can take an arbitrary number of inputs.
- collect\_multiplicity :: logical(1)
  If TRUE, the input is a Multiplicity collecting channel. This means, a Multiplicity input, instead of multiple normal inputs, is accepted and the members are aggregated. This requires innum to be 0. Default is FALSE.
- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, default "regravg".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpEnsemble. Instead of a Prediction, a PredictionRegr is used as input and output during prediction.

### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from the PipeOpEnsemble.

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### **Internals**

Inherits from PipeOpEnsemble by implementing the private\$weighted\_avg\_predictions() method.

### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpEnsemble/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
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mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_removeconstants,
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_featureunior
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit,
mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_replicate
Other Ensembles: PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_learners_avg, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite
```

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

# Simple Bagging
gr = ppl("greplicate",
    po("subsample") %>>%
    po("learner", lrn("classif.rpart")),
    n = 5
) %>>%
    po("classifavg")

resample(tsk("iris"), GraphLearner$new(gr), rsmp("holdout"))
```

mlr\_pipeops\_removeconstants

Remove Constant Features

## **Description**

Remove constant features from a mlr3::Task. For each feature, calculates the ratio of features which differ from their mode value. All features with a ratio below a settable threshold are removed from the task. Missing values can be ignored or treated as a regular value distinct from non-missing values.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpRemoveConstants\$new(id = "removeconstants")

- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, defaulting to "removeconstants".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## State

\$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• features :: character()
Names of features that are being kept. Features of types that the Filter can not operate on are always being kept.

## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from the PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- ratio :: numeric(1)
  Ratio of values which must be different from the mode value in order to keep a feature in the task. Initialized to 0, which means only constant features with exactly one observed level are removed.
- rel\_tol :: numeric(1)
  Relative tolerance within which to consider a numeric feature constant. Set to 0 to disregard relative tolerance. Initialized to 1e-8.
- abs\_tol :: numeric(1)
  Absolute tolerance within which to consider a numeric feature constant. Set to 0 to disregard absolute tolerance. Initialized to 1e-8.
- na\_ignore :: logical(1)
   If TRUE, the ratio is calculated after removing all missing values first, so a column can be "constant" even if some but not all values are NA. Initialized to TRUE.

### **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
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mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_renamecolumn
mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
data = data.table::data.table(y = runif(10), a = 1:10, b = rep(1, 10), c = rep(1:2, each = 5))
task = TaskRegr$new("example", data, target = "y")
po = po("removeconstants")
po$train(list(task = task))[[1]]$data()
po$state
```

```
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```

Rename Columns

## **Description**

Renames the columns of a Task both during training and prediction. Uses the \$rename() mutator of the Task.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpRenameColumns\$new(id = "renamecolumns", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "renamecolumns".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.

The output is the input Task with the old column names changed to the new ones.

### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.

## **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, as well as:

- renaming:: named character
   Named character vector. The names of the vector specify the old column names that should be changed to the new column names as given by the elements of the vector. Initialized to the empty character vector.
- ignore\_missing :: logical(1)

  Ignore if columns named in renaming are not found in the input Task. If this is FALSE, then names found in renaming not found in the Task cause an error. Initialized to FALSE.

# **Internals**

Uses the \$rename() mutator of the Task to set the new column names.

#### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOp.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputecons mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconst mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("renamecolumns", param_vals = list(renaming = c("Petal.Length" = "PL")))
pop$train(list(task))
```

mlr\_pipeops\_replicate Replicate the Input as a Multiplicity

## **Description**

Replicate the input as a Multiplicity, causing subsequent PipeOps to be executed multiple reps times

Note that Multiplicity is currently an experimental features and the implementation or UI may change.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpReplicate$new(id = "replicate", param_vals = list())
```

• id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, default "replicate".

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param\_vals :: named list
 List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
 be set during construction. Default list().

### **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpReplicate has one input channel named "input", taking any input ("\*") both during training and prediction.

PipeOpReplicate has one output channel named "output" returning the replicated input as a Multiplicity of type any ("[\*]") both during training and prediction.

#### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

reps :: numeric(1)
 Integer indicating the number of times the input should be replicated.

#### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
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mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
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Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), PipeOpEnsemble, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_featureunior mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_regravg
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Other Experimental Features: Multiplicity(), mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
task = tsk("iris")
po = po("replicate", param_vals = list(reps = 3))
po$train(list(task))
po$predict(list(task))
```

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Center and Scale Numeric Features

# Description

Centers all numeric features to mean = 0 (if center parameter is TRUE) and scales them by dividing them by their root-mean-square (if scale parameter is TRUE).

The root-mean-square here is defined as  $sqrt(sum(x^2)/(length(x)-1))$ . If the center parameter is TRUE, this corresponds to the sd().

## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### Construction

```
PipeOpScale$new(id = "scale", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "scale".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric parameters centered and/or scaled.

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#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• center:: numeric

The mean / median (depending on robust) of each numeric feature during training, or 0 if center is FALSE. Will be subtracted during the predict phase.

• scale :: numeric
The value by which features are divided. 1 if scale is FALSE
If robust is FALSE, this is the root mean square, defined as sqrt(sum(x^2)/(length(x)-1)),
of each feature, possibly after centering. If robust is TRUE, this is the mean absolute deviation multiplied by 1.4826 (see stats::mad of each feature, possibly after centering. This is 1
for features that are constant during training if center is TRUE, to avoid division-by-zero.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- center :: logical(1)
  Whether to center features, i.e. subtract their mean() from them. Default TRUE.
- scale :: logical(1)
  Whether to scale features, i.e. divide them by sqrt(sum(x^2)/(length(x)-1)). Default TRUE.
- robust :: logical(1)
  Whether to use robust scaling; instead of scaling / centering with mean / standard deviation, median and median absolute deviation mad are used. Initialized to FALSE.

### **Internals**

Imitates the scale() function for robust = FALSE and alternatively subtracts the median and divides by mad for robust = TRUE.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk,
mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply,
mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures,
mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion,
mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputecons
mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian,
mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca,
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mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pos = po("scale")

pos$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

one_line_of_iris = task$filter(13)

one_line_of_iris$data()

pos$predict(list(one_line_of_iris))[[1]]$data()
```

mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs

Scale Numeric Features with Respect to their Maximum Absolute Value

# **Description**

Scales the numeric data columns so their maximum absolute value is maxabs, if possible. NA, Inf are ignored, and features that are constant 0 are not scaled.

# **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### Construction

```
PipeOpScaleMaxAbs$new(id = "scalemaxabs", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "scalemaxabs".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

### **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with scaled numeric features.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the maximum absolute values of each numeric feature.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

maxabs :: numeric(1)
 The maximum absolute value for each column after transformation. Default is 1.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("scalemaxabs")

task$data()
```

```
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
pop$state
```

mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange

Linearly Transform Numeric Features to Match Given Boundaries

# Description

Linearly transforms numeric data columns so they are between lower and upper. The formula for this is x' = offset + x \* scale, where scale is (upper - lower)/(max(x) - min(x)) and offset is -min(x) \* scale + lower. The same transformation is applied during training and prediction.

## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

PipeOpScaleRange\$new(id = "scalerange", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "scalerange".
- param\_vals :: named list
  List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
  be set during construction. Default list().

### **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with scaled numeric features.

# State

The state is a named list with the state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as the two transformation parameters scale and offset for each numeric feature.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- lower :: numeric(1)
  Target value of smallest item of input data. Initialized to 0.
- upper :: numeric(1)
  Target value of greatest item of input data. Initialized to 1.

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### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scale,
mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("scalerange", param_vals = list(lower = -1, upper = 1))

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

pop$state
```

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Remove Features Depending on a Selector

### **Description**

Removes features from Task depending on a Selector function: The selector parameter gives the features to keep. See Selector for selectors that are provided and how to write custom Selectors.

### Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

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### Construction

```
PipeOpSelect$new(id = "select", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "select".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with features removed that were not selected by the Selector/function in selector.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• selection:: character
A vector of all feature names that are kept (i.e. not dropped) in the Task. Initialized to selector\_all()

#### **Parameters**

• selector :: function | Selector Selector function, takes a Task as argument and returns a character of features to keep. See Selector for example functions. Defaults to selector\_all().

# Internals

Uses task\$select().

### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures,

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Other Selectors: Selector
```

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("boston_housing")
pos = po("select")

pos$param_set$values$selector = selector_all()
pos$train(list(task))[[1]]$feature_names

pos$param_set$values$selector = selector_type("factor")
pos$train(list(task))[[1]]$feature_names

pos$param_set$values$selector = selector_invert(selector_type("factor"))
pos$train(list(task))[[1]]$feature_names

pos$param_set$values$selector = selector_grep("^r")
pos$train(list(task))[[1]]$feature_names
```

mlr\_pipeops\_smote

**SMOTE Balancing** 

# Description

Generates a more balanced data set by creating synthetic instances of the minority class using the SMOTE algorithm. The algorithm samples for each minority instance a new data point based on the K nearest neighbors of that data point. It can only be applied to tasks with purely numeric features. See smotefamily::SMOTE for details.

### Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

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### Construction

```
PipeOpSmote$new(id = "smote", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "smote".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output during training is the input Task with added synthetic rows for the minority class. The output during prediction is the unchanged input.

### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- K :: numeric(1)

  The number of nearest neighbors used for sampling new values. See SMOTE().
- dup\_size :: numeric
   Desired times of synthetic minority instances over the original number of majority instances.
   See SMOTE().

#### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### References

Chawla NV, Bowyer KW, Hall LO, Kegelmeyer WP (2002). "SMOTE: Synthetic Minority Oversampling Technique." *Journal of Artificial Intelligence Research*, **16**, 321–357. doi: 10.1613/jair.953.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

# Create example task
data = smotefamily::sample_generator(1000, ratio = 0.80)
data$result = factor(data$result)
task = TaskClassif$new(id = "example", backend = data, target = "result")
task$data()
table(task$data()$result)

# Generate synthetic data for minority class
pop = po("smote")
smotedata = pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
table(smotedata$result)
```

mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign

Normalize Data Row-wise

## Description

Normalizes the data row-wise. This is a natural generalization of the "sign" function to higher dimensions.

## **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpSpatialSign\$new(id = "spatialsign", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "spatialsign".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features replaced by their normalized versions.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- length :: numeric(1)
  Length to scale rows to. Default is 1.
- norm:: numeric(1)
   Norm to use. Rows are scaled to sum(x^norm)^(1/norm) == length for finite norm, or to max(abs(x)) == length if norm is Inf. Default is 2.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple/PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
```

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### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")

task$data()

pop = po("spatialsign")

pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

mlr_pipeops_subsample Subsampling
```

## **Description**

Subsamples a Task to use a fraction of the rows.

Sampling happens only during training phase. Subsampling a Task may be beneficial for training time at possibly (depending on original Task size) negligible cost of predictive performance.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpSubsample$new(id = "subsample", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, default "subsample"
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output during training is the input Task with added or removed rows according to the sampling. The output during prediction is the unchanged input.

## State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc; however, the affect\_columns parameter is *not* present. Further parameters are:

- frac :: numeric(1)
   Fraction of rows in the Task to keep. May only be greater than 1 if replace is TRUE. Initialized to (1 exp(-1)) == 0.6321.
- stratify:: logical(1)
   Should the subsamples be stratified by target? Initialized to FALSE. May only be TRUE for TaskClassif input.
- replace :: logical(1)
   Sample with replacement? Initialized to FALSE.

### **Internals**

Uses task\$filter() to remove rows. If replace is TRUE and identical rows are added, then the task\$row\_roles\$use can *not* be used to duplicate rows because of [inaudible]; instead the task\$rbind() function is used, and a new data.table is attached that contains all rows that are being duplicated exactly as many times as they are being added.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
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mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
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mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
pos = mlr_pipeops$get("subsample", param_vals = list(frac = 0.7, stratify = TRUE))
pos$train(list(tsk("iris")))
```

mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert

**Invert Target Transformations** 

# **Description**

Inverts target-transformations done during training based on a supplied inversion function. Typically should be used in combination with a subclass of PipeOpTargetTrafo.

During prediction phase the function supplied through "fun" is called with a list containing the "prediction" as a single element, and should return a list with a single element (a Prediction) that is returned by PipeOpTargetInvert.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

## Construction

PipeOpTargetInvert\$new(id = "targetinvert", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "targetinvert".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpTargetInvert has two input channels named "fun" and "prediction". During training, both take NULL as input. During prediction, "fun" takes a function and "prediction" takes a Prediction.

PipeOpTargetInvert has one output channel named "output" and returns NULL during training and a Prediction during prediction.

### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

PipeOpTargetInvert has no parameters.

#### **Internals**

Should be used in combination with a subclass of PipeOpTargetTrafo.

#### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
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mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate

Transform a Target by a Function

## Description

Changes the *target* of a Task according to a function given as hyperparameter. An inverter-function that undoes the transformation during prediction must also be given.

### Format

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTargetTrafo/PipeOp

### Construction

PipeOpTargetMutate\$new(id = "targetmutate", param\_vals = list(), new\_task\_type = NULL)

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "targetmutate".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().
- new\_task\_type :: character(1) | NULL

  The task type to which the output is converted, must be one of mlr\_reflections\$task\_types\$type.

  Defaults to NULL: no change in task type.

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTargetTrafo.

#### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTargetTrafo, as well as:

• trafo :: function data.table -> data.table

Transformation function for the target. Should only be a function of the target, i.e., taking a single data.table argument, typically with one column. The return value is used as the new target of the resulting Task. To change target names, change the column name of the data using e.g. setnames().

Note that this function also gets called during prediction and should thus gracefully handle NA values.

Initialized to identity().

• inverter:: function data.table -> data.table | named list Inversion of the transformation function for the target. Called on a data.table created from a Prediction using as.data.table(), without the \$row\_ids and \$truth columns, and should return a data.table or named list that contains the new relevant slots of a Prediction subclass (e.g., \$response, \$prob, \$se, ...). Initialized to identity().

# **Internals**

Overloads PipeOpTargetTrafo's .transform() and .invert() functions. Should be used in combination with PipeOpTargetInvert.

#### **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOp, as well as:

new\_task\_type :: character(1)
 new\_task\_type construction argument. Read-only.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTargetTrafo/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
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mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
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mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalerange,
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library(mlr3)
task = tsk("boston_housing")
po = PipeOpTargetMutate$new("logtrafo", param_vals = list(
  trafo = function(x) log(x, base = 2),
  inverter = function(x) list(response = 2 ^ x$response))
# Note that this example is ill-equipped to work with
# `predict_type == "se"` predictions.
po$train(list(task))
po$predict(list(task))
g = Graph$new()
g$add_pipeop(po)
g$add_pipeop(LearnerRegrRpart$new())
g$add_pipeop(PipeOpTargetInvert$new())
g$add_edge(src_id = "logtrafo", dst_id = "targetinvert",
  src_channel = 1, dst_channel = 1)
g$add_edge(src_id = "logtrafo", dst_id = "regr.rpart",
  src_channel = 2, dst_channel = 1)
g$add_edge(src_id = "regr.rpart", dst_id = "targetinvert",
  src_channel = 1, dst_channel = 2)
g$train(task)
```

```
g$predict(task)

#syntactic sugar using ppl():
tt = ppl("targettrafo", graph = PipeOpLearner$new(LearnerRegrRpart$new()))
tt$param_set$values$targetmutate.trafo = function(x) log(x, base = 2)
tt$param_set$values$targetmutate.inverter = function(x) list(response = 2 ^ x$response)
```

mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscalerange

Linearly Transform a Numeric Target to Match Given Boundaries

# **Description**

Linearly transforms a numeric target of a TaskRegr so it is between lower and upper. The formula for this is x' = offset + x \* scale, where scale is (upper - lower)/(max(x) - min(x)) and offset is -min(x) \* scale + lower. The same transformation is applied during training and prediction.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTargetTrafo/PipeOp

#### Construction

PipeOpTargetTrafoScaleRange\$new(id = "targettrafoscalerange", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "targettrafoscalerange".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTargetTrafo.

# State

The \$state is a named list containing the slots \$offset and \$scale.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTargetTrafo, as well as:

- lower :: numeric(1)
  Target value of smallest item of input target. Initialized to 0.
- upper :: numeric(1)
  Target value of greatest item of input target. Initialized to 1.

#### **Internals**

Overloads PipeOpTargetTrafo's .get\_state(), .transform(), and .invert(). Should be used in combination with PipeOpTargetInvert.

#### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTargetTrafo/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer,
mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget,
mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library(mlr3)
task = tsk("boston_housing")
po = PipeOpTargetTrafoScaleRange$new()

po$train(list(task))
po$predict(list(task))

#syntactic sugar for a graph using ppl():
ttscalerange = ppl("targettrafo", trafo_pipeop = PipeOpTargetTrafoScaleRange$new(),
    graph = PipeOpLearner$new(LearnerRegrRpart$new()))
ttscalerange$train(task)
ttscalerange$predict(task)
ttscalerange$state$regr.rpart
```

mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer

Bag-of-word Representation of Character Features

## **Description**

Computes a bag-of-word representation from a (set of) columns. Columns of type character are split up into words. Uses the quanteda::dfm(), quanteda::dfm\_trim() from the 'quanteda' package. TF-IDF computation works similarly to quanteda::dfm\_tfidf() but has been adjusted for train/test data split using quanteda::docfreq() and quanteda::dfm\_weight()

In short:

- Per default, produces a bag-of-words representation
- If n is set to values > 1, ngrams are computed
- If df\_trim parameters are set, the bag-of-words is trimmed.
- The scheme\_tf parameter controls term-frequency (per-document, i.e. per-row) weighting
- The scheme\_df parameter controls the document-frequency (per token, i.e. per-column) weighting.

Parameters specify arguments to quanteda's dfm, dfm\_trim, docfreq and dfm\_weight. What belongs to what can be obtained from each params tags where tokenizer are arguments passed on to quanteda::dfm(). Defaults to a bag-of-words representation with token counts as matrix entries.

In order to perform the *default* dfm\_tfidf weighting, set the scheme\_df parameter to "inverse". The scheme\_df parameter is initialized to "unary", which disables document frequency weighting. The pipeop works as follows:

- 1. Words are tokenized using quanteda::tokens.
- 2. Ngrams are computed using quanteda::tokens\_ngrams
- 3. A document-frequency matrix is computed using quanteda::dfm
- 4. The document-frequency matrix is trimmed using quanteda::dfm\_trim during train-time.
- 5. The document-frequency matrix is re-weighted (similar to quanteda::dfm\_tfidf) if scheme\_df is not set to "unary".

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

# Construction

PipeOpTextVectorizer\$new(id = "textvectorizer", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "textvectorizer".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected features converted to a bag-of-words representation.

### State

The \$state is a list with element 'cols': A vector of extracted columns.

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- return\_type :: character(1)
  Whether to return an integer representation ("integer-sequence") or a Bag-of-words ("bow"). If
  set to "integer\_sequence", tokens are replaced by an integer and padded/truncated to sequence\_length.
  If set to "factor\_sequence", tokens are replaced by a factor and padded/truncated to sequence\_length.
  If set to 'bow', a possibly weighted bag-of-words matrix is returned. Defaults to bow.
- stopwords\_language :: character(1)
  Language to use for stopword filtering. Needs to be either "none", a language identifier listed in stopwords::stopwords\_getlanguages("snowball")("de", "en", ...) or "smart". "none" disables language-specific stopwords. "smart" coresponds to stopwords::stopwords(source = "smart"), which contains *English* stopwords and also removes one-character strings. Initialized to "smart".
- extra\_stopwords:: character Extra stopwords to remove. Must be a character vector containing individual tokens to remove. Initialized to character(0). When n is set to values greater than 1, this can also contain stop-ngrams.
- tolower :: logical(1)
  Convert to lower case? See quanteda::dfm. Default: TRUE.
- stem:: logical(1)
  Perform stemming? See quanteda::dfm. Default: FALSE.
- what :: character(1)
   Tokenization splitter. See quanteda::tokens. Default: word.
- remove\_punct :: logical(1) See quanteda::tokens. Default: FALSE.
- remove\_url :: logical(1) See quanteda::tokens. Default: FALSE.
- remove\_symbols::logical(1)See quanteda::tokens. Default: FALSE.
- remove\_numbers :: logical(1)See quanteda::tokens. Default: FALSE.
- remove\_separators :: logical(1) See quanteda::tokens. Default: TRUE.

```
• split_hypens :: logical(1)
  See quanteda::tokens. Default: FALSE.
• n:: integer
  Vector of ngram lengths. See quanteda::tokens_ngrams. Initialized to 1, deviating from the
  base function's default. Note that this can be a vector of multiple values, to construct ngrams
 of multiple orders.
• skip::integer
  Vector of skips. See quanteda::tokens_ngrams. Default: 0. Note that this can be a vector
  of multiple values.
• sparsity :: numeric(1)
  Desired sparsity of the 'tfm' matrix. See quanteda::dfm_trim. Default: NULL.
• max_termfreq::numeric(1)
  Maximum term frequency in the 'tfm' matrix. See quanteda::dfm_trim. Default: NULL.
• min_termfreq::numeric(1)
  Minimum term frequency in the 'tfm' matrix. See quanteda::dfm_trim. Default: NULL.
termfreq_type :: character(1)
  How to assess term frequency. See quanteda::dfm_trim. Default: "count".
• scheme_df :: character(1)
  Weighting scheme for document frequency: See quanteda::docfreq. Initialized to "unary"
  (1 for each document, deviating from base function default).
• smoothing_df::numeric(1)
  See quanteda::docfreq. Default: 0.
• k_df :: numeric(1)
  k parameter given to quanteda::docfreq (see there). Default is 0.
• threshold_df :: numeric(1)
  See quanteda::docfreq. Default: 0. Only considered for scheme_df = "count".
• base_df:: numeric(1)
  The base for logarithms in quanteda::docfreq (see there). Default: 10.
• scheme_tf :: character(1)
  Weighting scheme for term frequency: See quanteda::dfm_weight. Default: "count".
• k_tf::numeric(1)
  k parameter given to quanteda::dfm_weight (see there). Default behaviour is 0.5.
• base_df::numeric(1)
```

```
#' * sequence_length :: integer(1)
```

The length of the integer sequence. Defaults to Inf, i.e. all texts are padded to the length of the longest text. Only relevant for "return\_type" : "integer\_sequence"

The base for logarithms in quanteda::dfm\_weight (see there). Default: 10.

# **Internals**

See Description. Internally uses the quanteda package. Calls quanteda::tokens, quanteda::tokens\_ngrams and quanteda::dfm. During training, quanteda::dfm\_trim is also called. Tokens not seen during training are dropped during prediction.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
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mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
\verb|mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_replicate|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_scale| maxabs|, \verb|mlr_pipeops_scale| range|, \\
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscale
mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget,
mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

## **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
library("data.table")
# create some text data
dt = data.table(
    txt = replicate(150, paste0(sample(letters, 3), collapse = " "))
)
task = tsk("iris")$cbind(dt)

pos = po("textvectorizer", param_vals = list(stopwords_language = "en"))

pos$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()

one_line_of_iris = task$filter(13)

one_line_of_iris$data()

pos$predict(list(one_line_of_iris))[[1]]$data()
```

# Description

Change the threshold of a Prediction during the predict step. The incoming Learner's \$predict\_type needs to be "prob". Internally calls PredictionClassif\$set\_threshold.

# **Format**

R6Class inheriting from PipeOp.

### Construction

PipeOpThreshold\$new(id = "threshold", param\_vals = list())

- id :: character(1) Identifier of the resulting object, default "threshold".
- param\_vals :: named list
   List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
   be set during construction. Defaults to numeric(0).

## **Input and Output Channels**

During training, the input and output are NULL. A PredictionClassif is required as input and returned as output during prediction.

### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

### **Parameters**

• thresholds:: numeric

A numeric vector of thresholds for the different class levels. May have length 1 for binary classification predictions, must otherwise have length of the number of target classes; see PredictionClassif's \$set\_threshold() method. Initialized to 0.5, i.e. thresholding for binary classification at level 0.5.

### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

# See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures,

```
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian, mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca, mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin, mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstant_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemaxed, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemaxed, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemaxed, mlr_pipeops_vireat, mlr_pipeops_vire
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
t = tsk("german_credit")
gr = po(lrn("classif.rpart", predict_type = "prob")) %>>%
    po("threshold", param_vals = list(thresholds = 0.9))
gr$train(t)
gr$predict(t)
```

mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold

Tune the Threshold of a Classification Prediction

### **Description**

Tunes optimal probability thresholds over different PredictionClassifs.

mlr3::Learner predict\_type: "prob" is required. Thresholds for each learner are optimized using the Optimizer supplied via the param\_set. Defaults to GenSA. Returns a single PredictionClassif.

This PipeOp should be used in conjunction with PipeOpLearnerCV in order to optimize thresholds of cross-validated predictions. In order to optimize thresholds without cross-validation, use PipeOpLearnerCV in conjunction with ResamplingInsample.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

### Construction

```
* `PipeOpTuneThreshold$new(id = "tunethreshold", param_vals = list())` \cr
  (`character(1)`, `list`) -> `self` \cr
```

• id :: character(1)
Identifier of resulting object. Default: "tunethreshold".

param\_vals :: named list
 List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise
 be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOp.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with elements

• thresholds :: numeric learned thresholds

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOp, as well as:

- measure: Measure | character
   Measure to optimize for. Will be converted to a Measure in case it is character. Initialized to "classif.ce", i.e. misclassification error.
- optimizer:: Optimizerlcharacter(1)
   Optimizer used to find optimal thresholds. If character, converts to Optimizer via opt.
   Initialized to OptimizerGenSA.
- log\_level :: character(1) | integer(1) Set a temporary log-level for lgr::get\_logger("bbotk"). Initialized to: "warn".

### **Internals**

Uses the optimizer provided as a param\_val in order to find an optimal threshold. See the optimizer parameter for more info.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
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mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
```

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mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconstant mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange, mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("learner_cv", lrn("classif.rpart", predict_type = "prob")) %>>%
    po("tunethreshold")

task$data()
pop$train(task)

pop$state
```

mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch Unbranch Different Paths

## **Description**

Used to bring together different paths created by PipeOpBranch.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpUnbranch$new(options, id = "unbranch", param_vals = list())
```

- options :: numeric(1) | character If options is 0, a vararg input channel is created that can take any number of inputs. If options is a nonzero integer number, it determines the number of input channels / options that are created, named input1...input<n>. The If options is a character, it determines the names of channels directly. The difference between these three is purely cosmetic if the user chooses to produce channel names matching with the corresponding PipeOpBranch. However, it is not necessary to have matching names and the *vararg* option is always viable.
- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "unbranch".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

### **Input and Output**

PipeOpUnbranch has multiple input channels depending on the options construction argument, named "input1", "input2", ... if options is a nonzero integer and named after each options value if options is a character; if options is 0, there is only one *vararg* input channel named "...". All input channels take any argument ("\*") both during training and prediction.

PipeOpUnbranch has one output channel named "output", producing the only NO\_OP object received as input ("\*"), both during training and prediction.

### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

PipeOpUnbranch has no parameters.

### **Internals**

See PipeOpBranch Internals on how alternative path branching works.

### **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget.
mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

Other Path Branching: NO\_OP, filter\_noop(), is\_noop(), mlr\_pipeops\_branch

## **Examples**

```
# See PipeOpBranch for a complete branching example
pou = po("unbranch")
pou$train(list(NO_OP, NO_OP, "hello", NO_OP, NO_OP))
```

mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget

Transform a Target without an Explicit Inversion

# Description

### EXPERIMENTAL, API SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Handles target transformation operations that do not need explicit inversion. In case the new target is required during predict, creates a vector of NA. Works similar to PipeOpTargetTrafo and PipeOpTargetMutate, but forgoes the inversion step. In case target after the trafo is a factor, levels are saved to \$state.

During prediction: Sets all target values to NA before calling the trafo again. In case target after the trafo is a factor, levels saved in the state are set during prediction.

As a special case when trafo is identity and new\_target\_name matches an existing column name of the data of the input Task, this column is set as the new target. Depending on drop\_original\_target the original target is then either dropped or added to the features.

## Format

Abstract R6Class inheriting from PipeOp.

# Construction

```
PipeOpUpdateTarget$new(id, param_set = ParamSet$new(),
  param_vals = list(), packages = character(0))
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object. See \$id slot of PipeOp.
- param\_vals :: named list
  List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings given in param\_set.
  The subclass should have its own param\_vals parameter and pass it on to super\$initialize().
  Default list().

### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTargetTrafo, as well as:

- trafo :: function
  - Transformation function for the target. Should only be a function of the target, i.e., taking a single argument. Default is identity. Note, that the data passed on to the target is a data.table consisting of all target column.
- new\_target\_name :: character(1)
   Optionally give the transformed target a new name. By default the original name is used.
- new\_task\_type :: character(1)
   Optionally a new task type can be set. Legal types are listed in mlr\_reflections\$task\_types\$type.
   #' drop\_original\_target :: logical(1)
   Whether to drop the original target column. Default: TRUE.

### State

The \$state is a list of class levels for each target after trafo. list() if none of the targets have levels.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other mlr3pipelines backend related: Graph, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_graphs, mlr\_pipeops

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputecons mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconsta mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscale mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Create a binary class task from iris
library(mlr3)
```

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```
trafo_fun = function(x) {factor(ifelse(x$Species == "setosa", "setosa", "other"))}
po = PipeOpUpdateTarget$new(param_vals = list(trafo = trafo_fun, new_target_name = "setosa"))
po$train(list(tsk("iris")))
po$predict(list(tsk("iris")))

## End(Not run)

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Interface to the vtreat Package
```

# Description

Provides an interface to the vtreat package.

PipeOpVtreat naturally works for classification tasks and regression tasks. Internally, PipeOpVtreat follows the fit/prepare interface of vtreat, i.e., first creating a data treatment transform object via vtreat::NumericOutcomeTreatment(), vtreat::BinomialOutcomeTreatment(), or vtreat::MultinomialOutcomeTr followed by calling vtreat::fit\_prepare() on the training data and vtreat::prepare() during predicton.

#### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Construction

```
PipeOpVreat$new(id = "vtreat", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of resulting object, default "vtreat".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

## **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected features "prepared" by vtreat. If vtreat found "no usable vars", the input Task is returned unaltered.

### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• treatment\_plan:: object of class vtreat\_pipe\_step | NULL
The treatment plan as constructed by vtreat based on the training data, i.e., an object of class treatment\_plan. If vtreat found "no usable vars" and designing the treatment would have failed, this is NULL.

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### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

• recommended:: logical(1)
Whether only the "recommended" prepared features should be returned, i.e., non constant variables with a significance value smaller than vtreat's threshold. Initialized to TRUE.

- cols\_to\_copy :: function | Selector Selector function, takes a Task as argument and returns a character() of features to copy. See Selector for example functions. Initialized to selector\_none().
- minFraction :: numeric(1)

  Minimum frequency a categorical level must have to be converted to an indicator column.
- smFactor :: numeric(1) Smoothing factor for impact coding models.
- rareCount :: integer(1)
   Allow levels with this count or below to be pooled into a shared rare-level.
- rareSig :: numeric(1)
  Suppress levels from pooling at this significance value greater.
- collarProb :: numeric(1)
  What fraction of the data (pseudo-probability) to collar data at if doCollar = TRUE.
- doCollar :: logical(1)
   If TRUE collar numeric variables by cutting off after a tail-probability specified by collarProb during treatment design.
- codeRestriction :: character() What types of variables to produce.
- customCoders:: named list
   Map from code names to custom categorical variable encoding functions.
- splitFunction :: function Function arguments nSplits, nRows, dframe, and y; returning a user desired split.
- ncross :: integer(1)
  Integer larger than one, number of cross-validation rounds to design.
- forceSplit :: logical(1)

  If TRUE force cross-validated significance calculations on all variables.
- catScaling::logical(1)
  If TRUE use stats::glm() linkspace, if FALSE use stats::lm() for scaling.
- verbose :: logical(1)
  If TRUE print progress.
- use\_paralell :: logical(1) If TRUE use parallel methods.
- missingness\_imputation :: function Function of signature f(values: numeric, weights: numeric), simple missing value imputer. Typically, an imputation via a PipeOp should be preferred, see PipeOpImpute.
- pruneSig :: numeric(1)
   Suppress variables with significance above this level. Only effects [regression tasksmlr3::TaskRegr and binary classification tasks.

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- scale :: logical(1)

  If TRUE replace numeric variables with single variable model regressions ("move to outcomescale"). These have mean zero and (for variables with significant less than 1) slope 1 when regressed (Im for regression problems/glm for classification problems) against outcome.
- varRestriction:: list()
   List of treated variable names to restrict to. Only effects [regression tasksmlr3::TaskRegr and binary classification tasks.
- trackedValues:: named list()
   Named list mapping variables to know values, allows warnings upon novel level appearances (see vtreat::track\_values()). Only effects [regression tasksmlr3::TaskRegr and binary classification tasks.
- y\_dependent\_treatments :: character()
   Character what treatment types to build per-outcome level. Only effects multiclass classification tasks.
- imputation\_map:: named list
  List of map from column names to functions of signature f(values: numeric, weights: numeric), simple missing value imputers.

  Typically, an imputation via a PipeOp is to be preferred, see PipeOpImpute.

For more information, see vtreat::regression\_parameters(), vtreat::classification\_parameters(), or vtreat::multinomial\_parameters().

#### Internals

Follows vtreat's fit/prepare interface. See vtreat::NumericOutcomeTreatment(), vtreat::BinomialOutcomeTreatment vtreat::MultinomialOutcomeTreatment(), vtreat::fit\_prepare() and vtreat::prepare().

## Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeeons mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_nultiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign,

mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscalemlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
set.seed(2020)

make_data <- function(nrows) {
    d <- data.frame(x = 5 * rnorm(nrows))
    d["y"] = sin(d[["x"]]) + 0.01 * d[["x"]] + 0.1 * rnorm(nrows)
    d[4:10, "x"] = NA # introduce NAs
    d["xc"] = paste0("level_", 5 * round(d$y / 5, 1))
    d["x2"] = rnorm(nrows)
    d[d["xc"] == "level_-1", "xc"] = NA # introduce a NA level
    return(d)
}

task = TaskRegr$new("vtreat_regr", backend = make_data(100), target = "y")

pop = PipeOpVtreat$new()
pop$train(list(task))</pre>
```

mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson

Yeo-Johnson Transformation of Numeric Features

# Description

Conducts a Yeo-Johnson transformation on numeric features. It therefore estimates the optimal value of lambda for the transformation. See bestNormalize::yeojohnson() for details.

### **Format**

R6Class object inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

## Construction

```
PipeOpYeoJohnson$new(id = "yeojohnson", param_vals = list())
```

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object, default "yeojohnson".
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

# **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output is the input Task with all affected numeric features replaced by their transformed versions.

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as a list of class yeojohnson for each column, which is transformed.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

- eps :: numeric(1)

  Tolerance parameter to identify the lambda parameter as zero. For details see yeojohnson().
- standardize:: logical
  Whether to center and scale the transformed values to attempt a standard normal distribution.
  For details see yeojohnson().
- lower :: numeric(1)
  Lower value for estimation of lambda parameter. For details see yeojohnson().
- upper :: numeric(1)
   Upper value for estimation of lambda parameter. For details see yeojohnson().

### **Internals**

Uses the bestNormalize::yeojohnson function.

### Methods

Only methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk,
mlr_pipeops_classbalancing, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply,
mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors, mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures,
mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact, mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_filter, mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputecons
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconsta
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
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mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign, mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscalemlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops
```

### **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

task = tsk("iris")
pop = po("yeojohnson")

task$data()
pop$train(list(task))[[1]]$data()
pop$state
```

Multiplicity

Multiplicity

# **Description**

A Multiplicity class S3 object.

The function of multiplicities is to indicate that PipeOps should be executed multiple times with multiple values.

A Multiplicity is a container, like a list(), that contains multiple values. If the message that is passed along the edge of a Graph is a Multiplicity-object, then the PipeOp that receives this object will *usually* be called once for each contained value. The result of each of these calls is then, again, packed in a Multiplicity and sent along the outgoing edge(s) of that PipeOp. This means that a Multiplicity can cause multiple PipeOps in a row to be run multiple times, where the run for each element of the Multiplicity is independent from the others.

Most PipeOps only return a Multiplicity if their input was a Multiplicity (and after having run their code multiple times, once for each entry). However, there are a few special PipeOps that are "aware" of Multiplicity objects. These may either *create* a Multiplicity even though not having a Multiplicity input (e.g. PipeOpReplicate or PipeOpOVRSplit) — causing the subsequent PipeOps to be run multiple times — or *collect* a Multiplicity, being called only once even though their input is a Multiplicity (e.g. PipeOpOVRUnite or PipeOpFeatureUnion if constructed with the collect\_multiplicity argument set to TRUE). The combination of these mechanisms makes it possible for parts of a Graph to be called variably many times if "sandwiched" between Multiplicity creating and collecting PipeOps.

Whether a PipeOp creates or collects a Multiplicity is indicated by the \$input or \$output slot (which indicate names and types of in/out channels). If the train and predict types of an input or output are surrounded by square brackets ("[", "]"), then this channel handles a Multiplicity explicitly. Depending on the function of the PipeOp, it will usually collect (input channel) or create (output channel) a Multiplicity. PipeOps without this indicator are Multiplicity agnostic and blindly execute their function multiple times when given a Multiplicity.

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If a PipeOp is trained on a Multiplicity, the \$state slot is set to a Multiplicity as well; this Multiplicity contains the "original" \$state resulting from each individual call of the PipeOP with the input Multiplicity's content. If a PipeOp was trained with a Multiplicity, then the predict() argument must be a Multiplicity with the same number of elements.

## Usage

```
Multiplicity(...)
```

# Arguments

... any
Can be anything.

### Value

Multiplicity

### See Also

Other Special Graph Messages: NO\_OP

Other Experimental Features: mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate

Other Multiplicity PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate

NO\_OP

No-Op Sentinel Used for Alternative Branching

# **Description**

Special data type for no-ops. Distinct from NULL for easier debugging and distinction from unintentional NULL returns.

## Usage

NO\_OP

## **Format**

R6 object.

### See Also

```
Other Path Branching: filter_noop(), is_noop(), mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_unbranch
Other Special Graph Messages: Multiplicity()
```

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PipeOp Base Class

## **Description**

A PipeOp represents a transformation of a given "input" into a given "output", with two stages: "training" and "prediction". It can be understood as a generalized function that not only has multiple inputs, but also multiple outputs (as well as two stages). The "training" stage is used when training a machine learning pipeline or fitting a statistical model, and the "predicting" stage is then used for making predictions on new data.

To perform training, the \$train() function is called which takes inputs and transforms them, while simultaneously storing information in its \$state slot. For prediction, the \$predict() function is called, where the \$state information can be used to influence the transformation of the new data.

A PipeOp is usually used in a Graph object, a representation of a computational graph. It can have multiple **input channels**—think of these as multiple arguments to a function, for example when averaging different models—, and multiple **output channels**—a transformation may return different objects, for example different subsets of a Task. The purpose of the Graph is to connect different outputs of some PipeOps to inputs of other PipeOps.

Input and output channel information of a PipeOp is defined in the \$input and \$output slots; each channel has a *name*, a required type during training, and a required type during prediction. The \$train() and \$predict() function are called with a list argument that has one entry for each declared channel (with one exception, see next paragraph). The list is automatically type-checked for each channel against \$input and then passed on to the private\$.train() or private\$.predict() functions. There the data is processed and a result list is created. This list is again type-checked for declared output types of each channel. The length and types of the result list is as declared in \$output.

A special input channel name is "...", which creates a *vararg* channel that takes arbitrarily many arguments, all of the same type. If the \$input table contains an "..."-entry, then the input given to \$train() and \$predict() may be longer than the number of declared input channels.

This class is an abstract base class that all PipeOps being used in a Graph should inherit from, and is not intended to be instantiated.

### **Format**

Abstract R6Class.

## Construction

PipeOp\$new(id, param\_set = ParamSet\$new(), param\_vals = list(), input, output, packages = character(0),

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object. See \$id slot.
- param\_set :: ParamSet | list of expression
  Parameter space description. This should be created by the subclass and given to super\$initialize().

  If this is a ParamSet, it is used as the PipeOp's ParamSet directly. Otherwise it must be a list

of expressions e.g. created by alist() that evaluate to ParamSets. These ParamSet are combined using a ParamSetCollection.

- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings given in param\_set. The subclass should have its own param\_vals parameter and pass it on to super\$initialize(). Default list().
- input :: data. table with columns name (character), train (character), predict (character) Sets the \$input slot of the resulting object; see description there.
- output :: data.table with columns name (character), train (character), predict (character) Sets the \$output slot of the resulting object; see description there.
- packages :: character Set of all required packages for the PipeOp's \$train and \$predict methods. See \$packages slot. Default is character(0).
- tags ::character
  A set of tags associated with the PipeOp. Tags describe a PipeOp's purpose. Can be used to filter as.data.table(mlr\_pipeops). Default is "abstract", indicating an abstract PipeOp.

### **Internals**

PipeOp is an abstract class with abstract functions private\$.train() and private\$.predict(). To create a functional PipeOp class, these two methods must be implemented. Each of these functions receives a named list according to the PipeOp's input channels, and must return a list (names are ignored) with values in the order of output channels in \$output. The private\$.train() and private\$.predict() function should not be called by the user; instead, a \$train() and \$predict() should be used. The most convenient usage is to add the PipeOp to a Graph (possibly as singleton in that Graph), and using the Graph's \$train() / \$predict() methods.

private\$.train() and private\$.predict() should treat their inputs as read-only. If they are R6 objects, they should be cloned before being manipulated in-place. Objects, or parts of objects, that are not changed, do not need to be cloned, and it is legal to return the same identical-by-reference objects to multiple outputs.

### **Fields**

- id :: character
  ID of the PipeOp. IDs are user-configurable, and IDs of PipeOps must be unique within a Graph. IDs of PipeOps must not be changed once they are part of a Graph, instead the Graph's \$set\_names() method should be used.
- packages :: character
  Packages required for the PipeOp. Functions that are not in base R should still be called using
  :: (or explicitly attached using require()) in private\$.train() and private\$.predict(),
  but packages declared here are checked before any (possibly expensive) processing has started
  within a Graph.
- param\_set :: ParamSet
  Parameters and parameter constraints. Parameter values that influence the functioning of
  \$train and/or \$predict are in the \$param\_set\$values slot; these are automatically checked
  against parameter constraints in \$param\_set.

• state :: any | NULL

Method-dependent state obtained during training step, and usually required for the prediction step. This is NULL if and only if the PipeOp has not been trained. The \$state is the *only* slot that can be reliably modified during \$train(), because private\$.train() may theoretically be executed in a different R-session (e.g. for parallelization). \$state should furthermore always be set to something with copy-semantics, since it is never cloned. This is a limitation not of PipeOp or mlr3pipelines, but of the way the system as a whole works, together with GraphLearner and mlr3.

• input :: data.table with columns name (character), train (character), predict (character) Input channels of PipeOp. Column name gives the names (and order) of values in the list given to \$train() and \$predict(). Column train is the (S3) class that an input object must conform to during training, column predict is the (S3) class that an input object must conform to during prediction. Types are checked by the PipeOp itself and do not need to be checked by private\$.train() / private\$.predict() code.

A special name is "...", which creates a *vararg* input channel that accepts a variable number of inputs.

If a row has both train and predict values enclosed by square brackets ("[", "]), then this channel is Multiplicity-aware. If the PipeOp receives a Multiplicity value on these channels, this Multiplicity is given to the .train() and .predict() functions directly. Otherwise, the Multiplicity is transparently unpacked and the .train() and .predict() functions are called multiple times, once for each Multiplicity element. The type enclosed by square brackets indicates that only a Multiplicity containing values of this type are accepted. See Multiplicity for more information.

- output :: data.table with columns name (character), train (character), predict (character) Output channels of PipeOp, in the order in which they will be given in the list returned by \$train and \$predict functions. Column train is the (S3) class that an output object must conform to during training, column predict is the (S3) class that an output object must conform to during prediction. The PipeOp checks values returned by private\$.train() and private\$.predict() against these types specifications.
  - If a row has both train and predict values enclosed by square brackets ("[", "]), then this signals that the channel emits a Multiplicity of the indicated type. See Multiplicity for more information.
- innum:: numeric(1)

  Number of input channels. This equals nrow(\$input).
- outnum :: numeric(1)

  Number of output channels. This equals nrow(\$output).
- is\_trained :: logical(1)
  Indicate whether the PipeOp was already trained and can therefore be used for prediction.
- tags ::character
   A set of tags associated with the PipeOp. Tags describe a PipeOp's purpose. Can be used to filter as.data.table(mlr\_pipeops). PipeOp tags are inherited and child classes can introduce additional tags.
- hash :: character(1)
   Checksum calculated on the PipeOp, depending on the PipeOp's class and the slots \$id and
   \$param\_set\$values. If a PipeOp's functionality may change depending on more than these
   values, it should inherit the \$hash active binding and calculate the hash as digest(list(super\$hash, <OTHER THINGS)</li>

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• .result:: list

If the Graph's \$keep\_results flag is set to TRUE, then the intermediate Results of \$train() and \$predict() are saved to this slot, exactly as they are returned by these functions. This is mainly for debugging purposes and done, if requested, by the Graph backend itself; it should *not* be done explicitly by private\$.train() or private\$.predict().

• man :: character(1)
Identifying string of the help page that shows with help().

### Methods

train(input)

(list) -> named list

Train PipeOp on inputs, transform it to output and store the learned \$state. If the PipeOp is already trained, already present \$state is overwritten. Input list is typechecked against the \$input train column. Return value is a list with as many entries as \$output has rows, with each entry named after the \$output name column and class according to the \$output train column. The workhorse function for training each PipeOp is the private .train(input): (named list) -> list

function. It's an Abstract function that must be implemented by concrete subclasses. private\$.train() is called by \$train() after typechecking. It must change the \$state value to something non-NULL and return a list of transformed data according to the \$output train column. Names of the returned list are ignored.

The private\$.train() method should not be called by a user; instead, the \$train() method should be used which does some checking and possibly type conversion.

• predict(input)

(list) -> named list

Predict on new data in input, possibly using the stored \$state. Input and output are specified by \$input and \$output in the same way as for \$train(), except that the predict column is used for type checking. The workhorse function for predicting in each using each PipeOp is .predict(input)

(named list) -> list

Abstract function that must be implemented by concrete subclasses. private\$.predict() is called by \$predict() after typechecking and works analogously to private\$.train(). Unlike private\$.train(), private\$.predict() should not modify the PipeOp in any way. Just as private\$.train(), private\$.predict() should not be called by a user; instead, the \$predict() method should be used.

• print()
 () -> NULL

Prints the PipeOps most salient information: \$id, \$is\_trained, \$param\_set\$values, \$input and \$output.

help(help\_type) (character(1)) -> help file

Displays the help file of the concrete PipeOp instance. help\_type is one of "text", "html", "pdf" and behaves as the help\_type argument of R's help().

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

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Other mlr3pipelines backend related: Graph, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,

```
PipeOpTaskPreproc, mlr_graphs, mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
PipeOpTaskPreproc, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk, mlr_pipeops_classbalancing
mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply, mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors,
mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

# **Examples**

```
# example (bogus) PipeOp that returns the sum of two numbers during $train()
# as well as a letter of the alphabet corresponding to that sum during $predict().
PipeOpSumLetter = R6::R6Class("sumletter",
  inherit = PipeOp, # inherit from PipeOp
 public = list(
    initialize = function(id = "posum", param_vals = list()) {
      super$initialize(id, param_vals = param_vals,
        # declare "input" and "output" during construction here
       # training takes two 'numeric' and returns a 'numeric';
       # prediction takes 'NULL' and returns a 'character'.
       input = data.table::data.table(name = c("input1", "input2"),
          train = "numeric", predict = "NULL"),
       output = data.table::data.table(name = "output",
          train = "numeric", predict = "character")
     )
    }
 ),
 private = list(
    # PipeOp deriving classes must implement .train and
    # .predict; each taking an input list and returning
    # a list as output.
    .train = function(input) {
      sum = input[[1]] + input[[2]]
      self$state = sum
     list(sum)
    },
    .predict = function(input) {
     list(letters[self$state])
```

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```
}
)
)
posum = PipeOpSumLetter$new()
print(posum)

posum$train(list(1, 2))
# note the name 'output' is the name of the output channel specified
# in the $output data.table.

posum$predict(list(NULL, NULL))
```

PipeOpEnsemble

Ensembling Base Class

# **Description**

Parent class for PipeOps that aggregate predictions. Implements the private\$.train() and private\$.predict() methods necessary for a PipeOp and requires deriving classes to create the private\$weighted\_avg\_predictions() function.

#### **Format**

Abstract R6Class inheriting from PipeOp.

# Construction

Note: This object is typically constructed via a derived class, e.g. PipeOpClassifAvg or PipeOpRegrAvg.

PipeOpEnsemble\$new(innum = 0, collect\_multiplicity = FALSE, id, param\_set = ParamSet\$new(), param\_vals

- innum:: numeric(1)

  Determines the number of input channels. If innum is 0 (default), a vararg input channel is created that can take an arbitrary number of inputs.
- collect\_multiplicity :: logical(1)

  If TRUE, the input is a Multiplicity collecting channel. This means, a Multiplicity input, instead of multiple normal inputs, is accepted and the members are aggregated. This requires innum to be 0. Default is FALSE.
- id :: character(1)

  Identifier of the resulting object.
- param\_set :: ParamSet ("Hyper"-)Parameters in form of a ParamSet for the resulting PipeOp.
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings that would otherwise be set during construction. Default list().

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packages :: character
 Set of packages required for this PipeOp. These packages are loaded during \$train() and \$predict(), but not attached. Default character(0).

• prediction\_type :: character(1)

The predict entry of the \$input and \$output type specifications. Should be "Prediction" (default) or one of its subclasses, e.g. "PredictionClassif", and correspond to the type accepted by private\$.train() and private\$.predict().

## **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpEnsemble has multiple input channels depending on the innum construction argument, named "input1", "input2", ... if innum is nonzero; if innum is 0, there is only one *vararg* input channel named "...". All input channels take only NULL during training and take a Prediction during prediction.

PipeOpEnsemble has one output channel named "output", producing NULL during training and a Prediction during prediction.

The output during prediction is in some way a weighted averaged representation of the input.

#### State

The \$state is left empty (list()).

#### **Parameters**

• weights:: numeric Relative weights of input predictions. If this has length 1, it is ignored and weighs all inputs equally. Otherwise it must have length equal to the number of connected inputs. Initialized to 1 (equal weights).

#### Internals

The commonality of ensemble methods using PipeOpEnsemble is that they take a NULL-input during training and save an empty \$state. They can be used following a set of PipeOpLearner PipeOps to perform (possibly weighted) prediction averaging. See e.g. PipeOpClassifAvg and PipeOpRegrAvg which both inherit from this class.

Should it be necessary to use the output of preceding Learners during the "training" phase, then PipeOpEnsemble should not be used. In fact, if training time behaviour of a Learner is important, then one should use a PipeOpLearnerCV instead of a PipeOpLearner, and the ensemble can be created with a Learner encapsulated by a PipeOpLearner. See LearnerClassifAvg and LearnerRegrAvg for examples.

## **Fields**

Only fields inherited from PipeOp.

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### Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOp as well as:

weighted\_avg\_prediction(inputs, weights, row\_ids, truth)
 (list of Prediction, numeric, integer | character, list) -> NULL
 Create Predictions that correspond to the weighted average of incoming Predictions. This
 is called by private\$.predict() with cleaned and sanity-checked values: inputs are guaranteed to fit together, row\_ids and truth are guaranteed to be the same as each one in inputs,
 and weights is guaranteed to have the same length as inputs.
 This method is abstract, it must be implemented by deriving classes.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc.
PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk, mlr_pipeops_classbalancing,
mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply, mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors,
mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
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mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
Other Multiplicity PipeOps: Multiplicity(), mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_featureunion,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit,
mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_replicate
Other Ensembles: mlr_learners_avg, mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_regravg
```

PipeOpImpute

Imputation Base Class

## **Description**

Abstract base class for feature imputation.

## Format

Abstract R6Class object inheriting from PipeOp.

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### Construction

PipeOpImpute\$\$new(id, param\_set = ParamSet\$new(), param\_vals = list(), whole\_task\_dependent = FALSE, param\_vals = list(), whole\_task\_dependent = list(), whole\_task\_dependent

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object. See \$id slot of PipeOp.
- param\_set :: ParamSet

  Parameter space description. This should be created by the subclass and given to super\$initialize().
- param\_vals :: named list
  List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings given in param\_set.
  The subclass should have its own param\_vals parameter and pass it on to super\$initialize().
  Default list().
- whole\_task\_dependent :: logical(1)
  Whether the context\_columns parameter should be added which lets the user limit the columns that are used for imputation inference. This should generally be FALSE if imputation depends only on individual features (e.g. mode imputation), and TRUE if imputation depends on other features as well (e.g. kNN-imputation).
- packages :: character Set of all required packages for the PipeOp's private\$.train and private\$.predict methods. See \$packages slot. Default is character(0).
- task\_type :: character(1)

  The class of Task that should be accepted as input and will be returned as output. This should generally be a character(1) identifying a type of Task, e.g. "Task", "TaskClassif" or "TaskRegr" (or another subclass introduced by other packages). Default is "Task".
- feature\_types :: character Feature types affected by the PipeOp. See private\$.select\_cols() for more information.

# **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpImpute has one input channel named "input", taking a Task, or a subclass of Task if the task\_type construction argument is given as such; both during training and prediction.

PipeOpImpute has one output channel named "output", producing a Task, or a subclass; the Task type is the same as for input; both during training and prediction.

The output Task is the modified input Task with features imputed according to the private\$.impute() function.

# State

The \$state is a named list; besides members added by inheriting classes, the members are:

- affected\_cols :: character
   Names of features being selected by the affect\_columns parameter.
- context\_cols :: character
   Names of features being selected by the context\_columns parameter.
- intasklayout :: data.table
  Copy of the training Task's \$feature\_types slot. This is used during prediction to ensure
  that the prediction Task has the same features, feature layout, and feature types as during
  training.

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outtasklayout :: data.table
 Copy of the trained Task's \$feature\_types slot. This is used during prediction to ensure that the Task resulting from the prediction operation has the same features, feature layout, and feature types as after training.

model :: named list
 Model used for imputation. This is a list named by Task features, containing the result of the
 private\$.train\_imputer() or private\$.train\_nullmodel() function for each one.

#### **Parameters**

- affect\_columns :: function | Selector | NULL What columns the PipeOpImpute should operate on. The parameter must be a Selector function, which takes a Task as argument and returns a character of features to use. See Selector for example functions. Defaults to NULL, which selects all features.
- context\_columns :: function | Selector | NULL
  What columns the PipeOpImpute imputation may depend on. This parameter is only present
  if the constructor is called with the whole\_task\_dependent argument set to TRUE.
  The parameter must be a Selector function, which takes a Task as argument and returns a
  character of features to use.
  See Selector for example functions. Defaults to NULL, which selects all features.

### **Internals**

PipeOpImpute is an abstract class inheriting from PipeOp that makes implementing imputer PipeOps simple.

# Fields

Fields inherited from PipeOp.

### Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOp, as well as:

.select\_cols(task) (Task) -> character

Selects which columns the PipeOp operates on. In contrast to the affect\_columns parameter. private\$.select\_cols() is for the *inheriting class* to determine which columns the operator should function on, e.g. based on feature type, while affect\_columns is a way for the *user* to limit the columns that a PipeOpTaskPreproc should operate on. This method can optionally be overloaded when inheriting PipeOpImpute; If this method is not overloaded, it defaults to selecting the columns of type indicated by the feature\_types construction argument.

.train\_imputer(feature, type, context)
 (atomic, character(1), data.table) -> any
 Abstract function that must be overloaded when inheriting. Called once for each feature selected by affect\_columns to create the model entry to be used for private\$.impute(). This function is only called for features with at least one non-missing value.

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- .train\_nullmodel(feature, type, context)
  (atomic, character(1), data.table) -> any
  Like .train\_imputer(), but only called for each feature that only contains missing values.
  This is not an abstract function and, if not overloaded, gives a default response of 0 (integer, numeric), c(TRUE, FALSE) (logical), all available levels (factor/ordered), or the empty string (character).
- .impute(feature, type, model, context)
   (atomic, character(1), any, data.table) -> atomic
   Imputes the features. model is the model created by private\$.train\_imputer() Default
   behaviour is to assume model is an atomic vector from which values are sampled to impute
   missing values of feature. model may have an attribute probabilities for non-uniform
   sampling.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeconstant, mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconsta mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscal mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

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PipeOpTargetTrafo

Target Transformation Base Class

## **Description**

Base class for handling target transformation operations. Target transformations are different from feature transformation because they have to be "inverted" after prediction. The target is transformed during the training phase and information to invert this transformation is sent along to

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PipeOpTargetInvert which then inverts this transformation during the prediction phase. This inversion may need info about both the training and the prediction data.

Users can overload up to four private\$-functions: .get\_state() (optional), .transform() (mandatory), .train\_invert() (optional), and .invert() (mandatory).

### **Format**

Abstract R6Class inheriting from PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpTargetTrafo\$new(id, param\_set = ParamSet\$new(), param\_vals = list() packages = character(0), tasl

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object. See \$id slot of PipeOp.
- param\_set :: ParamSet

  Parameter space description. This should be created by the subclass and given to super\$initialize().
- param\_vals :: named list
  List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings given in param\_set.
  The subclass should have its own param\_vals parameter and pass it on to super\$initialize().
  Default list().
- task\_type\_in :: character(1)
  The class of Task that should be accepted as input. This should generally be a character(1) identifying a type of Task, e.g. "Task", "TaskClassif" or "TaskRegr" (or another subclass introduced by other packages). Default is "Task".
- task\_type\_out :: character(1)
  The class of Task that is produced as output. This should generally be a character(1) identifying a type of Task, e.g. "Task", "TaskClassif" or "TaskRegr" (or another subclass introduced by other packages). Default is the value of task\_type\_in.
- packages :: character
   Set of all required packages for the PipeOp's methods. See \$packages slot. Default is character(0).
- tags :: character | NULL Tags of the resulting PipeOp. This is added to the tag "target transform". Default NULL.

### **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpTargetTrafo has one input channels named "input" taking a Task (or whatever class was specified by the task\_type during construction) both during training and prediction.

PipeOpTargetTrafo has two output channels named "fun" and "output". During training, "fun" returns NULL and during prediction, "fun" returns a function that can later be used to invert the transformation done during training according to the overloaded .train\_invert() and .invert() functions. "output" returns the modified input Task (or task\_type) according to the overloaded transform() function both during training and prediction.

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#### State

The \$state is a named list and should be returned explicitly by the user in the overloaded .get\_state() function.

#### **Internals**

PipeOpTargetTrafo is an abstract class inheriting from PipeOp. It implements the private\$.train() and private\$.predict() functions. These functions perform checks and go on to call .get\_state(), .transform(), .train\_invert() .invert() is packaged and sent along the "fun" output to be applied to a Prediction by PipeOpTargetInvert. A subclass of PipeOpTargetTrafo should implement these functions and be used in combination with PipeOpTargetInvert.

### **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOp.

#### Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOp, as well as:

.get\_state(task)(Task) -> list

Called by PipeOpTargetTrafo's implementation of private\$.train(). Takes a single Task as input and returns a list to set the \$state..get\_state() will be called a single time during training right before .transform() is called. The return value (i.e. the \$state) should contain info needed in .transform() as well as in .invert().

The base implementation returns list() and should be overloaded if setting the state is desired.

• .transform(task, phase) (Task, character(1)) -> Task

Called by PipeOpTargetTrafo's implementation of private\$.train() and private\$.predict(). Takes a single Task as input and modifies it. This should typically consist of calculating a new target and modifying the Task by using the convert\_task function. .transform() will be called during training and prediction because the target (and if needed also type) of the input Task must be transformed both times. Note that unlike \$.train(), the argument is not a list but a singular Task, and the return object is also not a list but a singular Task. The phase argument is "train" during training phase and "predict" during prediction phase and can be used to enable different behaviour during training and prediction. When phase is "train", the \$state slot (as previously set by .get\_state()) may also be modified, alternatively or in addition to overloading .get\_state().

The input should *not* be cloned and if possible should be changed in-place. This function is abstract and should be overloaded by inheriting classes.

.train\_invert(task)(Task) -> any

Called by PipeOpTargetTrafo's implementation of private\$.predict(). Takes a single Task as input and returns an arbitrary value that will be given as predict\_phase\_state to .invert(). This should not modify the input Task .

The base implementation returns a list with a single element, the \$truth column of the Task, and should be overloaded if a more training-phase-dependent state is desired.

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.invert(prediction, predict\_phase\_state)
 (Prediction, any) -> Prediction
 Takes a Prediction and a predict\_phase\_state object as input and inverts the prediction.
 This function is sent as "fun" to PipeOpTargetInvert.
 This function is abstract and should be overloaded by inheriting classes. Care should be taken that the predict\_type of the Prediction being inverted is handled well.

• .invert\_help(predict\_phase\_state)
(predict\_phase\_state object) -> function
Helper function that packages .invert() that can later be used for the inversion.

### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other mlr3pipelines backend related: Graph, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_graphs, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp,mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox,mlr\_pipeops\_branch,mlr\_pipeops\_chunk,mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer,mlr\_pipeops\_encode,mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion,mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeconstant, mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconst mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscal mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

PipeOpTaskPreproc

Task Preprocessing Base Class

# Description

Base class for handling most "preprocessing" operations. These are operations that have exactly one Task input and one Task output, and expect the column layout of these Tasks during input and output to be the same.

Prediction-behavior of preprocessing operations should always be independent for each row in the input-Task. This means that the prediction-operation of preprocessing-PipeOps should commute with rbind(): Running prediction on an n-row Task should result in the same result as rbind()-ing the prediction-result from n 1-row Tasks with the same content. In the large majority of cases, the number and order of rows should also not be changed during prediction.

Users must implement private\$.train\_task() and private\$.predict\_task(), which have a Task input and should return that Task. The Task should, if possible, be manipulated in-place, and should not be cloned.

Alternatively, the private\$.train\_dt() and private\$.predict\_dt() functions can be implemented, which operate on data.table objects instead. This should generally only be done if all data is in some way altered (e.g. PCA changing all columns to principal components) and not if only a few columns are added or removed (e.g. feature selection) because this should be done at the Task-level with private\$.train\_task(). The private\$.select\_cols() function can be overloaded for private\$.train\_dt() and private\$.predict\_dt() to operate only on subsets of the Task's data, e.g. only on numerical columns.

If the can\_subset\_cols argument of the constructor is TRUE (the default), then the hyperparameter affect\_columns is added, which can limit the columns of the Task that is modified by the PipeOpTaskPreproc using a Selector function. Note this functionality is entirely independent of the private\$.select\_cols() functionality.

PipeOpTaskPreproc is useful for operations that behave differently during training and prediction. For operations that perform essentially the same operation and only need to perform extra work to build a \$state during training, the PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple class can be used instead.

#### **Format**

Abstract R6Class inheriting from PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpTaskPreproc\$new(id, param\_set = ParamSet\$new(), param\_vals = list(), can\_subset\_cols = TRUE,
 packages = character(0), task\_type = "Task", tags = NULL, feature\_types = mlr\_reflections\$task\_feature

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object. See \$id slot of PipeOp.
- param\_set :: ParamSet

  Parameter space description. This should be created by the subclass and given to super\$initialize().
- param\_vals :: named list List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings given in param\_set. The subclass should have its own param\_vals parameter and pass it on to super\$initialize(). Default list().
- can\_subset\_cols :: logical(1)
  Whether the affect\_columns parameter should be added which lets the user limit the columns that are modified by the PipeOpTaskPreproc. This should generally be FALSE if the operation adds or removes rows from the Task, and TRUE otherwise. Default is TRUE.
- packages :: character
  Set of all required packages for the PipeOp's private\$.train() and private\$.predict()
  methods. See \$packages slot. Default is character(0).
- task\_type :: character(1)
  The class of Task that should be accepted as input and will be returned as output. This should generally be a character(1) identifying a type of Task, e.g. "Task", "TaskClassif" or "TaskRegr" (or another subclass introduced by other packages). Default is "Task".

- tags :: character | NULL Tags of the resulting PipeOp. This is added to the tag "data transform". Default NULL.
- feature\_types :: character
  Feature types affected by the PipeOp. See private\$.select\_cols() for more information.
  Defaults to all available feature types.

# **Input and Output Channels**

PipeOpTaskPreproc has one input channel named "input", taking a Task, or a subclass of Task if the task\_type construction argument is given as such; both during training and prediction.

PipeOpTaskPreproc has one output channel named "output", producing a Task, or a subclass; the Task type is the same as for input; both during training and prediction.

The output Task is the modified input Task according to the overloaded private\$.train\_task()/private\$.predict\_taks or private\$.train\_dt()/private\$.predict\_dt() functions.

#### State

The \$state is a named list; besides members added by inheriting classes, the members are:

- affect\_cols:: character
   Names of features being selected by the affect\_columns parameter, if present; names of all present features otherwise.
- intasklayout :: data.table
  Copy of the training Task's \$feature\_types slot. This is used during prediction to ensure
  that the prediction Task has the same features, feature layout, and feature types as during
  training.
- outtasklayout :: data.table
   Copy of the trained Task's \$feature\_types slot. This is used during prediction to ensure that the Task resulting from the prediction operation has the same features, feature layout, and feature types as after training.
- dt\_columns :: character
   Names of features selected by the private\$.select\_cols() call during training. This is only
   present if the private\$.train\_dt() functionality is used, and not present if the private\$.train\_task()
   function is overloaded instead.
- feature\_types :: character
  Feature types affected by the PipeOp. See private\$.select\_cols() for more information.

## **Parameters**

• affect\_columns :: function | Selector | NULL What columns the PipeOpTaskPreproc should operate on. This parameter is only present if the constructor is called with the can\_subset\_cols argument set to TRUE (the default). The parameter must be a Selector function, which takes a Task as argument and returns a character of features to use.

See Selector for example functions. Defaults to NULL, which selects all features.

#### **Internals**

PipeOpTaskPreproc is an abstract class inheriting from PipeOp. It implements the private\$.train() and \$.predict() functions. These functions perform checks and go on to call private\$.train\_task() and private\$.predict\_task(). A subclass of PipeOpTaskPreproc may implement these functions, or implement private\$.train\_dt() and private\$.predict\_dt() instead. This works by having the default implementations of private\$.train\_task() and private\$.predict\_task() call private\$.train\_dt() and private\$.predict\_dt(), respectively.

The affect\_columns functionality works by unsetting columns by removing their "col\_role" before processing, and adding them afterwards by setting the col\_role to "feature".

#### **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOp.

#### Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOp, as well as:

.train\_task (Task) -> Task

Called by the PipeOpTaskPreproc's implementation of private\$.train(). Takes a single Task as input and modifies it (ideally in-place without cloning) while storing information in the \$state slot. Note that unlike \$.train(), the argument is *not* a list but a singular Task, and the return object is also *not* a list but a singular Task. Also, contrary to private\$.train(), the \$state being generated must be a list, which the PipeOpTaskPreproc will add additional slots to (see Section *State*). Care should be taken to avoid name collisions between \$state elements added by private\$.train\_task() and PipeOpTaskPreproc. By default this function calls the private\$.train\_dt() function, but it can be overloaded to perform operations on the Task directly.

.predict\_task
 (Task) -> Task
 Called by the PipeOpTaskPreproc's implementation of \$.predict(). Takes a single Task as input and modifies it (ideally in-place without cloning) while using information in the \$state slot. Works analogously to private\$.train\_task(). If private\$.predict\_task() should only be overloaded if private\$.train\_task() is overloaded (i.e. private\$.train\_dt() is not used).

• .train\_dt(dt, levels, target)
(data.table, named list, any) -> data.table|data.frame|matrix
Train PipeOpTaskPreproc on dt, transform it and store a state in \$state. A transformed object must be returned that can be converted to a data.table using as.data.table. dt does not need to be copied deliberately, it is possible and encouraged to change it in-place.

The levels argument is a named list of factor levels for factorial or character features. If the input Task inherits from TaskSupervised, the target argument contains the \$truth() information of the training Task; its type depends on the Task type being trained on.

This method can be overloaded when inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc, together with private\$.predict\_dt() and optionally private\$.select\_cols(); alternatively, private\$.train\_task() and private\$.predict\_task() can be overloaded.

.select\_cols(task) (Task) -> character

Selects which columns the PipeOp operates on, if private\$.train\_dt() and private\$.predict\_dt() are overloaded. This function is not called if private\$.train\_task() and private\$.predict\_task() are overloaded. In contrast to the affect\_columns parameter. private\$.select\_cols() is for the *inheriting class* to determine which columns the operator should function on, e.g. based on feature type, while affect\_columns is a way for the *user* to limit the columns that a PipeOpTaskPreproc should operate on.

This method can optionally be overloaded when inheriting PipeOpTaskPreproc, together with private\$.train\_dt() and private\$.predict\_dt(); alternatively, private\$.train\_task() and private\$.predict\_task() can be overloaded.

If this method is not overloaded, it defaults to selecting of type indicated by the feature\_types construction argument.

#### See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

Other mlr3pipelines backend related: Graph, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOp, mlr\_graphs, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops

Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, PipeOp, mlr\_pipeops\_boxcox, mlr\_pipeops\_branch, mlr\_pipeops\_chunk, mlr\_pipeops\_classbalancing, mlr\_pipeops\_classifavg, mlr\_pipeops\_classweights, mlr\_pipeops\_colapply, mlr\_pipeops\_collapsefactors, mlr\_pipeops\_colroles, mlr\_pipeops\_copy, mlr\_pipeops\_datefeatures, mlr\_pipeops\_encodeimpact, mlr\_pipeops\_encodelmer, mlr\_pipeops\_encode, mlr\_pipeops\_featureunion, mlr\_pipeops\_filter, mlr\_pipeops\_fixfactors, mlr\_pipeops\_histbin, mlr\_pipeops\_ica, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeconstant, mlr\_pipeops\_imputehist, mlr\_pipeops\_imputelearner, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemean, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemedian, mlr\_pipeops\_imputemode, mlr\_pipeops\_imputeoor, mlr\_pipeops\_imputesample, mlr\_pipeops\_kernelpca, mlr\_pipeops\_learner, mlr\_pipeops\_missind, mlr\_pipeops\_modelmatrix, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityexply, mlr\_pipeops\_multiplicityimply, mlr\_pipeops\_mutate, mlr\_pipeops\_nmf, mlr\_pipeops\_nop, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrsplit, mlr\_pipeops\_ovrunite, mlr\_pipeops\_pca, mlr\_pipeops\_proxy, mlr\_pipeops\_quantilebin, mlr\_pipeops\_randomprojection, mlr\_pipeops\_randomresponse, mlr\_pipeops\_regravg, mlr\_pipeops\_removeconst mlr\_pipeops\_renamecolumns, mlr\_pipeops\_replicate, mlr\_pipeops\_scalemaxabs, mlr\_pipeops\_scalerange, mlr\_pipeops\_scale, mlr\_pipeops\_select, mlr\_pipeops\_smote, mlr\_pipeops\_spatialsign, mlr\_pipeops\_subsample, mlr\_pipeops\_targetinvert, mlr\_pipeops\_targetmutate, mlr\_pipeops\_targettrafoscal mlr\_pipeops\_textvectorizer, mlr\_pipeops\_threshold, mlr\_pipeops\_tunethreshold, mlr\_pipeops\_unbranch, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops\_vtreat, mlr\_pipeops\_yeojohnson, mlr\_pipeops

PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple

Simple Task Preprocessing Base Class

## **Description**

Base class for handling many "preprocessing" operations that perform essentially the same operation during training and prediction. Instead implementing a private\$.train\_task() and a private\$.predict\_task() operation, only a private\$.get\_state() and a private\$.transform() operation needs to be defined, both of which take one argument: a Task.

Alternatively, analogously to the PipeOpTaskPreproc approach of offering private\$.train\_dt()/private\$.predict\_dt() the private\$.get\_state\_dt() and private\$.transform\_dt() functions may be implemented.

private\$.get\_state must not change its input value in-place and must return something that will be written into \$state (which must not be NULL), private\$.transform() should modify its argument in-place; it is called both during training and prediction.

This inherits from PipeOpTaskPreproc and behaves essentially the same.

#### **Format**

Abstract R6Class inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc/PipeOp.

#### Construction

PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple\$new(id, param\_set = ParamSet\$new(), param\_vals = list(), can\_subset\_cols = TRU (Construction is identical to PipeOpTaskPreproc.)

- id :: character(1)
  Identifier of resulting object. See \$id slot of PipeOp.
- param\_set :: ParamSet
  Parameter space description. This should be created by the subclass and given to super\$initialize().
- param\_vals :: named list
  List of hyperparameter settings, overwriting the hyperparameter settings given in param\_set.
  The subclass should have its own param\_vals parameter and pass it on to super\$initialize().
  Default list().
- can\_subset\_cols :: logical(1)
  Whether the affect\_columns parameter should be added which lets the user limit the columns that are modified by the PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple. This should generally be FALSE if the operation adds or removes rows from the Task, and TRUE otherwise. Default is TRUE.
- packages :: character
   Set of all required packages for the PipeOp's private\$.train() and private\$.predict() methods. See \$packages slot. Default is character(0).
- task\_type :: character(1)
  The class of Task that should be accepted as input and will be returned as output. This should generally be a character(1) identifying a type of Task, e.g. "Task", "TaskClassif" or "TaskRegr" (or another subclass introduced by other packages). Default is "Task".

### **Input and Output Channels**

Input and output channels are inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

The output during training and prediction is the Task, modified by private\$.transform() or private\$.transform\_dt().

#### State

The \$state is a named list with the \$state elements inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

#### **Parameters**

The parameters are the parameters inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc.

#### **Internals**

PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple is an abstract class inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc and implementing the private\$.train\_task() and private\$.predict\_task() functions. A subclass of PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple may implement the functions private\$.get\_state() and private\$.transform(), or alternatively the functions private\$.get\_state\_dt() and private\$.transform\_dt() (as well as private\$.select\_cols(), in the latter case). This works by having the default implementations of private\$.get\_state() and private\$.transform() call private\$.get\_state\_dt() and private\$.transform\_dt().

#### **Fields**

Fields inherited from PipeOp.

#### Methods

Methods inherited from PipeOpTaskPreproc, as well as:

.get\_state(task)(Task) -> named list

Store create something that will be stored in \$state during training phase of PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple. The state can then influence the private\$.transform() function. Note that private\$.get\_state() must return the state, and should not store it in \$state. It is not strictly necessary to implement either private\$.get\_state() or private\$.get\_state\_dt(); if they are not implemented, the state will be stored as list().

This method can optionally be overloaded when inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, together with private\$.transform(); alternatively, private\$.get\_state\_dt() (optional) and private\$.transform\_dt() (and possibly private\$.select\_cols(), from PipeOpTaskPreproc) can be overloaded.

.transform(task) (Task) -> Task

Predict on new data in task, possibly using the stored \$state. task should not be cloned, instead it should be changed in-place. This method is called both during training and prediction phase, and should essentially behave the same independently of phase. (If this is incongruent with the functionality to be implemented, then it should inherit from PipeOpTaskPreproc, not from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.)

This method can be overloaded when inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, optionally with private\$.get\_state(); alternatively, private\$.get\_state\_dt() (optional) and private\$.transform\_dt() (and possibly private\$.select\_cols(), from PipeOpTaskPreproc) can be overloaded.

.get\_state\_dt(dt)
 (data.table) -> named list
 Create something that will be stored in \$state during training phase of PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.
 The state can then influence the private\$.transform\_dt() function. Note that private\$.get\_state\_dt()
 must return the state, and should not store it in \$state. If neither private\$.get\_state()
 nor private\$.get\_state\_dt() are overloaded, the state will be stored as list().
 This method can optionally be overloaded when inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple,
 together with private\$.transform\_dt() (and optionally private\$.select\_cols(), from
 PipeOpTaskPreproc); Alternatively, private\$.get\_state() (optional) and private\$.transform()
 can be overloaded.

• .transform\_dt(dt)
(data.table) -> data.table | data.frame | matrix

Predict on new data in dt, possibly using the stored \$state. A transformed object must be returned that can be converted to a data.table using as.data.table. dt does not need to be copied deliberately, it is possible and encouraged to change it in-place. This method is called both during training and prediction phase, and should essentially behave the same independently of phase. (If this is incongruent with the functionality to be implemented, then it should inherit from PipeOpTaskPreproc, not from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple.)

This method can optionally be overloaded when inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreprocSimple, together with private\$.transform\_dt() (and optionally private\$.select\_cols(), from PipeOpTaskPreproc); Alternatively, private\$.get\_state() (optional) and private\$.transform() can be overloaded.

## See Also

https://mlr3book.mlr-org.com/list-pipeops.html

```
Other PipeOps: PipeOpEnsemble, PipeOpImpute, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreproc,
PipeOp, mlr_pipeops_boxcox, mlr_pipeops_branch, mlr_pipeops_chunk, mlr_pipeops_classbalancing,
mlr_pipeops_classifavg, mlr_pipeops_classweights, mlr_pipeops_colapply, mlr_pipeops_collapsefactors,
mlr_pipeops_colroles, mlr_pipeops_copy, mlr_pipeops_datefeatures, mlr_pipeops_encodeimpact,
mlr_pipeops_encodelmer, mlr_pipeops_encode, mlr_pipeops_featureunion, mlr_pipeops_filter,
mlr_pipeops_fixfactors, mlr_pipeops_histbin, mlr_pipeops_ica, mlr_pipeops_imputeconstant,
mlr_pipeops_imputehist, mlr_pipeops_imputelearner, mlr_pipeops_imputemean, mlr_pipeops_imputemedian,
mlr_pipeops_imputemode, mlr_pipeops_imputeoor, mlr_pipeops_imputesample, mlr_pipeops_kernelpca,
mlr_pipeops_learner, mlr_pipeops_missind, mlr_pipeops_modelmatrix, mlr_pipeops_multiplicityexply,
mlr_pipeops_multiplicityimply, mlr_pipeops_mutate, mlr_pipeops_nmf, mlr_pipeops_nop,
mlr_pipeops_ovrsplit, mlr_pipeops_ovrunite, mlr_pipeops_pca, mlr_pipeops_proxy, mlr_pipeops_quantilebin,
mlr_pipeops_randomprojection, mlr_pipeops_randomresponse, mlr_pipeops_regravg, mlr_pipeops_removeconst
mlr_pipeops_renamecolumns, mlr_pipeops_replicate, mlr_pipeops_scalemaxabs, mlr_pipeops_scalerange,
mlr_pipeops_scale, mlr_pipeops_select, mlr_pipeops_smote, mlr_pipeops_spatialsign,
mlr_pipeops_subsample, mlr_pipeops_targetinvert, mlr_pipeops_targetmutate, mlr_pipeops_targettrafoscal
mlr_pipeops_textvectorizer, mlr_pipeops_threshold, mlr_pipeops_tunethreshold, mlr_pipeops_unbranch,
mlr_pipeops_updatetarget, mlr_pipeops_vtreat, mlr_pipeops_yeojohnson, mlr_pipeops
```

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Other mlr3pipelines backend related: Graph, PipeOpTargetTrafo, PipeOpTaskPreproc, PipeOp, mlr\_graphs, mlr\_pipeops\_updatetarget, mlr\_pipeops

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Shorthand PipeOp Constructor

# **Description**

#### Create

- a PipeOp from mlr\_pipeops from given ID
- a PipeOpLearner from a Learner object
- a PipeOpFilter from a Filter object
- a PipeOpSelect from a Selector object
- a clone of a PipeOp from a given PipeOp (possibly with changed settings)

The object is initialized with given parameters and param\_vals.

po() taks a single obj (PipeOp id, Learner, ...) and converts it to a PipeOp. pos() (with plural-s) takes either a character-vector, or a list of objects, and creates a list of PipeOps.

## Usage

```
po(.obj, ...)
pos(.objs, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

.obj [any]

> The object from which to construct a PipeOp. If this is a character(1), it is looked up in the mlr\_pipeops dictionary. Otherwise, it is converted to a PipeOp.

any

Additional parameters to give to constructed object. This may be an argument of the constructor of the PipeOp, in which case it is given to this constructor; or it may be a parameter value, in which case it is given to the param\_vals argument

of the constructor.

.objs character | list

> Either a character of PipeOps to look up in mlr\_pipeops, or a list of other objects to be converted to a PipeOp. If this is a named list, then the names are

used as \$id slot for the resulting PipeOps.

## Value

```
A PipeOp (for po()), or a list of PipeOps (for pos()).
```

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# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
po("learner", lrn("classif.rpart"), cp = 0.3)
po(lrn("classif.rpart"), cp = 0.3)
# is equivalent with:
mlr_pipeops$get("learner", lrn("classif.rpart"),
    param_vals = list(cp = 0.3))
pos(c("pca", original = "nop"))
```

ppl

Shorthand Graph Constructor

# Description

Creates a Graph from mlr\_graphs from given ID

ppl() taks a charcter(1) and returns a Graph. ppls() takes a character vector of any list and returns a list of possibly muliple Graphs.

## Usage

```
ppl(.key, ...)
ppls(.keys, ...)
```

# Arguments

.key [character(1)]

The key of the Graph in mlr\_graphs.

... any

Additional parameters to give to constructed object. This may be an argument

of the constructor of the underlying function.

.keys [character]

The key of possibly multiple Graphs in mlr\_graphs. If this is named, a named

list is returned, but unlike pos() it will not set any \$id slots.

# Value

```
Graph (for ppl()) or list of Graphs (for ppls()).
```

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")
gr = ppl("bagging", graph = po(lrn("regr.rpart")),
   averager = po("regravg", collect_multiplicity = TRUE))
```

```
register_autoconvert_function
```

Add Autoconvert Function to Conversion Register

## **Description**

Add functions that perform conversion to a desired class.

Whenever a Graph or a PipeOp is called with an object that does not conform to its declared input type, the "autoconvert register" is queried for functions that may turn the object into a desired type.

Conversion functions should try to avoid cloning.

#### Usage

```
register_autoconvert_function(cls, fun, packages = character(0))
```

# **Arguments**

cls character(1) The class that fun converts to.

fun function The conversion function. Must take one argument and return an ob-

ject of class cls, or possibly a sub-class as recognized by are\_types\_compatible().

packages character The packages required to be loaded for fun to operate.

# Value

NULL.

# See Also

```
Other class hierarchy operations: add_class_hierarchy_cache(), reset_autoconvert_register(), reset_class_hierarchy_cache()
```

# **Examples**

```
# This lets mlr3pipelines automatically try to convert a string into
# a `PipeOp` by querying the [`mlr_pipeops`] [`Dictionary`][mlr3misc::Dictionary].
# This is an example and not necessary, because mlr3pipelines adds it by default.
register_autoconvert_function("PipeOp", function(x) as_pipeop(x), packages = "mlr3pipelines")
```

reset\_autoconvert\_register

Reset Autoconvert Register

# Description

Reset autoconvert register to factory default, thereby undoing any calls to register\_autoconvert\_function() by the user.

## Usage

```
reset_autoconvert_register()
```

# Value

NULL

## See Also

Other class hierarchy operations: add\_class\_hierarchy\_cache(), register\_autoconvert\_function(), reset\_class\_hierarchy\_cache()

reset\_class\_hierarchy\_cache

Reset the Class Hierarchy Cache

# Description

Reset the class hierarchy cache to factory default, thereby undoing any calls to add\_class\_hierarchy\_cache() by the user.

# Usage

```
reset_class_hierarchy_cache()
```

## Value

NULL

# See Also

```
Other class hierarchy operations: add_class_hierarchy_cache(), register_autoconvert_function(), reset_autoconvert_register()
```

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Selector

Selector Functions

# **Description**

A Selector function is used by different PipeOps, most prominently PipeOpSelect and many PipeOps inheriting from PipeOpTaskPreproc, to determine a subset of Tasks to operate on.

Even though a Selector is a function that can be written itself, it is preferable to use the Selector constructors shown here. Each of these can be called with its arguments to create a Selector, which can then be given to the PipeOpSelect selector parameter, or many PipeOpTaskPreprocs' affect\_columns parameter. See there for examples of this usage.

# Usage

```
selector_all()
selector_none()
selector_type(types)
selector_grep(pattern, ignore.case = FALSE, perl = FALSE, fixed = FALSE)
selector_name(feature_names, assert_present = FALSE)
selector_invert(selector)
selector_intersect(selector_x, selector_y)
selector_union(selector_x, selector_y)
selector_setdiff(selector_x, selector_y)
selector_setdiff(selector_x, selector_y)
selector_missing()
selector_cardinality_greater_than(min_cardinality)
```

## **Arguments**

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fixed (logical(1))

fixed pattern instead of regex

feature\_names (character)

Select features by exact name match.

assert\_present (logical(1))

Throw an error if feature\_names are not all present in the task being operated

on.

selector (Selector)

Selector to invert.

selector\_x (Selector)

First Selector to query.

selector\_y (Selector)

Second Selector to query.

min\_cardinality

(integer)

Minimum number of levels required to be selected.

#### Value

function: A Selector function that takes a Task and returns the feature names to be processed.

## **Functions**

- selector\_all: selector\_all selects all features.
- selector\_none: selector\_none selects none of the features.
- selector\_type: selector\_type selects features according to type. Legal types are listed in mlr\_reflections\$task\_feature\_types.
- selector\_grep: selector\_grep selects features with names matching the grep() pattern.
- selector\_name: selector\_name selects features with names matching exactly the names listed.
- selector\_invert: selector\_invert inverts a given Selector: It always selects the features that would be *dropped* by the other Selector, and drops the features that would be kept.
- selector\_intersect: selector\_intersect selects the intersection of two Selectors: Only features selected by both Selectors are selected in the end.
- selector\_union: selector\_union selects the union of two Selectors: Features selected by either Selector are selected in the end.
- selector\_setdiff: selector\_setdiff selects the setdiff of two Selectors: Features selected by selector\_x are selected, unless they are also selected by selector\_y.
- selector\_missing: selector\_missing selects features with missing values.
- selector\_cardinality\_greater\_than: selector\_cardinality\_greater\_than selects categorical features with cardinality greater then a given threshold.

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## **Details**

A Selector is a function that has one input argument (commonly named task). The function is called with the Task that a PipeOp is operating on. The return value of the function must be a character vector that is a subset of the feature names present in the Task.

For example, a Selector that selects all columns is

```
function(task) {
  task$feature_names
}

(this is the selector_all()-Selector.) A Selector that selects all columns that have names
shorter than four letters would be:

function(task) {
  task$feature_names[
    nchar(task$feature_names) < 4
  ]
}

A Selector that selects only the column "Sepal.Length" (as in the iris task), if present, is

function(task) {
  intersect(task$feature_names, "Sepal.Length")</pre>
```

It is preferable to use the Selector construction functions like select\_type, select\_grep etc. if possible, instead of writing custom Selectors.

## See Also

}

Other Selectors: mlr\_pipeops\_select

# **Examples**

```
library("mlr3")

iris_task = tsk("iris")
bh_task = tsk("boston_housing")

sela = selector_all()
sela(iris_task)
sela(bh_task)

self = selector_type("factor")
self(iris_task)
self(bh_task)

selg = selector_grep("a.*i")
selg(iris_task)
```

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```
selg(bh_task)
selgi = selector_invert(selg)
selgi(iris_task)
selgi(bh_task)

selgf = selector_union(selg, self)
selgf(iris_task)
selgf(bh_task)
```

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PipeOp Composition Operator

# **Description**

These operators creates a connection that "pipes" data from the source g1 into the sink g2. Both source and sink can either be a Graph or a PipeOp (or an object that can be automatically converted into a Graph or PipeOp, see as\_graph() and as\_pipeop()).

%>>% and %>>!% try to automatically match output channels of g1 to input channels of g2; this is only possible if either

- the number of output channels of g1 (as given by g1\$output) is equal to the number of input channels of g2 (as given by g2\$input), or
- g1 has only one output channel (i.e. g1\$output has one line), or
- g2 has only one input channel, which is a *vararg* channel (i.e. g2\$input has one line, with name entry "...").

Connections between channels are created in the order in which they occur in g1 and g2, respectively: g1's output channel 1 is connected to g2's input channel 1, channel 2 to 2 etc.

%>>% always creates deep copies of its input arguments, so they cannot be modified by reference afterwards. To access individual PipeOps after composition, use the resulting Graph's \$pipeops list. %>>!%, on the other hand, tries to avoid cloning its first argument: If it is a Graph, then this Graph will be modified in-place.

When %>>!% fails, then it leaves g1 in an incompletely modified state. It is therefore usually recommended to use %>>%, since the very marginal gain of performance from using %>>!% often does not outweigh the risk of either modifying objects by-reference that should not be modified or getting graphs that are in an incompletely modified state. However, when creating long Graphs, chaining with %>>!% instead of %>>% can give noticeable performance benefits because %>>% makes a number of clone()-calls that is quadratic in chain length, %>>!% only linear.

concat\_graphs(g1, g2, in\_place = FALSE) is equivalent to g1 %>>% g2. concat\_graphs(g1, g2, in\_place = TRUE) is equivalent to g1 %>>!% g2.

Both arguments of %>>% are automatically converted to Graphs using as\_graph(); this means that objects on either side may be objects that can be automatically converted to PipeOps (such as Learners or Filters), or that can be converted to Graphs. This means, in particular, lists of Graphs, PipeOps or objects convertible to that, because as\_graph() automatically applies gunion() to lists. See examples. If the first argument of %>>!% is not a Graph, then it is cloned just as when %>>% is used; %>>!% only avoids clone() if the first argument is a Graph.

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Note that if g1 is NULL, g2 converted to a Graph will be returned. Analogously, if g2 is NULL, g1 converted to a Graph will be returned.

# Usage

```
g1 %>>% g2
concat_graphs(g1, g2, in_place = FALSE)
g1 %>>!% g2
```

# Arguments

```
g1 (Graph | PipeOp | Learner | Filter | list | ...)
Graph / PipeOp / object-convertible-to-PipeOp to put in front of g2.

g2 (Graph | PipeOp | Learner | Filter | list | ...)
Graph / PipeOp / object-convertible-to-PipeOp to put after g1.

in_place (logical(1))
Whether to try to avoid cloning g1. If g1 is not a Graph, then it is cloned regardless.
```

# Value

Graph: the constructed Graph.

## See Also

```
Other Graph operators: as_graph(), as_pipeop(), assert_graph(), assert_pipeop(), chain_graphs(), greplicate(), gunion(), mlr_graphs_greplicate
```

# **Examples**

```
o1 = PipeOpScale$new()
o2 = PipeOpPCA$new()
o3 = PipeOpFeatureUnion$new(2)

# The following two are equivalent:
pipe1 = o1 %>>% o2

pipe2 = Graph$new()$
   add_pipeop(o1)$
   add_pipeop(o2)$
   add_edge(o1$id, o2$id)

# Note automatical gunion() of lists.
# The following three are equivalent:
graph1 = list(o1, o2) %>>% o3

graph2 = gunion(list(o1, o2)) %>>% o3

graph3 = Graph$new()$
```

%>>%

```
add_pipeop(o1)$
add_pipeop(o2)$
add_pipeop(o3)$
add_edge(o1$id, o3$id, dst_channel = 1)$
add_edge(o2$id, o3$id, dst_channel = 2)

pipe1 %>>!% o3 # modify pipe1 in-place

pipe1 # contains o1, o2, and o3 now.

o1 %>>!% o2

o1 # not changed, becuase not a Graph.
```

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