Correlated random effects: `iid1d`, `iid2d`, `iid3d`, `iid4d` and `iid5d`

This model is available for dimensions $p = 1, 2, 3, 4$ and 5. We describe in detail the case for $p = 2$, and then the changes required for $p = 1$, $p = 3$, $p = 4$ and $p = 5$

Parametrization

The 2-dimensional Normal-Wishard model is used if one want to define two vectors of "random effects", u and v, say, for which (u_i, v_i) are iid bivariate Normals

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_i \\ v_i \end{pmatrix} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{W}^{-1}\right)$$

where the covariance matrix $\mathbf{W}^{-1}$ is

$$\mathbf{W}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/\tau_a & \rho/\sqrt{\tau_a \tau_b} \\ \rho/\sqrt{\tau_a \tau_b} & 1/\tau_b \end{pmatrix} \tag{1}$$

and τ_a, τ_b and ρ are the hyperparameters.

Note that ρ is the correlation coefficient, and that τ_a and τ_b are the *marginal precisions*, *not* the elements in the precision matrix.

For these models the precision matrix $\mathbf{W}$ is Wishart distributed

$$\mathbf{W} \sim \text{Wishart}_p(r, \mathbf{R}^{-1}), \quad p = 2$$

with density

$$\pi(\mathbf{W}) = c^{-1} |\mathbf{W}|^{(r-(p+1))/2} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}\text{Trace}(\mathbf{WR})\right\}, \quad r > p + 1$$

and

$$c = 2^{(rp)/2} |\mathbf{R}|^{-r/2} \pi^{(p(p-1))/4} \prod_{j=1}^{p} \Gamma((r+1-j)/2).$$

Then,

$$E(\mathbf{W}) = r\mathbf{R}^{-1}, \quad \text{and} \quad E(\mathbf{W}^{-1}) = \mathbf{R}/(r-(p+1)).$$

Hyperparameters

The hyperparameters are

$$\theta = (\log \tau_a, \log \tau_b, \tilde{\rho})$$

where

$$\rho = 2\frac{\exp(\tilde{\rho})}{\exp(\tilde{\rho}) + 1} - 1$$

The prior-parameters are

$$(r, R_{11}, R_{22}, R_{12})$$

where

$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{pmatrix} R_{11} & R_{12} \\ R_{21} & R_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

and $r_{12} = R_{21}$ due to symmetry.

The `inla` function reports posterior distribution for the hyperparameters τ_a, τ_b, ρ in equation (1).

The prior for θ is **fixed** to be `wishart2d`

Specification

The model `iid2d` is specified as

```
y ~ f(i, model="iid2d",n = <length>) + ...
```

and the `iid2d` model is represented internally as one vector of length n,

$$(u_1, u_2, \ldots, u_m, v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_m)$$

where $n = 2m$, and n is the (required) argument in `f()`.

For this model the argument `constr=TRUE` is interpreted as

$$\sum u_i = 0, \quad \text{and} \quad \sum v_i = 0.$$

Hyperparameter spesification and default values

doc Gaussian random effect in dim=2 with Wishart prior

hyper

> **theta1**
>
>> **hyperid** 26001
>> **name** log precision1
>> **short.name** prec1
>> **initial** 4
>> **fixed** FALSE
>> **prior** wishart2d
>> **param** 4 1 1 0
>> **to.theta** function(x) log(x)
>> **from.theta** function(x) exp(x)
>
> **theta2**
>
>> **hyperid** 26002
>> **name** log precision2
>> **short.name** prec2
>> **initial** 4
>> **fixed** FALSE
>> **prior** none
>> **param**
>> **to.theta** function(x) log(x)
>> **from.theta** function(x) exp(x)
>
> **theta3**
>
>> **hyperid** 26003
>> **name** logit correlation
>> **short.name** cor
>> **initial** 4
>> **fixed** FALSE

constr FALSE

nrow.ncol FALSE

augmented TRUE

aug.factor 1

aug.constr 1 2

n.div.by 2

n.required TRUE

set.default.values TRUE

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Example

In these examples we demonstrate the use of the iid2d-model, with observations that are without noise (essentially).

```
n = 1000
N = 2*n

## need it to simulate data
library(mvtnorm)

if (TRUE)
{
    ## first example - each variable in the correlated pair has its own row in data

    #Using fixed covariance matrix
    rho = 0.5
    ## set variances
    Sigma = matrix(c(1/1, NA, NA, 1/2), 2, 2)
    ## and the correlation
    Sigma[1,2] = Sigma[2,1] = rho*sqrt(Sigma[1,1]*Sigma[2,2])

    y = yy = rmvnorm(n, sigma=Sigma)
    y = c(y[,1], y[,2])

    i = 1:N
    formula = y ~ f(i, model="iid2d", n=N)

    r = inla(formula, data = data.frame(i,y),
            control.family=list(initial=10,fixed=TRUE))
```

```
    print(summary(r))

    print(1/diag(cov(yy)))
    print(cor(yy)[1,2])
}

if (TRUE)
{
    ## second example - both correlated variables occur in the same row of data

    #drawing covariance matrix from hyperprior
    #Let's specify non-default values, expecting strong covariance
    r = 4
    R11 = 5
    R22 = 4
    R12 = 3

    R = matrix(c(R11,R12,R12,R22), 2, 2)
    #Take a single sample from wishart_2(r,R^-1)
    W = rWishart(1,r,solve(R))[,,1]
    Sigma = solve(W) #Compute the covariance matrix


    y = yy = rmvnorm(n, sigma=Sigma)
    z = rnorm(n)
    zz = rnorm(n)
    y = y[,1] + z*y[,2] + zz
    i = 1:n
    j = n + 1:n
    formula = y ~ f(i, model="iid2d", n=N) + f(j,z,copy="i") + zz

    r = inla(formula, data = data.frame(i,j,y,z,zz),
             control.family=list(initial=10,fixed=TRUE),keep=T)
    print(summary(r))

    #The params as in the Sigma matrix
    print(1/diag(Sigma))
    print(cov2cor(Sigma)[1,2])

    #The params as seen in data
    print(1/diag(cov(yy)))
    print(cor(yy)[1,2])
}
```

The case $p = 1$

For $p = 1$ the hyperparameter is the marginal precision

$$\theta = \log \tau_1$$

The prior is fixed to be `wishart1d` with parameters

$$param = \quad r \quad R_{11}$$

where
$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} R_{11} \end{bmatrix}$$

Hyperparameter spesification and default values

doc Gaussian random effect in dim=1 with Wishart prior

hyper

    theta

        hyperid 25001
        name precision
        short.name prec
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior wishart1d
        param 2 1e-04
        to.theta `function(x) log(x)`
        from.theta `function(x) exp(x)`

constr FALSE

nrow.ncol FALSE

augmented FALSE

aug.factor 1

aug.constr

n.div.by

n.required FALSE

set.default.values TRUE

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The case $p = 3$

For $p = 3$ the hyperparameters are

$$\theta = (\log \tau_1, \log \tau_2, \log \tau_3, \tilde{\rho}_{12}, \tilde{\rho}_{13}, \tilde{\rho}_{23})$$

The prior is fixed to be `wishart3d` with parameters

$$param = \quad r \quad R_{11} \quad R_{22} \quad R_{33} \quad R_{12} \quad R_{13} \quad R_{23}$$

where

$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} R_{11} & R_{12} & R_{13} \\ R_{12} & R_{22} & R_{23} \\ R_{13} & R_{23} & R_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

The reported hyperparameters are the marginal precisions τ_1, τ_2 and τ_3 and the correlations ρ_{12}, ρ_{13} and ρ_{23}.

In this case, the internal representation is given as

$$(u_1, u_2, \ldots, u_m, v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_m, w_1, w_2, \ldots, w_m)$$

where $n = 3m$ is a required argument, and where (u_i, v_i, w_i) are trivariate iid Normal.

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doc Gaussian random effect in dim=3 with Wishart prior

hyper

    theta1

        hyperid 27001
        name log precision1
        short.name prec1
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior wishart3d
        param 7 1 1 1 0 0 0
        to.theta `function(x) log(x)`
        from.theta `function(x) exp(x)`

    theta2

        hyperid 27002
        name log precision2
        short.name prec2
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior none
        param
        to.theta `function(x) log(x)`
        from.theta `function(x) exp(x)`

    theta3

        hyperid 27003
        name log precision3
        short.name prec3
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior none
        param

to.theta function(x) log(x)

from.theta function(x) exp(x)

theta4

    hyperid 27004

    name logit correlation12

    short.name cor12

    initial 0

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

    from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta5

    hyperid 27005

    name logit correlation13

    short.name cor13

    initial 0

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

    from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta6

    hyperid 27006

    name logit correlation23

    short.name cor23

    initial 0

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

    from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

constr FALSE

nrow.ncol FALSE

augmented TRUE

aug.factor 1

aug.constr 1 2 3

n.div.by 3

n.required TRUE

set.default.values TRUE

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The case $p = 4$

For $p = 4$ the hyperparameters are

$$\theta = (\log \tau_1, \log \tau_2, \log \tau_3, \log \tau_4, \tilde{\rho}_{12}, \tilde{\rho}_{13}, \tilde{\rho}_{14}, \tilde{\rho}_{23}, \tilde{\rho}_{24}, \tilde{\rho}_{34})$$

The prior is fixed to be `wishart4d` with parameters

$$param = \quad r \ R_{11} \ R_{22} \ R_{33} \ R_{44} \ R_{12} \ R_{13} \ R_{14} \ R_{23} \ R_{24} \ R_{34}$$

where

$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} R_{11} & R_{12} & R_{13} & R_{14} \\ R_{12} & R_{22} & R_{23} & R_{24} \\ R_{13} & R_{23} & R_{33} & R_{34} \\ R_{14} & R_{24} & R_{34} & R_{44} \end{bmatrix}$$

The reported hyperparameters are the marginal precisions τ_1, τ_2, τ_3 and τ_4, and the correlations ρ_{12}, ρ_{13}, ρ_{14}, ρ_{23}, ρ_{24} and ρ_{34}.

In this case, the internal representation is given as

$$(u_1, u_2, \ldots, u_m, v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_m, w_1, w_2, \ldots, w_m, x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_m)$$

where $n = 4m$ is a required argument, and where (u_i, v_i, w_i, x_i) are fourvariate iid Normal.

Hyperparameter spesification and default values

doc Gaussian random effect in dim=4 with Wishart prior

hyper

    theta1

        hyperid 28001
        name log precision1
        short.name prec1
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior wishart4d
        param 11 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
        to.theta `function(x) log(x)`
        from.theta `function(x) exp(x)`

    theta2

        hyperid 28002
        name log precision2
        short.name prec2
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior none
        param
        to.theta `function(x) log(x)`

from.theta function(x) exp(x)

theta3

    hyperid 28003

    name log precision3

    short.name prec3

    initial 4

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log(x)

    from.theta function(x) exp(x)

theta4

    hyperid 28004

    name log precision4

    short.name prec4

    initial 4

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log(x)

    from.theta function(x) exp(x)

theta5

    hyperid 28005

    name logit correlation12

    short.name cor12

    initial 0

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

    from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta6

    hyperid 28006

    name logit correlation13

    short.name cor13

    initial 0

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

    from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta7

    hyperid 28007

    name logit correlation14

short.name cor14

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

param

to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta8

hyperid 28008

name logit correlation23

short.name cor23

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

param

to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta9

hyperid 28009

name logit correlation24

short.name cor24

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

param

to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta10

hyperid 28010

name logit correlation34

short.name cor34

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

param

to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

constr FALSE

nrow.ncol FALSE

augmented TRUE

aug.factor 1

aug.constr 1 2 3 4

n.div.by 4

n.required TRUE

set.default.values TRUE

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The case $p = 5$

The case $p = 5$ follows by a direct extention of $p = 3$ and $p = 4$, and is therefore not included.

Hyperparameter spesification and default values

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hyper

    theta1

        hyperid 29001
        name log precision1
        short.name prec1
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior wishart5d
        param 16 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
        to.theta `function(x) log(x)`
        from.theta `function(x) exp(x)`

    theta2

        hyperid 29002
        name log precision2
        short.name prec2
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior none
        param
        to.theta `function(x) log(x)`
        from.theta `function(x) exp(x)`

    theta3

        hyperid 29003
        name log precision3
        short.name prec3
        initial 4
        fixed FALSE
        prior none
        param
        to.theta `function(x) log(x)`

from.theta function(x) exp(x)

theta4

    hyperid 29004

    name log precision4

    short.name prec4

    initial 4

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log(x)

    from.theta function(x) exp(x)

theta5

    hyperid 29005

    name log precision5

    short.name prec5

    initial 4

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log(x)

    from.theta function(x) exp(x)

theta6

    hyperid 29006

    name logit correlation12

    short.name cor12

    initial 0

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

    from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta7

    hyperid 29007

    name logit correlation13

    short.name cor13

    initial 0

    fixed FALSE

    prior none

    param

    to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

    from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta8

    hyperid 29008

    name logit correlation14

short.name cor14

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

param

to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta9

hyperid 29009

name logit correlation15

short.name cor15

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

param

to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta10

hyperid 29010

name logit correlation23

short.name cor23

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

param

to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta11

hyperid 29011

name logit correlation24

short.name cor24

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

param

to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))

from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

theta12

hyperid 29012

name logit correlation25

short.name cor25

initial 0

fixed FALSE

prior none

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param
to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))
from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1
theta13
hyperid 29013
name logit correlation34
short.name cor34
initial 0
fixed FALSE
prior none
param
to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))
from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1
theta14
hyperid 29014
name logit correlation35
short.name cor35
initial 0
fixed FALSE
prior none
param
to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))
from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1
theta15
hyperid 29015
name logit correlation45
short.name cor45
initial 0
fixed FALSE
prior none
param
to.theta function(x) log((1 + x) / (1 - x))
from.theta function(x) 2 * exp(x) / (1 + exp(x)) - 1

constr FALSE

nrow.ncol FALSE

augmented TRUE

aug.factor 1

aug.constr 1 2 3 4 5

n.div.by 5

n.required TRUE

set.default.values TRUE

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Notes

The model `iid1d` is similar to the model `iid` (and included for completeness only). The prior for `iid1d` is fixed to be Wishart-distributed, which reduces to a Gamma-distribution for the precision with parameters

$$a = r/2 \qquad \text{and} \qquad b = R_{11}/2$$

hence

```
y ~ f(i, model="iid1d", hyper = list(theta=list(param=c(3, 4))))
```

is equivalent to

```
y ~ f(i, model="iid", hyper = list(theta=list(param=c(1.5, 2), prior="loggamma")))
```