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CalcGroupPIPs

*Calculate group-specific posterior inclusion probabilities*

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### Description

Calculate posterior inclusion probabilities for each group of variables

### Usage

```
CalcGroupPIPs(fit, sel = NULL)
```

### Arguments

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the kmbayes function
<code>sel</code>	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples

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CalcPIPs	<i>Calculate variable-specific posterior inclusion probabilities</i>
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**Description**

Calculate variable-specific posterior inclusion probabilities from BKMR model fit

**Usage**

```
CalcPIPs(fit, sel = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
<code>sel</code>	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples

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CalcWithinGroupPIPs	<i>Calculate conditional predictor specific posterior inclusion probabilities</i>
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**Description**

For those predictors within a multi-predictor group, as defined using the `groups` argument, the posterior inclusion probabilities for the predictor conditional on the group being selected into the model.

**Usage**

```
CalcWithinGroupPIPs(fit, sel = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
<code>sel</code>	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples

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ComputePostmeanHnew     *Compute the posterior mean and variance of h at a new predictor values*

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### Description

Compute the posterior mean and variance of h at a new predictor values

### Usage

```
ComputePostmeanHnew(fit, y = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL, Znew = NULL,
  sel = NULL, method = "approx")
```

### Arguments

fit	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
y	a vector of outcome data of length n.
Z	an n-by-M matrix of predictor variables to be included in the h function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents an predictor.
X	an n-by-K matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
Znew	matrix of new predictor values at which to predict new h, where each row represents a new observation. If set to NULL then will default to using the observed exposures Z.
sel	selects which iterations of the MCMC sampler to use for inference; see details
method	method for obtaining posterior summaries at a vector of new points. Options are "approx" and "exact"; defaults to "approx", which is faster particularly for large datasets; see details

### Details

- If `method == "approx"` then calls the function `ComputePostmeanHnew.approx`. In this case, the argument `sel` defaults to the second half of the MCMC iterations.
- If `method == "exact"` then calls the function `ComputePostmeanHnew.exact`. In this case, the argument `sel` defaults to keeping every 10 iterations after dropping the first 50% of samples, or if this results in fewer than 100 iterations, than 100 iterations are kept

For guided examples and additional information, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

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 ComputePostmeanHnew.approx

*Compute the posterior mean and variance of h at a new predictor values*

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### Description

Function to approximate the posterior mean and variance as a function of the estimated model parameters (e.g., tau, lambda, beta, and sigsq.eps)

### Usage

```
ComputePostmeanHnew.approx(fit, y = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL,
  Znew = NULL, sel = NULL)
```

### Arguments

fit	An object containing the results returned by a the kmbayes function
y	a vector of outcome data of length n.
Z	an n-by-M matrix of predictor variables to be included in the h function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents an predictor.
X	an n-by-K matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
Znew	matrix of new predictor values at which to predict new h, where each row represents a new observation. If set to NULL then will default to using the observed exposures Z.
sel	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples

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 ComputePostmeanHnew.exact

*Compute the posterior mean and variance of h at a new predictor values*

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### Description

Function to estimate the posterior mean and variance by obtaining the posterior mean and variance at particular iterations and then using the iterated mean and variance formulas

### Usage

```
ComputePostmeanHnew.exact(fit, y = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL,
  Znew = NULL, sel = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
<code>y</code>	a vector of outcome data of length <code>n</code> .
<code>Z</code>	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>M</code> matrix of predictor variables to be included in the <code>h</code> function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents a predictor.
<code>X</code>	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>K</code> matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
<code>Znew</code>	optional matrix of new predictor values at which to predict <code>h</code> , where each row represents a new observation. This will slow down the model fitting, and can be done as a post-processing step using <a href="#">SamplePred</a>
<code>sel</code>	A vector selecting which iterations of the BKMR fit should be retained for inference. If not specified, will default to keeping every 10 iterations after dropping the first 50% of samples, or if this results in fewer than 100 iterations, than 100 iterations are kept

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 ExtractEsts

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*Extract summary statistics*


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**Description**

Obtain summary statistics of each parameter from the BKMR fit

**Usage**

```
ExtractEsts(fit, q = c(0.025, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 0.975), sel = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
<code>q</code>	vector of quantiles
<code>sel</code>	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples

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ExtractPIPs	<i>Extract posterior inclusion probabilities (PIPs) from BKMR model fit</i>
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**Description**

Extract posterior inclusion probabilities (PIPs) from Bayesian Kernel Machine Regression (BKMR) model fit

**Usage**

```
ExtractPIPs(fit, sel = NULL, z.names = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
<code>sel</code>	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples
<code>z.names</code>	optional argument providing the names of the variables included in the <code>h</code> function.

**Details**

For guided examples, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

**Value**

a data frame with the variable-specific PIPs for BKMR fit with component-wise variable selection, and with the group-specific and conditional (within-group) PIPs for BKMR fit with hierarchical variable selection.

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ExtractSamps	<i>Extract samples</i>
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**Description**

Extract samples of each parameter from the BKMR fit

**Usage**

```
ExtractSamps(fit, sel = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
<code>sel</code>	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples

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InvestigatePrior	<i>Investigate prior</i>
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### Description

Investigate the impact of the  $r[m]$  parameters on the smoothness of the exposure-response function  $h(z[m])$ .

### Usage

```
InvestigatePrior(y, Z, X, ngrid = 50, q.seq = c(2, 1, 1/2, 1/4, 1/8, 1/16),
  r.seq = NULL, Drange = NULL, verbose = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

<code>y</code>	a vector of outcome data of length $n$ .
<code>Z</code>	an $n$ -by- $M$ matrix of predictor variables to be included in the $h$ function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents a predictor.
<code>X</code>	an $n$ -by- $K$ matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
<code>ngrid</code>	Number of grid points over which to plot the exposure-response function
<code>q.seq</code>	Sequence of values corresponding to different degrees of smoothness in the estimated exposure-response function. A value of $q$ corresponds to fractions of the range of the data over which there is a decay in the correlation $\text{cor}(h[i], h[j])$ between two subjects by 50%.
<code>r.seq</code>	sequence of values at which to fix $r$ for estimating the exposure-response function
<code>Drange</code>	the range of the $z_m$ data over which to apply the values of $q.seq$ . If not specified, will be calculated as the maximum of the ranges of $z_1$ through $z_M$ .
<code>verbose</code>	TRUE or FALSE: flag indicating whether to print to the screen which exposure variable and $q$ value has been completed

### Details

For guided examples, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

kmbayes

*Fit Bayesian kernel machine regression***Description**

Fits the Bayesian kernel machine regression (BKMR) model using Markov chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) methods.

**Usage**

```
kmbayes(y, Z, X = NULL, iter = 1000, family = "gaussian", id = NULL,
        verbose = TRUE, Znew = NULL, starting.values = NULL,
        control.params = NULL, varsel = FALSE, groups = NULL, knots = NULL,
        ztest = NULL, rmethod = "varying", est.h = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

y	a vector of outcome data of length n.
Z	an n-by-M matrix of predictor variables to be included in the h function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents a predictor.
X	an n-by-K matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
iter	number of iterations to run the sampler
family	a description of the error distribution and link function to be used in the model. Currently implemented for gaussian and binomial families.
id	optional vector (of length n) of grouping factors for fitting a model with a random intercept. If NULL then no random intercept will be included.
verbose	TRUE or FALSE: flag indicating whether to print intermediate diagnostic information during the model fitting.
Znew	optional matrix of new predictor values at which to predict h, where each row represents a new observation. This will slow down the model fitting, and can be done as a post-processing step using <a href="#">SamplePred</a>
starting.values	list of starting values for each parameter. If not specified default values will be chosen.
control.params	list of parameters specifying the prior distributions and tuning parameters for the MCMC algorithm. If not specified default values will be chosen.
varsel	TRUE or FALSE: indicator for whether to conduct variable selection on the Z variables in h
groups	optional vector (of length M) of group indicators for fitting hierarchical variable selection if varsel=TRUE. If varsel=TRUE without group specification, component-wise variable selections will be performed.

knots	optional matrix of knot locations for implementing the Gaussian predictive process of Banerjee et al (2008). Currently only implemented for models without a random intercept.
ztest	optional vector indicating on which variables in Z to conduct variable selection (the remaining variables will be forced into the model).
rmethod	for those predictors being forced into the h function, the method for sampling the r[m] values. Takes the value of 'varying' to allow separate r[m] for each predictor; 'equal' to force the same r[m] for each predictor; or 'fixed' to fix the r[m] to their starting values
est.h	TRUE or FALSE: indicator for whether to sample from the posterior distribution of the subject-specific effects h_i within the main sampler. This will slow down the model fitting.

### Value

an object of class "bkmrfit", which has the associated methods:

- `print` (i.e., `print.bkmrfit`)
- `summary` (i.e., `summary.bkmrfit`)

### References

Bobb, JF, Valeri L, Claus Henn B, Christiani DC, Wright RO, Mazumdar M, Godleski JJ, Coull BA (2015). Bayesian Kernel Machine Regression for Estimating the Health Effects of Multi-Pollutant Mixtures. *Biostatistics* 16, no. 3: 493-508.

Banerjee S, Gelfand AE, Finley AO, Sang H (2008). Gaussian predictive process models for large spatial data sets. *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series B (Statistical Methodology)*, 70(4), 825-848.

### See Also

For guided examples, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

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OverallRiskSummaries *Calculate overall risk summaries*

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### Description

Compare estimated h function when all predictors are at a particular quantile to when all are at a second fixed quantile

### Usage

```
OverallRiskSummaries(fit, y = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL, qs = seq(0.25,
  0.75, by = 0.05), q.fixed = 0.5, method = "approx", sel = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
<code>y</code>	a vector of outcome data of length <code>n</code> .
<code>Z</code>	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>M</code> matrix of predictor variables to be included in the <code>h</code> function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents an predictor.
<code>X</code>	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>K</code> matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
<code>qs</code>	vector of quantiles at which to calculate the overall risk summary
<code>q.fixed</code>	a second quantile at which to compare the estimated <code>h</code> function
<code>method</code>	method for obtaining posterior summaries at a vector of new points. Options are "approx" and "exact"; defaults to "approx", which is faster particularly for large datasets; see details
<code>sel</code>	selects which iterations of the MCMC sampler to use for inference; see details

**Details**

- If `method == "approx"` then calls the function `ComputePostmeanHnew.approx`. In this case, the argument `sel` defaults to the second half of the MCMC iterations.
- If `method == "exact"` then calls the function `ComputePostmeanHnew.exact`. In this case, the argument `sel` defaults to keeping every 10 iterations after dropping the first 50% of samples, or if this results in fewer than 100 iterations, than 100 iterations are kept

For guided examples and additional information, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

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PlotPriorFits

*Plot of exposure-response function from univariate KMR for*


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**Description**

Plot the estimated  $h(z[m])$  estimated from frequentist KMR for  $r[m]$  fixed to specific values

**Usage**

```
PlotPriorFits(y, X, Z, fits, which.z = NULL, which.q = NULL,
  plot.resid = TRUE, ylim = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>y</code>	a vector of outcome data of length <code>n</code> .
<code>X</code>	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>K</code> matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
<code>Z</code>	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>M</code> matrix of predictor variables to be included in the <code>h</code> function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents an predictor.

<code>fits</code>	output from <code>InvestigatePrior</code>
<code>which.z</code>	which predictors (columns in Z) to plot
<code>which.q</code>	which q.values to plot; defaults to all possible
<code>plot.resid</code>	whether to plot the data points
<code>ylim</code>	plotting limits for the y-axis
<code>...</code>	other plotting arguments

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PredictorResponseBivar

*Predict the exposure-response function at a new grid of points*

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### Description

Predict the exposure-response function at a new grid of points

### Usage

```
PredictorResponseBivar(fit, y = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL,
  z.pairs = NULL, method = "approx", ngrid = 50, q.fixed = 0.5,
  sel = NULL, min.plot.dist = 0.5, center = TRUE, z.names = colnames(Z),
  verbose = TRUE, ...)
```

### Arguments

<code>fit</code>	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
<code>y</code>	a vector of outcome data of length <code>n</code> .
<code>Z</code>	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>M</code> matrix of predictor variables to be included in the <code>h</code> function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents an predictor.
<code>X</code>	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>K</code> matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
<code>z.pairs</code>	data frame showing which pairs of pollutants to plot
<code>method</code>	method for obtaining posterior summaries at a vector of new points. Options are "approx" and "exact"; defaults to "approx", which is faster particularly for large datasets; see details
<code>ngrid</code>	number of grid points in each dimension
<code>q.fixed</code>	vector of quantiles at which to fix the remaining predictors in Z
<code>sel</code>	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples
<code>min.plot.dist</code>	specifies a minimum distance that a new grid point needs to be from an observed data point in order to compute the prediction; points further than this will not be computed
<code>center</code>	flag for whether to scale the exposure-response function to have mean zero
<code>z.names</code>	optional vector of names for the columns of z
<code>verbose</code>	TRUE or FALSE: flag of whether to print intermediate output to the screen
<code>...</code>	other argumentd to pass on to the prediction function

**Details**

For guided examples, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

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PredictorResponseBivarLevels

*Plot cross-sections of the bivariate predictor-response function*

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**Description**

Function to plot the h function of a particular variable at different levels (quantiles) of a second variable

**Usage**

```
PredictorResponseBivarLevels(pred.resp.df, Z = NULL, qs = c(0.25, 0.5, 0.75), both_pairs = TRUE, z.names = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

pred.resp.df	object obtained from running the function <a href="#">PredictorResponseBivar</a>
Z	an n-by-M matrix of predictor variables to be included in the h function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents a predictor.
qs	vector of quantiles at which to fix the second variable
both_pairs	flag indicating whether, if h(z1) is being plotted for z2 fixed at different levels, that they should be plotted in the reverse order as well (for h(z2) at different levels of z1)
z.names	optional vector of names for the columns of z

**Details**

For guided examples, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

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PredictorResponseUnivar

*Plot univariate predictor-response function on a new grid of points*

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**Description**

Plot univariate predictor-response function on a new grid of points

**Usage**

```
PredictorResponseUnivar(fit, y = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL,
  which.z = 1:ncol(Z), method = "approx", ngrid = 50, q.fixed = 0.5,
  sel = NULL, min.plot.dist = Inf, center = TRUE, z.names = colnames(Z),
  ...)
```

**Arguments**

fit	An object containing the results returned by a the kmbayes function
y	a vector of outcome data of length n.
Z	an n-by-M matrix of predictor variables to be included in the h function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents a predictor.
X	an n-by-K matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
which.z	vector identifying which predictors (columns of Z) should be plotted
method	method for obtaining posterior summaries at a vector of new points. Options are "approx" and "exact"; defaults to "approx", which is faster particularly for large datasets; see details
ngrid	number of grid points to cover the range of each predictor (column in Z)
q.fixed	vector of quantiles at which to fix the remaining predictors in Z
sel	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples
min.plot.dist	specifies a minimum distance that a new grid point needs to be from an observed data point in order to compute the prediction; points further than this will not be computed
center	flag for whether to scale the exposure-response function to have mean zero
z.names	optional vector of names for the columns of z
...	other argumentd to pass on to the prediction function

**Details**

For guided examples, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

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```
print.bkmrfit
```

*Print basic summary of BKMR model fit*

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**Description**

print method for class "bkmrfit"

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'bkmrfit'
print(x, digits = 5, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	an object of class "bkmrfit"
digits	the number of digits to show when printing
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods.

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SamplePred

*Obtain posterior samples of predictions at new points*


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**Description**

Obtains posterior samples of  $E(Y) = h(Z_{\text{new}}) + \beta * X_{\text{new}}$  or of  $g^{-1}[E(y)]$

**Usage**

```
SamplePred(fit, Znew = NULL, Xnew = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL,
           y = NULL, sel = NULL, type = c("link", "response"), ...)
```

**Arguments**

fit	An object containing the results returned by a the kmbayes function
Znew	optional matrix of new predictor values at which to predict new h, where each row represents a new observation. If not specified, defaults to using observed Z values
Xnew	optional matrix of new covariate values at which to obtain predictions. If not specified, defaults to using observed X values
Z	an n-by-M matrix of predictor variables to be included in the h function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents an predictor.
X	an n-by-K matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
y	a vector of outcome data of length n.
sel	A vector selecting which iterations of the BKMR fit should be retained for inference. If not specified, will default to keeping every 10 iterations after dropping the first 50% of samples, or if this results in fewer than 100 iterations, than 100 iterations are kept
type	whether to make predictions on the scale of the link or of the response; only relevant for the binomial outcome family
...	other arguments; not currently used

**Details**

For guided examples, go to <https://jenfb.github.io/bkmr/overview.html>

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set_verbose_opts	<i>Options for printing summary of model fit to the console</i>
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**Description**

Set options for what will be printed to the console when verbose = TRUE in the main kmbayes function

**Usage**

```
set_verbose_opts(verbose_freq = NULL, verbose_show_ests = NULL,
  verbose_digits = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

verbose_freq	After this percentage of iterations has been completed the summary of the model fit so far will be printed to the console
verbose_show_ests	TRUE or FALSE: flag indicating whether to print out summary statistics of all posterior samples obtained up until this point, for select parameters
verbose_digits	Number of digits to be printed to the console

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SimData	<i>Simulate dataset</i>
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**Description**

Simulate predictor, covariate, and continuous outcome data

**Usage**

```
SimData(n = 100, M = 5, sigsq.true = 0.5, beta.true = 2, hfun = 3,
  Zgen = "norm", ind = 1:2, family = "gaussian")
```

**Arguments**

n	Number of observations
M	Number of predictor variables to generate
sigsq.true	Variance of normally distributed residual error
beta.true	Coefficient on the covariate
hfun	An integer from 1 to 3 identifying which predictor-response function to generate
Zgen	Method for generating the matrix Z of exposure variables, taking one of the values c("unif", "norm", "corr", "realistic")

ind	select which predictor(s) will be included in the h function; how many predictors that can be included will depend on which h function is being used.
family	a description of the error distribution and link function to be used in the model. Currently implemented for gaussian and binomial families.

### Details

- hfun = 1: A nonlinear function of the first predictor
- hfun = 2: A linear function of the first two predictors and their product term
- hfun = 3: A nonlinear and nonadditive function of the first two predictor variables

### Examples

```
set.seed(5)
dat <- SimData()
```

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SingVarIntSummaries    *Single Variable Interaction Summaries*

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### Description

Compare the single-predictor health risks when all of the other predictors in  $Z$  are fixed to their a specific quantile to when all of the other predictors in  $Z$  are fixed to their a second specific quantile.

### Usage

```
SingVarIntSummaries(fit, y = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL,
  which.z = 1:ncol(Z), qs.diff = c(0.25, 0.75), qs.fixed = c(0.25, 0.75),
  method = "approx", sel = NULL, z.names = colnames(Z), ...)
```

### Arguments

fit	An object containing the results returned by a the kmbayes function
y	a vector of outcome data of length n.
Z	an n-by-M matrix of predictor variables to be included in the h function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents an predictor.
X	an n-by-K matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
which.z	vector indicating which variables (columns of Z) for which the summary should be computed
qs.diff	vector indicating the two quantiles at which to compute the single-predictor risk summary
qs.fixed	vector indicating the two quantiles at which to fix all of the remaining exposures in Z

method	method for obtaining posterior summaries at a vector of new points. Options are "approx" and "exact"; defaults to "approx", which is faster particularly for large datasets; see details
sel	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples
z.names	optional vector of names for the columns of z
...	other argumentd to pass on to the prediction function

### Details

- If `method == "approx"` then calls the function `ComputePostmeanHnew.approx`. In this case, the argument `sel` defaults to the second half of the MCMC iterations.
- If `method == "exact"` then calls the function `ComputePostmeanHnew.exact`. In this case, the argument `sel` defaults to keeping every 10 iterations after dropping the first 50% of samples, or if this results in fewer than 100 iterations, than 100 iterations are kept

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SingVarRiskSummaries *Single Variable Risk Summaries*

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### Description

Compute summaries of the risks associated with a change in a single variable in Z from a single level (quantile) to a second level (quantile), for the other variables in Z fixed to a specific level (quantile)

### Usage

```
SingVarRiskSummaries(fit, y = NULL, Z = NULL, X = NULL,
  which.z = 1:ncol(Z), qs.diff = c(0.25, 0.75), q.fixed = c(0.25, 0.5,
  0.75), method = "approx", sel = NULL, z.names = colnames(Z), ...)
```

### Arguments

fit	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
y	a vector of outcome data of length <code>n</code> .
Z	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>M</code> matrix of predictor variables to be included in the <code>h</code> function. Each row represents an observation and each column represents an predictor.
X	an <code>n</code> -by- <code>K</code> matrix of covariate data where each row represents an observation and each column represents a covariate. Should not contain an intercept column.
which.z	vector indicating which variables (columns of Z) for which the summary should be computed
qs.diff	vector indicating the two quantiles <code>q_1</code> and <code>q_2</code> at which to compute $h(z_{\{q2\}}) - h(z_{\{q1\}})$

q.fixed	vector of quantiles at which to fix the remaining predictors in Z
method	method for obtaining posterior summaries at a vector of new points. Options are "approx" and "exact"; defaults to "approx", which is faster particularly for large datasets; see details
sel	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples
z.names	optional vector of names for the columns of z
...	other argumentd to pass on to the prediction function

### Details

- If method == "approx" then calls the function `ComputePostmeanHnew.approx`. In this case, the argument sel defaults to the second half of the MCMC iterations.
- If method == "exact" then calls the function `ComputePostmeanHnew.exact`. In this case, the argument sel defaults to keeping every 10 iterations after dropping the first 50% of samples, or if this results in fewer than 100 iterations, than 100 iterations are kept

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summary.bkmrfit	<i>Summarizing BKMR model fits</i>
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### Description

summary method for class "bkmrfit"

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'bkmrfit'
summary(object, q = c(0.025, 0.975), digits = 5,
        show_ests = TRUE, show_MH = TRUE, ...)
```

### Arguments

object	an object of class "bkmrfit"
q	quantiles of posterior distribution to show
digits	the number of digits to show when printing
show_ests	logical; if TRUE, prints summary statistics of posterior distribution
show_MH	logical; if TRUE, prints acceptance rates from the Metropolis-Hastings algorithm
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods.

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SummarySamps	<i>Compute summary statistics</i>
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**Description**

Compute summary statistics

**Usage**

```
SummarySamps(s, q = c(0.025, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 0.975))
```

**Arguments**

s	vector of posterior samples
q	vector of quantiles

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TracePlot	<i>Trace plot</i>
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**Description**

Trace plot

**Usage**

```
TracePlot(fit, par, comp = 1, sel = NULL, main = "", xlab = "iteration",
  ylab = "parameter value", ...)
```

**Arguments**

fit	An object containing the results returned by a the <code>kmbayes</code> function
par	which parameter to plot
comp	which component of the parameter vector to plot
sel	logical expression indicating samples to keep; defaults to keeping the second half of all samples
main	title
xlab	x axis label
ylab	y axis label
...	other arguments to pass onto the plotting function

**Details**

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