

Package ‘long2lstmarray’

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Title Longitudinal Dataframes into Arrays for Machine Learning
Training

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Description An easy tool to transform 2D longitudinal data into 3D arrays suitable for
Long short-term memory neural networks training. The array output can be
used by the 'keras' package. Long short-term memory neural networks are described
in: Hochreiter, S., & Schmidhuber, J. (1997) <[doi:10.1162/neco.1997.9.8.1735](https://doi.org/10.1162/neco.1997.9.8.1735)>.

Imports abind, dplyr

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LazyData true

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URL <https://github.com/luisgarcez11/long2lstmarray>

BugReports <https://github.com/luisgarcez11/long2lstmarray/issues>

Suggests knitr, rmarkdown, testthat

Depends R (>= 2.10)

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alsfrs_data	Clinical scale example data
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Description

An example dataset containing Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Functional Rating Scale - Revised.

Usage

alsfrs_data

Format

A data frame with 100 rows and 15 variables:

- subjid** Subject ID
- visdy** Visit day
- p1** Scale items
- p2** Scale items
- p3** Scale items
- p4** Scale items
- p5** Scale items
- p6** Scale items
- p7** Scale items
- p8** Scale items
- p9** Scale items
- p10** Scale items
- x1r** Scale items
- x2r** Scale items
- x3r** Scale items

Source

<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/10540002/>

get_var_array	<i>Generate a matrix with various lags from a variable in the dataframe</i>
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Description

Generate a matrix with various lags from a variable in the dataframe

Usage

```
get_var_array(  
  data,  
  subj_var,  
  var,  
  time_var,  
  lags,  
  label_length = 1,  
  label_output = FALSE  
)
```

Arguments

data	A data frame, data frame extension (e.g. a tibble).
subj_var	A character string referring to the variable that specifies the "subject" variable.
var	A character string referring to the variable that contains the variable values.
time_var	A character string referring to the variable that contains the time variable values (e.g. visit day, minutes, years).
lags	The length of each sliced sequence.
label_length	How many values after are considered to be the label? Default to 1. If label_length = 1, the label value is always the value following the sliced sequence.
label_output	logical. if TRUE a list including the matrix with the sliced sequences and a vector with the label is returned.

Value

If label_output is FALSE, a matrix with the sliced sequences is returned. If label_output is TRUE, a list with the matrix and vector with the labels from the same variable is returned.

Examples

```
get_var_array(alsfrs_data, "subjid",  
  "p2", "visdy", lags = 3,  
  label_output = FALSE)
```

get_var_sequence	<i>Get variable values from subject/variable name pair</i>
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Description

Get variable values from subject/variable name pair

Usage

```
get_var_sequence(data, subj_var, subj, var)
```

Arguments

data	A data frame, data frame extension (e.g. a tibble).
subj_var	A character string referring to the variable that specifies the "subject" variable.
subj	Any value that the "subject" variable can take.
var	A character string referring to the variable that contains the variable values.

Value

A vector of values from variable var which subj_var equal to subj.

Examples

```
get_var_sequence(sleep, subj_var = "ID", 1, "extra")
```

longitudinal_array	<i>Generate a matrix with various lags from a dataframe</i>
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Description

Generate a matrix with various lags from a dataframe

Usage

```
longitudinal_array(
  data,
  subj_var,
  vars,
  time_var,
  lags,
  label_length = 1,
  label_var = NULL,
  label_output = FALSE,
  time_var_output = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

<code>data</code>	A data frame, data frame extension (e.g. a tibble).
<code>subj_var</code>	A character string referring to the variable that specifies the "subject" variable.
<code>vars</code>	A character string referring to the variables that contain the variable values.
<code>time_var</code>	A character string referring to the variable that contains the time variable values (e.g. visit day, minutes, years). Important to get the sequences in the right order.
<code>lags</code>	The length of each sliced sequence.
<code>label_length</code>	How many values after are considered to be the label? Default to 1. If <code>label_length</code> = 1, the label value is always the value following the sliced sequence.
<code>label_var</code>	A character string referring to the variables that contain the label variable values.
<code>label_output</code>	logical. if TRUE a list including the matrix with the sliced sequences and a vector with the label is returned.
<code>time_var_output</code>	logical. Is <code>time_var</code> to be included in the final output. Default to FALSE.

Value

If `label_output` is FALSE, a 3D array with the sliced sequences is returned. The array dimensions are subject, time and variable. If `label_output` is TRUE, a list with the array and vector with the labels is returned.

Examples

```
longitudinal_array(alsfrs_data, "subjid", c("p1", "p2", "p3"),
  "visdy", lags = 3, label_output = FALSE)
longitudinal_array(alsfrs_data, "subjid", c("p1", "p2", "p3"),
  "visdy", lags = 3, label_output = FALSE)[1,,]
longitudinal_array(alsfrs_data, "subjid", c("p1", "p2", "p3"),
  "visdy", lags = 3, label_output = FALSE)[,1,]
longitudinal_array(alsfrs_data, "subjid", c("p1", "p2", "p3"),
  "visdy", lags = 3, label_output = FALSE)[,,1]
```

<code>slice_var_sequence</code>	<i>Generate a matrix with various lags from a sequence</i>
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Description

Generate a matrix with various lags from a sequence

Usage

```
slice_var_sequence(sequence, lags, label_length = 1, label_output = TRUE)
```

Arguments

sequence	A vector representing the sequence to be sliced into many rows.
lags	The length of each sliced sequence.
label_length	How many values after are considered to be the label? Default to 1. If label_length = 1, the label value is always the value following the sliced sequence.
label_output	logical. if TRUE a list including the matrix with the sliced sequences and a vector with the labels is returned.

Value

If label_output is FALSE, a matrix with the sliced sequences is returned. If label_output is TRUE, a list with the matrix and vector with the labels is returned.

Examples

```
slice_var_sequence(sequence = 1:30,  
  lags = 3, label_length = 1,  
  label_output = TRUE)
```

```
slice_var_sequence(sequence = 1:30,  
  lags = 3, label_length = 1,  
  label_output = FALSE)
```

```
slice_var_sequence(sequence = 1:30,  
  lags = 3, label_length = 2,  
  label_output = FALSE)
```

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