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**Description** Fits a linear non-penalized phenotype (demographic) variables and penalized groups of prognostic effect and predictive effect, by satisfying such hierarchy structures that if a predictive effect exists, its prognostic effect must also exist. This package can deal with continuous, binomial or multinomial, and survival response variables, underlying the assumption of Gaussian, binomial (multinomial), and Cox proportional hazard models, respectively. It is implemented by combining the iterative shrinkage-thresholding algorithm and the alternating direction method of multipliers algorithms. The main method is built in C++, and the complementary methods are written in R.

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glog	<i>Generalized linear model constraint on hierarchical structure by using overlapped group penalty</i>
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### Description

Generalized linear model constraint on hierarchical structure by using overlapped group penalty

### Usage

```
glog(y, x, g, v, lambda, hierarchy, family = "gaussian", rho = 10,
     scale = TRUE, eabs = 0.001, erel = 0.001, LL = 1, eta = 1.25,
     maxitr = 1000L)
```

### Arguments

y	response variable, in the format of matrix. When family is 'gaussian' or 'binomial', y ought to be a matrix of n by 1 for the observations; when family is "coxph", y represents the survival objects, that is, a matrix of n by 2, containing the survival time and the censoring status. See <a href="#">Surv</a> .
x	a model matrix of dimensions n by p, in which the column represents the predictor variables.
g	a numeric vector of group labels for the predictor variables.
v	a numeric vector of binary values, represents whether or not the predictor variables are penalized. Note that 1 indicates penalization and 0 for not penalization.
lambda	a numeric vector of three penalty parameters corresponding to L2 norm, squared L2 norm, and L1 norm, respectively.
hierarchy	a factor value in levels 0, 1, 2, which represent different hierarchical structure within groups, respectively. When hierarchy=0, $\lambda_2$ and $\lambda_3$ are forced to be zeroes; when hierarchy=1, $\lambda_2$ is forced to be zero; when hierarchy=2, there is no constraint on $\lambda$ 's. See <a href="#">smog</a> .

family	a description of the distribution family for the response variable variable. For continuous response variable, family is gaussian' '; for multinomial or binary response variable, family is binomial"; for survival response variable, family is "coxph", respectively.
rho	the penalty parameter used in the alternating direction method of multipliers algorithm (ADMM). Default is 10.
scale	whether or not scale the design matrix. Default is true.
eabs	the absolute tolerance used in the ADMM algorithm. Default is 1e-3.
erel	the relative tolerance used in the ADMM algorithm. Default is 1e-3.
LL	initial value for the Lipschitz continuous constant for approximation to the objective function in the Majorization- Minimization (MM) (or iterative shrinkage-thresholding algorithm (ISTA)). Default is 1.
eta	gradient stepsize for the backtrack line search for the Lipschitz continuous constant. Default is 1.25.
maxitr	the maximum iterations for convergence in the ADMM algorithm. Default is 500.

### Value

A list of

coefficients	A data frame of the variable name and the estimated coefficients
llikelihood	The log likelihood value based on the ultimate estimated coefficients
loglike	The sequence of log likelihood values since the algorithm starts
PrimalError	The sequence of primal errors in the ADMM algorithm
DualError	The sequence of dual errors in the ADMM algorithm
converge	The integer of the iteration when the convergence occurs

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### References

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

### See Also

[cv.smog](#), [smog.default](#), [smog.formula](#), [predict.smog](#), [plot.smog](#).

**Examples**

```

set.seed(2018)
# generate design matrix x
n=50;p=100
s=10
x=matrix(0,n,1+2*p)
x[,1]=sample(c(0,1),n,replace = TRUE)
x[,seq(2,1+2*p,2)]=matrix(rnorm(n*p),n,p)
x[,seq(3,1+2*p,2)]=x[,seq(2,1+2*p,2)]*x[,1]

g=c(p+1,rep(1:p,rep(2,p))) # groups
v=c(0,rep(1,2*p))         # penalization status

# generate beta
beta=c(rnorm(13,0,2),rep(0,ncol(x)-13))
beta[c(2,4,7,9)]=0

# generate y
data1=x%*%beta
noise1=rnorm(n)
snr1=as.numeric(sqrt(var(data1)/(s*var(noise1))))
y1=data1+snr1*noise1
lambda = c(8,0,8)
hierarchy = 1
gfit1 = glog(y1,x,g,v,lambda,hierarchy,family = "gaussian")

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penalty

*Penalty function on the composite L2, L2-Square, and L1 penalties*


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**Description**

Penalty function on the composite L2, L2-Square, and L1 penalties

**Usage**

```
penalty(x, lambda, hierarchy, d)
```

**Arguments**

x	A vector of two numeric values, in which $x_1$ represents the prognostic effect, and $x_2$ for the predictive effect, respectively.
lambda	a vector of three penalty parameters. $\lambda_1$ and $\lambda_2$ are L2 and L2-Square (ridge) penalties for $x$ in a group level, and $\lambda_3$ is the L1 penalty for $x_2$ , respectively.
hierarchy	a factor value in levels 0, 1, 2, which represent different hierarchical structure in $x$ , respectively. When $\text{hierarchy}=0$ , $\lambda_2$ and $\lambda_3$ are forced to be zeroes; when $\text{hierarchy}=1$ , $\lambda_2$ is forced to be zero; when $\text{hierarchy}=2$ , there is no constraint on $\lambda$ 's. See <a href="#">smog</a> .
d	indices for overlapped variables in $x$ .

**Value**

A numeric value of the penalty function based on the composition of L2, L2-Square, and L2 penalties.

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

**See Also**

[cv.smog](#), [smog.default](#), [smog.formula](#), [predict.smog](#), [plot.smog](#).

**Examples**

```
penalty(x = rnorm(6,2,1), lambda = c(0.5,0.3,0.1), hierarchy = 0, d = c(1,1,2,2,3,3))
```

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plot.cv.cglasso

*plot method for objects of cv.cglasso class*

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**Description**

Yields a cross-validation curve, and error bars within one standard deviation of the curve, as a function of the group penalty  $\lambda_1$ .

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'cv.cglasso'
plot(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

`x` An fitted object in "cv.cglasso" class.  
`...` Other graphical parameters to ggplot2.

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

**See Also**

[cv.cglasso](#), [cv.smog](#), [smog](#).

**Examples**

```
# generate design matrix x
set.seed(2018)
n=50;p=20
s=10
x=matrix(0,n,1+2*p)
x[,1]=sample(c(0,1),n,replace = TRUE)
x[,seq(2,1+2*p,2)]=matrix(rnorm(n*p),n,p)
x[,seq(3,1+2*p,2)]=x[,seq(2,1+2*p,2)]*x[,1]

g=c(p+1,rep(1:p,rep(2,p))) # groups
v=c(0,rep(1,2*p)) # penalization status
label=c("t",rep(c("prog","pred"),p)) # type of predictor variables

# generate beta
beta=c(rnorm(13,0,2),rep(0,ncol(x)-13))
beta[c(2,4,7,9)]=0

# generate y
data=x%*%beta
noise=rnorm(n)
snr=as.numeric(sqrt(var(data)/(s*var(noise))))
y=data+snr*noise

cvfit=cv.cglasso(x,y,g,v,label,family="gaussian", nlambda.max = 20)
plot(cvfit)
```

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plot.cv.smog

*plot method for objects of cv.smog class*

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**Description**

Yield a search path for optimal group penalty  $G - \lambda$  and  $I - \lambda$  using the mean-squared errors from the cross-validations.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'cv.smog'
plot(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

`x` An fitted object in "cv.smog" class.  
`...` Other graphical parameters to ggplot2.

**Details**

x-axis represents the group tuning parameter  $\lambda_G$  and y-axis for the interaction tuning parameter  $\lambda_I$ , respectively. The point size demonstrates the magnitude of MSE or negative log-likelihood.

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

**See Also**

[smog](#), [cv.smog](#), [cv.cglasso](#).

**Examples**

```
# generate design matrix x
set.seed(2018)
n=100;p=20
s=10
x=matrix(0,n,1+2*p)
x[,1]=sample(c(0,1),n,replace = TRUE)
x[,seq(2,1+2*p,2)]=matrix(rnorm(n*p),n,p)
x[,seq(3,1+2*p,2)]=x[,seq(2,1+2*p,2)]*x[,1]

g=c(p+1,rep(1:p,rep(2,p))) # groups
v=c(0,rep(1,2*p)) # penalization status
label=c("t",rep(c("prog","pred"),p)) # type of predictor variables

# generate beta
beta=c(rnorm(13,0,2),rep(0,ncol(x)-13))
beta[c(2,4,7,9)]=0

# generate y
data=x%*%beta
noise=rnorm(n)
snr=as.numeric(sqrt(var(data)/(s*var(noise))))
y=data+snr*noise

cvfit=cv.smog(x,y,g,v,label,type = "AIC", family="gaussian")
plot(cvfit)
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`plot.smog`*plot method for objects of smog class*

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### Description

`plot.smog` can produce a panel of plots for the primal errors, dual errors, and the penalized log-likelihood values, based on the provided fitted model (`x`) in the S3method of `smog`.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'smog'  
plot(x, type = "l", xlab = "iteration",  
      caption = list("primal error", "dual error", "log-likelihood"), ...)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	a fitted object of class inheriting from <code>smog</code> .
<code>type</code> , <code>xlab</code>	default line types and x axis labels for the panel of plots.
<code>caption</code>	a list of y axes labels for the panel of plots.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments that could be supplied to <code>plot.default</code> and <code>par</code> .

### Details

For the panel of three plots, the `xlab` is "iterations" and the `type` is "l", by default. The `ylab` are "primal error", "dual error", "log-likelihood", respectively. This panel of plots can reflect the convergence performance for the algorithm used in `smog`.

### Author(s)

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### References

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

### See Also

`par`, `plot.default`, `predict.smog`, `smog.default`, `cv.smog`.



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predict.smog	<i>predict method for objects of the class smog</i>
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### Description

predict.smog can produce the prediction for user-given new data, based on the provided fitted model (object) in the S3method of smog. If the newdata omitted, it would output the prediction for the fitted model itself. The yielded result should match with the family in the provided model. See [smog](#).

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'smog'  
predict(object, newdata = NULL, family = "gaussian",  
        ...)
```

### Arguments

object	a fitted object of class inheriting from smog.
newdata	a data frame containing the predictor variables, which are used to predict. If omitted, the fitted linear predictors are used.
family	a description of distribution family for which the response variable is to be predicted.
...	additional arguments affecting the predictions produced.

### Details

If newdata = NULL, the fitted.value based on the object is used for the prediction. For family = "coxph", the returned prediction value is the risk score.

### Value

If family = "gaussian", a vector of prediction for the response is returned. For family = "coxph", a vector of predicted risk score is returned. When family = "binomial", it outputs a data frame containing the predicted group labels and the corresponding probabilities.

### Author(s)

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### References

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

### See Also

[smog.default](#), [smog.formula](#), [cv.smog](#), [plot.smog](#).

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prox	<i>Composite proximal operator based on L2, L2-Square, and L1 penalties</i>
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**Description**

Composite proximal operator based on L2, L2-Square, and L1 penalties

**Usage**

```
prox(x, lambda, hierarchy, d)
```

**Arguments**

x	A numeric vector of two.
lambda	a vector of three penalty parameters. $\lambda_1$ and $\lambda_2$ are L2 and L2-Square (ridge) penalties for $x$ in a group level, and $\lambda_3$ is the L1 penalty for $x_2$ , respectively.
hierarchy	a factor value in levels 0, 1, 2, which represent different hierarchical structure in $x$ , respectively. When <code>hierarchy=0</code> , $\lambda_2$ and $\lambda_3$ are forced to be zeroes; when <code>hierarchy=1</code> , $\lambda_2$ is forced to be zero; when <code>hierarchy=2</code> , there is no constraint on $\lambda$ 's. See <a href="#">smog</a> .
d	indices for overlapped variables in $x$ .

**Value**

A two-dimensional numerical vector, soft-thresholded based on a composition of  $\lambda_1$ ,  $\lambda_2$ , and  $\lambda_3$ .

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

**See Also**

[cv.smog](#), [smog.default](#), [smog.formula](#), [predict.smog](#), [plot.smog](#).

**Examples**

```
prox(x = rnorm(6,2,1), lambda = c(0.5,0.3,0.1), hierarchy = 0, d = c(1,1,2,2,3,3))
```

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proxL1	<i>L1 proximal operator</i>
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**Description**

L1 proximal operator

**Usage**

proxL1(x, lambda)

**Arguments**

x	numeric value.
lambda	numeric value for the L1 penalty parameter.

**Value**

A numeric value soft-thresholded by  $\lambda$ , which is  $sign(x)(|x| - \lambda)_+$ .

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

**Examples**

proxL1(2.0, 0.5)

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proxL2	<i>L2 proximal operator</i>
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**Description**

L2 proximal operator

**Usage**

proxL2(x, lambda)

**Arguments**

`x` A vector of  $p$  numerical values.  
`lambda` numeric value for the L2 penalty parameter.

**Value**

A numeric vector soft-thresholded by  $\lambda$  as a group, which is  $(1 - \frac{\lambda\sqrt{p}}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + \dots + x_p^2}})_+ \mathbf{x}$ .

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

**Examples**

```
proxL2(rnorm(6,2,1),0.5)
```

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sim\_rct\_biomarker      *Simulate a randomized clinical trial with biomarkers*

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**Description**

`sim_rct_biomarker` is used to simulate clinical trial data with specified treatment, prognostic, and predictive effect sizes.

**Usage**

```
sim_rct_biomarker(n = 50, p = 100, p_prog = 5, p_pred = 5,
  p_both = 5, v_trt = 0.4, v_prog = 0.2, v_pred = 0.2,
  v_err = 0.2, corr = NULL, family = "gaussian", ...)
```

**Arguments**

`n` Number of subjects.  
`p` Number of biomarkers.  
`p_prog` Number of biomarkers with prognostic effects only.  
`p_pred` Number of biomarkers with predictive effects only.  
`p_both` Number of biomarkers with both prognostic and predictive effects  
`v_trt` Variance of response due to treatment.  
`v_prog` Variance of response due to prognostic effects.

v_pred	Variance of response due to predictive effects.
v_err	Variance of response due to random noise.
corr	Autocorrelation parameter between biomarkers, default is NULL.
family	The distribution family for response variable, can be gaussian ' ', or binomial". Default is "gaussian".
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods.

### Value

A list containing several variables.

**T** Treatment status in 1 or -1 values.

**X** Biomarkers.

**W** Hadamard product of treatment and biomarkers.

**M** Model matrix - binding of T, X, and W.

**Y** Response.

**Y0** Response without error.

**tau** Treatment effect.

**beta** Prognostic effects.

**gamma** Predictive effects.

**theta** All effects corresponding to M.

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### References

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

### Examples

```
sim <- sim_rct_biomarker(n = 1e3)
var(as.vector(sim$T * sim$tau))
var(as.vector(sim$X %*% sim$beta))
var(as.vector(sim$W %*% sim$gamma))
```

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smog.default	<i>Generalized linear model constraint on hierarchical structure by using overlapped group penalty</i>
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## Description

smog fits a linear non-penalized phenotype (demographic) variables such as age, gender, treatment, etc, and penalized groups of prognostic effect (main effect) and predictive effect (interaction effect), by satisfying the hierarchy structure: if a predictive effect exists, its prognostic effect must be in the model. It can deal with continuous, binomial or multinomial, and survival response variables, underlying the assumption of Gaussian, binomial (multinomial), and Cox proportional hazard models, respectively. It can accept [formula](#), and output coefficients table, fitted.values, and convergence information produced in the algorithm iterations.

## Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
smog(x, y, g, v, label, lambda1, lambda2, lambda3,
     family = "gaussian", subset = NULL, rho = 10, scale = TRUE,
     eabs = 0.001, erel = 0.001, LL = 1, eta = 1.25, maxitr = 1000,
     ...)

## S3 method for class 'formula'
smog(formula, data = list(), g, v, label, lambda1,
     lambda2, lambda3, ...)
```

## Arguments

x	a model matrix, or a data frame of dimensions n by p, in which the columns represents the predictor variables.
y	response variable, corresponds to the family description. When family is "gaussian" or "binomial", y ought to be a numeric vector of observations of length n; when family is "coxph", y represents the survival objects, containing the survival time and the censoring status. See <a href="#">Surv</a> .
g	a vector of group labels for the predictor variables.
v	a vector of binary values, represents whether or not the predictor variables are penalized. Note that 1 indicates penalization and 0 for not penalization.
label	a character vector, represents the type of predictors in terms of treatment, prognostic, and predictive effects by using "t", "prog", and "pred", respectively.
lambda1	penalty parameter for the L2 norm of each group of prognostic and predictive effects.
lambda2	ridge penalty parameter for the squared L2 norm of each group of prognostic and predictive effects.
lambda3	penalty parameter for the L1 norm of predictive effects.

family	a description of the distribution family for the response variable. For continuous response variable, family is "gaussian"; for multinomial or binary response variable, family is "binomial"; for survival response variable, family is "coxph", respectively.
subset	an optional vector specifying a subset of observations to be used in the model fitting. Default is NULL.
rho	the penalty parameter used in the alternating direction method of multipliers (ADMM) algorithm. Default is 10.
scale	whether or not scale the design matrix. Default is TRUE.
eabs	the absolute tolerance used in the ADMM algorithm. Default is 1e-3.
erel	the relative tolerance used in the ADMM algorithm. Default is 1e-3.
LL	initial value for the Lipschitz continuous constant for approximation to the objective function in the Majorization- Minimization (MM) (or iterative shrinkage-thresholding algorithm (ISTA)). Default is 1.
eta	gradient stepsize for the backtrack line search for the Lipschitz continuous constant. Default is 1.25.
maxitr	the maximum iterations for convergence in the ADMM algorithm. Default is 1000.
...	other relevant arguments that can be supplied to smog.
formula	an object of class "formula": a symbolic description of the model to be fitted. Should not include the intercept.
data	an optional data frame, containing the variables in the model.

## Details

The formula has the form  $\text{response} \sim \theta + \text{terms}$  where *terms* is a series of predictor variables to be fitted for response. For gaussian family, the response is a continuous vector. For binomial family, the response is a factor vector, in which the last level denotes the "pivot". For coxph family, the response is a [Surv](#) object, containing the survival time and censoring status.

## Value

smog returns an object of class inhering from "smog". The generic accessor functions `coef`, `coefficients`, `fitted.value`, and `predict` can be used to extract various useful features of the value returned by smog. An object of "smog" is a list containing at least the following components:

:

**coefficients** Data frame containing the nonzero predictor variables' indexes, names, and estimates. When family is "binomial", the estimates have K-1 columns, each column representing the weights for the corresponding group. The last group behaves the "pivot".

**fitted.values** The fitted mean values for the response variable, for family is "gaussian". When family is "binomial", the fitted.values are the probabilities for each class; when family is "coxph", the fitted.values are risk scores.

**residuals** The residual is trivial for family = "gaussian". For family = "binomial", Pearson residuals is returned; and for family = "coxph", it yields deviance residuals, i.e., standardized martingale residuals.

**model** A list of estimates for the intercept, treatment effect, and prognostic and predictive effects for the selected biomarkers.

**weight** The weight of predictors resulted from the penalty function, is used to calculate the degrees of freedom.

**DF** the degrees of freedom. When family = "gaussian",  $DF = tr(x'_\lambda(x'_\lambda x_\lambda + W)x_\lambda)$ . For other families, DF is approximated by  $diag(1/(1 + W))$ .

**criteria** model selection criteria, including the correction Akaike's Information Criterion (AIC), AIC, Bayesian Information Criterion (BIC), and the generalized cross-validation score (GCV), respectively. See also [cv.smog](#).

**likelihood** the log-likelihood value for the converged model.

**loglike** the penalized log-likelihood values for each iteration in the algorithm.

**PrimalError** the averaged norms  $\|\beta - Z\|/\sqrt{p}$  for each iteration, in the ADMM algorithm.

**DualError** the averaged norms  $\|Z^{t+1} - Z^t\|/\sqrt{p}$  for each iteration, in the ADMM algorithm.

**converge** the number of iterations processed in the ADMM algorithm.

**call** the matched call.

**formula** the formula supplied.

### Penalized regression model

The regression function contains the non-penalized predictor variables, and many groups of prognostic and predictive terms, where in each group the prognostic term comes first, followed by the predictive term.

- Penalty function: Different hierarchical structures within groups can result from adjusting the penalty parameters in the penalty function:

$$\Omega(\beta) = \lambda_1 \|\beta\| + \lambda_2 \|\beta\|^2 + \lambda_3 |\beta_2|$$

Where  $\beta = (\beta_1, \beta_2)$ . Note that  $\beta_1$  denotes the prognostic effect (main effect), and  $\beta_2$  for the predictive effect (interactive effect), respectively. When  $\lambda_2 = 0$  and  $\lambda_3 = 0$ , it indicates no structure within groups. When  $\lambda_2 \neq 0$ , the penalty function honors the structure within groups such that: predictive effect  $\neq 0 \implies$  prognostic effect  $\neq 0$ .

- Tuning parameters: rho, eabs, ere1, LL, eta are the corresponding parameters used in the iterative shrinkage-thresholding algorithm (ISTA) and the alternating direction method of multipliers algorithm (ADMM).

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### References

Ma C, Deng W, Ma S, Liu R, Galinsky K (2019). "Structural modeling using overlapped group penalties for discovering predictive biomarkers for subgroup analysis." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.11648*.

### See Also

[cv.smog](#), [predict.smog](#), [plot.smog](#).



**Examples**

```

n=100;p=20
set.seed(2018)
# generate design matrix x
s=10
x=matrix(0,n,1+2*p)
x[,1]=sample(c(0,1),n,replace = TRUE)
x[,seq(2,1+2*p,2)]=matrix(rnorm(n*p),n,p)
x[,seq(3,1+2*p,2)]=x[,seq(2,1+2*p,2)]*x[,1]

g=c(p+1,rep(1:p,rep(2,p))) # groups
v=c(0,rep(1,2*p)) # penalization status
label=c("t",rep(c("prog","pred"),p)) # type of predictor variables

# generate beta
beta=c(rnorm(13,0,2),rep(0,ncol(x)-13))
beta[c(2,4,7,9)]=0

# generate y
data1=x%%beta
noise1=rnorm(n)
snr1=as.numeric(sqrt(var(data1)/(s*var(noise1))))
y1=data1+snr1*noise1
lfit1=smog(x,y1,g,v,label,lambda1=8,lambda2=0,lambda3=8,family = "gaussian")

## generate binomial data
prob=exp(as.matrix(x)%%as.matrix(beta))/(1+exp(as.matrix(x)%%as.matrix(beta)))
y2=ifelse(prob<0.5,0,1)
lfit2=smog(x,y2,g,v,label,lambda1=0.03,lambda2=0,lambda3=0.03,family = "binomial")

## generate survival data
# Weibull latent event times
lambda = 0.01; rho = 1
V = runif(n)
Tlat = (- log(V) / (lambda*exp(x %% beta)) )^(1/rho)
C = rexp(n, 0.001) ## censoring time
time = as.vector(pmin(Tlat, C))
status = as.numeric(Tlat <= C)
y3 = as.matrix(cbind(time = time, status = status))

lfit3=smog(x,y3,g,v,label,lambda1=0.2,lambda2=0,lambda3=0.2,family = "coxph")

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