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## Description

Rmixmod is a package based on the existing MIXMOD software. MIXMOD is a tool for fitting a mixture model of multivariate gaussian or multinomial components to a given data set with either a clustering, a density estimation or a discriminant analysis point of view.

## Details

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The general purpose of the package is to discover, or explain, group structures in multivariate data sets with unknown (cluster analysis or clustering) or known class discriminant analysis or classification). It is an exploratory data analysis tool for solving clustering and classification problems. But it can also be regarded as a semi-parametric tool to estimate densities with Gaussian mixture distributions and multinomial distributions.

Mathematically, mixture probability density function (pdf)  $f$  is a weighted sum of  $K$  components densities :

$$f(\mathbf{x}_i|\theta) = \sum_{k=1}^K p_k h(\mathbf{x}_i|\lambda_k)$$

where  $h(\cdot|\lambda_k)$  denotes a  $d$ -dimensional distribution parametrized by  $\lambda_k$ . The parameters are the mixing proportions  $p_k$  and the component of the distribution  $\lambda_k$ .

In the Gaussian case,  $h$  is the density of a Gaussian distribution with mean  $\mu_k$  and variance matrix  $\Sigma_k$ , and thus  $\lambda_k = (\mu_k, \Sigma_k)$ .

In the qualitative case,  $h$  is a multinomial distribution and  $\lambda_k = (a_k, \epsilon_k)$  is the parameter of the distribution.

Estimation of the mixture parameters is performed either through maximum likelihood via the EM (*Expectation Maximization*, Dempster et al. 1977), the SEM (*Stochastic EM*, Celeux and Diebolt 1985) algorithm or through classification maximum likelihood via the CEM algorithm (*Clustering EM*, Celeux and Govaert 1992). These three algorithms can be chained to obtain original fitting strategies (e.g. CEM then EM with results of CEM) to use advantages of each of them in the estimation process. As mixture problems usually have multiple relative maxima, the program will produce different results, depending on the initial estimates supplied by the user. If the user does not input his own initial estimates, some initial estimates procedures are proposed (random centers for instance).

It is possible to constrain some input parameters. For example, dispersions can be equal between classes, etc.

In the Gaussian case, fourteen models are implemented. They are based on the eigenvalue decomposition, are most generally used. They depend on constraints on the variance matrix such as same variance matrix between clusters, spherical variance matrix... and they are suitable for data sets in any dimension.

In the qualitative case, five multinomial models are available. They are based on a reparametrization of the multinomial probabilities.

In both cases, the models and the number of clusters can be chosen by different criteria : BIC (Bayesian Information Criterion), ICL (Integrated Completed Likelihood, a classification version of BIC), NEC (Entropy Criterion), or Cross-Validation (CV).

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### References

Biernacki C., Celeux G., Govaert G., Langrognet F., 2006. "Model-Based Cluster and Discriminant Analysis with the MIXMOD Software". *Computational Statistics and Data Analysis*, vol. 51/2, pp. 587-600.

### Examples

```
## Not run:
## Clustering Analysis
# load quantitative data set
data(geyser)
# Clustering in gaussian case
xem1<-mixmodCluster(geyser,3)
summary(xem1)
plot(xem1)
hist(xem1)

# load qualitative data set
data(birds)
# Clustering in multinomial case
```

```
xem2<-mixmodCluster(birds, 2)
summary(xem2)
barplot(xem2)

# load heterogeneous data set
data(finance)
# Clustering in composite case
xem3<-mixmodCluster(finance,2:6)
summary(xem3)

## Discriminant Analysis
# start by extract 10 observations from iris data set
remaining.obs<-sample(1:nrow(iris),10)
# then run a mixmodLearn() analysis without those 10 observations
learn<-mixmodLearn(iris[-remaining.obs,1:4], iris$Species[-remaining.obs])
# create a MixmodPredict to predict those 10 observations
prediction <- mixmodPredict(data=iris[remaining.obs,1:4], classificationRule=learn["bestResult"])
# show results
prediction
# compare prediction with real results
paste("accuracy= ",mean(as.integer(iris$Species[remaining.obs]) == prediction["partition"])*100
      ,"%",sep="")

## End(Not run)
```

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asQualitative	<i>Convert a data frame containing integers to a qualitative data set with factors.</i>
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## Description

Convert a data frame containing integers to a qualitative data set with factors.

## Usage

```
asQualitative(x)
```

## Arguments

x a vector or a matrix or a data frame

## Value

a qualitative data set with factors

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barplot *Barplot of a class [Mixmod]*

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### Description

Barplot of qualitative data from a [Mixmod] object using parameters to plot probabilities of modalities.

### Usage

```
barplot(height, ...)
```

### Arguments

height	see examples below
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

### Details

Each line corresponds to one variable. Barplot is drawn for each cluster with the probabilities for each modality to be in that cluster.

### See Also

[barplot](#)

### Examples

```
data(birds)
xem2 <- mixmodCluster(birds,2)
barplot(xem2)
barplot(xem2,variables=c(2,3,4))
barplot(xem2,variables=c("eyebrow", "collar"))
```

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barplotCluster *Barplot of a class [MixmodResults]*

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### Description

Barplot of qualitative data object using parameters from a [MixmodResults] to plot probabilities of modalities.

### Usage

```
barplotCluster(x, data, variables = colnames(data),
  main = paste("Barplot of", variables), ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	an object of class [ <a href="#">MixmodResults</a> ]
data	a vector or data frame containing a qualitative data set.
variables	list of variables names (or indices) to compute a barplot. All variables from data by default.
main	a list of title for the barplot. main must have the same length than variables.
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

**Details**

Each line corresponds to one variable. A barplot is drawn for each cluster with the probabilities for each modality to be in that cluster.

**See Also**

[barplot](#)

**Examples**

```
data(birds)
xem <- mixmodCluster(birds,2)
barplotCluster(xem["bestResult"], birds)
barplotCluster(xem["bestResult"], birds, variables=c(2,3,4))
barplotCluster(xem["bestResult"], birds, variables=c("eyebrow","collar"))
```

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birds

*Qualitative data : morphological description of birds*


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**Description**

The dataset contains details on the morphology of birds (puffins). Each individual (bird) is described by 6 qualitative variables. One variable for the gender and 5 variables giving a morphological description of the birds. There is 69 puffins divided in 2 sub-classes: lherminieri (34) and subalaris (35).

**Format**

A data frame with 69 observations on the following 5 variables.

gender a numeric vector defining the gender (2 modalities, male or female).

eyebrow a numeric vector describing the eyebrow stripe (4 modalities).

collar a numeric vector describing the collar (5 modalities).

sub-caudal a numeric vector describing the sub-caudal (5 modalities).

border a numeric vector describing the border (3 modalities).

**Source**

Bretagnolle, V., 2007. Personal communication, source: Museum.

**Examples**

```
data(birds)
```

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car

*Qualitative data : Car Evaluation*

---

**Description**

Car Evaluation Database was derived from a simple hierarchical decision model originally developed for the demonstration of DEX, M. Bohanec, V. Rajkovic: Expert system for decision making.

**Format**

A data frame with 1728 observations on the following 6 variables.

buying the buying price (4 modalities: vhigh, high, med, low).

maint the price of the maintenance (4 modalities: vhigh, high, med, low).

doors the number of doors (4 modalities: 2, 3, 4, 5more).

persons the capacity in terms of persons to carry (3 modalities: 2, 4, more).

lug\_boot the size of luggage boot (3 modalities: small, med, big).

safety the estimated safety of the car (3 modalities: low, med, high).

acceptability the car acceptability (4 modalities: unacc, acc, good, vgood).

**Source**

Creator: Marko Bohanec Donors: Marko Bohanec & Blaz Zupan <http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Car+Evaluation>

**Examples**

```
data(car)
```



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composeModelName	<i>Get the heterogeneous model name using Gaussian and Multnomial model name</i>
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**Description**

Get the heterogeneous model name using Gaussian and Multnomial model name

**Usage**

```
composeModelName(g_modelname, m_modelname)
```

**Arguments**

g_modelname	Name of Gaussian model
m_modelname	Name of Multinomial model

**Value**

name of heterogeneous model

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CompositeModel-class	<i>Constructor of <a href="#">[CompositeModel]</a> class</i>
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**Description**

This class defines a Composite Model. Inherits the [\[Model\]](#) class.

**Details**

**variable.independency** logical  
**component.independency** logical

**Examples**

```
new("CompositeModel")
new("CompositeModel", listModels=c("Heterogeneous_pk_E_L_B", "Heterogeneous_pk_Ekj_L_B") )
new("CompositeModel", free.proportions=FALSE, variable.independency=TRUE )

getSlots("CompositeModel")
```

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CompositeParameter-class

*Constructor of [CompositeParameter] class*

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### Description

This class defines parameters of a Heterogeneous Mixture Model. Inherits the [Parameter] class.

### Details

**g\_parameter** an object of class CompositeParameter

**m\_parameter** an object of class MultinomialParameter

### Examples

```
new("CompositeParameter")
getSlots("CompositeParameter")
```

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finance

*Composite data : Financial health of companies*

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### Description

This data set is made up of 216 healthy firms and 212 bankruptcy firms (year 2002) and also 241 healthy firms and 220 bankruptcy firms (year 2003). Companies are described by four financial ratios expected to provide some meaningful information about their health: EBITDA/Total Assets, Value Added/Total Sales, Quick Ratio, Accounts Payable/Total Sales. This data set offers the possibility to predict the company's ability to cover its financial obligations and also to study its stability over the years.

### Format

A data frame with 889 companies (rows) and 6 variables (columns).

Year categorical variable with two modalities (2002 & 2003).

Health categorical variable with two modalities (bankruptcy & healthy).

EBITDA.Total.Assets numeric variable.

Value.Added.Total.Sales numeric variable.

Quick.Ratio numeric variable.

Accounts.Payable.Total.Sales numeric variable.

**Source**

Lourme A, Biernacki C (2011). *Simultaneous t-Model-Based Clustering for Data Differing over Time Period: Application for Understanding Companies Financial Health*. Case Studies in Business, Industry and Government Statistics, 4(2), 73-82.

Du Jardin P, S'everin E (2010). *Dynamic analysis of the business failure process: a study of bankruptcy trajectories*. In Portuguese Finance Network. Ponte Delgada, Portugal.

**Examples**

```
data(finance)
summary(finance)
```

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GaussianModel-class    *Constructor of [GaussianModel] class*

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**Description**

This class defines a gaussian Model. Inherits the [Model] class.

**Details**

**family** character defining a family of models.

**Examples**

```
new("GaussianModel")
new("GaussianModel", family="general")

getSlots("GaussianModel")
```

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GaussianParameter-class    *Constructor of [GaussianParameter] class*

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**Description**

This class defines parameters of a Gaussian Mixture Model. Inherits the [Parameter] class.

**Details**

**mean** a numeric vector containing mean of each cluster.

**variance** a vector of matrix containing variance matrix of each cluster.

**Examples**

```
new("GaussianParameter")

getSlots("GaussianParameter")
```

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geyser

*Quantitative data: Old Faithful Geyser*

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### **Description**

The file `geyser.rda` contains 272 observations from the Old Faithful Geyser in the Yellowstone National Park. Each observation consists of two measurements : the duration (in minutes) of the eruption and the waiting time (in minutes) to the next eruption.

### **Format**

A data frame with 272 observations on the following 2 variables.

`Duration` a numeric vector containing the duration (in minutes) of the eruption

`Waiting.Time` a numeric vector containing the waiting time (in minutes) to the next eruption

### **Details**

Old Faithful erupts more frequently than any other big geyser, although it is not the largest nor the most regular geyser in the park. Its average interval between two eruptions is about 76 minutes, varying from 45 - 110 minutes. An eruption lasts from 1.1/2 to 5 minutes, expels 3,700 - 8,400 gallons (14,000 - 32,000 liters) of boiling water, and reaches heights of 106 - 184 feet (30 - 55m). It was named for its consistent performance by members of the Washburn Expedition in 1870. Old Faithful is still as spectacular and predictable as it was a century ago.

### **Source**

<http://www.geyserstudy.org/geyser.aspx?pGeyserNo=OLDFAITHFUL>

### **References**

Hardle, W. (1991). "Smoothing Techniques with Implementation in S". Springer-Verlag, New York.  
Azzalini, A. and Bowman, A. W. (1990). "A look at some data on the Old Faithful geyser". Applied Statistics 39, 357-365.

### **Examples**

```
data(geyser)
```

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`heterodata`*Composite data with training and testing set*

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**Description**

The data set is made up of 5 variables: 3 categorical variables and 2 quantitative variables. The original data set contains 200 individuals. The training data set has 300 individuals while the testing data set has 100 individuals.

**Format**

A data frame with 200 individuals (rows) and 5 variables (columns).

V1 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V2 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V3 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V4 numeric variable.

V5 numeric variable.

**See Also**

[heterodatatraining](#) and [heterodatatest](#)

**Examples**

```
data(heterodata)
summary(heterodata)
```

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`heterodatatest`*Composite data: A testing set*

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**Description**

The data set is made up of 5 variables: 3 categorical variables and 2 quantitative variables. The testing data set has 100 individuals.

**Format**

A data frame with 100 individuals (rows) and 5 variables (columns).

V1 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V2 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V3 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V4 numeric variable.

V5 numeric variable.

**See Also**

[heterodatatrain](#)

**Examples**

```
data(heterodatatest)
summary(heterodatatest)
```

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heterodatatrain	<i>Composite data: A training set</i>
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**Description**

The data set is made up of 5 variables: 3 categorical variables and 2 quantitative variables. The training data set has 300 individuals.

**Format**

A data frame with 300 individuals (rows) and 5 variables (columns).

V1 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V2 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V3 categorical variable with two modalities (1 & 2).

V4 numeric variable.

V5 numeric variable.

**See Also**

[heterodatatest](#)

**Examples**

```
data(heterodatatrain)
summary(heterodatatrain)
```

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hist	<i>Histograms of a class [Mixmod]</i>
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**Description**

Histograms of quantitative data from a [\[Mixmod\]](#) object using parameters to plot densities.

**Arguments**

x	an object of class <a href="#">[Mixmod]</a>
variables	list of variables names (or indices) to compute a histogram. All variables from data by default.
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

**Details**

Data with the density of each cluster and the mixture density are drawn for each variable.

**See Also**

[hist](#)

**Examples**

```
data(iris)
xem <- mixmodCluster(iris[1:4],3)
hist(xem)
hist(xem,variables=c(1,3))
hist(xem,variables=c("Sepal.Length","Sepal.Width"))
```

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histCluster	<i>Histogram of a class [MixmodResults]</i>
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**Description**

Histograms of data object using parameters from a [\[MixmodResults\]](#) to plot densities.

**Usage**

```
histCluster(x, data, variables = colnames(data),
  xlab = rep("", length(variables)),
  main = paste("Histogram of", variables), hist_x_dim=10000, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	an object of class [ <a href="#">MixmodResults</a> ]
data	a vector or data frame containing a quantitative data set.
variables	list of variables names (or indices) to compute a histogram. All variables from data by default.
xlab	a list of title for the x axis. xlab must have the same length than variables.
main	a list of title for the histogram. main must have the same length than variables.
hist_x_dim	number of values on the x axis.
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

**Details**

Data with the density of each cluster and the mixture density are drawn for each variable.

**See Also**

[hist](#)

**Examples**

```
data(geyser)
xem1 <- mixmodCluster(geyser,3)
## Not run: histCluster(xem1["bestResult"], geyser)
histCluster(xem1["bestResult"], geyser, variables=1)
```

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is.dataType

*Say if a data frame is quantitative, qualitative or composite*

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**Description**

Say if a data frame is quantitative, qualitative or composite

**Usage**

```
is.dataType(x)
```

**Arguments**

x a vector, a factor or a data frame

**Value**

a string with the data type



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isQualitative	<i>Say if a data frame contains only qualitative variables.</i>
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**Description**

Say if a data frame contains only qualitative variables.

**Usage**

```
isQualitative(x)
```

**Arguments**

x a vector or a matrix or a data frame

**Value**

a boolean

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Mixmod-class	<i>Constructor of <a href="#">[Mixmod]</a> class</i>
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**Description**

This is a class to run mixmod library.

**Details**

**data** numeric vector or a data frame of observations. Can be qualitative, quantitative or both (heterogeneous)

**dataType** character. Type of data. It defines whether data is quantitative, qualitative or composite

**nbCluster** integer. It indicates the number of classes.

**knownLabels** numeric. It contains the known labels.

**weight** numeric vector with n (number of individuals) rows. Weight is optional. This option is to be used when weight is associated to the data.

**nbVariable** integer. The number of variables.

**nbSample** integer. The number of observations.

**criterion** list of character. This option permits to select the criterion giving the best configuration of an execution.

**models** a S4 [\[Model\]](#) object. Defining the list of models to be tested.

**error** logical. Say if at least one model finished with no error in MIXMOD.

**results** a list of S4 [\[MixmodResults\]](#) object containing all results. Results are sorted into an ascending order according to the first criterion (descending order for the CV criterion). This order can be changed by using the `sortByCriterion()` method.

**Examples**

```
getSlots("Mixmod")
```

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mixmodCluster	<i>Create an instance of the <a href="#">[MixmodCluster]</a> class</i>
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**Description**

This function computes an optimal mixture model according to the criteria furnished, and the list of model defined in [\[Model\]](#), using the algorithm specified in [\[Strategy\]](#).

**Usage**

```
mixmodCluster(...)
## Default S3 method:
mixmodCluster(data, nbCluster, dataType = NULL,
              models = NULL, strategy = mixmodStrategy(),
              criterion = "BIC", weight = NULL, knownLabels = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

...	The following arguments are accepted:
data	frame containing quantitative, qualitative or heterogeneous data. Rows correspond to observations and columns correspond to variables.
nbCluster	numeric listing the number of clusters.
dataType	character. Type of data is "quantitative", "qualitative" or "composite". Set as NULL by default, type will be guessed depending on variables type.
models	a <a href="#">[Model]</a> object defining the list of models to run. For quantitative data, the model "Gaussian_pk_Lk_C" is called (see <code>mixmodGaussianModel()</code> to specify other models). For qualitative data, the model "Binary_pk_Ekjh" is called (see <code>mixmodMultinomialModel()</code> to specify other models).
strategy	a <a href="#">[Strategy]</a> object containing the strategy to run. Call <code>mixmodStrategy()</code> method by default.
criterion	list of character defining the criterion to select the best model. The best model is the one with the lowest criterion value. Possible values: "BIC", "ICL", "NEC", c("BIC", "ICL", "NEC"). Default is "BIC".
weight	numeric vector with n (number of individuals) rows. Weight is optionnal. This option is to be used when weight is associated to the data.
knownLabels	vector of size nbSample. it will be used for semi-supervised classification when labels are known. Each cell corresponds to a cluster affectation.

**Value**

Returns an instance of the `[MixmodCluster]` class. Those two attributes will contain all outputs:

**results** a list of `[MixmodResults]` object containing all the results sorted in ascending order according to the given criterion.

**bestResult** a S4 `[MixmodResults]` object containing the best model results.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
## A quantitative example with the famous geyser data set
data(geyser)
## with default values
mixmodCluster(geyser, nbCluster=2:6)

## A qualitative example with the birds data set
data(birds)
mixmodCluster(data=birds, nbCluster = 2:5, criterion= c("BIC","ICL","NEC"),
              model = mixmodMultinomialModel())

## use graphics functions
xem <- mixmodCluster(data=geyser, nbCluster=3)
## Not run:
plot(xem)
hist(xem)

## End(Not run)

## get summary
summary(xem)

## A composite example with a heterogeneous data set
data(heterodata)
mixmodCluster(heterodata,2)
```

---

MixmodCluster-class    *Constructor of `[MixmodCluster]` class*

---

**Description**

This is a class to run clustering with mixmod. Inherits the `[Mixmod]` class.

**Details**

**strategy** a S4 `[Strategy]` object. Defining the strategy used to run MIXMOD.

**bestResult** a S4 `[MixmodResults]` object containing the best model results.

**Examples**

```
## A quantitative example with the famous iris data set
data(iris)
## with default values
new("MixmodCluster", data=iris[1:4], nbCluster=3)

getSlots("MixmodCluster")
```

---

`mixmodCompositeModel` Create an instance of the [\[CompositeModel\]](#) class

---

**Description**

Define a list of heterogeneous model to test in MIXMOD.

**Usage**

```
mixmodCompositeModel(listModels = NULL,
  free.proportions = TRUE, equal.proportions = TRUE,
  variable.independency = NULL,
  component.independency = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

`listModels` a list of characters containing a list of models. It is optional.

`free.proportions` logical to include models with free proportions. Default is TRUE.

`equal.proportions` logical to include models with equal proportions. Default is TRUE.

`variable.independency` logical to include models where  $[\varepsilon_k^j]$  is independent of the variable  $j$ . Optional.

`component.independency` logical to include models where  $[\varepsilon_k^j]$  is independent of the component  $k$ . Optional.

**Details**

In heterogeneous case, Gaussian model can only belong to the diagonal family. We assume that the variance matrices  $\Sigma_k$  are diagonal. In the parameterization, it means that the orientation matrices  $D_k$  are permutation matrices. We write  $\Sigma_k = \lambda_k B_k$  where  $B_k$  is a diagonal matrix with  $|B_k| = 1$ . This particular parameterization gives rise to 4 models:  $[\lambda B]$ ,  $[\lambda_k B]$ ,  $[\lambda B_k]$  and  $[\lambda_k B_k]$ . The multinomial distribution is associated to the  $j$ th variable of the  $k$ th component is reparameterized by a center  $a_k^j$  and the dispersion  $\varepsilon_k^j$  around this center. Thus, it allows us to give an interpretation similar to the center and the variance matrix used for continuous data in the Gaussian mixture context. In the following, this model will be denoted by  $[\varepsilon_k^j]$ . In this context, three other models can be easily deduced. We note  $[\varepsilon_k]$  the model where  $\varepsilon_k^j$  is independent of the variable  $j$ ,  $[\varepsilon^j]$  the model

where  $\varepsilon_k^j$  is independent of the component  $k$  and, finally,  $[\varepsilon]$  the model where  $\varepsilon_k^j$  is independent of both the variable  $j$  and the component  $k$ . In order to maintain some unity in the notation, we will denote also  $[\varepsilon_k^{jh}]$  the most general model introduced at the previous section.

**Value**

an object of [\[CompositeModel\]](#) which contains some of the 40 heterogeneous Models:

Model	Prop.	Var.	Comp.	Volume	Shape
Heterogeneous_p_E_L_B	Equal	TRUE	TRUE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_p_E_Lk_B		TRUE	TRUE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_p_E_L_Bk		TRUE	TRUE	Equal	Free
Heterogeneous_p_E_Lk_Bk		TRUE	TRUE	Free	Free
Heterogeneous_p_Ek_L_B		TRUE	FALSE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_p_Ek_Lk_B		TRUE	FALSE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_p_Ek_L_Bk		TRUE	FALSE	Equal	Free
Heterogeneous_p_Ek_Lk_Bk		TRUE	FALSE	Free	Free
Heterogeneous_p_Ej_L_B		FALSE	TRUE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_p_Ej_Lk_B		FALSE	TRUE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_p_Ej_L_Bk		FALSE	TRUE	Equal	Free
Heterogeneous_p_Ej_Lk_Bk		FALSE	TRUE	Free	Free
Heterogeneous_p_Ekj_L_B		FALSE	FALSE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_p_Ekj_Lk_B		FALSE	FALSE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_p_Ekj_L_Bk	FALSE	FALSE	Equal	Free	
Heterogeneous_p_Ekj_Lk_Bk	FALSE	FALSE	Free	Free	
Heterogeneous_p_Ekjh_L_B	FALSE	FALSE	Equal	Equal	
Heterogeneous_p_Ekjh_Lk_B	FALSE	FALSE	Free	Equal	
Heterogeneous_p_Ekjh_L_Bk	FALSE	FALSE	Equal	Free	
Heterogeneous_p_Ekjh_Lk_Bk	FALSE	FALSE	Free	Free	
Heterogeneous_pk_E_L_B	Free	TRUE	TRUE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_E_Lk_B		TRUE	TRUE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_E_L_Bk		TRUE	TRUE	Equal	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_E_Lk_Bk		TRUE	TRUE	Free	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_Ek_L_B		TRUE	FALSE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_Ek_Lk_B		TRUE	FALSE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_Ek_L_Bk		TRUE	FALSE	Equal	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_Ek_Lk_Bk		TRUE	FALSE	Free	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_Ej_L_B		FALSE	TRUE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_Ej_Lk_B		FALSE	TRUE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_Ej_L_Bk		FALSE	TRUE	Equal	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_Ej_Lk_Bk		FALSE	TRUE	Free	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_Ekj_L_B		FALSE	FALSE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_Ekj_Lk_B		FALSE	FALSE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_Ekj_L_Bk		FALSE	FALSE	Equal	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_Ekj_Lk_Bk		FALSE	FALSE	Free	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_Ekjh_L_B		FALSE	FALSE	Equal	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_Ekjh_Lk_B		FALSE	FALSE	Free	Equal
Heterogeneous_pk_Ekjh_L_Bk		FALSE	FALSE	Equal	Free
Heterogeneous_pk_Ekjh_Lk_Bk		FALSE	FALSE	Free	Free

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**References**

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**Examples**

```

mixmodCompositeModel()
# composite models with equal proportions
mixmodCompositeModel(free.proportions=FALSE)
# composite models with equal proportions and independent of the variable
mixmodCompositeModel(free.proportions=FALSE, variable.independency=TRUE)
# composite models with a pre-defined list
mixmodCompositeModel( listModels=c("Heterogeneous_pk_Ekjh_L_Bk", "Heterogeneous_pk_Ekjh_Lk_B") )

```

---

MixmodDAResults-class *Constructor of [MixmodDAResults] class*

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**Description**

This is a class to contain results after a discriminant analysis with MIXMOD. Inherits the [\[MixmodResults\]](#) class.

**Details**

**CVLabel** vector of integers containing labels defined by cross validation.

**CVClassification** classification table after cross validation.

**MAPErrrorRate** error rate done by MAP algorithm.

**MAPClassification** classification table after MAP algorithm.

**Examples**

```
getSlots("MixmodDAResults")
```

---

```
mixmodGaussianModel Create an instance of the [GaussianModel] class
```

---

### Description

Define a list of Gaussian model to test in MIXMOD.

### Usage

```
mixmodGaussianModel(family = "all", listModels = NULL,
  free.proportions = TRUE, equal.proportions = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

family	character defining a family of models. "general" for the general family, "diagonal" for the diagonal family, "spherical" for the spherical family and "all" for all families. Default is "general".
listModels	a list of characters containing a list of models. It is optional.
free.proportions	logical to include models with free proportions. Default is TRUE.
equal.proportions	logical to include models with equal proportions. Default is TRUE.

### Details

In the Gaussian mixture model, following Banfield and Raftery (1993) and Celeux and Govaert (1995), we consider a parameterization of the variance matrices of the mixture components consisting of expressing the variance matrix  $\Sigma_k$  in terms of its eigenvalue decomposition

$$\Sigma_k = \lambda_k D_k A_k D_k'$$

where  $\lambda_k = |\Sigma_k|^{1/d}$ ,  $D_k$  is the matrix of eigenvectors of  $\Sigma_k$  and  $A_k$  is a diagonal matrix, such that  $|A_k| = 1$ , with the normalized eigenvalues of  $\Sigma_k$  on the diagonal in a decreasing order. The parameter  $\lambda_k$  determines the *volume* of the  $k$ th cluster,  $D_k$  its *orientation* and  $A_k$  its *shape*. By allowing some but not all of these quantities to vary between clusters, we obtain parsimonious and easily interpreted models which are appropriate to describe various clustering situations.

In general family, we can allow the volumes, the shapes and the orientations of clusters to vary or to be equal between clusters. Variations on assumptions on the parameters  $\lambda_k$ ,  $D_k$  and  $A_k$  ( $1 \leq k \leq K$ ) lead to 8 general models of interest. For instance, we can assume different volumes and keep the shapes and orientations equal by requiring that  $A_k = A$  ( $A$  unknown) and  $D_k = D$  ( $D$  unknown) for  $k = 1, \dots, K$ . We denote this model  $[\lambda_k D A D']$ . With this convention, writing  $[\lambda D_k A D_k']$  means that we consider the mixture model with equal volumes, equal shapes and different orientations. In diagonal family, we assume that the variance matrices  $\Sigma_k$  are diagonal. In the parameterization, it means that the orientation matrices  $D_k$  are permutation matrices. We write  $\Sigma_k = \lambda_k B_k$  where  $B_k$  is a diagonal matrix with  $|B_k| = 1$ . This particular parameterization gives rise to 4 models:  $[\lambda B]$ ,  $[\lambda_k B]$ ,  $[\lambda B_k]$  and  $[\lambda_k B_k]$ .

In spherical family, we assume spherical shapes, namely  $A_k = I$ ,  $I$  denoting the identity matrix. In such a case, two parsimonious models are in competition:  $[\lambda I]$  and  $[\lambda_k I]$ .

**Value**

an object of [[GaussianModel](#)] which contains some of the 28 Gaussian Models:

Model	Family	Prop.	Volume	Shape	Orient.
Gaussian_p_L_C	General	Equal	Equal	Equal	Equal
Gaussian_p_Lk_C			Free	Equal	Equal
Gaussian_p_L_D_Ak_D			Equal	Free	Equal
Gaussian_p_Lk_D_Ak_D			Free	Free	Equal
Gaussian_p_L_Dk_A_Dk			Equal	Equal	Free
Gaussian_p_Lk_Dk_A_Dk			Free	Equal	Free
Gaussian_p_L_Ck			Equal	Free	Free
Gaussian_p_Lk_Ck			Free	Free	Free
Gaussian_p_L_B	Diagonal	Equal	Equal	Equal	Axes
Gaussian_p_Lk_B			Free	Equal	Axes
Gaussian_p_L_Bk			Equal	Free	Axes
Gaussian_p_Lk_Bk			Free	Free	Axes
Gaussian_p_L_I	Spherical	Equal	Equal	Equal	NA
Gaussian_p_Lk_I			Free	Equal	NA
Gaussian_pk_L_C	General	Free	Equal	Equal	Equal
Gaussian_pk_Lk_C			Free	Equal	Equal
Gaussian_pk_L_D_Ak_D			Equal	Free	Equal
Gaussian_pk_Lk_D_Ak_D			Free	Free	Equal
Gaussian_pk_L_Dk_A_Dk			Equal	Equal	Free
Gaussian_pk_Lk_Dk_A_Dk			Free	Equal	Free
Gaussian_pk_L_Ck			Equal	Free	Free
Gaussian_pk_Lk_Ck			Free	Free	Free
Gaussian_pk_L_B	Diagonal	Free	Equal	Equal	Axes
Gaussian_pk_Lk_B			Free	Equal	Axes
Gaussian_pk_L_Bk			Equal	Free	Axes
Gaussian_pk_Lk_Bk			Free	Free	Axes
Gaussian_pk_L_I	Spherical	Free	Equal	Equal	NA
Gaussian_pk_Lk_I			Free	Equal	NA

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**Examples**

```
mixmodGaussianModel()
# all Gaussian models with equal proportions
```



```

mixmodGaussianModel(family="all",free.proportions=FALSE)
# Diagonal and Spherical Gaussian models
mixmodGaussianModel(family=c("diagonal","spherical"))
# Gaussian models with a pre-defined list
mixmodGaussianModel(listModels=c("Gaussian_p_L_C","Gaussian_p_L_Ck","Gaussian_pk_L_I"))

```

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mixmodLearn

*Create an instance of the [\[MixmodLearn\]](#) class*


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## Description

This function computes the first step of a discriminant analysis. It will find the best classification rule by running an M step from the training observations.

## Usage

```

mixmodLearn(...)
## Default S3 method:
mixmodLearn(data, knownLabels, dataType = NULL,
             models = NULL, criterion = "CV", nbCVBlocks = 10,
             weight = NULL)

```

## Arguments

...	The following arguments are accepted:
data	frame containing quantitative, qualitative or heterogeneous data. Rows correspond to observations and columns correspond to variables.
knownLabels	an integer vector or a factor of size number of observations. Each cell corresponds to a cluster affectation. So the maximum value is the number of clusters.
dataType	character. Type of data is "quantitative", "qualitative" or "composite". Set as NULL by default, type will be guessed depending on variables type (in case of homogeneous data). 'composite' type must be specified explicitly.
models	a <a href="#">[Model]</a> object defining the list of models to run. For quantitative data, the model "Gaussian_pk_Lk_C" is called (see mixmodGaussianModel() to specify other models). For qualitative data, the model "Binary_pk_Ekjh" is called (see mixmodMultinomialModel() to specify other models).
criterion	list of character defining the criterion to select the best model. Possible values: "BIC", "CV" or c("CV", "BIC"). Default is "CV".
nbCVBlocks	integer which defines the number of block to perform the Cross Validation. This value will be ignored if the CV criterion is not choosen. Default value is 10.
weight	numeric vector with n (number of individuals) rows. Weight is optionnal. This option is to be used when weight is associated to the data.

**Value**

Returns an instance of the `[MixmodLearn]` class. Those two attributes will contain all outputs:

**results** a list of `[MixmodResults]` object containing all the results sorted in ascending order according to the given criterion.

**bestResult** a S4 `[MixmodResults]` object containing the best model results.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
## A quantitative example with the famous iris data set
learn.iris<-mixmodLearn(iris[1:4], iris$Species)
## get summary
summary(learn.iris)

## A qualitative example with the famous birds data set
data(birds)
birds.partition<-as.integer(c(rep(1,34),rep(2,35)))
learn.birds<-mixmodLearn(data=birds, knownLabels=birds.partition)
## get summary
summary(learn.birds)

## A composite example with a heterogeneous data set
data(heterodatatrain)
learn.hetero<-mixmodLearn(heterodatatrain[-1],knownLabels=heterodatatrain$V1)
## get summary
summary(learn.hetero)
```

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MixmodLearn-class      *Constructor of [MixmodLearn] class*

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**Description**

This is a class to run discriminant analysis with mixmod. Inherits the `[Mixmod]` class.

**Details**

**bestResult** a S4 `[MixmodDAResults]` object containing the best model results.

**nbCVBlocks** integer which defines the number of block to perform the Cross Validation.

**Examples**

```
## A quantitative example with the famous iris data set
new("MixmodLearn", data=iris[1:4], knownLabels=iris$Species)

getSlots("MixmodLearn")
```

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 mixmodMultinomialModel

 Create an instance of the `[MultinomialModel]` class
 

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## Description

Define a list of multinomial model to test in MIXMOD.

## Usage

```
mixmodMultinomialModel(listModels = NULL,
  free.proportions = TRUE, equal.proportions = TRUE,
  variable.independency = NULL,
  component.independency = NULL)
```

## Arguments

`listModels` a list of characters containing a list of models. It is optional.

`free.proportions` logical to include models with free proportions. Default is TRUE.

`equal.proportions` logical to include models with equal proportions. Default is FALSE.

`variable.independency` logical to include models where  $[\varepsilon_k^j]$  is independent of the variable  $j$ . Optional.

`component.independency` logical to include models where  $[\varepsilon_k^j]$  is independent of the component  $k$ . Optional.

## Details

In the multinomial mixture model, the multinomial distribution is associated to the  $j$ th variable of the  $k$ th component is reparameterized by a center  $\alpha_k^j$  and the dispersion  $\varepsilon_k^j$  around this center. Thus, it allows us to give an interpretation similar to the center and the variance matrix used for continuous data in the Gaussian mixture context. In the following, this model will be denoted by  $[\varepsilon_k^j]$ . In this context, three other models can be easily deduced. We note  $[\varepsilon_k]$  the model where  $\varepsilon_k^j$  is independent of the variable  $j$ ,  $[\varepsilon^j]$  the model where  $\varepsilon_k^j$  is independent of the component  $k$  and, finally,  $[\varepsilon]$  the model where  $\varepsilon_k^j$  is independent of both the variable  $j$  and the component  $k$ . In order to maintain some unity in the notation, we will denote also  $[\varepsilon_k^{jh}]$  the most general model introduced at the previous section.

## Value

an object of `[MultinomialModel]` containing some of the 10 Binary Models:

Model	Prop.	Var.	Comp.
Binary_p_E	Equal	TRUE	TRUE

Binary_p_Ej		FALSE	TRUE
Binary_p_Ek		TRUE	FALSE
Binary_p_Ekj		FALSE	FALSE
Binary_p_Ekjh		FALSE	FALSE
Binary_pk_E	Free	TRUE	TRUE
Binary_pk_Ej		FALSE	TRUE
Binary_pk_Ek		TRUE	FALSE
Binary_pk_Ekj		FALSE	FALSE
Binary_pk_Ekjh		FALSE	FALSE

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**References**

C. Biernacki, G. Celeux, G. Govaert, F. Langrognet. "Model-Based Cluster and Discriminant Analysis with the MIXMOD Software". Computational Statistics and Data Analysis, vol. 51/2, pp. 587-600. (2006)

**Examples**

```

mixmodMultinomialModel()
# multinomial models with equal proportions
mixmodMultinomialModel(equal.proportions=TRUE, free.proportions=FALSE)
# multinomial models with a pre-defined list
mixmodMultinomialModel( listModels=c("Binary_pk_E", "Binary_p_E") )
# multinomial models with equal proportions and independent of the variable
mixmodMultinomialModel(free.proportions=FALSE, variable.independency=TRUE)

```

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mixmodPredict

*Create an instance of the [MixmodPredict] class*

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**Description**

This function computes the second step of a discriminant analysis. The aim of this step is to assign remaining observations to one of the groups.

**Usage**

```
mixmodPredict(data, classificationRule, ...)
```

**Arguments**

`data` matrix or data frame containing quantitative, qualitative or composite data. Rows correspond to observations and columns correspond to variables.

`classificationRule` a [\[MixmodResults\]](#) object which contains the classification rule computed in the `mixmodLearn()` or `mixmodCluster()` step.

... internal

**Value**

Returns an instance of the [\[MixmodPredict\]](#) class which contains predicted partition and probabilities.

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
# start by extract 10 observations from iris data set
remaining.obs<-sample(1:nrow(iris),10)
# then run a mixmodLearn() analysis without those 10 observations
learn<-mixmodLearn(iris[-remaining.obs,1:4], iris$Species[-remaining.obs])
# create a MixmodPredict to predict those 10 observations
prediction <- mixmodPredict(data=iris[remaining.obs,1:4], classificationRule=learn["bestResult"])
# show results
prediction
# compare prediction with real results
paste("accuracy= ",mean(as.integer(iris$Species[remaining.obs]) == prediction["partition"])*100
      ,"%",sep="")

## A composite example with a heterogeneous data set
data(heterodatatraining)
## Learning with training data
learn <- mixmodLearn(heterodatatraining[-1],knownLabels=heterodatatraining$V1)
## Prediction on the testing data
data(heterodatatest)
prediction <- mixmodPredict(heterodatatest[-1],learn["bestResult"])
# compare prediction with real results
paste("accuracy= ",mean(heterodatatest$V1 == prediction["partition"])*100,"%",sep="")
```

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MixmodPredict-class    *Constructor of [\[MixmodPredict\]](#) class*

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**Description**

This is a class to run discriminant analysis with mixmod.

**Details**

**data** numeric vector, matrix, or data frame of observations. Either qualitative or quantitative.

**dataType** character. It defines whether data are quantitative or qualitative.

**nbVariable** integer. The number of variables.

**nbSample** integer. The number of observations.

**error** a character. The mixmod error.

**classificationRule** a [\[MixmodResults\]](#) object containing the classification rule.

**partition** a matrix containing observations to predict.

**proba** a matrix of probabilities.

**Examples**

```
# start by extract 10 observations from iris data set
remaining.obs<-sample(1:nrow(iris),10)

# then run a mixmodLearn() analysis without those 10 observations
learn<-mixmodLearn(iris[-remaining.obs,1:4], iris$Species[-remaining.obs])
# create a MixmodPredict to predict those 10 observations
new("MixmodPredict", data=iris[remaining.obs,1:4], classificationRule=learn["bestResult"])

getSlots("MixmodPredict")
```

---

MixmodResults-class    *Constructor of [\[MixmodResults\]](#) class*

---

**Description**

This is a class to contain results from MIXMOD library.

**Details**

**nbCluster** integer. It indicates the number of components.

**model** character. Name of the model.

**criterion** list of character. This option permits to select the criterion giving the best configuration of an execution.

**criterionValue** numeric. Values of the criterion.

**parameters** a S4 [\[Parameter\]](#) object. The best model parameters.

**likelihood** numeric. The model likelihood.

**partition** vector of integers defining the partition.

**proba** a matrix of probabilities.

**error** a character. The mixmod error.

**Examples**

```
getSlots("MixmodResults")
```

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mixmodStrategy	<i>Create an instance of [Strategy] class</i>
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## Description

This class will contain all the parameters needed by the estimation algorithms.

## Usage

```
# mixmodStrategy(algo = "EM", nbTry = 1,
#                 initMethod = "smallem", nbTryInInit = 50,
#                 nbIterationInInit = 5, nbIterationInAlgo = 200,
#                 epsilonInInit = 0.001, epsilonInAlgo = 0.001,
#                 seed = NULL, parameter=NA, labels=NA)

# NB: as an implementation detail, this function is variadic:
mixmodStrategy(...)
```

## Arguments

... arguments passed to or from methods.

**algo** list of character string with the estimation algorithm. Possible values: "EM", "SEM", "CEM", c("EM", "SEM"). Default value is "EM".

**nbTry** integer defining the number of tries. nbTry must be a positive integer. Option available only if init is "random" or "smallem" or "CEM" or "SEMMax". Default value: 1.

**initMethod** a character string with the method of initialization of the algorithm specified in the algo argument. Possible values: "random", "smallem", "CEM", "SEMMax", "parameter", "partition". Default value: "smallem".

**nbTryInInit** integer defining number of tries in initMethod algorithm. nbTryInInit must be a positive integer. Option available only if init is "smallem" or "CEM". Default value: 50.

**nbIterationInInit** integer defining the number of "EM" or "SEM" iterations in initMethod. nbIterationInInit must be a positive integer. Only available if initMethod is "smallem" or "SEMMax". Default values: 5 if initMethod is "smallem" and 100 if initMethod is "SEMMax".

**nbIterationInAlgo** list of integers defining the number of iterations if you want to use nbIteration as rule to stop the algorithm(s). Default value: 200.

**epsilonInInit** real defining the epsilon value in the initialization step. Only available if initMethod is "smallem". Default value: 0.001.

**epsilonInAlgo** list of reals defining the epsilon value for the algorithm. Warning: epsilonInAlgo doesn't have any sens if algo is SEM, so it needs to be set as NaN in that case. Default value: 0.001.

**seed** a positive integer defining the seed of the random number generator. Setting a particular seed allows the user to (re)-generate a particular serie of random numbers. NULL or negative value for a random seed.

**parameter** instance of "Parameter" subclass. Required if initMethod is "parameter", forbidden otherwise.

**labels** vector of integers containing labels. Required if initMethod is "partition", forbidden otherwise.

## Details

There are different ways to initialize an algorithm :

**random** Initialization from a random position is a standard way to initialize an algorithm. This random initial position is obtained by choosing at random centers in the data set. This simple strategy is repeated 5 times (the user can choose the number of times) from different random positions and the position that maximises the likelihood is selected.

**smallEM** A maximum of 50 iterations of the EM algorithm according to the process :  $n_i$  numbers of iterations of EM are done (with random initialization) until the smallEM stop criterion value has been reached. This action is repeated until the sum of  $n_i$  reaches 50 iterations (or if in one action 50 iterations are reached before the stop criterion value). It appears that repeating runs of EM is generally profitable since using a single run of EM can often lead to suboptimal solutions.

**CEM** 10 repetitions of 50 iterations of the CEM algorithm are done. One advantage of initializing an algorithm with CEM lies in the fact that CEM converges generally in a small number of iterations. Thus, without consuming a large amount of CPU times, several runs of CEM are performed. Then EM is run with the best solution among the 10 repetitions.

**SEMMax** A run of 500 iterations of SEM. The idea is that an SEM sequence is expected to enter rapidly in the neighbourhood of the global maximum of the likelihood function.

Defining the algorithms used in the strategy, the stopping rule and when to stop.

- Algorithms :
  - EM** Expectation Maximisation
  - CEM** Classification EM
  - SEM** Stochastic EM
- Stopping rules for the algorithm :
  - nbIterationInAlgo** Sets the maximum number of iterations
  - epsilonInAlgo** Sets relative increase of the log-likelihood criterion
- Default values are 200 nbIterationInAlgo of EM with an epsilonInAlgo value of 10 – 3.

## Value

a [Strategy] object

## Author(s)

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## References

Biernacki, C., Celeux, G., Govaert, G., 2003. "Choosing starting values for the EM algorithm for getting the highest likelihood in multivariate gaussian mixture models". Computational Statistics and Data Analysis 41, 561-575.

## Examples

```
mixmodStrategy()  
  mixmodStrategy(algo="CEM",initMethod="random",nbTry=10,epsilonInInit=0.00001)  
  mixmodStrategy(algo=c("SEM","EM"), nbIterationInAlgo=c(200,100), epsilonInAlgo=c(NA,0.00001))
```

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mixmodXmlInput            *Internal. It's use is not recommended.*

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## Description

This class will contain all the parameters needed by the estimation algorithms.

## Usage

```
mixmodXmlInput(...)
```

## Arguments

...            arguments passed to or from methods.  
                 Internal. It's use is not recommended.

## Details

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## Value

a [[MixmodXmlInput](#)] object

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MixmodXmlInput-class    *Constructor of [MixmodXmlInput] class*

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### Description

Internal

### Details

**family** Its use is not recommended.

### Examples

```
# new("MixmodXmlInput",file="xml-file", numFormat="humanReadable", conversionOnly=FALSE)
getSlots("MixmodXmlInput")
```

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Model-class                    *Constructor of [Model] class*

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### Description

This class defines the Mixmod models.

### Details

**listModels** character containing a list of models.

**free.proportions** logical to include models with free proportions. Default is TRUE.

**equal.proportions** logical to include models with equal proportions. Default is FALSE.

### Examples

```
getSlots("Model")
```

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MultinomialModel-class

*Constructor of [\[MultinomialModel\]](#) class*

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### Description

This class defines a multinomial Model. Inherits the [\[Model\]](#) class.

### Details

**variable.independency** logical

**component.independency** logical

### Examples

```
new("MultinomialModel")
new("MultinomialModel", listModels=c("Binary_pk_E", "Binary_p_E") )
new("MultinomialModel", free.proportions=FALSE, variable.independency=TRUE )

getSlots("MultinomialModel")
```

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MultinomialParameter-class

*Constructor of [\[MultinomialParameter\]](#) class*

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### Description

This class defines parameters of a Multinomial Mixture Model. Inherits the [\[Parameter\]](#) class.

### Details

**center** a numeric vector containing center of each cluster.

**scatter** a vector of matrix containing dispersion matrix of each cluster.

**factor** a character vector containing the modalities.

### Examples

```
new("MultinomialParameter")

getSlots("MultinomialParameter")
```

`nbFactorFromData`      *Get the number of modalities for each column of a categorical data set*

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### Description

Get the number of modalities for each column of a categorical data set

### Usage

```
nbFactorFromData(x)
```

### Arguments

`x`                      a vector or a matrix or a data frame containing factors

### Value

a vector containing the number of modalities for each column

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`Parameter-class`      *Constructor of [\[Parameter\]](#) class*

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### Description

This class defines parameters of a Mixture Model.

### Details

**proportions** a numeric vector containing proportions of the mixture model.

### Examples

```
getSlots("Parameter")
```

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plot *Plotting of a class [Mixmod]*

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### Description

Plotting data from a [Mixmod] object using parameters and partition to distinguish the different clusters.

### Arguments

x an object of class [Mixmod]  
y a list of variables to plot (subset). Variables names or indices. Only in a quantitative case.  
... further arguments passed to or from other methods

### Details

For quantitative case, ellipsoids (i.e. linear transformations of hyperspheres) centered at the mean are drawn using the parameters computed by MIXMOD. The directions of the principal axes of the ellipsoids are given by the eigenvectors of the covariance matrix  $\Sigma$ . The squared relative lengths of the principal axes are given by the corresponding eigenvalues. A 1-dimensional representation of variables with the densities is drawn on the diagonal.

For qualitative case, a Multiple Correspondance Analysis is performed to get a 2-dimensional representation of the data set. Bigger symbol means that observations are similar.

### See Also

[plot](#)

### Examples

```
## for quantitative case
data(iris)
xem <- mixmodCluster(iris[1:4],3)
plot(xem)
plot(xem,c(1,3))
plot(xem,c("Sepal.Length", "Sepal.Width"))

## for qualitative case
data(birds)
xem2 <- mixmodCluster(birds,2)
plot(xem2)
legend("bottomleft",c("Cluster1", "Cluster2"),col=c(2,3),pch=c(1,2))
```

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plotCluster

*Plotting of a class [MixmodResults]*


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### Description

Biplot of two variables from a quantitative data set. Use parameters and partition from a [\[MixmodResults\]](#) object to distinguish the different clusters.

### Usage

```
plotCluster(x, data, variable1 = colnames(data)[1],
            variable2 = colnames(data)[2], col = x@partition + 1,
            pch = x@partition, xlab = variable1, ylab = variable2,
            add.ellipse = TRUE, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	an object of class <a href="#">[MixmodResults]</a>
data	a data frame containing a quantitative data set.
variable1	index or character containing the name of the first variable. First column of data by default.
variable2	index or character containing the name of the second variable. Second column of data by default.
col	a specification for the default plotting color. By default partition is used to separate clusters with different colors.
pch	either an integer specifying a symbol or a single character to be used as the default in plotting points. By default partition is used to separate clusters with different symbols.
xlab	a title for the x axis. Variable1 by default.
ylab	a title for the y axis. Variable2 by default.
add.ellipse	a boolean. Add ellipses to graph. TRUE by default.
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

### Details

Ellipsoids (i.e. linear transformations of hyperspheres) centered at the mean can be drawn using the parameters computed by MIXMOD. The directions of the principal axes of the ellipsoids are given by the eigenvectors of the covariance matrix  $\Sigma$ . The squared relative lengths of the principal axes are given by the corresponding eigenvalues.

### See Also

[plot](#)

**Examples**

```

data(geyser)
xem1 <- mixmodCluster(geyser,3)
plotCluster(xem1["bestResult"], geyser)

data(iris)
xem2 <- mixmodCluster(iris[1:4],2:6)
plotCluster(xem2["bestResult"], iris, variable1="Sepal.Length", variable2="Sepal.Width")
plotCluster(xem2["bestResult"], iris, variable1=1, variable2=4)

```

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print	<i>Print a Rmixmod class to standard output.</i>
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**Description**

Print a Rmixmod class to standard output.

**Arguments**

x	a Rmixmod object: a <a href="#">Strategy</a> , a <a href="#">Model</a> , a <a href="#">GaussianParameter</a> , a <a href="#">MultinomialParameter</a> , a <a href="#">MixmodResults</a> , a <a href="#">MixmodCluster</a> , a <a href="#">MixmodLearn</a> or a <a href="#">MixmodPredict</a> .
...	further arguments passed to or from other methods

**Value**

NULL. Prints to standard out.

**See Also**

[print](#)

**Examples**

```

## for strategy
strategy <- mixmodStrategy()
print(strategy)

## for Gaussian models
gmodel <- mixmodGaussianModel()
print(gmodel)
## for multinomial models
mmodel <- mixmodMultinomialModel()
print(mmodel)

## for clustering
data(geyser)
xem <- mixmodCluster(geyser,3)
print(xem)
## for Gaussian parameters

```

```

print(xem["bestResult"]["parameters"])

## for discriminant analysis
# start by extract 10 observations from iris data set
iris.partition<-sample(1:nrow(iris),10)
# then run a mixmodLearn() analysis without those 10 observations
learn<-mixmodLearn(iris[-iris.partition,1:4], iris$Species[-iris.partition])
# print learn results
print(learn)
# create a MixmodPredict to predict those 10 observations
prediction <- mixmodPredict(data=iris[iris.partition,1:4], classificationRule=learn["bestResult"])
# print prediction results
print(prediction)

```

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show

*Show description of a Rmixmod class to standard output.*


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## Description

Show description of a Rmixmod class to standard output.

## Arguments

object            a Rmixmod object: a [Strategy](#), a [Model](#), a [GaussianParameter](#), a [MultinomialParameter](#), a [MixmodResults](#), a [MixmodCluster](#), a [MixmodLearn](#) or a [MixmodPredict](#).

## Value

NULL. Prints to standard out.

## See Also

[show](#)

## Examples

```

## for strategy
strategy <- mixmodStrategy()
show(strategy)

## for Gaussian models
gmodel <- mixmodGaussianModel()
show(gmodel)
## for multinomial models
mmodel <- mixmodMultinomialModel()
show(mmodel)

## for clustering
data(geyser)
xem <- mixmodCluster(geyser,3)

```



```
show(xem)
## for Gaussian parameters
show(xem["bestResult"]["parameters"])

## for discriminant analysis
# start by extract 10 observations from iris data set
iris.partition<-sample(1:nrow(iris),10)
# then run a mixmodLearn() analysis without those 10 observations
learn<-mixmodLearn(iris[-iris.partition,1:4], iris$Species[-iris.partition])
# create a MixmodPredict to predict those 10 observations
prediction <- mixmodPredict(data=iris[iris.partition,1:4], classificationRule=learn["bestResult"])
# show results
show(prediction)
```

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sortByCriterion

*Sorting results of a [Mixmod] object by a given criterion*

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## Description

After calling the `mixmodCluster()` or `mixmodLearn()` method, results will be sorted into ascending order according to the first given criterion (descending order for CV criterion). This method is able to reorder the list of results according to a given criterion.

## Arguments

object	a [Mixmod] object
criterion	a string containing the criterion name

## Value

a modified [Mixmod] object

## Examples

```
x<-mixmodCluster(iris[1:4],2:10,criterion=c("BIC","ICL"))
icl<-sortByCriterion(x,"ICL")
icl["results"]
```

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Strategy-class	<i>Constructor of [Strategy] class</i>
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## Description

This class defines the Mixmod strategies.

## Details

**algo** list of character string with the estimation algorithm. Possible values: "EM", "SEM", "CEM", c("EM","SEM"). Default value is "EM".

**nbTry** integer defining the number of tries. Default value: 1.

**initMethod** a character string with the method of initialization of the algorithm specified in the algo argument. Possible values: "random", "smallEM", "CEM", "SEMMax". Default value: "smallEM".

**nbTryInInit** integer defining number of tries in initMethod algorithm. Default value: 50.

**nbIterationInInit** integer defining the number of "EM" or "SEM" iterations in initMethod. Default values: 5 if initMethod is "smallEM" and 100 if initMethod is "SEMMax".

**nbIterationInAlgo** list of integers defining the number of iterations if user want to use nbIteration as rule to stop the algorithm(s). Default value: 200.

**epsilonInInit** real defining the epsilon value in the initialization step. Only available if initMethod is "smallEM". Default value: 0.001.

**epsilonInAlgo** list of reals defining the epsilon value for the algorithm. Warning: epsilonInAlgo doesn't have any sens if algo is SEM, so it needs to be set as NaN in that case. Default value: 0.001.

**seed** integer defining the seed of the random number generator. Setting a particular seed allows the user to (re)-generate a particular serie of random numbers. Default value is NULL, i.e. a random seed.

## Examples

```
new("Strategy")
  new("Strategy", algo="SEM", initMethod="SEMMax")

getSlots("Strategy")
```

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summary	<i>Produce result summaries of a Rmixmod class</i>
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**Description**

Produce result summaries of a Rmixmod class

**Arguments**

x                    Either a [Mixmod](#) object, a [Parameter](#) object or a [MixmodResults](#) object.  
 ...                  further arguments passed to or from other methods

**Value**

NULL. Summaries to standard out.

**See Also**

[summary](#)

**Examples**

```
data(geyser)
xem <- mixmodCluster(geyser,3)
summary(xem)
summary(xem["bestResult"])
summary(xem["bestResult"]["parameters"])
```

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titanic	<i>Qualitative data: Survival of passengers on the Titanic</i>
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**Description**

For each person on board the fatal maiden voyage of the ocean liner Titanic, this dataset records: sex, age [adult/child], economic status [first/second/third class, or crew] and whether or not that person survived. Values are aligned and delimited by blanks. There are no missing values.

**Format**

A data frame with 2201 observations on the following 4 variables.

Class 0 = crew, 1 = first, 2 = second, 3 = third, which denote the economic status of the subject

Age 1 = adult, 0 = child, which denote if the subject is an adult or a child

Sex 1 = male, 0 = female, which denote the sex of the subject

Survived 1 = yes, 0 = no, which denote if the subject lived through the fatal maiden voyage of the ocean liner Titanic

**Source**

The source provides a data set recording class, sex, age, and survival status for each person on board of the Titanic, and is based on data originally collected by the British Board of Trade and reprinted in: British Board of Trade (1990), "Report on the Loss of the Titanic (S.S.)". British Board of Trade Inquiry Report (reprint). Gloucester, UK: Allan Sutton Publishing.

**Examples**

```
data(titanic)
```

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[ *Extract parts of a Rmixmod class*

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**Description**

Extract parts of a Rmixmod class

**Arguments**

x	object from which to extract element(s) or in which to replace element(s).
i	the name of the element we want to extract or replace.
j	if the element designing by i is complex, j specifying elements to extract or replace.
drop	For matrices and arrays. If TRUE the result is coerced to the lowest possible dimension (see the examples). This only works for extracting elements, not for the replacement. See drop for further details.

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